

Litigation Section Meeting Agenda May 19, 2023 12 -1pm MST

Idaho Falls Parsons Behle & Latimer Zoom

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Meeting Minutes April, March, February
- III. Financial Update
 - Brady Dunn//Timberline High School and a member of its varsity debate team
 - Access to Justice Fun Run 2023, \$500.00.
- IV. Old Business
- V. New Business

Aaron Bell is our new secretary

VI. Adjourn

Next Meeting:

June 23, 2023 No July Meeting



Jane Gordon <jane@parkegordon.com>

Donation Request

Wed, May 3, 2023 at 9:57 PM

Dear Litigation Section of the Bar,

My name is Brady Dunn and I'm a senior at Timberline High School and a member of its varsity debate team. I, along with 6 of my teammates, recently qualified for the National Speech and Debate Association's national competition being held in Phoenix, Arizona in mid June. But, as it stands, we will be unable to attend the competition and represent our school district due to a lack of funding and general support from our school's administration. We are currently \$7,000 short of attending the competition and were wondering if the Litigation Section of the Bar would be willing to financially contribute to our journey to nationals?

For many of our team's qualifiers, including myself, this will be the last time we will ever be able to compete in high school speech and debate making it a momentous and deeply profound experience for us. As we see it, debate education is a crucial aspect of both law and justice and can better prepare the next generation of paralegals, attorneys, and judges to fulfill their role in upholding the integrity of the American legal system. Over the course of this year for example, we have debated the moral and legal merit to our nation's current immigration laws, the effectiveness of Idaho's right to work laws, digital user protections, and many other relevant political and social dilemmas. And it has been this practice over the past three years that has inspired me to enter into higher education with the goals of one day becoming a lawyer, a story that rings true for countless other speech and debate participants.

If you are interested in donating to our team or need any further information, I've attached my debate coaches email below as well as a link to the website for the NSDA's national tournament. Thank you.

National Tournament Information- 2023 National Speech & Debate Tournament

Coach Dominic Molet-dominic.molet@boiseschools.org

Sincerely, Brady Dunn

From: Carter, Meghan Meghan.Carter@idwr.idaho.gov

Subject: Access to Justice Fund Run **Date:** May 2, 2023 at 8:55 PM

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Litigation Section,

I am part of the team organizing the Access to Justice Fund Run. The Run supports the overall Access to Justice campaign which supports Idaho Legal Aid Services, the Idaho Volunteer Lawyers Program, and DisAbility Rights Idaho — the three principal providers of civil legal services for poor and vulnerable Idahoans. The 2023 Run is happening June 10. I am asking your section to donate to the run. Most sections who support the Run donate \$500. I am happy to speak to your section in support of our request and to answer any questions. If your section chooses not to donate, please encourage them to sign up for the Run. It is a great time and supports a great cause.

Thank you for considering supporting the Access To Justice Fund Run.



Meghan Carter I Deputy Attorney General

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February 17, 2023 ISB Litigation Section Minutes

12:03 pm litigation section meeting began.

Approval of January 20, 2023 meeting minutes

- Clay Gill motioned to approve minutes
- Kevin Griffiths second the motion

New Business

- Michael Mehall ISC CLE Financial Request \$500 from us, \$500 from 4th District on covering the fee to record his CLE on Lawyering in the Electronic Age and e-filing update re: fees
- Discussion to abstain from a motion on the request until next meeting when Michael Mehall will be present to answer questions.

CLE: Presentation and discussion with Senator James Ruchi on certain bills before the Idaho Legislature. Started at 12:10 pm.

Adjournment 1:02 pm.

March 17, 2023 ISB Litigation Section Minutes

New Business

- ISB Annual Meeting July 19-21 at JUMP
- Put out call for section CLEs

Old Business

• Trial Skills Academy held two weeks ago. Members encouraged to participate next year. - No additional business

CLE: Presentation by Michael Mehall on E-Filing Updates

April 21, 2023 ISB Litigation Section Minutes

12:03 call to Meeting by Jane Gordon

New Business

- Inform section that Aaron Bell will be assuming Secretary position, as Amber Dresslar is moving to Arizona
- Motion for approval of February and March minutes. Since not sent out electronically, holding the motion until next meeting to approve February, March, and April Meeting Minutes.

CLE: John Avondet presentation on Idaho Code §12-120, fee shifting, started about 12:07 and ended 12:43.

Section meeting ended at 12:44 pm.