

WESTERN KENTUCKY PARALEGALS

THIRTY-SECOND ANNUAL MEETING

MAY 3, 2024

8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

LAKELAND EVENT CENTER
4900 US Hwy 62
Calvert City, Kentucky

Western Kentucky Paralegals

Purpose & Goals

Western Kentucky Paralegals was formed in 1992 to provide support and guidance for paralegals in the Western Kentucky area.

WKP's goals are to provide continuing legal education and ethical guidelines to its members and increase community awareness of the paralegal profession. Continuing legal education is required to maintain WKP active membership.

As an affiliate of the National Association of Legal Assistants (NALA), WKP has adopted the Code of Ethics and Professional Responsibility of NALA and its members agree to be bound by the Code.

WKP endorses the Certified Legal Assistant program administered by NALA. WKP recognizes certification as a personal achievement and recognition of dedication to the profession. Certification requires successful completion of a comprehensive exam and continuing legal education is required to maintain CLA / CP status. WKP also endorses the Certified Kentucky Paralegal program (CKP), which requires successful completion of an examination, which covers Kentucky ethics topics. Continuing legal education is required to maintain CKP status.

2023-2024 Officers

President	Loren Hale-Wheeler
President-Elect	Amanda Guhy, CKP
Vice President	Shirley Burgess, CKP
Secretary	Angela Dixon
Treasurer	Connie Stephens, CKP
Past President	Tammy Parks, CKP
NALA Liaison	Kathy Ryan, CP, CKP
KPA Liaison	Shirley Burgess, CKP

2024-2025 Slate of Officers

President	Amanda Guhy, CKP
President Elect	Susan Runyon, CKP
Vice President	vacant
Secretary	Angie Dixon
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KPA Liaison	Tammy Parks, CKP

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8:00 - 8:30	Breakfast and Registration
8:30 – 8:45	Opening Remarks
8:45 - 9:35	Jackie “Jay” Matheny, Esq. “Kentucky’s Open Records Laws”
9:45 - 10:35	Justice Christopher Shea Nickell “Kentucky Supreme Court update”
10:45 – 11:35	James C. Mills, Esq “Sexual Offenses and Kentucky’s Sex Offender Registry”
11:40 – 12:25	Lunch – Magic Valley Catering Door prizes
12:25- 1:00	WKP Annual Meeting – Loren Hale-Wheeler, WKP President Installation of Officers Presentations \ Awards KPA Update NALA Update
1:10 – 2:00	Vickie Kennedy, Medical Records Director, Baptist Health Paducah “The Medical Records Maze”
2:10 -- 3:00	Elizabeth Wieneke, Esq “Residential and Commercial Leases”
3:10 – 4:00	Clay Perkins, Marketing Director, Dev-Source “Cybercrimes – Schemes and Scams”
4:00 – 4:30	Closing Remarks and Remaining Door Prizes

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NAME: _____ TITLE: _____

FIRM: _____

ADDRESS: _____ WKP Member \$60.00*

_____ Non-Member \$65.00*

PHONE: _____ Student \$20.00*

*Includes breakfast and lunch

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO WESTERN KENTUCKY PARALEGALS.

Please return form and registration fee by Monday, April 29, 2024 to:

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Murray, KY 42071**

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COMMUNITY SERVICE - MONETARY DONATION

We will accept monetary donations for the "Beat the Heat" project to buy fans for needy families this summer. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!