

The Paralegal Bulletin

The Paralegal Bulletin is designed to bring you current information about the Paralegal Division of the State Bar of Nevada.

- **In this August issue of The Paralegal Bulletin, we remind you:**

- to check our webpage for events, notices, and other important information – visit: www.nvbar.org/member-services-3895/sections/paralegal-division/
- to sign up for CLE near you to increase your knowledge in your practice area – check the State Bar’s CLE calendar here: www.nvbar.org/liveseminars/
- to volunteer your time to a cause you are passionate about... the ABA encourages paralegal participation in pro bono work – ask me for a list of pro bono opportunities for paralegals in your area, and/or check the State Bar’s Access to Justice & Pro Bono page here: www.nvbar.org/member-services-3895/pro-bono/
- to check out FastCase, an online research tool FREE for members of the State Bar of Nevada, check it out here: www.nvbar.org/member-services-3895/member-benefits/fastcase-2/
- to check out the local paralegal association in your area:
 - LVVPA for Las Vegas area www.lvvpa.org (next meeting is Tuesday, September 19, 2017)
 - SNAP for Reno area www.snapreno.com (next meeting is Tuesday, September 19, 2017)
- to participate and get involved with the Paralegal Division of the State Bar of Nevada – we’ve got a lot to offer!

- **Upcoming 2017 events:**

- **September 13, 2017 – monthly Board meeting**, telephonic
- **Fall 2017 - Mix & Mingle** – TBD, Las Vegas
- **October 4-7, 2017 – NALS Annual Education Conference** in Norfolk, VA
- **October 11, 2017 – monthly Board meeting**, telephonic
- **October 12-15, 2017 – NFPA Annual Meeting** in New Orleans, LA
- **October 18-21, 2017 – AAfPE Annual Education Conference** in Albuquerque, NM
- **November 8, 2017 – monthly Board meeting**, telephonic
- **December 13, 2017 – monthly Board meeting**, telephonic



- **The Paralegal Journal, Spring 2017 – newsletter:**

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT...check out our Spring newsletter!

www.nvbar.org/wp-content/uploads/Paralegal-Division-Newsletter-spring-2017.pdf

Submit your articles or other newsworthy items for consideration for the next issue of The Paralegal Journal by emailing Chair, Conni Hebert @ chebert@bhfs.com. Consideration will be given to all member and non-member submissions. The next issue is expected to publish in Fall 2017.

CONGRATS!

Congratulations to Carl Morrison PP-SC, AACP!
Carl was recently elected as a Southern District Board Member!

NALA NEWS

CERTIFIED PARALEGALS

❖ **NEW Certified Paralegal exam specifications**

NALA has created a new Certified Paralegal (CP) exam starting in 2018:

- (1) new structure and content
- (2) faster exam results
- (3) more testing windows

For more information on the new CP exam, visit www.nala.org/certification. An Online CP Exam Review Study Group is available on Facebook and on LinkedIn. For more information on the online study groups, visit www.nala.org/news/cp-online-study-group.

❖ **NEW – Free LEADERSHIP BASICS Course**

NALA has launched its new Leadership Basics course. This course is free for members who have an Active Membership Type. All other member classifications and non-members can purchase the course for \$39. This course is the foundation of our new personal leadership program and will provide you with the tools to build trust and confidence with employees and peers. You will be more skilled at promoting teamwork and esprit de corps, and you'll be prepared to act decisively. Visit www.nala.org/courses/leadership-basics for more information!

❖ **On-demand Webinars**

The National Association of Legal Assistants-Paralegals (NALA) offers on-demand webinars available online to members and non-members; see below for a list of upcoming webinars. NALA webinars are a fast, convenient, and now an even more affordable way to get the legal education you need. Continuing education for all paralegals is NALA's mission. Registration is fast and easy! See www.nala.org/continuing-education for details on upcoming live courses, self-study courses, and upcoming webinars.

❖ **Facts & Findings**

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Thank you,

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