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# **Events & Announcements**

### November 28 – December 2

### **Weeklong Events**

### **CLAW - Energy Drink Fundraiser**

#### Nov 28 - Dec 2 | 12:00 - 5:00pm | Sullivan Hall Court Level

Need a little extra energy to make it through studying for finals? Come find the Cannabis Law Society (CLAW) on the Court Level of the Law School. We will be selling energy drinks to get you through studying in the library on those particularly long nights.

#### **Cutest Pet Contest – Submit Your Photos**

#### Now - Dec 2 | Tabling for Donations Nov 30th and Dec 1st

Do you think you have the cutest pet? If so, then enter them in the SALDF Cutest Pet Contest!

To enter email your cute pet pictures to Contact Info Redacted with 'Cutest Pet Contest' in the subject line & include your name and your pets name in the message. Once all pictures are submitted people will be able to view the pets on a FB page and vote for which pets they think are the cutest!

Voting will begin Nov 20 and will end Dec 2 and during this time you can vote for a pet either by donating pet items or money! The owner of the pet who receives the most votes in their category during the voting period will win prizes and their pet will win the title of Cutest SU Law School Pet of 2016-2017!

Don't have a pet? Don't worry! You can still participate by voting for which pet you think is the cutest! Your Participation will really help us raise donations for animals in need right here in Seattle:)

Have questions? Just send an email to Contact Info Redacted!

#### **NALSA Winter Clothing Drive**

#### Nov 30 – Dec 2 | 10:00am – 4:00pm | Sullivan Hall Court Level

Winter Clothing Drive: NALSA will be holding a Winter Clothing Drive to benefit the Chief Seattle Club between November 30th and December 2nd. The Chief Seattle Club helps local, homeless Native Americans. New or gently used warm winter clothing (aka ponchos, coats, sweaters, and warm socks) can be donated on the Court Level at the NALSA table. The first twenty-five people to donate will receive a "I stand with Standing Rock" sticker.

### Monday, November 28

Welcome back from Thanksgiving recess!

### Tuesday, November 29

#### **Student Bar Association Council Meeting**

#### Nov 29 | 7:30am | Sullivan Hall Court Room

The Student Bar Association Council will be meeting to conduct regular business.

#### **Future Prosecutors for Social Justice Fall Symposium**

#### Nov 29 | 6:30pm | Sullivan Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Gallery

All students are invited to join the Future Prosecutors for Social Justice for our Fall Symposium Event, "FPSJ Presents: King County Prosecuting Attorney's Office and Alternatives to Incarceration." If you are interested in learning more about King County's initiatives to change prosecuting practices to divert defendants out of the prison pipeline and provide them with access to mental health and drug addiction treatment, join us on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Gallery, November 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. Speakers will discuss their work in King County's Drug, Mental Health, and Veterans' court programs and the impact these programs have made since their inception before fielding audience questions. Light snacks and coffee will be served.

### Wednesday, November 30

### **Tree Decorating & Photo Booth!**

#### Nov 30 | 1:30 - 3:00pm | Sullivan Hall Court Level

Grab a cookie and join in the annual tree decorating festivities! This year will also feature a photo booth! Bring a friend and come take some sweet holiday selfies!

### Movie Night "The Champions" with Student Animal Defense Fund and Future Prosecutors for Social Justice

#### Nov 30 | 7:30 - 9:30 | Sullivan Hall C1\*

Please join the Student Animal Defense Fund and Future Prosecutors for Social Justice for a movie screening of the documentary "The Champions." This documentary is an uplifting story of the pit bulls rescued from NFL player Michael Vick's dogfighting ring.

We are holding this event to allow students and faculty the opportunity to learn about animal advocacy and the positive advances that have been made in regard to animal law and breed discrimination.

We will be accepting donations of pet supplies that will be given to local animal shelters. Snacks will be served as well as wine and beer!

#### 2017 and Beyond: A Community Gathering

#### Nov 30 | 5:00pm - 7:00pm | Franklin High School

Recently, we have seen heightened concern around civil liberties and immigration rights. We welcome those who share those concerns to join us. Hear from local legal experts who will help you understand your rights. Connect with community resources to learn more about how you can care for yourself and your loved ones. Organize with others for future advocacy work.

Lights refreshments provided, translators available, free childcare provided.

### Thursday, December 1 (Last Class Day)

#### CPD's Pop-up Shop

Dec 1 | 3:30 - 7:30 p.m. | CPD Suite

Come unwind on the last day of class while finding professional attire. Shop without spending a dime! Browse professional, gently used attire with the help of a stylist. Enjoy refreshments, music, and private fitting rooms. Everything, including the clothes, is on us. Contact Erin Fullner at Contact Info Redacted with questions.

### Friday, December 2

Happy Friday!

### **Upcoming Events**

Low Bono CLE Connections Series, "Creating Your Law Firm: Your Vision, Your Life"

Dec 7 | 12:00 - 1:30 p.m. | Law School Annex Room 142 |

Starting a law firm can be an intimidating endeavor, but it is not only manageable, it can be rewarding. Jenny Anderson and Greg McLawsen are living proof that running a small firm is possible and is a great path to fulfillment of your personal goals. Jenny Anderson will share her experience starting a low bono practice before "low bono" became a trend, and how she grew her solo practice to a three-partner firm. Greg McLawsen will discuss how his decentralized, cloud-based immigration law firm allows him to work while traveling in Asia, and has part of its team based in Bangalore.

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