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Library Hosts Two King County Bar Association Volunteer Programs

Each Monday, from 4-6 pm., starting on February 27th, 2006 the **Housing Justice Project** will be utilizing three of our conference rooms as well as the Legal Research and Training Center. "This project provides free legal help to eligible low-income tenants who are facing eviction. Depending on an individual's case, the volunteer attorney may provide legal advice and counsel, negotiate with opposing counsel, or represent the client at his or her eviction hearing that day. The project also provides information and educational materials about the eviction process, low-income housing resources and referrals." They also offer help for low-income landlords.

Every Thursday, from 12-2 pm, starting February 2nd, 2006, a **Neighborhood Legal Clinic** will be held for any King County resident who needs legal help, regardless of income. Individuals needing advice **must set up an appointment by calling 206-267-7010**. Three volunteer attorneys will offer their time with the understanding that they will not represent the person with whom they are meeting. "The clinics provide advice on civil issues. ASL interpreters will be provided when requested. Foreign language interpreters will be provided pending availability of funds."

Subscriber Renewal Deadline Approaching

Privileges for the 2005 Subscriber Program expire on February 1, 2006. In early December 2005, we mailed a 2006 Subscriber Renewal package to you. To ensure that your office still has the ability to check out materials from the Law Library and can still use KCLL's document delivery service, *KCLL Delivers*, please return the completed 2006 Renewal Invoice with your annual payment to us by January 31, 2006. If you did not receive a 2006 Renewal package or have any questions about the Subscriber Program, please contact Rick Stroup at (206) 296-0940.

LRTC Training Schedule

The Legal Research and Training Center (LRTC), located in the Seattle Library, has a number of classes scheduled in January and February. On January 20th we will be offering our Skip tracing class – from 3:30 PM to 5:00 PM. Come and learn how to use free resources to find information on individuals and companies. And join us on February 10th from Noon to 1PM for a new class titled **Searching Law Reviews (HeinOnline & LegalTrac)**. Learn how to find law reviews with known citations and how to do keyword searches using these two subscription databases available in the Library.

Check out the full schedule on our web site at: <http://www.kcll.org/learnhow/lrtc/lrtccalendar.htm>. Call us at 206-296-0940 to register for these free classes.

New Books in the Library

Banking:

Understanding Complex Financial Institutions

Bankruptcy:

2005 Collier Portable Pamphlet

Civil Procedure:

Winning Jury Trials: Tips and Strategies

Modern Discovery: New Rules, New Approaches

Contracts:

Practical Guide to Construction Contract Surety Claims

Corporations:

What Every Director & Officer Should Know About D & O Coverage

2005 Corporate Counsel Institute

Criminal Procedure:

Judicial Council of California, Criminal Jury Instructions

Domestic Relations:

Adoption Law Institute 2005

Estate Planning:

Estate and Trust Planning

When a Simple Will isn't Enough: Critical Issues in Estate Planning

Insurance:

Uninsured and Underinsured Motorist Insurance

Intellectual Property:

The Intellectual Property Handbook

Practice of Law:

Ethics, Professionalism and civility: the hard questions

Public Property:

The Legal Guide to Affordable Housing Development

Public Safety:

A Legal Guide to Homeland Security and Emergency Management for State and Local Governments

Taxation:

The New Deferred Compensation Regulations: Act II – What Should Your Clients do Now?

To see a complete list of the new books, go to www.kcll.org/aboutus/news/newbooks.html.

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