

BOYK LAW ATTORNEY KATIE HARRIS TAKES ON TATE-WIDE ROLES



toward ever-increasing inclusion of women at the highest levels of leadership within our profession."

In addition to her growing role within OAJ, Katie was also recently appointed to serve on the Attorney Advisory Group of the U.S. District Court, Northern District of Ohio on the recommendation of newly

confirmed federal District Judge James R. Knepp, II. The Advisory Group meets twice a year in Cleveland to update the federal court on topics of interest to the community and legal profession and assist with implementing Court programs.

"My first job after law school was working as Judge Knepp's law clerk when he was a Magistrate Judge," Katie says. "It was an incredible experience that could not have given me a better foundation for the kind of lawyer I want to be. I'm so proud of him for his confirmation as a District Judge and honored that he thought of me for this position to give back to a court that means a lot to me personally."

Mass Torts In the News

Paraquat: Paraquat is a chemical herbicide that has been linked to Parkinson's disease. The manufacturers are facing a growing number of lawsuits brought by people who were exposed to the chemical and later developed Parkinson's Disease. This month, one of the first cases filed is set to go to trial in Illinois. The case is being closely watched as it will set the tone for future lawsuits.

Roundup: In ongoing litigation, an attempt by Bayer, the manufacturer of Roundup, to resolve future cancer claims has been shot down by the U.S. District Judge overseeing the case. Bayer proposed to pay as much as \$2 billion to resolve future claims, but the Judge said that Bayer's proposal is "clearly unreasonable" to victims. The rejected settlement proposal represents a part of the broader \$11.6 billion agreement to resolve ongoing Roundup lawsuits.

3M Military Earplugs: A federal jury in Florida recently decided that the 3M Company was liable for three former service members' hearing loss and tinnitus. The jury determined that 3M knew their earplugs were defective yet concealed the defects from the U.S. military and allowed service members to suffer life-altering hearing damage. The jury awarded them more than \$7 million in damages.

After serving on the Board of Trustees since 2019, Attorney Katie Harris is proud to have been selected to be the 2021-2022 Chair of the Women's Caucus for the Ohio Association for Justice (OAJ). OAJ is Ohio's statewide organization for plaintiff's attorneys and works to protect and promote Ohioans' right to a fair and impartial civil justice system, including their constitutional right to trial by jury, through advocacy, education, and training.

As Chair of the Women's Caucus Section, Katie says that her top goals are "to increase engagement and strengthen professional relationships among our women members, promote our successes as trial lawyers, and work

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SUMMER 2021!

Things to do in Northwest Ohio and Southeast Michigan

Summer-Long Activities
Toledo Mud Hens -

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170th Season of the Bryan City Band

Wednesdays through July 21 | 7:30 p.m. McDonald-Ruff Ice Arena Townline Rd Bryan, OH 43506

Ottawa Park Amphitheater Summer Concert Series

Saturdays through Sept | 6 - 8 p.m. 2200 Kenwood, Toledo, OH 43606

Toledo Zoo Music Under the Stars

Sundays July through Aug | 7:30 p.m. 2 Hippo Way, Toledo, OH 43609



Jazz in the Garden

Thursdays through Sept | 6:30 p.m. 5403 Elmer Drive, Toledo, OH 43615

Summer Event Series at Centennial Terrace

July through September 5773 Centennial Rd, Sylvania, Ohio 43560

Concerts and Events

Wyanstock - The Wyandot County Music Festival

Fri, July 2 – Sat, July 3 10171 OH-53, Upper Sandusky, OH 43351

Western Ohio Cluster All Breed Dog Show

Fri, July 2 – Sun, July 4 1050 Thayer Rd, Lima, OH 45801

4th Annual Red White & Boogie

Fri, July 2 – Sun, July 4 24401 Poe Rd, Grand Rapids, OH



2021 Marathon LPGA Classic Presented by Dana

Mon, July 5 – Sun, July 11 7455 Erie St, Sylvania, OH 43560

The Great Summer Get Together

Sat, July 10 | 10 a.m. - 10 p.m. 9520 Harrod Rd, Harrod, OH

16th Annual Toledo Lighthouse Waterfront Festival

Sat, July 10 – Sun, July 11 Maumee Bay St Park 50 Park Rd, Oregon, OH 43616

Ann Arbor Art Fair

Thur, July 15 – Sat, July 18 State & Washington Streets, Ann Arbor, MI 48104

Faster Horses Country Music Festival

Thur, July 16 – Sun, July 18 Michigan International Speedway 12626 US-12, Brooklyn, MI

TomatoFestOhio21

Fri, July 23 – Sun, July 25 24401 Poe Rd, Grand Rapids, OH 43522

Art on the Mall

Sun, July 25 | 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. University of Toledo Centennial Mall 2801 Bancroft St, Toledo, OH 43606

Northwest Ohio Rib-Off

Fri, July 30 – Sat, Aug 1 1406 Key St, Maumee, Oh 43537



Toledo Jeep Fest

Fri, Aug 6 – Sun, Aug 8 Downtown Toledo, OH 43604



Now that COVID-19 restrictions are lifted and many people are vaccinated, summer is back! From County fairs to baseball to concerts and more, check out some of our favorite events happening this summer throughout Northwest Ohio and Southeast Michigan!



2021 United Way of Defiance County Hot Air Balloon Festival

Sat, Aug 7 | 6:30 a.m. - 10:30 p.m. Defiance Memorial Airport 20399 Airport Rd, Defiance, OH 43512

Swanton Corn Festival

Sat, August 7 | Noon – 4 p.m. Downtown Swanton, OH 43558

Reba at the Huntington Center

Sat, Aug 7 | 8 - 11 p.m. 500 Jefferson Ave, Toledo, OH 43604

Maumee Summer Fair

Fri, Aug 13 – Sat, Aug 14 Uptown Maumee, Maumee, OH 43537

Blissfield Bluegrass on the River

Sat, Aug 14 | 11 a.m. - 8:30 p.m. 113 S Monroe St, Blissfield, MI 49228

Barrio Latino Art Festival

Sat, Aug 14 | 2 - 11 pm 1411 Broadway St, Toledo, OH 43609

National Tractor Pulling Championships

Thur, Aug 19 – Sat, Aug 21 13800 W Poe Rd, Bowling Green, OH 43402

Brad Paisley Concert

Sat, Aug 21 | 8 p.m. 2750 Harding Highway, Lima, OH 45804

Put-in-Bay Bash on The Bay

Wed, Aug 25 – Thu, Aug 26 1494 Langram Road, Put-in-Bay, OH 43456

German-American Festival

Fri, Aug 27 – Sun, Aug 29 3624 Seaman Rd Oregon, OH 43616

Midwest Tejano y Mexicano Fest

Fri, Aug 27 – Sun, Aug 29 4645 Heatherdowns Blvd, Toledo, OH

2021 Solheim Cup

Tuesday, Aug 31 – Mon, Sept, 6 4601 Dorr St, Toledo, OH 43615

Black Swamp Arts Festival

Fri, Sept 10 – Sun, Sept 12 Downtown Bowling Green, OH 43402

Greek-American Festival

Fri, Sept 10 – Sun, Sept 12 740 Superior St, Toledo, Ohio 43604

Delphos Canal Days & Parade - 2021

Fri, Sept 17 – Sun, Sept 19 310 N Main St, Delphos, OH 45833

Chocolate Walk

Fri, Sept 24 | 5 - 8 p.m. 315 Garrison St, Fremont, OH 43420

Fall Fest on the Square

Sat, Sept 25 | 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Bryan Downtown Square

Defiance Rib Fest

Sat, Sept 25 | 3:30 - 11 p.m. 325 Clinton St, Defiance, OH 43512

Oktoberfest

Sat, Sept 25 – Sun, Sept 26 104 W Michigan Ave, Saline, MI



Northwest Ohio County Fairs 2021 Lucas County Fair

Tue, July 13 – Sun, July 18 1406 Key St, Maumee, OH 43537

Ottawa County Fair

Mon, July 19 – Sun, July 25 7870 W State Rt 163, Oak Harbor, OH 43449

Seneca County Fair

Mon, July 26 – Sun, Aug 31 100 Hopewell Ave, Tiffin, OH 44883

Wood County Fair

Mon, Aug 2 – Mon, Aug 9 13800 W Poe Rd, Bowling Green, OH 43402 315 Garrison St, Fremont, OH 43420

Henry County Fair

Thur, Aug 12 – Thur, Aug 19 821 S Perry St, Napoleon, OH 43545

Allen County Fair

Fri, Aug 20 – Sat, Aug 28 2750 Harding Hwy, Lima, OH 45804

Sandusky County Fair

Tue, Aug 24 – Sun, Aug 29 902 Rawson Ave, Fremont, OH 43420

Fulton County Fair

Fri, Sept 3 – Thur, Sept 9 8514 OH-108, Wauseon, OH 43567

Williams County Fair

Sat, Sept 11 – Sat, Sept 18 619 E Main St, Montpelier, OH 43543

Southeast Michigan County Fairs

Lenawee County Fair

Sun, July 25 - Sat, July 31 602 N Dean St, Adrian, MI 49221

Monroe County Fair

Sun, Aug 1 – Sat, Aug 7 3775 S Custer Rd, Monroe, MI 48161

Saline Community Fair

Wed, Sept 1 – Sun, Sept 5 5055 Ann Arbor-Saline Rd, Ann Arbor, MI

Farmers Markets

Bowling Green Farmers Market

Wednesdays through Oct | 4 - 7 pm Corner of Clough and Main St Bowling Green, OH 43402

Defiance Farmers Market

Tuesdays through Oct | Noon - 6 p.m. 1500 N Clinton St, Defiance, OH

Lima Farmers Market

Tuesdays through Sept | 2:30 - 5:30 p.m. #7 Town Square, Lima, OH 45801

Fremont Farmers Market

1st & 2nd Sundays through Oct | 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Oregon Rollin' Food and Farm Market

First Wednesdays through Oct | 5 - 8 p.m. 2973 Dustin Rd, Oregon, OH 43616

Perrysburg Farmers Market

Thursdays through Oct | 3 - 8 p.m. 105 West Indiana Ave, Perrysburg, Ohio

Saline Farmers Market

Saturdays through Nov | 8 a.m. - Noon 100 S Ann Arbor St, Saline, MI 43176

Sylvania Farmers Market

Tuesdays through Oct | 4 - 7 p.m. 5428 Main St, Sylvania, OH

Tiffin Flea Market

Sat, Jun 12 - Sun, Jun 13 100 Hopewell Ave, Tiffin, OH 44883

Toledo Farmers Market

Saturdays through October | 6 a.m. - Noon 525 Market St, Toledo, Oh 43602

Toledo Night Market

Sat, July 24 & Sat, Aug 14 | 6 - 11 p.m. 525 Market St, Toledo, Oh 43602

Westgate Farmers Market

Wednesdays through Oct | 3 - 7 p.m. 3408 W Central Ave, Toledo, OH 43606



CASES OF INTEREST: JUNE 2021

DRUNK DRIVER SMASHES WOMAN **HEAD-ON CAUSING EXTENSIVE** INJURIES

Our client was traveling northbound on Stone Street in Fremont, Ohio when a drunk driver traveling southbound crossed left of center and smashed head-on into our client's vehicle. Our client suffered traumatic injuries and was life-flighted to Toledo Hospital. She was found to have broken bones in her foot, leg, both wrists, both hands, and neck. She has undergone three surgeries and continues to receive treatment. Our office is pursuing a compensation claim to help our client on her long road to recovery.

INJURED PRODUCTION WORKER SUFFERS A FINGER AMPUTATION AFTER A MACHINE MISFIRED

Our client is a production worker and was working on a bearing press when the machine misfired. It smashed down onto her right hand and trapped it in the machine. She was taken to a nearby hospital but was then transported to UTMC for emergency surgery. Our client was found to have suffered a fractured ring finger which required the placement of pins. Her pinky finger was deemed irreparable and was amputated. Our office is pursuing a workers' compensation claim and we are investigating whether there was a Specific Safety Requirement Violation.

MACHINE MISSING SAFETY FEATURES. STEEL PIN GOES THROUGH MAN'S THUMB BONE

Our client was on the job working a machine press which was missing a safety sensor and shield. As he was using the machine, a steel pin went through the bone in his left thumb. He was taken to Blanchard Valley Emergency Room and is currently receiving treatment. Our client faces major surgery soon. Our office is pursuing a workers' compensation case in addition to a Violation of a Specific Safety Regulation. CASE FILE



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June's Raving Fan of the Month



"Ok, so let me first start off by saying that I have been a client of this law firm for 20 years and I love them! Charles Boyk and his team are simply the best! He is so trustworthy, knowledgeable, and down to earth. He's so helpful, kind, and caring. He's just an all-around beautifully spirited individual. I would not choose any other lawyer in the world because to me Chuck Boyk is the **G.O.A.T.**" S. Pharm – Boyk Law Client

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RECIPE: Copycat Chick Fil A Sauce



INGREDIENTS:

- 2 tablespoons honey
- 1 tablespoon yellow prepared mustard
- 2 teaspoons Dijon mustard
- 1/4 cup mayonnaise
- 2 tablespoons barbecue sauce
- 2 teaspoons lemon juice

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Place all ingredients in a small bowl.
- 2. Stir to combine.
- 3. Refrigerate the sauce when not serving.