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New Attorney Joins Boyk Law Team



Joshua Gurwell

If you ask Josh Gurwell what he wanted to be growing up, the answer was simple: a race car driver or an attorney. One of those paths stuck, but not before his lifelong love of cars led him to spend a few of his younger years behind the wheel of a dragster at Milan Dragway.

Originally from Bryan, Ohio, Josh grew up in a hardworking, close-knit family where his twin sister was the athlete, and he leaned more toward academics.

As a young man, he was competitive, curious, and always looking to understand how things worked, whether it was engines or ideas.

Josh took that curiosity to Eastern Michigan University, where he studied political science and stood out as a top student, earning recognition as Political Science Student of the Year.

Along the way, he briefly considered becoming a professor. But after competing nationally in moot court and placing among the top teams in the country, the decision became clear—law was the right lane.

Law school took him south to Charleston School of Law, where he gained hands-on experience early through handling client interactions, negotiating claims, and seeing firsthand the real-life impact of legal work. That experience shaped how he approaches personal injury law today.

Josh has been assisting Attorney Mike Bruno on multiple cases while he completed the lengthy process of transferring his South Carolina Law License to the State of Ohio.

At Boyk Law, Josh brings a practical, client-first mindset. He is focused on making sure people understand the process, feel supported, and know someone is in their corner. His philosophy is that if you take care of the client, everything else tends to follow.

Outside the office, Josh is still very much the same guy who grew up loving cars and competition. He is a dedicated Michigan Wolverines fan, rarely misses a game if he can help it, and enjoys everything from hockey to football to a good weekend outing with friends.

While the racetrack may be behind him, that same drive is not. Whether it is building a case or building relationships, Josh brings focus, energy, and the right amount of competitive edge to the team.

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Boyk Law's Maya May is Building Connections That Strengthen Community



Maya May

At Charles E. Boyk Law Offices, growth is not just about numbers. It is about relationships, trust, and impact. That is exactly where Maya May is driving meaningful impact.

Maya focuses on building meaningful partnerships that help ensure clients and the clients of those partners are supported, informed, and well cared for throughout their experience. Her approach is not transactional. It is rooted in a simple idea: when the right relationships are in place, everyone benefits.

Maya actively engages in the community, attending local events, supporting initiatives, and identifying opportunities where Boyk Law can contribute in a meaningful way. Whether it is collaborating with local schools or participating in community events like "Trunk or Treat," she is focused on creating experiences that educate, support, and inspire the next generation.

an essential skill in both partnerships and client experience.

Outside of work, Maya brings that same energy to her life. A mother of three, she values time spent outdoors, traveling, staying active, and creating meaningful moments with her family. Whether it is hiking, running, or simply enjoying a day outside, her lifestyle reflects balance, intention, and forward momentum.

At her core, Maya believes in taking things one day at a time while keeping sight of the bigger picture. It is that combination of patience, passion, and perspective that continues to shape her impact at Boyk Law.

Since joining the firm in September of 2025, Maya started with Boyk Law in a marketing support role, but quickly grew into a broader position as opportunities emerged. She now plays a central role in developing partnerships and representing the firm within the community, helping drive connections that support both clients and partners.

Before entering the legal and marketing space, Maya built a foundation in journalism. A former news reporter with a lifelong passion for reading and writing, she developed a deep appreciation for storytelling. Today, that translates into her ability to listen, connect, and ensure people feel heard,

As the firm is poised for growth, Maya's role will remain central, strengthening partnerships, expanding reach, and ensuring that every connection made is one that truly matters.

Opening Day with the Mud Hens: Connecting with Our Community



There is something special about Opening Day in Toledo, and this year, Boyk Law was proud to be part of it.

Our team spent the day out in the community, connecting with fans, families, and local partners during the Mud Hens Opening Day festivities. Events like this are a reminder of why community presence matters—not just showing up, but taking the time to engage, listen, and build real connections.

Throughout the day, we had the opportunity to meet so many great people and share a little about

who we are and how we help. We also hosted a series of giveaways, with prizes from local favorites like Fricker's, Ye Olde Dirty Bird, and Maddie & Bella's Coffee, along with Muddy Bucks to enjoy inside the stadium. Each interaction was simple but meaningful—introductions, conversations, and a chance to create a positive experience with our team.

What stood out most was how much people value genuine interaction. A quick conversation, a helpful answer, or even just a friendly exchange can leave a lasting impression.

We also had the chance to reconnect with a valued community partner from Metroparks Toledo, opening the door for future collaborations focused on bringing even more value to the community we serve.

At Boyk Law, we believe our role extends beyond the cases we handle. It is about being present, accessible, and engaged in the communities we are proud to serve.

Thank you to everyone who stopped by to say hello. We look forward to seeing you again soon.

Go Mud Hens!

Attorney Andrea Young Finds Love & Marriage in Chicago

The Staff at Charles Boyk Law Offices sends our heartfelt congratulations to Andrea Young on her marriage to Gar Green. The happy couple wed on March 21st in Chicago at the Cook County Courthouse in the presence of an intimate group of family.

Chicago has always been a special place for the couple after their initial meeting online when Gar commented on a picture of Andrea in front of “The Bean” in the Windy City’s Millennium Park. They never stopped chatting after that.

They got engaged during their last visit to Chicago. It was the site of their first trip together. Since then, they’ve visited multiple times to enjoy the museums, theaters, and eat good food.

“It was quite spectacular to see the large number of couples that also showed up to get married that morning,” says Andrea. “Love was definitely celebrated that day.”

Best Wishes on a long and happy life together, Andrea and Gar!



PAWYER OF THE MONTH CELESTINE



Meet Jacob Bick’s office cat, Celestine, who works from home to protect his secret identity. According to his adoptive parents, Katie Bick and Jacob Bick, he was found through a Facebook post offering free kittens.

Don’t let his cute appearance and playful demeanor fool you. He may appear as a mild-mannered house cat. Celestine is actually a crime-fighting super-feline, feared throughout the criminal underworld. Jacob and Katie say he is one of the best things to ever happen to them. Menace one minute and the cuddliest kitty the next, he requires constant love and attention. He may be little, but his love and energy is the biggest in the world.

CASES OF INTEREST: MAY 2026

Road Rage Rampages into Oncoming Traffic

Our client was dropping his girlfriend off at work as two approaching vehicles were engaged in a road-rage spat. One of those vehicles pushed the other left of center into a head-on collision with our client’s car. The resulting impact crushed the entire front of our client’s vehicle, pushing it into the passenger cabin and severely injuring our client. He was transported to Toledo Hospital by the Toledo Fire Department. Our client suffered a broken femur in the collision. Due to internal bleeding, he was unable to receive pain medication.

Charles Boyk Law is helping the client receive the proper care and just compensation for the pain and suffering he suffered following this horrific accident.

Woman in Wheelchair Falls out of Vehicle

Our client was in her wheelchair as the driver placed her in the back of a stationary transport van. The driver of the vehicle forgot to put up the mechanical pad to prevent wheelchairs from falling out. As a result, our client and her wheelchair slid out the back of the van and slammed onto the ground. Our client was taken to the ICU for treatment of her injuries. She suffered numerous fractured ribs on the left side of her body and damaged her elbow.

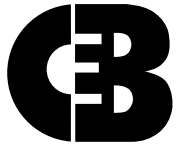
Our client’s family reached out immediately after the incident. We are working with our client and her family to provide the guidance and compassionate support they need during this difficult time, and ensure that she is fully compensated for her injuries.

Crossing the Centerline Flips a Car

Our client was on his way to help the Amish when a car crossed the centerline of the road and struck the front driver’s side of his vehicle. The forceful impact from the collision caused our client’s car to flip over. The collision left our client unconscious, and he had to be cut out of his car. He endured numerous surgeries to treat his injuries, including getting screws in his elbow.

Our firm is working tirelessly to ensure that our client receives the justice he deserves. We are working with the insurance companies to make sure that he is fully compensated for his injuries.





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May's Raving Fan of the Month

"I asked for recommendations for lawyers in Toledo. I am so happy I went with Charles Boyk! I appreciate Charles, Malina, Angela, and all the other employees who checked in on me and kept me up to date with my case. I always had a positive experience going in person to the Charles Boyk office and felt heard in all of our interactions. Charles Boyk truly cares about doing a good job and doing well by his clients!" – Hanna P

Have a positive review to share?

Go to boykreviews.com to tell us about your experience!

BOYK LAW ATTENDS BEST OF TOLEDO AWARD PARTY

A happy group of Boyk Law staffers donned cowboy hats, boots, and their finest Country and Western themed duds to attend the Toledo City Paper's 2025 Best of Toledo Award Ceremony at the Erie Street Market. Boyk Law's Andrea Young, Zac Shaffer, and Jasmine Rozsa took the stage to accept our third consecutive Best Attorney in Toledo award.

"We have been voted the Best Attorney three years in a row, and I truly believe it is because we care about our clients," said Andrea Young. "If you want an attorney who is going to show up and is dedicated to getting the best outcome, call Charles Boyk Law. If we can't do it for you, we'll find you an attorney who can help you."

Over 45,000 different email addresses cast votes in the 2025 Best of Toledo voting. Boyk Law is tremendously grateful to everyone who voted for Charles Boyk Law Offices as the Best Attorney in Toledo. Thank You!



The Boyk Team (Pictured L-R): Lyndsay Hayden, Greg Tye, Molly Scott, Josh Gurwell, Katelyn Thatcher, Zac Shaffer, Jacklyn Gallagher, Becky Casteels, Blake Hornyak, Jasmine Rozsa, and Andrea Young



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