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**Groups organize Law Day event**

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MICHIGAN CITY — The La Porte County League of Women Voters and La Porte County Bar Association will celebrate Law Day at 10 a.m. Friday, May 7, in La Porte Superior Court 1 Judge Kathleen Lang's courtroom in the Michigan City Courthouse.

The program features students from New Prairie High School portraying chief justices of the U.S. Supreme Court. The presentations will be brief, but pithy and should educate and entertain.

Following the Law Day presentation, the judges will enter the courtroom and present this year's Liberty Bell Award.

Law Day focuses on citizens' heritage of liberty under law. This national celebration was officially designated by a joint resolution of Congress in 1961. Every year, the American Bar Association is joined by national organizations, state and local bars, businesses and schools in conducting thousands of programs on the rule of law in a constitutional democracy.

The American Bar Association established the Liberty Bell Award more than 30 years ago to acknowledge outstanding community service. Each local chapter presents its own Liberty Bell Award to a person who has contributed to the betterment of the community.

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