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MEETING DATES 2018: 7 PM, Plainview-Old Bethpage Library, 999 Old Country Rd.,  
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We want to thank all of our past speakers!

**Note:** We are available for private lectures.

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TUES., May 1, 2018: John F. McManus – *Past President of the John Birch Society – “Preserving the Constitution”*

**Previous Speakers:** Steve Levy – *Center for Cost Effective Government – “Suffolk Resolutions”*

Diane Sare – *Political Organizer & Fund Raiser – “Government Corruption”*

Don Desroche – *Mediation, Divorce – Financial Analyst*

David Kapp, Esq. – *“How To Handle Traffic Tickets”*

Kevin Cote – *“U.S. Citizens Rights”*

Does anyone have any information on: (We will keep your name confidential.)

John Roman, Esq.

Judge Mel Tannenbaum (R)

Sari Friedman, Esq.

Richard Hubschman, Esq.

Judge Cheryl Joseph (S)

Edward Hoffman, Esq.

Evan Tannenbaum, Esq.

Judge David Reilly (S)

James O'Rourke, Esq.

David Grossman, Esq.

Judge Emily Pine (S)

Kenneth Silverman, Esq.

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Judge Jerry Gargulio (S)

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DOCUMENTARIES: **Vigilante:** The incredible true story of Curtis Sliwa and the Guardian Angels.

**Casualties of War:** By Yahya McClain. Exposes the corruption in Family Court systems.

**Strong Island:** The injustice behind the killing of a black school teacher from Suffolk

New York State Joint Commission on Public Ethics plays a role in the operation of New York Government, promoting integrity by helping those in public service understand their ethical obligation. JCOPE: “*Violators are not prosecuted.*” Another toothless watchdog!

The Constitutional Convention was rejected by voters, but Chief Judge Janet Di Fiore has decided to work with legislation to enact reform in New York. (Byzantine Court System, Susan DeSantis, 11/17/17.)

The greatest glory lies not in never failing, but rising every time we fall. (Nelson Mandela) There comes a time when one must take a position that is neither safe, nor politics, nor popular, but he must take it because his conscience tells him it is right. (Martin Luther).

Taxpayers paid \$17 million in settlements over the past 20 years to settle claims by employees (268 settlements) against Congressmen. (CNN Politics, 11/16/17).

Not all Mother's Day cards use the word “mother” in an attempt to be transgender. (Sun, 3/12/18).

Do you know that killing a marine mammal in San Francisco, (a sanctuary city), can result in a \$100,000 fine and a year in prison, but if you kill a woman, you go free? This is a miscarriage of justice. The blame lies with Nancy Pelosi, Diane Feinstein and Jerry Brown who push for sanctuary city nonsense. (Dec.3, 2017).

The U.S. Tax Code has 4 million words. Every year Americans spend 6 billion hours and \$195 billion dollars trying to comply. In 2015, Americans called the IRS 56 million times with questions and 50% of the calls were unanswered. (IBD, 12/4/17).

CONUNDRUMS: *Free people are not equal, equal people are not free. Americans are capitalists and greedy, yet half the population is subsidized. They think they are victims, yet they vote for the same representatives who run the government. The poor have things that other countries dream about, yet they want to be like other countries! In Poland, the first thing that the Communists did was to take away religion in schools. Not all Muslims are lunatics, but all gun owners are.*

*Social Security is going to run out of money, but welfare will not. We want to cut veterans' benefits but not illegal benefits. Some want rights for illegals, but not the unborn!*

A 61 year old, Paul Hargrove, was sentenced to 30 days in prison by Judge George Peck (Nassau) for not paying his lawyer, Gross, Esq., \$45,000 in legal fees without an arrest in a civil proceeding. (*New York Daily News*, 12/10/17.) Peck's law clerk sexually harassed young female ADA attorneys. (*Newsday*, 9/16/14).

Hundreds of judges preside in New York without a law degree or have any formal legal training. Some of the courtrooms are not even courtrooms. Sometimes the public is not admitted. Nearly three-fourths of the judges are not lawyers. People have been sent to jail or taken from their home without a proceeding. (*ProPublica*, 6/26/17).

The current administration has cut 22 regulations for every new rule introduced and cancelled or delayed 1,500 planned, regulatory actions. (*Washington-Free Beacon*, E. Harrington, 12/15/17).

Some 3.5 million people are on election rolls that they are eligible to vote! Judicial Watch tabulates 462 counties where the registration exceeded 100%. Some counties have more than 62% more registered than living. California has 1.7 million ghosts. (*National Review*, 8/11/17).

Bankruptcy Court is not a matter of bankruptcy trustees in collusion with corrupt judges (according to Attorney General John Ashcroft). *Lawyers Lie Under Oath*, by Sydney Sullivan, 5/14/14. ALR has never met a trustworthy trustee!!!

Judge Alex Kozinski, 9<sup>th</sup> U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, stepped down after 15 accusations of sexual misconduct. (*Fox News*, 12/18/2017). (ALR suggests that judges and politicians be required to take the same test as police, i.e. Psychological and Physical).

30,417,609 people did not pay income taxes and received \$89,614,869,000 cash back from the Federal government called a "refund." (*Patriotpost*, 12/20/17).

Joseph Percoco, Cuomo aide, (Executive Deputy Secretary), was convicted of soliciting and accepting more than \$300,000 in bribes. (*New York Times*, 3/13/18).

Minnesota's Democratic Congressman, Keith Ellison, tweeted support for "Antifa" a terrorist group that promotes violence and rioting, a group funded in part by billionaire George Soros. (*Khandler Horn News*, 1/4/18).

**RIDICULOUS LAWSUITS;** Too much empty space in a bottle of Advil; more than just vitamins in Vitamin Water. Lee Litigation Group has more than 1,000 Class Action cases in New York since 2009. There are 180,000 lawyers in New York State (one lawyer for every 115 residents..... more than any other state.) (*K. Boniello*, 1/6/18.)

Governor A. Cuomo wants the controller to audit the Judiciary to certify that judges work eight hours a day. Judges would certify that courtrooms remain open till 5:00 PM to cut backlogs. (That's easy; just walk the halls.)

The National Center for State Courts publishes the Judicial Conduct Reporter, [www.ncsc.org](http://www.ncsc.org).

Staten Island whistleblower-clerk accused Judge of colluding with Staten Island District Attorney to divert cases away from Defendant-Friendly Courts. He had taped conversations. (*New York Law Journal*, 12/14/17.)

In California, a prison dentist earned \$838,000/year total wages. In New York City, a retired sanitation worker earned \$285,000. (*Google*)

Switzerland's law requires that everyone own a gun and maintain marksman qualifications. There are NO MURDER OCCURANCES IN SWITZERLAND.

Chicago saw 762 murders, 3,550 shootings, 4,330 victims in 2016. Guns are outlawed in Chicago, the highest in 19 years. (*CNN*, 1/2/17)

An insurance company (Silver Script) provides assistance for its clients in 65 languages and phone numbers to comply with Federal Civil Rights Law (2017).

After experiencing first hand the effects of wrongful convictions, Martin Tankloff and Jeffrey Deskovic ([jeffreyledskovicfoundation@gmail.com](mailto:jeffreyledskovicfoundation@gmail.com)) are fighting to right the wrongs of the Justice System.

The founders of our country created the "electoral college" to ensure fair representation, otherwise, densely populated areas would control the whole nation. (Another check and balance.)

The Huntington Town Board approved term limits for all elected officials (retroactively). Councilman Eugene Cook proposed the legislation. (*The Long-Islander*, 1/25/18).

"My fear is, if North Korea nukes us, Trump is gonna get us into a war". (*Maxine Waters (D), California*).

A man who raped a 12 year old has been awarded joint custody of her child, despite being convicted of other rapes. (*Detroit News*).

#### **PREPARE FOR COURT:**

- 1) Consider asking for a Trial by Jury
- 2) Before you hire a lawyer or go before a judge, check them out on your computer, Google them, go to "e" courts, call other litigants, find out their political affiliations and contributions.
- 3) Contact the Ethics Commission and Grievance Committee.
- 4) What is their Court Experience.?
- 5) Check political, social business, charitable affiliations for them and their families.
- 6) Order minutes of your Hearings. Negotiate Price..

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