Committee Meeting Schedules

Family Law Section Call-in Number

All Section Committees are encouraged to use the master call in number for the Section. It is 1-877-352-9775, 148 430 2637#. Some committees have been using other numbers 1-866-906-0123, 862-0975# (Court Rules), 1-515-604-9060; 469-612# (Amicus), 1-605-313-4118, 626-053# (Membership, surrogacy bill ad hoc committee)

Amicus – the Amicus Committee will meet by teleconference on Wednesday, the week before the week of the Council meeting at 3:30 pm. The schedule is: September. 25; October 30; November 20 (week earlier – because though Thanksgiving week wouldn't be convenient); December 18 (may move to early January); February 26; March 25; April 29; and May 27. May also meet June 24, if needed.

Court Rules – the Court Rules Committee historically met Tuesday afternoon at 1:00 pm, the week of the Council meetings. The Chair requested that they move their meetings up a week to allow time for the Committee report to be circulated with the Agenda for Council meetings. If that is followed, the meeting dates for 2019-20 are: September 24; October 22; November 26; January 7; February 25; March 24; April 21; and May 26.

Legislation – the Legislative Committee meets regularly, by phone, on the Thursday of the week of Council meetings, at 4:30 pm. This Committee is unable to move its meetings to the prior week. The meeting dates for 2019-20 are: October 3; October 30; December 5; January 16; March 5; April 2; April 30; and June 4. Because of the late meeting time, the Committee agenda will be included with the Council Agenda and a written report with the results of the Committee meeting will be circulated the day before each Council meeting. Legislative Committee has been using: 877-352-9775, 148 430 2637# for its meetings.

Adoption — the Adoption Committee meets at the offices of Williams, Williams, Rattner, and Plunkett, 380 N. Old Woodward Ave., Suite 300, Birmingham, MI 48009. Meetings begin at 4:00 pm. Meeting dates will be: Thursday, September 18; Thursday, November 21; Thursday, January 16; Thursday, March 19; Thursday, May 21; and Thursday, July 16.

ADR/Collaborative — the Committee meets monthly by phone. The meeting schedule for 2019-20 has not been set yet but will probably alternate between Tuesday at 4:00 pm or Thursday at 8:30 am.

Alternative Family – does not plan to hold regular meetings.

Annual Meeting – does not hold regular meetings.

CLE/ICLE – does not hold regular meetings.

Domestic Violence - the domestic violence committee will meet on Monday at 3:0) pm, the week before the week of the Council meeting. The meeting dates are: September 23, October 21, November 25, January 13 (maybe the 6th), February 24, March 23, April 20 and May 25.

Family Court Forum – no regular meetings.

Family Law Journal – no regular meetings.

Family Law Journal Advertising – no regular meetings

Family Support – this committee meets by phone from time to time. There are no regularly scheduled meetings.

Membership – renewed request out

Mid-Winter/Mid-Summer – no regular meetings.

Political Action Committee – no regular meetings.

QDRO/Taxation — this committee meets by phone from time to time. There are no regularly scheduled meetings.

Surrogacy/ART – reminder request sent

Technology/Social Media/Website – reminder request sent

SCAO Child Support – see Family Support Committee above

SCAO Forms – see Family Support Committee above

SCAO Parenting Time Guidelines — no regular meetings.

Twenty Year Review – regular meeting schedule to be determined.