

**STARK COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION**  
**2026 LAW WEEK**



**TOUR DE COURTS**

***The Declaration of Independence at 250***

**THURSDAY, APRIL 30, 2026**  
**HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

# STARK COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

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January 5, 2026

Dear Stark County High School Teachers:

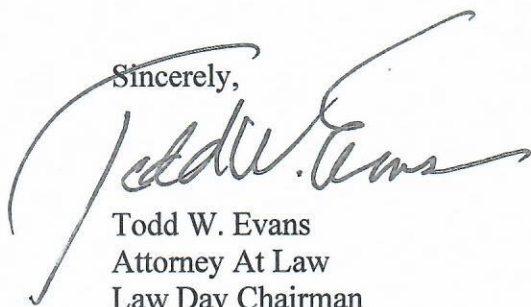
The purpose of this letter is to invite your students to participate in the 14th annual Tour de Courts. The event will be held on Thursday, April 30, 2026, in downtown Canton from 8:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.

The Tour is an opportunity to learn about the different courts in Stark County, which are located within walking distance in downtown Canton. Many residents not only do not know where these courts are located, but they also do not understand the types of legal matters that are addressed at each location. The participants will be divided in groups of 20 to 25 students and advisors. There will be an attorney tour guide who will walk with the group to each destination, give them a summary of their next stop, and perhaps even share a legal "war" story with them. At each destination, a representative of the court will explain, among other things, the functions of court and types of cases decided. At some stops, students may view an actual legal proceeding as it occurs. This is a unique opportunity that one advisor described as "the best educational experience he has participated in with his students."

Please be advised that no cell phones will be allowed in the Courts.

Since there are four stops, the Tour is limited to a total of 80 to 100 students. If your school is interested in participating or need more information, please contact me as soon as possible at 330-430-9300.

Sincerely,



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# TOUR DE COURTS



Stark County  
Court of Common Pleas



City Hall  
Canton  
Municipal  
Court

Fifth District  
Court of Appeals



Ralph Regula Federal Building and  
United States Courthouse

## Law Day Celebration

Welcome to the 15<sup>th</sup> annual Tour De Courts. The Tour is an opportunity to learn about the various courts in Stark County.

The participants will be divided into four groups of approximately 20 to 25 students/advisors. Each group will have an attorney tour guide.

The Tour will be held on April 30, 2026. It will start at 8:30 a.m. on the plaza at the Court of Common Pleas and end there at 12:00 p.m.

We hope you are able to attend this unique educational opportunity.