

## EVENT CONTACT

For more information or any questions concerning this event please contact:

Amber Cameron

191 North 1st Street

San Jose, CA 95113

Phone: (408) 882-2852

Email: [acameron@scscourt.org](mailto:acameron@scscourt.org)

## LOCATION

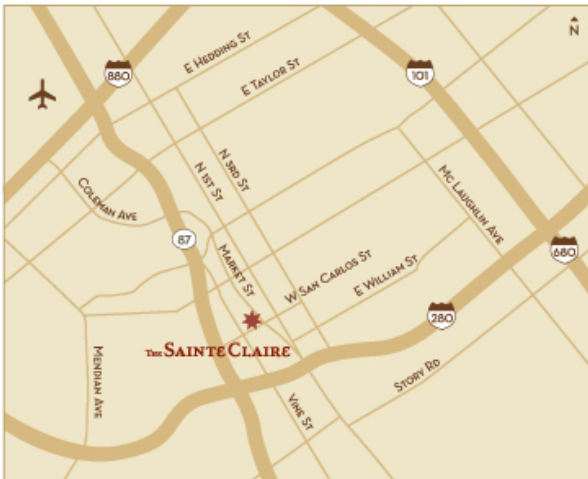
### The Sainte Claire Hotel

302 South Market Street

San Jose, CA 95113

Hotel: (408) 295-2000

[www.thesainteclaire.com](http://www.thesainteclaire.com)



Superior Court of California  
County of Santa Clara

191 North First Street  
San Jose, California 95113



Santa Clara County  
Juvenile Delinquency

## Fourth Annual Beyond the Bench Conference

Today's Delinquency Court:  
Sex, Gangs, Alcohol & the Internet

**Friday, November 7, 2008  
8:00am to 4:30pm**

Sainte Claire Hotel  
302 South Market Street  
San Jose, CA 95113



Sponsored by the following agencies in  
Santa Clara County:

Superior Court of California, Probation  
Department, Office of the District Attorney,  
Office of the Public Defender, Bar Association, and  
Juvenile Justice Commission

## IMPORTANT INFO

**Date:** Friday, November 7, 2008

**Time:** 8:00am to 4:30pm

**Cost:** \$70 per person

**Location:** The Sainte Claire Hotel  
302 South Market St  
San Jose, CA 95110

*Continental breakfast, lunch and snacks included*

## EDUCATION CREDITS

### **Earn 8 hours of MCLE Credits**

This conference has been certified by the State Bar of California to provide MCLE credits.

**Probation Officers can receive Work Related Education Units for this conference.**

## TOPIC HIGHLIGHTS

- Get up-to-date on all new delinquency laws/cases
- Understand the impact of Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder in Juvenile Delinquency
- Hear first-hand experiences from youth on teen dating violence
- Discover how the internet is being used & misused by youth
- Learn about gang prevention and intervention
- Gain insight on Probation protocol and treatment of youth sex offenders

## SCHEDULE AND SPEAKERS

### **8:00am REGISTRATION**

Continental Breakfast

### **8:30am OPENING REMARKS**

Honorable Patrick Tondreau, Supervising Judge  
Santa Clara County Juvenile Delinquency Court

### **8:45am GANGS**

Andrea Flint, Office of the Public Defender (Intro)  
Juan Avila, San Jose Clean Slate Program  
So'o Poumele, Washington United Youth Center

Gang activity is a growing concern in Santa Clara County. This session will focus on intervention programs, bridging the gap between youth and adults, youth empowerment, ways for justice employees to get involved, and personal accounts of graduates from local programs.

### **9:45am BREAK**

### **10:00am FETAL ALCOHOL SPECTRUM DISORDER**

Honorable Margaret Johnson, Santa Clara County Superior Court  
Dr. Neal Rojas, Santa Clara Valley Health and Hospital System  
Nancy Bain, Santa Clara County Department of Alcohol and Drug Services

61% of adolescents with FASD have been in legal trouble. This presentation will provide information on brain development and the effects of alcohol on the fetus, medical significance, treatment and programs in the County, and the legal implications for criminal and delinquency courts.

### **11:00am DELINQUENCY LAW UPDATE**

Honorable Patrick Tondreau, Supervising Judge (Intro)  
Honorable Kurt Kumli, Santa Clara County Superior Court

Recent changes in delinquency law impacting police, probation and courtroom practice will be discussed. Materials will include a list of new laws and published opinions affecting juvenile delinquency in 2008.

### LUNCH PRESENTATION

#### USE AND MISUSE OF THE INTERNET

Karen Fletcher, Santa Clara County Probation (Intro)  
Bill Bonsall, Santa Clara County Probation  
Sergeant Schriefer, Internet Crimes Against Children Unit

Approximately 77 million children are online who will increasingly share personal information with total strangers, while parents are clueless and predators are finding targets. We will cover some of the trends among today's online children and predators, and explain what law enforcement is doing to combat this growing problem.

### **1:45pm TEEN DATING VIOLENCE**

Steve Fein, Office of the District Attorney (Intro)  
Alex Villa, Santa Clara County Probation  
Deborah Licurse, Peace-It-Together Program  
Xhoan Sheldija, Presenter  
Esmeralda Cabrera, Presenter

This presentation will provide a general understanding of the history and need for the SCC Probation Department's Juvenile Domestic Violence Caseload. The participant will learn how victim safety, offender accountability, and domestic violence programming are integral parts of juvenile domestic violence intervention. Participants will hear from a former client who successfully completed the program.

### **2:45pm BREAK**

### **3:00pm SEX OFFENDERS**

Karen Fletcher, Santa Clara County Probation (Intro)  
Peggy Jo Davidson-Cathey, Santa Clara Cty Probation  
Dr. Robert Land, PsyD.

The officer assigned to the Santa Clara County Probation Juvenile Sex Offender (JSO) Specialized Caseload faces the difficult task of assessing the JSO for potential program and treatment considerations. This discussion will provide those involved in law enforcement, mental health and other interested parties with an introduction to Santa Clara County's newly created JSO Caseload Management Tool. Case management and the importance of trained providers who specialize in sex offender treatment will be highlighted.

### **4:00pm CLOSING REMARKS**

Honorable Patrick Tondreau, Supervising Judge  
Santa Clara County Juvenile Delinquency Court