

Have you visited our newly renovated and updated website? Launched on November 27, 2017, after almost a year's work, the address, cgja.org, is the same but it now sports an eye-catching home page organized so all information is readily accessible.

As you peruse the site's categories you will find helpful material for sitting grand juries, chapters and even the general public. Right at the top of the homepage is a button to join CGJA or renew your membership online.

The able and talented Website Revitalization committee was led by Larry Herbst and included Dianne Hoffman, Lou Panetta, Jim Ragan, Barbara Sommer and Ron Zurek (Assistant webmaster). Our thanks and congratulations are extended to them for all the months of work they devoted to this project.

Spring brings energetic and focused activity from our Training Committee. Our cadre of 25 trainers, they are now preparing to teach in over 30 venues to more than 1,000 jurors. Chair Marsha Caranci, with her committee, oversee the updating of all materials, the coordinating of schedules and all the logistics inherent in such a large undertaking. All of us in CGJA are thankful for this group of dedicated volunteers who do so much to promote quality civil grand juries in California.

Mark your calendar! Plans for the Annual Conference are moving ahead. We will be meeting at the Lake Tahoe Resort Hotel in South Lake Tahoe, October 1 and 2. Besides a beautiful location, the committee is promising timely and interesting speakers. The registration form will be available soon on our website and in the Grand Jurors' Journal.

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President