

CONTACT INFORMATION

Please contact court administration at 269-657-8200 ext. 2203 or by email vbcourts@vanburencountymi.gov for more information.

Court Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Monday through Friday

LOCATIONS:
212 EAST PAW PAW STREET
PAW PAW, MI 49079
269-657-8200

1007 SOUTH WELLS STREET
SOUTH HAVEN, MI 49090
269-637-5258

FRIEND OF THE COURT:
219 EAST PAW PAW STREET
PAW PAW, MI 49079
269-657-7734

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Vision Statement

We will lead and deliver the highest measure of justice, with integrity and innovative thought.



Court in the Community



COURT TO COMMUNITY EFFORTS & RESOURCES

The Courts are happy to share information about their services and other innovative programming. Here are a few examples of our outreach efforts and programs.

Township Hall Meetings

Our judges visit the township meetings to update the local citizens on the court and answer any questions the public may have.

Specialty Court Programming

Learn how specialty courts are changing lives and reducing the costs of incarceration.

School-Justice Partnership

Staff from the Circuit Court Family Division, along with other partners present the consequences of delinquent behavior and truancy to middle and high school students.

24/7 Dad Program

Learn the impact of an involved dad in a child's life.

The courts offer classes to increase awareness of how important the roles of the mother and the fathers are in a child's life.

VAN BUREN COUNTY COURTS PUBLIC SATISFACTION



94% of people report that the judge/magistrate/referee treated everyone with courtesy and respect.



94% of people report that the case they were involved with was handled fairly though only 69% of those people had an outcome that was favorable to them.



97% of people reported that they were treated with courtesy and respect by the court staff.



Pictured from left to right:

Judge Arthur H. Clarke III, Judge Jeffrey J. Dufon, Chief Judge Kathleen M. Brickley, Judge Michael T. McKay and Judge David J. DiStefano.

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