



PRESIDENT'S WELCOME

On behalf of the Saint Johns County Bar Association, we would like to wish you and your practice a Happy New Year! We have a great series of events planned for 2018. Attached is a copy of our calendar, membership information, and RSVP for the upcoming luncheon. Please refer to monthly e-newsletters for more detailed information about events.

Remember to submit your application and payment by 01/26/18. Please make checks payable to: St. Johns County Bar Association, P.O. Box 211, St. Augustine, FL 32085.

WEBSITE

We are developing an attorney directory for our website www.stjohnscountybar.com. The directory will be accessible by the public. Members will be able to advertise their firm and practice information. If interested, please return pages 1-3 of the application with payment. Also send an email by January 26, 2018 to SJCBAPROFILE@GMAIL.COM with your photo attached and name in the subject line.

LUNCHEONS

The Bench & Bar will meet for two luncheons this year. Both meetings will be held on a Friday from noon to 1:30 pm at The Raintree Restaurant in Saint Augustine.

The Hon. Raul Zambrano, Chief Judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit, will be the keynote speaker for the first luncheon on Friday, February 2nd, 2018. This is a private event with limited seating. *Please RSVP with the attached invitation by January 26th.*

Save the date for our second luncheon on Friday, August 17th, 2018. Thank you to Florida Lawyers Mutual Insurance Company for serving as our luncheons sponsor.

LUNCH AND LEARNS

Since 2015, with the leadership of The Hon. Howard McGillin, the Bench & Bar have presented over a dozen free CLE courses for our association members. We have planned five CLE lunch meetings for 2018. Each course will be in Courtroom 347 of the Richard O. Watson Judicial Center from noon to 1:00 pm. Lunch is free for members. Please RSVP a week in advance. Contact Alyssa Camper for course registration and information. Additional details will be announced by e-newsletter.

Save the Dates for 2018

- Friday, January 16th Jackson Law Group / Tax Implications in Litigation
- Friday, March 23rd Carrie Lee, Esq. / Staff Counsel for The Florida Bar
Conflicts of Interest
- Friday, April 13th The Hon. Carlos Mendoza and The Hon. R. Lee Smith

YOUNG LAWYERS SECTION

The YLS will host several events throughout the year with a focus on health and wellness, professionalism, and service. Please see the e-newsletter for further info. Remember to save the date for our service project with Habitat for Humanity on Saturday, February 17th from 7:45 to 3:00 pm. RSVP information to follow.

If you are 35 years or younger, and interested in serving as a YLS Committee Member, please email sjbarassociation@gmail.com with your resume.

HAPPY HOURS

We hope that you will join us for happy hour. Our first event will be held with The Real Property, Probate, and Trust Law Section of The Florida Bar on Friday, February 23rd from 5:00 - 7:00 pm at the Chianti Room downtown. See the e-newsletter for more info.

CORN-HOLE-FOR-A-CAUSE

The Young Lawyers Section will host the 3rd Annual Charity Tournament at the Saint Augustine Beach Pier and Pavilion on Saturday, April 21st. The YLS has donated over \$5,000 from the first two events to benefit our Saint Johns County Legal Aid Office.

Proceeds from this year will be donated to Kids Bridge. Please contact Heather Maltby for sponsorship and event information. Family and friends are encouraged to attend.

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