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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
ALL MEMBERSHIP LUNCHEONS
12:00 noon
At Lakeland Yacht & Country Club

January 2013
4 Membership Luncheon (Nick Sudzina – speaker)
24 Board of Directors Mtg.

February 2013
1 Membership Luncheon (Gary York – Speaker)
5 Journal article deadline
9 Habitat for Humanity Day
28 Board of Directors Meeting

March 2013 Eaglebrooke
1 Membership Luncheon (Speaker – TBA)
28 Board of Directors Mtg.

April 2013
5 Membership Luncheon (JA Appreciation Luncheon)
5 Journal article deadline
25 Board of Directors Mtg.
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May 2013 Law day
2 Membership Luncheon Fl. Bar President – Gwen Hughes)

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Join us on January 4th for our Next LBA Meeting

Join us on Friday, January 4 as we hear Nick Sudzina, Court Adminstrator, discuss the services that the Administrative Office of the Courts provides to bar members, including the distribution of announcements and other info, equipment rental, internet access in the courtrooms and our new website.

Stacy Butterfield, our newly elected Clerk of Courts will join Nick Sudzina for the presentation. Our meeting will be held at The Lakeland Yacht & Country Club. Call Lisa at 863.619.7160 to reserve a spot at this meeting.

Remember to reserve your seat at all of our luncheons. Call 863.619.7160 by January 2nd for our upcoming meeting.

The Lakeland Bar Association

Gary York will be Our February Speaker

During his twelve years as a Senior Prison Inspector, Gary York investigated prison crime. He will share his knowledge and book, *Corruption Behind Bars, Stories of Crime and Corruption in Our American Prison System,*" at our February 1 luncheon.

Gary York served in the United States Army from 1978 to 1987. Gary received the Army Commendation Medal and Soldier of the Quarter award while serving. He then began a career with the Department of Corrections as a Correctional Officer. He was promoted to Senior Prison Inspector where for the next twelve years he conducted Criminal, Civil and Administrative investigations in many state Prisons.

In 1991, he received the leadership award from the National Association of Black Law Enforcement Officers. He was the 1998 statewide Senior Inspector of the Year, and received honors from the Civil-Criminal Division in Washington D.C. in 1999 for a wrongful death investigation he conducted in a prison. Gary has conducted hundreds of criminal investigations in the prison system regarding corruption as well as civil and administrative investigations. Cases that are not known to the public, but are public record.

Gary was inspired to write this book by his family members and friends who urged him to let people know the truth about what goes on behind prison walls.

Join us February 9, 2013

Habitat for Humanity®

The Lakeland Bar Association will team up with Habitat for Humanity to work on a home on Saturday, February 9, 2013. Additional details regarding time and location will be announced closer to the date.

Message from the President

Building a Better Bar

The coming new year is an opportunity for the Lakeland Bar Association to "take it up a notch," so to speak. The LBA is committed to helping those in need in our community. In addition to strong community outreach efforts, the LBA Board of Governors has discussed the possibility of establishing a new organization, The Lakeland Bar Foundation. The Foundation would most likely be established as a 509(a)(2) organization which would provide grants to local organizations, as well as scholarships to local students pursuing careers in law.

Our association is blessed with tremendous talent and philanthropy. Creating the Foundation to increase our contribution to this community is a logical next step to "build a better Bar." We cannot do this without your support and approval. We believe 2013 will be a great year and perhaps historic if the LBA moves forward with this proposal.

On another note, to all of the volunteers for the various committees, thank you. We still have more opportunities for membership on various committees organized by the Board of Governors. My email address is rjstanz@stanzlaw.com if you are interested in participating in or heading up one of the committees.

Lastly, we had a nice turnout at the Lakeland Bar-B-Que on December 7. Many "Toys for Tots" were donated and we had a great time.

Looking forward to 2013! I sincerely appreciate the opportunity to be your President!

Robert J. Stanz

President

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The Res Integra supports participation of the membership in production of the publications. We encourage you to submit articles and letters. However, we reserve the right to edit any submission and to publish only those articles that we, in our sole discretion, deem appropriate.

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COURT ADMINISTRATOR'S CORNER
BY NICK SUDZINA

LAW LIBRARIES:
NECESSARY RESOURCE
OR FRINGE ELEMENT?

There has been considerable debate in recent years on whether local government should continue to fund law libraries. Just because a program, resource, or function has been in place for years does not obligate the funding source to continue the status quo. Both state and county government are looking for ways to reduce spending and add efficiencies to the way things get done. The Polk County Law Library operated under the oversight of the County Attorney's Office until 1998. Judge Mark Carpanini, who was County Attorney at that time, brokered a deal that transferred the operation and supervision of the Law Library to this office. In return, he received the unenviable task of administering the court-appointed attorney fee budget. That was a $2 million proposition that has since been transferred to the state budget, thereby relieving the County Attorney of that responsibility.

Today, law libraries are used less and less by the legal community. Instead, there is a proliferation of self-represented individuals (family law pro se, anyone?) who have become the real "users" of the library. There is no requirement for a county to fund a law library, but if it does, part of the funding comes from a surcharge on fines assessed for crimes and traffic offenses. Generally, there is not enough fine money collected to fund the Law Library in its entirety or the other programs listed by statute that the collections are used for. The remainder comes from the general fund.

Law Library operations in Polk County are not an expensive proposition. Salaries and benefits for two staff total $72,000. Print and electronic subscriptions constitute the largest portion of the budget and total $190,000. Incidental expenses are a little over $15,000 and the total Law Library budget is $282,044.

Even though some lawyers and some judges still frequent the Law Library, the primary user is the citizen who is preparing his or her pro se divorce petition and argument. There is easy access to the Supreme Court approved forms for pro se litigants to download and complete. They have access to automated legal resources and an array of print materials that are updated constantly. Unbridled access to the internet on the Law Library's computers has been eliminated so the built-in baby-sitting service is a thing of the past. Some counties have taken a compromise approach to their Law Library by incorporating them into the public library system. The number of law libraries in the state has been reduced significantly in recent years although Polk and Highlands still each have one. With the advent of automated legal research materials available to judges and law offices, there are less visitors to law libraries by legal professionals. The question remains of exactly who weighs in on the decision to keep the Law Library open for business or not. Certainly the county has a voice since they provide funding. The bench, the Bar, others in the legal community and perhaps the general population should have a say on the matter also. The pros and cons can be bantered back and forth with the expectation that whatever is done will not be a popular decision by everyone.

ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGES TO SECTIONS
JANUARY 7, 2013 – JUNE 30, 2013

Circuit Judges

Polk County

Felony
- F1: Sites
- F2: Radabaugh
- F3: Alcott
- F4: Combee
- F5: Raiden (Adm. Judge)
- F6: Carpanini (Jan. 2013 only TBA Feb. 2013)
- F9: Jacobsen (Capital)
- VP: Stargel

Civil
- 04: Masters
- 07: Hofstad
- 08: Selph
- 15: Durrance (Adm. Judge)
- 11: Durden

Family
- 01: TBA
- 02: Roddenbery (Adm. Judge)
- 05: Spoto
- 09: Harlan
- 13: Yancey

Probate / Mental Health
- 14: Laurent (Jan 2013 only) Carpanini (Feb 2013)

Appeals / Writs
- 30: Smith

Chief Judge
- 30: Smith

Juvenile
- J1: Kornstein (Adm. Judge)
- J2: McCarthy
- J4: Curry

Highlands County

Felony
- 06: Cowden (Highlands Adm. Judge)

Civil
- 10: Langford

Family
- 12: Shinholser

Juvenile/ Prob/ Prose/ Family Relief/ Domv
- JR: Estrada

Hardee County
- 03: Ezelle (Hardee Adm. Judge)

County Judges

Polk County

Pro Se Sec. 80/VOP
- M-9: Flood

County Criminal
- M-6: Fegers
- M-4: Ojeda
- M-5: Grode
- M-7: Kirkland

County Civil
- M-0: Williams

County Small Claims
- M-2: Bennett

Behavioral Health / Self Help
- M-8: Green

Lakeland
- L-1: Abdoney

Winter Haven
- W-3: Griffin

Hardee County
- CC/JR: McKibben

Highlands County
- CC: Ritenour

Report from

The Florida Bar Board of Governors

December 2012
Rick Nail, Representative
10th Judicial Circuit

The Florida Bar Board of Governors met on December 7, 2012. Major actions of the board and reports received include:

The board agreed to recommend that the Supreme Court not follow the recommendation of the Code and Rules of Evidence Committee to adopt as part of the rules of evidence a change in state law requiring out-of-state experts in medical and dental malpractice cases to register with the Department of Health and be subject to department sanctions. The motion also directed the president to appoint a committee to write a report explaining the board's position to the court.

Proposed Advisory Opinion 12-1 was approved. The opinion holds that it is unethical for a criminal defense lawyer to advise a client to accept a plea bargain that precludes the client from raising future claims of ineffective assistance of counsel or prosecutorial misconduct. It also holds that it is unethical for prosecutors to offer such a plea condition because it could induce defense attorneys to act unethically and prejudices the administration of justice. Also approved was PAO 12-2 on whether lawyers may permit trusted, supervised nonlawyers to use the lawyer's access credentials for filing documents with a court using the E-Portal.

Bar legislative positions for the 2012-14 biennium were approved, keeping the regulation of the legal profession under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court and supporting adequate funding for the state court system and related agencies. For more information on court funding priorities for 2013, the Dec. 1 and Dec. 15 Florida Bar News issues contain articles "Court sets its funding priorities" and "Senate Judiciary focuses on foreclosure backlog."

Proposed changes to Rules of Judicial Administration 2.515 and 2.516 to address various issues that have arisen with the implementation of e-mail service were approved. These changes include the operation of the e-portal and other glitches that have occurred as the e-mail service rule has been implemented. Once filed with the Supreme Court, comment will be sought.

Based on a recommendation by the board's Communications Committee, the Consumer Protection Law Committee will set up a pilot program to use Twitter social networking to distribute consumer protection information. The board also approved placing a link on the Bar's homepage to FloridaProBono.org to provide quickly accessible information on legal aid and the volunteer resource center for ONE client. ONE attorney. ONE promise.

Two additional member benefits programs were added: discounts for the Walt Disney World's Swan and Dolphin hotels and for Wyndham hotels in Florida. Please check the Member Benefits webpage to learn more about discounts on many programs and services for Bar members.

GET INVOLVED!

Please consider the many opportunities to get involved in The Florida Bar and the benefits of involvement listed on the webpage Inclusion - The Path To Unity - Get Involved!.

President-elect Eugene Pettis will soon appoint bar members to serve on committees. The committee preference form is online until Jan. 15 and must be submitted by that date to be considered for appointment. New terms begin July 1, 2013.

******If you are currently serving on a Standing Committee***, please check The Florida Bar's website to determine when your term on the Committee expires. If your term expires in 2013, you must complete and submit your Committee Preference Form to be considered for reappointment.

******If you are not currently serving on a Standing Committee***, and wish to be considered, please complete the form and return it prior to Jan. 15. Your comments concerning your qualifications and interests will be particularly helpful.

******If you are serving on a substantive law committee and wish to continue to do so***, you must complete and submit the Committee Preference Form by Jan. 15 to be considered for reappointment.

Use of "Corporate" Depositions at Trial

By KC Boucillon
Lilly, O'Toole & Brown LLP

Rule 1.330 of the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure is thick with instructions on the proper use of depositions at trial – more than can be discussed in this short article. I will focus on just one provision.

1.330(a) – Use of Depositions . . .
(2) The deposition of a party or of anyone who at the time of taking the deposition was an officer, director, or managing agent or a person designated under rule 1.310(b)(6) or 1.320(a) to testify on behalf of a public or private corporation, a partnership or association, or a governmental agency that is a party may be used by an adverse party for any purpose. . .

The gist of these provisions is that you can read these depositions into evidence, even if the witness is available.

There doesn't seem to be much confusion regarding the use at trial of the deposition of an individual who is a party. It can be used by an adverse party for any purpose, even if the party is sitting right there at counsel table. *Kelley v. Webb*, 676 So. 2d 538 (Fla. 5th DCA 1996).

When the party is a corporation or other legal entity, it can be a little murkier. Many lawyers assume that in order to read a deposition into evidence at trial against a corporation, the witness must be a corporate designee under 1.310(b)(6).

Years ago, I deposed the president of a corporation whose deposition notice only identified him by name. He was not a corporate designee. I obtained some important concessions from him. Afterward, opposing counsel smugly said, "Good luck getting that in at trial. Since he's not the corporate designee, he isn't a party and doesn't speak for the corporation." I felt that panicky nausea we've all experienced as lawyers when we think we've screwed up. After a very long drive home, I did some research, and, to my great relief, discovered that my opponent was no so learned as he believed.

As the rule states, if the deponent was an officer, director, or managing agent at the time of the deposition, it can be read "for any purpose" by an opposing party, regardless of whether the witness was a corporate designee. See La Torre v. First Baptist Church of Ojus, Inc., 498 So. 2d 455 (Fla. 3d DCA 1986).

As you may have observed, Rule 1.330(a)(2) does not include run-of-the-mill employees.

Unfortunately, it is often those employees who give the best testimony. Are you stuck with having to call the employee live at trial, when you would rather just read the deposition? The answer is NO. However, you don't get the deposition in under subsection (a)(2)

Instead, subsection (a)(1) of the rule provides: "Any deposition may be used by any party . . . for any purpose permitted by the Florida Evidence Code."

In the case of an employee who gives juicy testimony, it may come in as an admission under § 90.803(18)(d) if the statement concerns "a matter within the scope of the agency or employment thereof, made during the existence of the relationship." See Petit-Dos v. School Board, 2 So. 2d 1022 (Fla. 4th DCA 2009); Castaneda v. Redlands Christian Migrant Association, Inc., 884 So. 2d 1087 (Fla. 4th DCA 2004).

As the court stated in Dinter v. Brewer, 420 So. 2d 932 (3d DCA 1982):

[W]hen the deposition does not come within the exception provided in the civil procedure rule, we must turn to the rules of evidence in our search for an exception. These latter rules "expand the admissibility of depositions taken in the action and in prior actions, but do not limit admissibility as provided for [in the rule of civil procedure]." J. Moore & H. Bendix, 4A Moore's Federal Practice P32.02 (1976). Id. at 934.

So, is it really that important to be able to read a deposition at trial? What difference does it make whether you can read the deposition into evidence or not, when you can always use the deposition to impeach the witness on the stand? The court in *La Torre* succinctly answered this question:

While it is true that Atwell's testimony was subject to being impeached, and was to some extent impeached by his prior inconsistent statements made during his deposition, the fact remains that the plaintiffs were entitled to use Atwell's deposition testimony as substantive evidence without being exposed to the witness's evasiveness and other self-serving devices. *La Torre*, 498 So. 2d at 458.

Save the date

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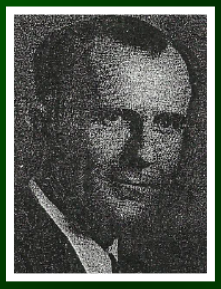
Kick off Law Week with a Charity Event hosted by LBA

A charitable 5K walk/run will be held on Friday, April 26, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. on Lake Hollingsworth. The Lakeland Bar Association will partner with the local voluntary Bar associations to host a fun community event to kick off Law Week. Proceeds will support our local legal aid organizations. Warm up your sneakers and join the fun.

MEMBER FROM THE PAST



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BORN LESLIE, GA., 1897. ADMITTED TO BAR 1923, GA; 1924, FL. PRACTICED, LAKELAND, FL., SINCE 1924. MEMBER LAKELAND AND POLK COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATIONS; I.O.O.F., W.O.W. MARRIED, TWO SONS AND TWO DAUGHTERS. OFFICE, LAKELAND, FL.

Book Review / Report of
Walkin' Lawton

Reviewer: Susan W. Roberts, Senior Circuit Judge, 10th Judicial Circuit, Florida

Walkin' Lawton **by John Dos Passos Coggin (The Florida Historical Society, Cocoa, Florida, 2012, 513 pages, Introduction, Publisher's Note, Preface, Acknowledgements, 20 Chapters, Bibliography) paperback, $24.95**

This easy to read, well written book is the story of Lawton Chiles' political life focusing on his famous walk to election as Governor Florida in 1970. He walked the entire route through Florida that ran from Century to Key Largo. He listened to everyone he met along the way. He said at one point that for all the knowledge he gained during the time he spent listening to the concerns of the people of Florida, he had to win the election so it would not be wasted.

The author tells us about Chiles' family and friends and their relationships. That 'telling' includes descriptions of the times in which Chiles lived. His friends were those with whom he grew up, attended school and college, played football, hunted, worked as a public servant in political positions and his family. Those friends and family took him all the way to election to each of the offices he sought. where he continued to work the issues that concerned him.

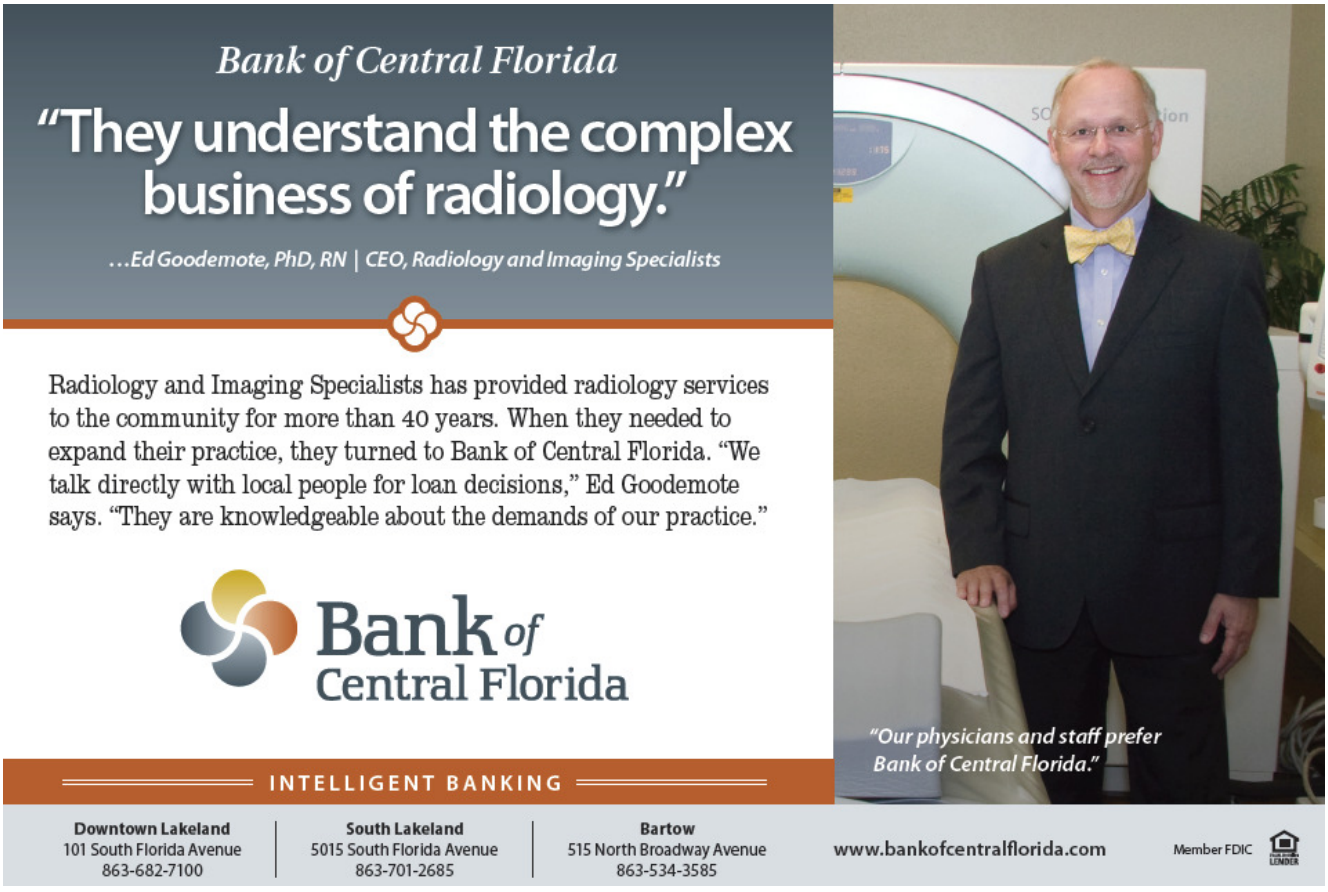
This Governor was different and he policed his staff to be certain all people of all races were treated respectfully. Bob Harris was 'one of the few black staffers on Capitol Hill' and he worked for Lawton Chiles. Chiles, the US Senator, worked on the legislative process within that body. He remained in touch with his constituents and was involved in local projects.

He replaced a US Senator from Georgia on the Senate Democratic Steering Committee which was tasked with appointing Senators to committees. He sought out Democrat and Republican Senators with 'open, agile minds'. They worked together for the good of their constituents and the Nation.

Chiles had a sense of humor and an intense desire to end closed meetings of the work of the Senate. So, when that Legislation was to be signed into Law in the White House Rose Garden, he sang the song "I Never Promised You a Rose Garden." He campaigned in new ways such as limiting contributions to Ten Dollars a person or business entity. Funny things happened such as dumpster diving to retrieve a bag full of ten dollar checks that was pitched in there accidentally.

Chiles was interested in many things such as children's health programs and education as a way out of intractable poverty and its ensuing social problems. He made a big difference for many children by deciding that the time had come to make it right, when he said, 'The cat's on the roof."

The Federal Budget deficit was of extreme interest to Chiles in the Senate. Chiles fought depression that may have started as a result of heart by-pass surgery. Senator Chiles beat his depression and returned to political life as the Governor of Florida.



Annual Bench /Bar Reception

Many thanks to our hosts the Honorable Oliver L. and Mrs. Mona Green

MINUTES FROM THE PAST

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Lakeland Bar Association

A regular monthly meeting of the Lakeland Bar Association was held at 12:00 noon at Lakeland Yacht at Country Club on Wednesday, July 11, 1973, since the first Wednesday of July was a holiday.

Twenty-one members and 3 guests were present.

President J. Ron Smith presided at the meeting and Harry M. Sawyer, Jr. recorded the minutes in the absence of Secretary William O. E. Henry.

Acting Secretary Sawyer gave a brief report on the number of members who had paid their 1973-74 dues and urged all members who had not yet paid to do so as soon as possible since the due date was July 1, 1973.

Program Chairman Steve Watson introduced guest speakers Representatives Larry Libertore and Senator Curtis Peterson. They both presented interesting talks on current Florida Legislation.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, it was adjourned. Respectfully submitted,

/s/
Harry M. Sawyer, Jr.
Acting Secretary

Meet our Board Kevin Humphries

LBA Board member, Kevin Humphries, was born in Norfolk, Virginia. He received his BS degree from Park University in Social Psychology and his law degree from Stetson University College of Law.

Kevin met his lovely wife, Jennifer Humphries, while stationed in St. Louis as an active duty Sergeant in the Marine Corps. They have two sons. The oldest boy, Kaleb, is in kindergarten and the youngest son, Chase, is in VPK.

With offices in Lakeland, Bartow and Sebring, Kevin's specialty is Criminal Defense, Personal Injury, and Social Security Disability. He is the founding partner of Lopez & Humphries, P.A. since 2009.

When not in his office, Kevin enjoys hunting, fishing, the beach and playing chess. His favorite sports team is the Washington Redskins and he enjoys a delicious steak anytime.

He is a history buff and shared his favorite book as *Where the Red Fern Grows.*

Kevin serves on the Lakeland Bar Board as sponsor co-chair and has brought his special talents and knowledge to our Bar Association. We thank him for giving his time to serve our group.

Kemp Brinson honored at November Meeting

Chief Judge Bruce Smith awarded Kemp Brinson with the Florida Bar President's Pro Bono Service Award. Kemp's work as a volunteer and pro bono attorney with the Tenth Circuit Guardian ad Litem Program for abused and neglected children earned him this special honor. Since 2006, he his given his time and talents for children.

J. Kemp Brinson is an associate at Clark, Campbell Attorneys at Law. Originally from Washington, North Carolina, he was admitted to the Florida Bar in 2004. He received his BS in Electrical Engineering at Park Scholar, North Carolina State University and attended The George Washington University Law School where he earned his J.D.with honors in 2004. He is a graduate of Leadership Winter Haven XXVII (2007) and is a member of the Willson American Inn of Court, Lakeland Bar Association, and American Bar Association.

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November "Pro Bono" Recognition Meeting

Judge Van Norwick shares a moment with Kemp & Tim Campbell

Congratulations to this year's Pro Bono attorneys

Special award winners: Abigail O'Connor, Kemp Brinson, & Jack Brandon

Kemp shares a moment with his firm's attorneys

The following attorneys gave pro bono services or financial assistance in 2012

Clifford Ables, Esq.
Matthew Alexander, Esq.
Ricardo Alvarez, Esq.
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CJ Benefield, Esq.
Jesse Bennett, Esq.
Susan Best, Esq.
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Holiday Issue

100% Club

Congratulations to the following 100% Club Law firms. Any firm with two or more attorneys can now be part of the LBA 100% Club. All it takes is for every attorney in the firm to be a member of LBA!

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Boswell & Dunlap, LLP
Carlton & Carlton, P.A.
City of Lakeland
Clark, Campbell & Lancaster P.A.
Crawford Law Group, P.A.
DiCesare, Davidson,& Barker, P.A.
Elder Law Firm of Clements & Wallace
Florida DOT
Gray Robinson P.A.
Hardin & Associates, P.A.
Kaylor & Kaylor, P.A.
Kaylor Law Group
Lilly, O'Toole, & Brown, LLP
McDonald & Shearer, P.A.
Moody Law
Pansler Law Firm
Saunders Law Group
Troiano & Roberts, P.A.
Vecchio, Carrier & Feldman, P.A.
Valenti, Campbell, Trohn, Tamayo, & Aranda P.A.

Have we missed your firm?
Call Lisa at 619-7160 to get your name our list!

LBA Members Classified Ads

For Sale

Two-story law office building (approximately 1440 sf); 343 West Davidson Street; Bartow FL. Directly across street from courthouse. Call Bill Blakeman at 534-3000 or e-mail to: billblakeman@aol.com

Have a safe & happy holiday season from your Res Integra Staff