

St. Lucie County Bar Association

The Heart of the Treasure Coast



Welcome from Your New President

Welcome back to the St. Lucie County Bar this the 2012 – 2013 year! The Executive Committee has an exciting year planned for all members. We are returning to our roots this year with an emphasis on giving back to our community in various ways so we can show the residents of St. Lucie County we care about them.

We have a new newsletter to keep every member up-to-speed on what's going on with the Bar. Please contact Caroleen Brey with any submissions, announcements or ideas for our newsletter.

We will continue some our traditions including a festive holiday party in December at the Pelican Yacht Club with entertainment and some holiday surprises. Watch for more information from our Special Events Chairman.

We will have a dedication of the portraits of the St. Lucie County attorneys who served on the Florida Supreme Court at our newly renovated courthouse. These portraits were framed in the past and are now ready for display. Plans are in the works for a Bar sponsored judicial appreciation reception to follow the portrait dedication so we can all show our thanks to our judges who work hard for all the citizens of St. Lucie County.

Plans are also be made to continue our periodic multi-professional cocktail gathering. These have been warmly received by all of our Bar members. Watch for the dates and locations for these upcoming exciting events.

Our Executive Committee is dedicated to expanding our membership to include all attorneys in St. Lucie County. So we are planning several membership and young lawyers events designed to promote new members into our organization.

Finally, I want to know your ideas. Please contact me to discuss any ideas you may have for us. This is your Bar Association and I want you to be a part of its success.

Thank you all for honoring me with being your president this year. Here's to a great and exciting year!

Hugh J. Eighmie II



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Upcoming General Membership Luncheons

Regular Bar meetings are held on the first Friday of every month from noon to 1:00 pm at Cobb's Landing in downtown Fort Pierce. All attending active members receive complimentary buffet lunch. During each luncheon, the SLBCA hosts a different guest speaker who presents on current legal topics. CLE credit is provided.

The dates of this year's general monthly meetings are:

September 7, 2012	January 4, 2013
October 5, 2012	February 1, 2013
November 2, 2012	March 1, 2013
	April 5, 2013

"The St. Lucie County Bar Association is comprised of dedicated attorneys who practice law in and around St. Lucie County.

Our members consist of some of the finest attorneys in the country.

Our mission is to provide the public with access to all state and federal courts on Florida's Treasure Coast, and to provide the same access to our members."

Upcoming Special Events

Inaugural Norm Paxton Rotary Club Golf Tournament

September 15, 2012 at 7:30 AM

Located at Gator Trace County Club. See the attached flyer.

For more info, contact Joe Lott at JLott@WeinsteinJones.com or 772-468-1009.

Charity Mixer with the FICPA

November 2, 2012 at 12:00 PM

Located at Cobb's Landing.

Holiday Party

December 5, 2012 at 5:30 PM

Located at the Pelican Yacht Club.

Law Day

May 3, 2012 at 12:00 PM

Located at the Pelican Yacht Club.

2012–2013 Membership

To join the St. Lucie County Bar Association, you may register online or by completing and submitting the application attached at the end of this newsletter.

Pricing:

Private Attorneys:

Over 5 year of practice: \$150

Less than 5 years of practice: \$75

Government Attorneys: \$75

Assistant State Attorneys and Public Defenders: \$30

Please visit us online @
WWW.SLBCA.ORG



Acknowledgments

A special thanks to last year's board and committee members, as well as all those who made the 2011-2012 year a huge success!

We look forward to the upcoming year!

Submission Contact Information

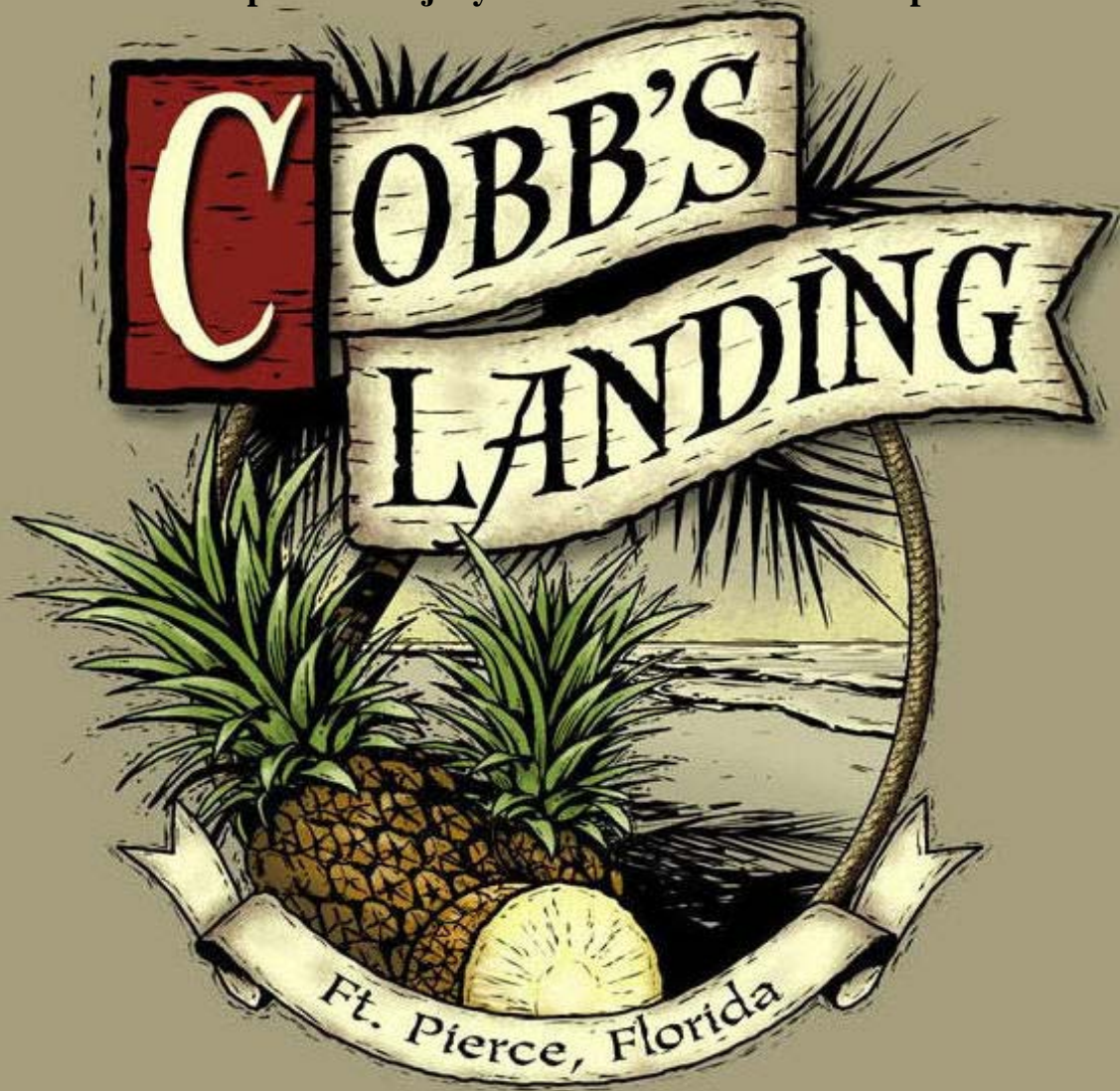
Please contact Caroleen Brej at brejc@circuit19.org with any submissions, announcements, or ideas for our newsletter; please put "SLBCA Newsletter" in the subject line of all emails.

In the upcoming issues, we hope to include legal articles covering current and trending legal topics, committee news, and coverage of local events. We are open to and appreciate all feedback!

Advertising space is available for purchase.

Please join the SLCBA on September 7, 2012 from 12pm to 1pm
for the Association's first meeting.

Our speaker is Ed Sikorski, Jr, and the topic is effective mediations
between personal injury clients and insurance companies.



Please RSVP by September 6th to garrett@hosklaw.com

Menu

Pesto Chicken Salad Wraps, Tuna Salad Wraps, Blackened Steak Wraps
Iced Tea, Soda, Coffee
Fresh Fruit and Assorted Cookies

**DUES NOTICE FOR MEMBERSHIP IN
THE ST. LUCIE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION**

NAME: _____ FIRM: _____
ADDRESS: _____ CITY/STATE: _____ ZIP: _____
PHONE: _____ FAX: _____ E-MAIL: _____
BAR NUMBER: _____ COURTHOUSE BOX #: _____
WEBSITE: _____ CERTIFICATIONS: _____

AREAS OF PRACTICE: Please limit to no more than 10:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Criminal Defense | <input type="checkbox"/> Intellectual Property | <input type="checkbox"/> Probate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Admiralty Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Disability Law | <input type="checkbox"/> International Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate-Commercial |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Divorce | <input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate-Residential |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Eminent Domain | <input type="checkbox"/> Labor Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate-Litigation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appellate | <input type="checkbox"/> Employee Benefits | <input type="checkbox"/> Land Use | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Security |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arbitration | <input type="checkbox"/> Employment Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Landlord/Tenant-Commercial | <input type="checkbox"/> Taxation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aviation | <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment & Sports Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Landlord/Tenant-Residential | <input type="checkbox"/> Trusts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Banking Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Estate Planning | <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Malpractice | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Law |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bankruptcy Commercial | <input type="checkbox"/> Family Business/Succession Planning | <input type="checkbox"/> Mediation | <input type="checkbox"/> Wills |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bankruptcy Personal | <input type="checkbox"/> Family Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Malpractice | <input type="checkbox"/> Worker's Compensation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Guardianship | <input type="checkbox"/> Medicare/Medicaid | <input type="checkbox"/> Wrongful Death |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Support/Custody | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Patent/Trademark Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Zoning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Litigation | <input type="checkbox"/> Homeowner's Assn. | <input type="checkbox"/> Pension Law | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Immigration Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury - Defense | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Corporate Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance Law | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury - Plaintiff | |

Other (Please List): _____

**BAR DUES FOR 2012-2013: \$150.00 General Members
\$75.00 Young Lawyers Division Members
\$75.00 Full-Time Government Attorneys
\$30.00 Assistant State Attorneys and Assistant Public Defenders**

JUDGES ARE EXEMPT FROM BAR ASSOCIATION DUES

**YOU MAY NOW PAY BAR DUES ONLINE BY CREDIT/DEBIT CARD OR ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER (EFT)
THROUGH THE BAR'S WEBSITE: WWW.SLCBA.ORG**

Alternatively, you may submit payment to: St. Lucie Bar Association, P.O. Box 3014, Ft. Pierce, FL 34948



Inaugural Norm Paxton Golf Tournament Saturday, September 15, 2012 Gator Trace Country Club

7:30 Registration, 8:30 Shotgun Start, Four Man Scramble
\$100 Player Fee
Includes breakfast, luncheon, prizes, and cart fee

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

- \$2,500 Title Sponsor- Includes name on all promotional materials, two foursomes, logo on every tee/green sign, a company banner displayed at the event, recognition at the luncheon and in the program, four additional meals at the luncheon, opportunity to speak during award ceremony and distribute prizes
- \$2,000 Meal Sponsor- Includes recognition at the luncheon, promotional material at every table setting and in the program, three additional meals at the luncheon, two foursomes, and a company banner displayed at the event,
- \$1,500 Cart Sponsor- Includes recognition on each cart, a company banner displayed at the event, a foursome, recognition in the program, and two additional meals at the luncheon
- \$1,000 Rotary Sponsor- Includes a company banner displayed at the event, a foursome, recognition in the program, and two additional meals at the luncheon
- \$100 Tee/Green Sponsor- Tee or green sign with company logo, recognition in the program

- Please indicate:
- Title (\$2,500), Meal (\$2,000), Cart (\$1,500), or Rotary (\$1,000), or Tee/Green (\$100) Sponsor
 - I am proud to be a sponsor or donate funds but will not be playing in the tournament
 - Prize Sponsor (Donating a raffle or door prize)
 - Goodie Bag Sponsor (Donating items for 140 golfers)
 - I would like to pay to play as an individual \$100
 - I would like to attend the luncheon \$20

**HOLE IN ONE CONTEST
TO WIN A CAR!**
thanks to sponsor Weinstein Jones
& Bill Shultz Chevrolet

Team Name: _____

Player 1) _____

Player 2) _____

Player 3) _____

Player 4) _____

Company Name of Sponsorship: _____

Contact Person: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Website: _____

Email: _____

Deadline for player registration and sponsorships is
September 1, 2012.

Please make checks payable to Rotary Club of Fort Pierce
607 N. 7th Street, Fort Pierce, Florida 34950, Fax: (772) 468-1837
For more information contact
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