



MONTHLY BULLETIN

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President's Comments



HENRY A. CALLAWAY, III PRESIDENT
MOBILE BAR ASSOCIATION



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How would you like to change a child's life and have a fun time doing it? Here's your chance.

We are all familiar with the traditional **BIG BROTHER/BIG SISTER** program, which matches an adult and child for an afternoon each week. But you may not know about a new

BIG BROTHER/BIG SISTER program which has been operating in Mobile for the last several years: at-school mentoring. The program is very simple. An adult volunteer (the "big") is matched up with a "little," an at-risk elementary student from a single parent home. The volunteer meets with the student at school for 45 minutes or an hour each week. They can do whatever they want: eat lunch, play a board game, shoot basketball, talk, or whatever. The results of this modest at-school mentoring have been astounding; the school performances and ultimately the drop-out rates of mentored students dramatically improve.

Numerous Mobile businesses and firms are getting involved. **AMERICAN EQUITY UNDERWRITERS** has been doing at-school mentoring for two years; call MBA member **ROYCE RAY** if you would like to hear about his experience. **HAND ARENDALL** has over thirty lawyers and staff members mentoring at **BRAZIER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**. **HARGROVE ENGINEERING** is now signing on. The reports from the mentors are universally and overwhelmingly enthusiastic; the volunteers love what they do and report that their mentoring sessions are the highlight of each week.

One of the best things about this at-school program is that it is easy. You can do it door-to-door in about an hour. The scheduling is flexible: you don't have to show up at a particular time each week, and it's not a big deal if you are in trial or deposition and have to miss.

Our bar association does a wonderful job with its **VOLUNTEER LAWYERS PROGRAM**, but it would be great for our association to take on a project like this as an entity. The

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PROGRAM

2011 ANNUAL LAW DAY LUNCHEON
FRIDAY, MAY 20, 2011, 11:45 AM
RADISSON ADMIRAL SEMMES HOTEL
SPEAKER: JUDGE JAMES A. MAIN,
COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS
ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS HONORED
LIBERTY BELL WINNER HONORED

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Browsing the Bar *With Barbara*

Please take note of all of the **LAW DAY** Activities going on this Month, especially the **LAW HELP LINE** – we need volunteers. Tuesday, May 10 at TV15 on Azalea Road, from 7 am to 7 pm, 2-hour shifts. This is an experience you will enjoy and who knows, you may become a TV Star!

What senior MBA Member will mark his 70th Anniversary as an attorney licensed to practice law in Alabama on June 3rd of this year? If you guessed **ROBERT DENNISTON** you are correct! Pretty remarkable! Way to go, Mr. Denniston, don't stop now that you have a good thing going! Our **CONGRATULATIONS** to you on reaching such a momentous milestone.



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MBA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMITTEE discussed this issue and recommended to the Executive Committee that the MBA become a participant in **BIG BROTHER/BIG SISTER** at-school mentoring; the **MBA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE** voted unanimously to do so in April.

Our goal is to have the bar association “adopt” an elementary school in downtown Mobile and an elementary school in west Mobile and provide all the mentors for those schools. The preparation is minimal: about an hour of training plus a background check. However we need to get volunteers signed up by early summer so they can be trained, cleared and ready to go when school starts in August. There is no requirement that you stay with the same child each year, although most volunteers want to do so. All mentoring must take place at the school during school hours.

I know we're all busy, but this is something you can do! Please call the program director Aimee Risser at 344-0536, ext. 106, or **MBA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMITTEE** chairman **ALEC MOSELEY** at 694-6291 if you are interested -- no commitment required. Aimee and Alec would also be glad to talk with your firm about the program.

To paraphrase the movie **CASABLANCA**, this could be the start of a wonderful relationship. The Mobile Bar Association is the first professional association in our area to sign up for the at-school mentoring program. Please check it out.

On a separate note, you probably received a letter last week from the **VOLUNTEER LAWYERS PROGRAM** asking you to make a tax-deductible contribution. The VLP depends upon the support of local lawyers -- over \$50,000 last year -- for a large portion of its budget. The program is going gangbusters and doing great things; I hope you can support it financially. Remember that donors will be recognized in the bar bulletin and at the December bar luncheon.





SIGNIFICANT DECISIONS

In the rather remarkable case of *Dubose v. Weaver*, No. 1070579 (Ala., February 25, 2011), the Supreme Court ruled that neither the probate court nor the circuit court had subject matter jurisdiction over estate administration proceedings due to a complicated failure by the parties to file the proper proceedings in the proper court. Accordingly, the Court vacated and nullified several years' worth of apparently difficult and protracted litigation. In particular, the Court noted that an estate administration could not be removed from probate to circuit court until the administration had begun, which required more than simply filing a pleading, and that a will contest could not be filed in a circuit court prior to the admission of the will to probate in the probate court. All probate lawyers and lawyers engaging in will contest litigation should read this opinion carefully.

Holding that the procedure effectively converted a jury determined by random selection into a volunteer group, the Supreme Court in *Ford Motor Co. v. Duckett*, No. 1090833 (Ala., February 11, 2011), held that a trial court's decision to select a jury for a three to four week trial only from those members of an overall jury venire who designated by show of hands that they were willing to serve for that length of time violated the defendant's constitutional right to have a randomly selected jury.

NOTICE FROM PROBATE COURT

DON DAVIS, JUDGE OF PROBATE

APRIL 5, 2011

RE: SMALL ESTATES/SUMMARY DISTRIBUTION VALUATION UP-DATE

Pursuant to Ala. Code §43-2-692(b)(1), the State Finance Director has now issued notice to the judges of probate revising the established limits for the administration of small estates in response to adjustments in the Consumer Price Index. The figures provided to the Probate Court are as follows:

For 2009 \$25,000

For 2010 \$25,410

For 2011 \$25,791

In utilizing this information, the State Finance Director has stated:

“Because the CPI-U for a calendar year is not published until January of the succeeding year, the adjustment provided will reflect the change for the previous calendar year, but will be effective for twelve months beginning the following March 1. For example, the value of \$25,791 established for 2011 will be used for the period March 1, 2011 through February 29, 2012.”

Please remember that information regarding the “Small Estates Act” and Summary Distribution thereunder is located on the Probate Court's web site under the Judicial Section. Forms to use in small estates are also provided to attorneys only on the Court's web site – www.probate.mobilecountyal.gov





ANNOUNCEMENTS

LESTER BRIDGEMAN and BEN BROADWATER are now of counsel at **ZIEMAN, SPEEGLE, JACKSON & HOFFMAN, LLC**. Focusing on representing aviation and aerospace clients in regulatory compliance matters and litigation as well as general commercial and federal government transactions.

HELEN JOHNSON ALFORD, CHRISTINA MAY BOLIN and MARK A DOWDY announce the opening of **ALFORD BOLIN DOWDY, LLC** at One St. Louis Centre, Suite 3100, Mobile, AL 36602, Phone 251.432.1600

STARNES DAVIS FLORIE LLP is pleased to announce that **JORDAN W. GERHEIM** has joined the firm's Mobile office⁴ as an Associate.

Pending relocation, GREGORY BUFFALOW can be reached at One St. Louis Centre, Suite 5000, Mobile, AL 36602, Phone 251.432.1600/direct 251.415.9235/mobile 251.610.8945; fax 251.432.1700/ email greg@buffalow.net; www.linkedin.com/pub/greg-buffalow/a/572/31

CHUCK MILLER announces the opening of the office, CHARLES L. MILLER, JR., P.C. at 204 South Royal Street, Mobile, AL 36602 (mailing address: P. O. Box 2232, Mobile, AL 36652) Phone 251.445.0992; email chuck@clmillerlaw.com

BADHAM & BUCK LLC is pleased to announce that **RICHARD DORMAN**, formerly a partner with **CUNNINGHAM BOUNDS LLC** has joined the Firm as Of Counsel. Mr. Dorman is practicing in Birmingham and will focus on complex civil litigation, business torts and class actions.

FREE BOOKS: Books from law school (graduated 2009) free to whomever needs them Constitutional Law, Business Organizations, Bankruptcy, Environmental Law, Civil Procedure, among other. Contact Christopher Brinson cbrinson@gmail.com phone 334.328.0958

OFFICE SPACE FOR LEASE: 2090 N. Joachim Street on the corner of State and Joachim Streets in historic DeTonti Square. Within walking distance of Federal and Bankruptcy Courts and Post Office. Included in rent are onsite parking, client lobby, reception area, kitchen, conference room, VOIP telephone, internet, email, fax machine and large copy machine/printer/scanner. **Contact EVANS CROWE at 251.431.6011**

BIG IMPACT GRAPHICS, Animation and Legal Graphics based in Fairhope, AL has over 20 years experience in creating animations, illustrations, displays and models for attorneys as well as experts. Work is used in vehicular accident, construction, medical malpractice, biomechanics, product failure, slip and fall and trucking cases. Contact Greg Hatcher at 251.401.4620 or view website at www.bigimpactgraphics.net

PHELPS DUNBAR LLP is pleased to announce that the Mobile office has recently hired **BRADLEY E. DEAN**. Mr. Dean has joined the firm as an associate in the firm's litigation practice group. He has represented clients in Federal and State courts throughout Mississippi and Alabama. He received his J.D. from the **UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA** in 2003 and his M.S.B.A. from **AUBURN UNIVERSITY** in 1999. He received his B.S. from **SPRING HILL COLLEGE** in 1997.

BURR & FORMAN LLP is pleased to announce that **E. ERICH BERGDOLT** has joined as Counsel in the firm's Mobile office. His practice includes commercial litigation, construction, admiralty, governmental affairs, regulatory and appellate work.

Prior to joining **BURR & FORMAN**, Bergdolt was in-house counsel for the Baldwin County Commission, where he represented the Commission in land use, appellate, contractual, personnel, and regulatory matters. Bergdolt received his J.D. from the **UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA SCHOOL OF LAW**, where he served as editor on the **ALABAMA LAW REVIEW**. He received his B.S. in finance, magna cum laude, from **MOBILE COLLEGE**.





NEW MEMBERS

RUTH FRANCIS ALEXANDER,

University of Alabama School of Law 2009;
Alabama State Bar 2009; with Governor Bentley's Legal Office

MARY ELIZABETH TURNER,

Loyola University 2007;
Alabama State Bar 2007;
with Virginia W. Haas, P.C.

KRISTY WALDRON DUGAN,

Tulane University Law School 2007;
Georgia State Bar 2007;
Alabama State Bar 2008; with District Attorney's Office

ASHLEY POWELL GRIFFIN ,

Loyola University 2009;
Alabama State Bar 2009; with DeLashmet Marchand, PC

ALLISON E. WHITE,

Louisiana State University 2009;
Alabama State Bar 2009; Louisiana State Bar 2010;
with Cunningham Bounds, LLC

LAURA C. EDWARDS,

University of Alabama School of Law 2010;
Alabama State Bar 2010; with Cunningham Bounds, LLC.

CHRISTOPHER M. DAVIS,

University of Alabama School of Law 2000;
Alabama State Bar 2000;
Washington, DC Bar 2004; with Document Technologies, Inc.

MLPA

The **ASSOCIATION FOR LEGAL PROFESSIONALS** will meet May 12, 2011, Admiral Semmes Hotel "The Cove Room", 12 o'clock noon. Guest speaker will be **ATTORNEY ALISON HERLIHY** talking on **FAMILY LAW**. Lunch is \$14 per person and is the Buffet of the Day! For reservations contact **CHERI LOYD** at 251.432.0337 or email cloyd@florida-law.com



2011 LAW DAY ACTIVITIES

APRIL 26 – TUESDAY

**LAW DAY PROCLAMATION PRESENTATION
MOBILE COUNTY 10:00 AM**

MAY 6 – FRIDAY

**LAW DAY NATURALIZATION CEREMONY,
11:00 AM, U. S. FEDERAL COURT HOUSE**

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**LAW HELP LINE,
7:00 AM – 7:00 PM,
WPMI TV NBC 15 STATION, 661 AZALEA ROAD**

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GEORGE WALKER ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE ASSOCIATION OF DEFENSE TRIAL ATTORNEYS

HAND ARENDALL LLC member **GEORGE WALKER** has been elected President of the **ASSOCIATION OF DEFENSE TRIAL ATTORNEYS** at its annual meeting in Maui, Hawaii on April 8, 2011. The **ADTA** brings together selected trial lawyers of the United States, Canada, and Puerto Rico, whose practices consist substantially in the defense of claims at the request of insurance companies and self-insurers. Mr. Walker is the first President of the Association from the state of Alabama.

BOTELER, FINLEY & WOLFE

Present

A Night at the Theater

*For the Benefit of
Mobile Bar Association
Volunteer Lawyers Program*

Thursday, May 19, 2011
Mobile Theater Guild's presentation of

CHICAGO

\$25 per person – all proceeds benefiting VLP
Seating limited

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Questions – Call 433-6693



LAWYERS IN THE NEWS

By SANDY G. ROBINSON

LEGAL MILESTONES:

MARRIED: **KATHRYN TUCKER DONALD**, DAUGHTER OF MBA MEMBER **JOHN DONALD**, AND **COLLIN HUNNICUTT THOMPSON** WERE MARRIED ON APRIL 9, 2011 AT DAUPHIN WAY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH. A RECEPTION FOLLOWED AT THE **COUNTRY CLUB OF MOBILE**. AFTER A HONEYMOON TRIP TO PLAYA DEL CARMEN, MEXICO, THE COUPLE WILL RESIDE IN MOBILE.

DIED: **JACKIE LYNN "KACY" CLARKE**, WIFE OF MBA MEMBER **ARTHUR CLARKE**, DIED IN MOBILE ON MARCH 12, 2011. KACY WORKED AS A PARALEGAL IN HER HUSBAND'S PRACTICE, AND LOVED ALL OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES, ESPECIALLY FISHING AND BOATING. IN ADDITION TO HER HUSBAND, SHE IS SURVIVED BY 2 DAUGHTERS, ONE GRANDDAUGHTER, HER FATHER, AND MANY OTHER RELATIVES AND FRIENDS.

DIED: **HELEN McCOWN WETTERMARK**, MOTHER OF MBA MEMBER **LARRY WETTERMARK**, DIED MARCH 25, 2011 AT THE AGE OF 93. SHE GREW UP IN MOBILE, ATTENDED SPRING HILL COLLEGE AND GRADUATED MAGNA CUM LAUDE FROM **URSULINE COLLEGE** IN NEW ORLEANS. SHE WAS ACTIVE IN HER PARISH, **ST. IGNATIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH**, AND WAS AN AVID READER AND PATRON OF THE ARTS. SHE IS SURVIVED BY HER SEVEN CHILDREN, 12 GRANDCHILDREN, TWO GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN AND ONE BROTHER.

ATTENTION VETERANS AND FRIENDS OF VETERANS:

THANK YOU TO ALL OUR VETERANS WHO HAVE SUBMITTED PHOTOGRAPHS AND INFORMATION FOR OUR SPECIAL VETERAN'S DAY FEATURE IN NOVEMBER. YOUR STORIES AND EXPERIENCES ARE INSPIRING, AND WE THANK EACH OF YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR SERVICE. IF YOU HAVE NOT YET SUBMITTED YOUR PHOTOS, PLEASE EMAIL THEM TO SGR@CABANISS.COM, OR MAIL THEM TO ME AT P. O. BOX 2906, MOBILE, ALABAMA 36602.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF MOBILE COUNTY, ALABAMA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

CHARLES A GRADDICK, PRESIDING JUDGE

The CIRCUIT COURTS AND THE DISTRICT COURTS OF MOBILE COUNTY went "paperless" on the civil side and are moving towards the same on all criminal matters. Counsel and parties may still file pleadings by bringing or sending a paper copy to the Clerk's Office but that office no longer creates paper files in civil cases. The Case Action Summary, the pleadings, motions and orders are now available through AlaFile and Alacourt. If a paper copy is needed, one may print it from the electronic file only in civil cases.

Funding for the trial courts is again at crisis level. The Courts spent \$2,233,280.00 on postage in the past fiscal year. Our courts are saving money by eliminating paper files and can save more by sending all orders and judgments electronically, rather than by U.S. Mail.

Some lawyers who file pleadings in our Court have not registered for AlaFile and are therefore unable to receive electronic copies of Orders. If you have not registered for AlaFile, please register for this free service at <https://alafile.alacourt.gov/> or call 1-866-954-9411, Option 1, Option 4. If you need help registering, please call the Court, 251-574-8806, and we will have someone assist you. When you are registered all notices will be sent to you electronically.

It is Ordered and Adjudged that effective April 20, 2011, all lawyers filing pleadings in the Civil Divisions of the Circuit and District Courts of Mobile County shall register with AlaFile. Orders, judgment and other court rulings will be sent from the Court by email. This order does not apply at this time to pro se litigants Done and Ordered, this 13th day of April 2011.

YOUNG LAWYERS

TOM RADCLIFF, PRESIDENT

I want to thank everyone who sponsored and contributed to Funfest last month at St. Mary's Home. We had tremendous support, and due to everyone's generosity were able to donate \$500 to St. Mary's. I would like to thank Starnes Davis Florrie; Helmsing, Leach, Herlong, Newman & Rouse; Hand Arendall; Brady Radcliff & Brown; Adams & Reese; Burr & Forman; and Tobias & Comer for sponsoring the event.

Let me remind everyone that the Golf Tournament is just around the corner – June 3rd at Timber Creek Golf Club. This year, all proceeds from the tournament will benefit L'Arche, and, as always, we count on your generosity to make this event possible. Plans are underway to improve on last year's tournament, so mark your calendars and be on the lookout for registration forms.

I want to thank the folks at Littler Mendelson, P.C. for a great meeting last month at La Pizzeria. This month's meeting is sponsored by Hand Arendall, and will be held May 21 at the Bicycle Shop on Dauphin Street starting at 5:30. It is sure to be a good time, and we hope you can attend. If you have any questions, or would like to sponsor an event, please e-mail me at tradcliff@brblawyers.com, Glenn Smith, at gsmith@carrallison.com, or Josh Friedman at josh@bafmobile.com.



PLEASE GIVE

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

I want to make a donation to the Mobile Bar Foundation.

In honor/memory of: _____

Send acknowledgement to: Name _____

Address _____

I want to become a member of the Mobile Bar Foundation.

Life Member (\$5000, can be paid in up to 5 annual installments)

Sustaining Member (\$100 or more annually)

Regular Member (\$25 - \$99 annually)

I would like information on including the Foundation in my estate planning.

Check enclosed

Bill my credit card \$ _____ Visa/Master Card/Amex # _____

Signature _____ Exp. _____



March was a month of firsts for VLP. Not only did we hold our first limited legal advice clinic, we also hosted a group of alternative spring break volunteers for the first time. Both events were a huge success! On March 15th VLP offered free legal advice to Bayou la Batre residents during the Hemley Road Church's bimonthly Food Pantry registration. VLP attorneys **LUKE COLEY, JENNIFER**



McDONALD, GABY REEVES, SIMONE WASHINGTON, AND BILL WATTS met with nineteen clients at the Bayou la Batre Community Center and gave advice on a wide range of issues. Clients who met VLP financial and subject matter qualifications were referred to VLP for representation. Others were given limited legal advice as well as appropriate referral information for possible assistance by other agencies. By meeting clients in their neighborhoods, VLP increases awareness of our services and also addresses some of the fears that keep people from seeking help (lack of transportation, no money for gas and parking, and discomfort travelling to downtown office building). VLP will hold monthly advice clinics at community centers throughout the county. We will be at **DUMAS WESLEY** in April. May clinics include the **SYBIL SMITH FAMILY VILLAGE** and **WILLS FOR HEROES**. Please call 433-6693 if you are interested in participating. *See Rule 6.5, Alabama Rules of Professional Conduct (below) for Order regarding limited legal services.*

Also in March, we were visited by a group of nine law school students on spring break from the **UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA**. According to **VANDANA PETERSON**, Assistant **DEAN FOR PUBLIC INTEREST LAW**, *"the idea for an alternative spring break trip to the Gulf Coast was born from students' desire to assist victims of the Gulf Oil Spill. While volunteering at the Bayou La Batre pro bono legal clinic, students met and assisted VLP lawyers while engaging in meaningful outreach. Such opportunities form an integral part of our students' law school experience, broaden education, connect students with their peers in meaningful non-classroom work, and provide inspiring examples of public interest lawyering and leadership. We look forward to more such projects and working with the Mobile VLP again in the future!"* VLP is incredibly grateful for the students' participation at the clinic and for their help with office tasks/data entry later in the week. Many thanks to **JUDGE McMACKEN, JUDGE HARDESTY, SPECIAL JUDGE FRANK KRUSE, AND CHRIS KNIGHT** for offering the students the opportunity to go to court and to **HAND ARENDALL** attorneys **PATRICK WARD, TRIP SMALLEY, MEGAN BROOKS, HENRY CALLAWAY, AND LISA COOPER** for taking the time to talk about the firm's commitment to VLP. From left: **VANDANA PETERSON, LAURIE SANBURY, MATT MYRICK, DANIELLE MASHBURN, PAUL RAND, KIM GOINS, JEROME DEES, SHAUN STYERS, ERIN JOHNSON, AND GLENN ZUERCHER**.



Rule 6.5, Alabama Rules of Professional Conduct: Nonprofit and Court-Annexed Limited Legal Services Programs

- (a) a lawyer who, under the auspices of a program sponsored by a nonprofit organization or a court, provides short-term limited legal services to a client without expectation by either the lawyer or the client that the lawyer will provide continuing representation in the matter:
 - (1) is subject to Rules 1.7 and 1.9(a) only if the lawyer knows that the representation of the client to whom the lawyer is providing short-term limited legal services involves a conflict of interest; and
 - (2) is subject to Rule 1.10 only if the lawyer knows that another lawyer associated with the lawyer in a law firm is disqualified by Rule 1.7 or 1.9(a) with respect to the matter.
- (b) Except as provided in paragraph (a)(2), Rule 1.10 is inapplicable to representation governed by this rule.

Many thanks to the following attorneys who opened and closed cases in March: **CHRISTINA N. ADCOCK, JOHN G. BAYLOR, JR., JOHN T. BENDER, RUSSELL E. BERGSTROM, WINDY COCKRELL BITZER, CHRISTINA M. BOLIN, C. BRITTON BONNER, HENRY H. BREWSTER, G. PORTER BROCK, JR., MEGAN BROOKS, CHAD R. BROWN, LISA BUMPERS, JENNIFER CALDWELL, F. LUKE COLEY, JR., RICHARD E. CORRIGAN, ROBERT J. CRANE, DANIEL A. DENNIS, IV, CHARLES J. FLEMING, BEN FORD, BARRY A. FRIEDMAN, THOMAS O. GAILLARD, III, IAN F. GASTON, JASON C. GERTH, TIMOTHY M. GROGAN, MICHAEL J. HARBIN, THOMAS E. HARRISON, EDWARD G. HAWKINS, JEFFRY ALAN HEAD, R. SCOTT HETRICK, JENNIFER HOLIFIELD, LYMAN F. HOLLAND, JR., BRANDON D. HUGHEY, WESLEY J. HUNTER, HERNDON INGE, III, CANDACE D. JOHNSON, KATHLEEN COBB KAUFMAN, BANKS C. LADD, GILBERT B. LADEN, R. EDWIN LAMBERTH, JOHN N. LEACH, JR., MELINDA LEE MADDOX, JAMES H. McDONALD, JR., JENNIFER E. McDONALD, MATTHEW C. McDONALD, AUGUSTINE MEAHER, III, S. C. MIDDLEBROOKS, JEFFREY G. MILLER, MARGARET MILLER, PAMELA K. MILLSAPS, MICHAEL T. MURPHY, LOUIS C. NORVELL, SONYA OGLETREE, GABRIELLE REEVES, W. BOYD REEVES, LATISHA RHODES, THOMAS E. SHARP, III, CLIFFORD C. SHARPE, KIRK C. SHAW, JONATHAN E. SHOLTIS, JACK SMALLEY, III, E. GLENN SMITH, JR., JOSEPH D. STEADMAN, T. JEFF STEIN, JAMES B. VOLLMER, PATRICK J. WARD, LeBREON S. WASHINGTON, WILLIAM W. WATTS, III, JARROD J. WHITE, MICHAEL A. WING, AND THOMAS T. ZIEMAN, JR.**



MAY 2011

MAY 6 - FRIDAY

NATURALIZATION CEREMONY,
11:00 AM,
UNITED STATES FEDERAL COURT HOUSE

MAY 6 - FRIDAY

KICK BALL TOURNAMENT,
1:00 PM, BATTLESHIP PARK

MAY 10 - TUESDAY

ANNUAL LAW DAY HELP LINE,
7:00 AM – 7:00 PM, TV 15

MAY 11 - WEDNESDAY

WORKERS COMP SECTION MEETING,
12 O'CLOCK NOON, BIENVILLE CLUB

MAY 12 - THURSDAY

**MBA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
MEETING,**
12 O'CLOCK NOON, BIENVILLE CLUB

MAY 16 - MONDAY

BENCH & BAR COMMITTEE MEETING,
12 O'CLOCK NOON, FELIX'S

MAY 19 - THURSDAY

VLP FUNDRAISER,
MOBILE'S THEATER GUILD

MAY 20 - FRIDAY

ANNUAL LAW DAY LUNCHEON,
ADMIRAL SEMMES HOTEL, 11:45 AM.

MAY 21 - FRIDAY

**SEMINAR: DO'S AND DON'TS WITH
JUDGE TEDDY McDERMOTT,**
1:30 – 4:45 PM,
ADMIRAL SEMMES HOTEL

MAY 26 - THURSDAY

**MBA GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE
MEETING,**
12 O'CLOCK NOON, BIENVILLE CLUB

MAY 30 - MONDAY

MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY



CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION

MAY 20 - FRIDAY

DO'S AND DON'TS WITH JUDGE TEDDY McDERMOTT, 3.0
HRS. MCLE CREDITS, RADISSON ADMIRAL SEMMES HOTEL