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Newsletter of the Volusia County Bar Association ~ September 2023

VCBA SOCIAL

Thursday, September 7 ~ 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Chart House, Daytona Beach

No charge for VCBA members ~ \$20 for non-members

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ELDER LAW SECTION MEETING

Funeral, Cremation & Burial Arrangements

Thursday, September 21, 2023 ~ 12:00 noon

Lohman Funeral Home, 733 W. Granada Blvd, Ormond Beach

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CLE: TECHNOLOGY SEMINAR

presented by The Florida Bar YLD Technology Roadshow

3.0 technology credits (approved)

Friday, September 22, 2023 ~ 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon - Breakfast served at 8:30

Daytona Beach Airport Banquet Room

\$45.00 for VCBA members ~~ \$60.00 nonmembers, paralegals, and staff

Law Firm Tech Essentials: Modern, Secure, and Affordable Must-Have Technology ~~ Intro to Artificial Intelligence and Products, Tools, and Services for Lawyers ~~ Using Client Portals to Secure and Streamline Communications

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CLE: WORK HEALTH - MENTAL AND PHYSICAL TOOLS TO USE IN YOUR PRACTICE

CLE credit approved: *3.0 general, 2.0 mental health & wellness hours.*

Friday, September 29, 2023 ~ 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Daytona Beach Airport meeting room, 700 Catalina Drive

This seminar is free for VCBA members.

Guidance and tools to help cope with high stress working environments. Richard Alden Greer, M.D.

The Florida Bar Mental Health & Wellness Committee overview. Courtney Kilbourne, Esq.

Physical Health: Yoga techniques for breaking up the daily grind of the workday. Tammy Jaques, Esq.

LaniPots DIY Succulent Workshop. Sam Lanikeha Aldinger

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Sculpture unveiling , finally! After 4 long years, we honored Judge Graham despite the 100 degree heat!. The sculpture is on permanent display at the Riverfront Esplanade Park on Beach Street.



A note from Judge Graham:

Thank you Kathie Selover and the Volusia County Bar Association especially Thomas Upchurch who worked hard to put this together. I especially appreciate Hyatt Brown for letting us use his great new site for this celebration. The whole Riverfront Esplanade is beautiful.

Hyatt did more than this!

After Jesse was declared innocent and released to go home, I filed a compensation bill in the Florida House. Hyatt called me when our Bill was to be presented to his committee. I drove right up to Tallahassee! He supported the Bill and it passed. The Baker Act followed.

Some cases are more important than money. This case taught me the enduring significance of protecting a guy without a voice. Jesse could not prevent them from throwing him into a bottomless pit like Chattahoochee.

So, keep an eye out for your own Jesse Daniels to help with the Power of the Law.



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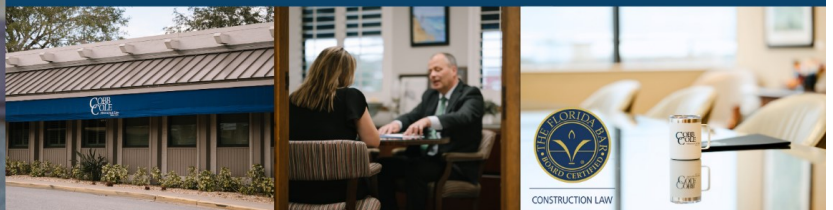
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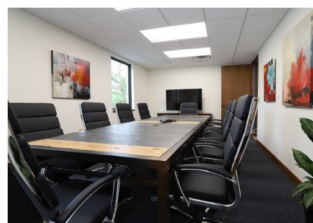
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