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Broward County Bar Association — South Broward Bar Association — Joint Meeting — Thursday, October 15, 1981

EMERALD HILLS COUNTRY CLUB 4100 North Hills Drive — Hollywood, Florida

6:30 P.M. - Cocktails .. Cash Bar * 8:00 P.M. - Dinner .. \$20/person

Program: A "Roast" of Sheldon Schlesinger

RESERVATIONS ARE NECESSARY. PLEASE CALL 764-8040 by noon on October 13, 1981. Reservations made and not cancelled must be paid.

Room capacity at Emerald Hills is 225. Reservations will be on a "first come" basis.

NEXT MEETING - NOVEMBER 19, 1981 - HONORING LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Three months of the Bar year have now elapsed. This is my initial report to you on our progress and direction for 1981-1982.

The Association is effective only to the extent its Committees and staff are effective. The meeting of Section and Committee Chairpersons was most successful. All Committees and Sections are active and functioning.

As of this printing, the Association has accomplished:

- Implementation of the Pilot Program to Reduce Court Delay in the Civil Division. This commenced on August 31 under supervision of Civil Litigation Coordinating Council, James H. Walden, Chairman.
- (2) Co-hosting with the Supreme Court of Florida and Palm Beach County Bar Association, the National Conference of Chief Justices and National Conference of State Court Administrators. This Conference took place in Boca Raton August 1-5. President-Elect, Hugh T. Maloney, chaired our Special Committee.
- (3) Distribution of Legal Resource Directory to Broward County news media. The Directory provides resource persons who are available to provide background information to the media in various areas of the law. This is a project of the Public Relations Committee, Ben J. Weaver, Chairman.

- (4) Authorized expansion of Lawyer Referral Service advertising to increase availability of legal services and increased referrals to members of the Lawyer Referral Panel. Charles M. Daniels is Chairman of the Lawyer Referral Committee.
- (5) Assisted Chief Judge Atkins of United States District Court in expanding list of attorneys willing to accept indigent criminal defense cases in Federal Court. This was accomplished by the staff.
- (6) Conducted an Educational Campaign to make lawyers aware of (Continued on page 2)

FLASH

In order for the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office to serve you more effectively, a new procedure is being devised to more efficiently docket and file pleadings by division (judge) assignment

Effective September 28, 1981 the office will require the proper case number and division assignment on all pleadings.

NOTICE

FILING FEES WILL BE INCREASED OCTOBER 1, 1981 IN COUNTY AND CIRCUIT COURTS BY \$2.00.

FIFTH AND ELEVENTH CIRCUITS ADMISSION PROCEDURES

Members of the Broward Bar who are admitted to practice before the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals should be aware that the Fifth Circuit goes out of business on October 1, 1981.

A new Fifth Circuit, comprising the States of Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi, and a new Eleventh Circuit (Florida, Georgia and Alabama) will replace the "old" Fifth.

If you wish to be admitted to the new Eleventh Circuit, you (not your firm) must do the following by December 31, 1981:

- Write the Clerk of the Fifth Circuit, 600 Camp Street, New Orleans, Louisiana 70013.
- Certify you are a member in good standing of the Bar of the Fifth Circuit.
- 3. State your wish to be admitted to the Eleventh Circuit.
- 4. Give your social security number.
- Send a check for \$5.00 made payable to the Clerk of the Fifth Circuit.

You may elect to be admitted to *both* new circuits. An additional fee of \$20.00 (\$25.00 total fee) is required. Advise the Clerk of your election.

YOUNG LAWYERS' SECTION LUNCHEON

October 22, 1981

-12:00 noon-

Helman's Restaurant 1701 E. Sunrise Blvd. Fort Lauderdale, FL

(name)

Please mail your reservation card and check made payable to "Young Lawyers' Section" to E. Steven Lauer, Esquire, 2601 E. Oakland Park Blvd., Fort Lauderdale, Florida, 33306.

-Price: \$7.00 per person-

RESERVATIONS ARE A MUST

Chairpersons are:

Courts Coordinating Committee James H. Walden Civil Litigation Coordinating Council James H. Walden

Civil Division Courts Committee A. J. Thomas, Jr.

Appellate Courts Committee Nancy Little Hoffmann

Court Facilities Committee Robert M. Curtis

Special Committee on Federal Appellate Circuit Transition G. Ware Cornell, Jr.

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We are off to a good start. With your support, we can have a banner year.

> RUSSELL E. CARLISLE PRESIDENT

The Florida Bar Pilot Grievance **Procedure Project**

Members of The Florida Bar have been invited to the Governor's Mansion on Wednesday, October 14, 1981, from 6;30 P.M. — 8:00 P.M. to join Governor Bob Graham, Chief Justice Alan Sundberg, Attorney General Jim Smith, Florida Bar President, Sam Smith and Corrections' Secretary, Louie Wainwright, for a reception.

This meeting will provide an opportunity to discuss and solicit your support for The Florida Pilot Grievance

Procedure Project. This one-year pilot project will provide a mechanism whereby volunteer lawyers, acting as neutral fact-finders in Broward Correctional Institution, will review the facts surrounding inmate complaints filed through the Department's grievance process. Broward Correctional Institution houses female offenders and is located 1.5 miles north of Hollywood Boulevard.

Reservations must be made by September 30. The forms were mailed to members with the letter from the Gov-

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Volunteer Attorneys Needed For Inmate Grievance **Procedure Project**

The Inmate Grievance Procedure Project of The Florida Bar needs volunteer attorneys to serve as factfinders for the Pilot Project at Broward (Fort Lauderdale, Miami and Palm Beach), Sumter (Ocala, Orlando, Tampa/St. Petersburg) and Union Correctional Institutions (Jacksonville - Gainesville). There is no prerequisite to participate in this Project. A continuing legal edu-

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YOUNG LAWYERS SECTION NEWS

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

The Young Lawyers' United Way Run

This year, the Young Lawyers' Section of the Broward County Bar is again organizing and conducting a 10,000-meter run in the City of Sunrise for the benefit of the Broward County United Way Campaign. This year's event promises to be even more exciting than last year's.

Richard Wagenheim and Jim Morgan, co-chairmen of the event, have obtained the *Miami Herald* as a sponsor which should insure a good crowd between 500 and 800 runners. The event is scheduled for the morning of Saturday, October 31, 1981, at 8:00 a.m. at the Sunrise Musical Theater, Sunrise, Florida. Once again, this year's event shall feature both individual and team competition.

Also, I have been told that the first attorney who finishes the race shall receive a special award. Since several lawyers and judges participated in last year's event, I am certain that the competition of the attorney's division will be intense.

As a result of the size of this year's race, Messrs. Wagenheim and Morgan are in desperate need of some volunteers to assist them on race day. If you are interested in being part of a most worthwhile project, please give Rich (763-2212) or Jim Morgan (752-4112) a call. I know that each of them has been working very hard to insure the success of this year's run. Therefore, they deserve your support.

Jesse S. Faerber President, Young Lawyers Section

UNITED WAY RUN UPDATE

Entrance Fee: \$6.00 (all proceeds go to the United Way)

Entry forms can be obtained from the United Way office, 1300 S. Andrews Avenue, Fort Lauderdale. (Blanks will also appear in the *Miami Herald*.

Length of run: 6.2 miles — or 10,000 meters.

Official Starter: Judge Lawrence Korda. YLS is sponsoring lawyer competition in addition to the top finishers in age groups.

All attorneys are welcome and urged to participate.

OCTOBER YOUNG LAWYERS SECTION LUNCHEON

The October Meeting of the Young Lawyers Section of the Broward County Bar Association will be held on Thursday, October 31, 1981, at 8:00 a.m. at at:

> Helmans Brauhaus 1701 East Sunrise Boulevard Fort Lauderdale, Florida

The guest speaker will be Bruce M. Lyons who will speak on the topic "Attorney-Client Privilege: How Not to Become a Witness Against Your Own Client".

Please phone in your reservations to Charlotte, secretary to Steve Lauer, at 565-0501 no later than October 20, 1981.

Cost of the Luncheon is \$7.00. You may mail your check payable to "YOUNG LAWYERS SECTION" to — E. Steven Lauer, Post Office Box 9027, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33310, or bring it to the luncheon.

RESERVATIONS ARE A MUST!!!

YOUNG LAWYERS SECTION HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION PROJECT

The Young Lawyers Section of the Broward County Bar Association is again sponsoring their award-winning High School Education Project. The Speakers' Program and the Mock Trial Program will be operating throughout the 1981-1982 school term.

Attorneys who volunteer for the Speakers' Program will address an area high school class on a specified legal topic such as criminal law, business law, real estate law, family law or trial practice. However, if you have a particular area of expertise which is of interest to the class, then you may address that topic.

In addition, both criminal and civil Mock Trials will be presented in the area high schools. The Mock Trials require more preparation and time on the part of the attorneys than is required for the Speakers' Program. Teams of three attorneys will be used for the Trials, as counsel for the plaintiff and defendant, and as Judge. The Mock Trials, including a question and answer period at the end, will last approximately 1½ to 2 hours.

Letters are now being sent out to all who participated last year in the programs. The participation of all members of the Bar is welcomed. If you are interested or want more information concerning either program, please contact Teresa Widmer at 765-4853 or Todd Smith at 527-1443.

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Once again the Young Lawyer's section will conduct its annual Golf Tournament for Members of the Bar and Bench. The Tournament will be held on Saturday, October 17, 1981, at Jacaranda Country Club, with a shotgun start at 9:00 A.M. Cost of the Tournament will be \$20.00 per person, which will include greens fees, carts, and buffet lunch consisting of lasagne, roast beef, ham, cheese, salads and assorted other goodies. There will be various prizes and trophies awarded and, as usual, it should be a good time for all.

Please send your reservations and check made payable to "Young Lawyer's Section, Broward County Bar Association" to Rogers, Morris and Ziegler, 800 East Broward Boulevard, Suite 700, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301. Along with your name and check, please send in names of others who you would like to include in your threesome or foursome. Reservations and checks must be in by October 9th in order for the necessary arrangements to be made at the Jacaranda Country Club.

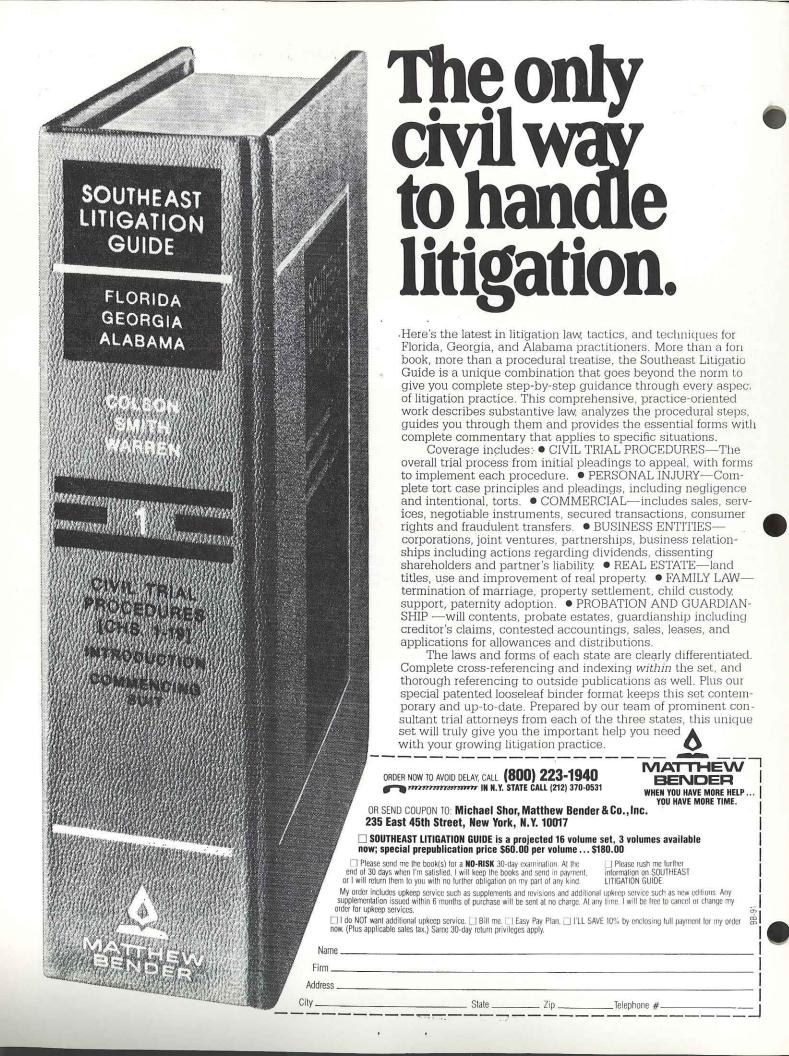
Young Lawyers Section Beach Party Rescheduled

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NEW DATE: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1981, 6:30 P.M. - 11'00 P.M.

WHERE: HARBOR BEACH SURF CLUB, ONE BLOCK EAST OF IN-TERSECTION A-1-A AND HAR-BOR BEACH PARKWAY, FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA.

Due to a conflict with the Section meetings of The Florida Bar in Tampa on September 25 and 26, 1981, the Young Lawyers Section Annual Party has been rescheduled to Saturday November 7, 1981. The Beach Party is an Annual Event held by the Section, and Hot Bar-B-Que, Cold Refreshments and a fun evening on the Beach will be served to all Broward Bar Members, Law School Graduates, Judges, and their guests who attend. For further information, please call BETTY ANNE PALMER at 473-1500.



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cation program on correction's law will be provided free of charge by The Florida Bar for all volunteer attorneys.

The Inmate Grievance Procedure Project is a one-year pilot project to provide an outside factfinder (attorney) to mediate disputes between inmates and correctional personnel concerning prisoner complaints. All mediations will be at the prison. It will begin December 1, 1981. It has been endorsed by The Florida Bar, the Florida Department of Corrections, The Florida Bar Corrections Committee, the Bar's Board of Governors, Chief Justice Sundberg, Governor Graham and Attorney General Smith.

If you wish to volunteer, please contact Tobias Simon, Chairman, Florida Bar Corrections Committee, 1492 South Miami Avenue, Miami, Florida 33130, at (305)-358-8611.

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CAPSULE MINUTES September 9, 1981

The Executive Committee of Broward County Bar Association met September 9, 1981 at 4:30 P.M. The following actions were taken.

- 1. Requested Georgene Gore to prepare a plan for Attorneys for the Arts panel.
- 2. Approved the expenditure of additional funds for advertising for Lawyer Referral Service in the yellow pages.
- 3. Requested that Frederick Heidgerd prepare a questionnaire to determine if there is sufficient interest in a Credit Union — the questionnaire to be presented to the Executive Committee in October.
- 4. Voted to pay \$695.05 to IRS for taxes on unrelated business income from Lawyer Referral Service for the years ending May 31, 1974 and 1975.

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5. Voted to dispense with a Judicial Poll in this fiscal year.

Committee reports were received from the following:

Administration Committee, Medical-Legal Committee, Finance Committee, Legal Aid Committee, Publications Committee, Probate Division Courts Committee.

JUDICIAL NOMINEES

The Nominating Commission for the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit has forwarded the following names to Governor Graham as nominees for the three (3) judicial vacancies on the County Court of Broward County:

- 1. Arthur M. Birken
- 2. Andrew DeGraffenreidt
- 3. Paul L. Driver
- 4. John G. Jordan
- 5. Thomas F. Kern
- 6. John L. Korthals
- 7. John T. Luzzo
- 8. Constance R. Nutaro
- 9. Robert Owen Dale Ross

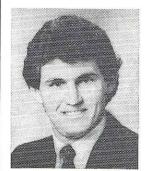
International Law Committee Formed

The Broward Bar has initiated this new Committee to accommodate the growing interest in international transactions in the county. All those who wish to participate, please call the Bar office at 764-8040 or Chairperson D. June Owen, at 463-6054.

Pilot Program Motion Calendar For Broward County Circuit Court

Judge Joseph E. Price, Jr. will begin participating in the Pilot Program on November 2, 1981.

Judges W. Herbert Moriarty, George W. Tedder, Jr., Gene Fischer and J. Cail Lee will suspend their 8:45 A.M. Motion Calendars for the period December 21, 1981 through January 1, 1982, inclusive.



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CALENDER OF EVENTS

Date	Group	Event	Time & Place	Reservations
10/9/81	Broward County Christian Lawyers Association	Monthly Meeting	Williamson Restaurant 1401 S. Federal Highway Fort Lauderdale — 12:00 Noon —	W. Lawrence Larche 764-7777
10/12 & 14, 81	YLS of The Florida Bar	Young Lawyers Bridge-The-Gap Seminar	Miami, Tampa & Tallahassee Sheraton River House 3900 N.W. 21st Street Miami 8:30 A.M. — 10/12/81 — and ending 10/14/81	The Florida Bar CLE Programs Dept. Tallahassee, FL 32301 (\$60.00)
10/15/81	BCBA	General Meeting — Joint Meeting with South Broward Bar	Emerald Hills Country Club 4100 North Hills Drive Hollywood 6:30 P.M.	BCBA — 764-8040
10/17/81	Young Lawyers Section	Golf Tournament	Jacaranda Country Club 9200 W. Broward Boulevard Fort Lauderdale Shotgun start at 9:00 A.M.	Rogers, Morris & Ziegler 800 E. Broward Blvd Suite 700 Ft. Lauderdale (\$20.00)
10/20/81	International Law Committee	Meeting	BCBA 735 N.E. Third Avenue Fort Lauderdale — 5:00 P.M. —	BCBA — 764-8040 or D. June Owen 463-6054
10/22/81	YLS	Monthly Luncheon Meeting	Helman's Brauhaus 1701 E. Sunrise Boulevard Fort Lauderhdale — 12:00 Noon —	Charlotte, Steve Lauer's secretary 565-0501
10/28/81	Broward County Women Lawyers Association	Special Meeting — Speaker: Jay Burke All members of BCBA are invited	Gibby's Steaks & Seafood 2900 N.E. 12 Terrace Oakland Park 6:30 P.M.	Nancie Severs 524-4501
11/7/81	YLS	Beach Party	Harbor Beach Surf Club Fort Lauderdale 6:30 P.M. — 11:00 P.M.	Betty Anne Palmer 473-1500

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