



Northside Business Leaders, Inc.

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Meetings: 2nd Tuesday of the month. Time: 11:45A.M. Place: Jacksonville Zoo & Gardens, Samburu Room



“The Northside”

July 2015

Mission Statement

To continually improve the Jacksonville business environment and quality of life in Jacksonville, while serving the best interests of our members and the North Jacksonville community.

July President’s Letter

Dear Friends,

Happy Independence Day! For me, it is a time to remember America’s framers. The Declaration of Independence was adopted by our Congress (13 colonies) on July 4, 1776. Most of us know the names Thomas Jefferson, Benjamin Franklin, John Adams, and John Hancock, although it was signed by 56 people.

I remember a man who was studying to take his citizenship class. He spoke about how we in America take our citizenship for granted. I thought hard about that. I was born here. I never aspired to go anywhere else. He was right.

I hope to see all of you at our General Membership Meeting on July 14. Our Guest Speaker will be Mike Sweat, Duval County Extension Director. We will also be honoring our Officer of the Quarter for Zone 6.

Shannon Elian, President

Mark Your Calendar

July 7, 2015

School Board Meeting

July 9, 2015

3rd Community Meeting at First Coast High School

6:00 p.m.

July 14, 2015

Member Meeting

Mike Sweat, Duval County Extension Director

July 28, 2015

Board Meeting

Birthdays for July

Abe Meide, Jr.	16
Gary Roegner	18
William Baisden	24

The 2014-2015 OFFICERS

President: Shannon Elian 1st VP: Greg Tison 2nd VP: Patrick Bennett 3rd VP: Sandra West
Chaplain: Ray Turner Treasurer: Glenn Fowler

Sergeant at Arms: Mark Kaleel, Leah Campian, Matt Davidson, Joe Myers, & Robert Wood

Members

The price for our luncheons is \$15.00. We will no longer mail the newsletter each month, but we will instead Email the document to all members. If you do not have email, please let us know and we will get you a copy. We will have copies available at the luncheon meetings and you can pick one up from Lindsay.

If you have any exciting news or events to share with members, please forward this information to Lindsay Grayson or Shannon Elian by:

E-MAIL

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This is your Newsletter and we want to share your news!

All of our Club Members are so special. Please let us know if you have any news for our Member column and keep us apprised of any special event or announcement.

Member News

Please keep member Janet Johnson, and her family in your thoughts and prayers. She lost her beloved husband, John.

Please also continue to keep George Corey, and his family, and Jim Fair, and his family, in your thoughts and prayers.

Independence Day!

July 4

Past Meetings

June 9 12, 2015

**Ann Dugger
Executive Director
Justice Coalition**



We were pleased to have Ann Dugger, Executive Director of The Justice Coalition as speaker for our June Meeting. She provided an overview of the organization's mission. There was a question and answer session immediately following the presentation.



SEE YOU NEXT MONTH!

Lindsay Grayson, "Secretary" & Shannon Elian, "PropVoice Management"