



# Northside Business Leaders, Inc.

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



***“The Northside”***

***September, 2016***

## **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.**

Dear Fellow Members,

Well it's hard to believe that fall is knocking on our door and not far behind are the holidays. September 15<sup>th</sup> is our Annual Banquet and if you haven't sent your RSVP in yet you don't want to miss it. This year's guest speaker is Kerri Stewart, Chief of Staff for Mayor Lenny Curry. Please check out our website for more information.

We will also be installing our new officers for the upcoming year. I am excited about this upcoming year and the enthusiasm that has been displayed in recent board meetings. There are a lot of good ideas and plans for our monthly meeting. One exciting meeting taking place is next month when we will host a debate forum between the Republican and Democratic opponents for the Fourth Congressional District seat being vacated by Ander Crenshaw. I want to thank Glenn Fowler for putting this event together. Please come and show your support to the candidates.

I encourage you to get involved in the Northside Business Leaders Club and help make a difference. A lot of great things are happening on the northside in the next few years. Now is a good time to renew your involvement with our club to tuned up on what's going on in our community. You never know what opportunities might open up for you by being involved.

I hope to see you at our next gathering.

Greg

## The 2015-2016 OFFICERS

President: Greg Tison 1<sup>st</sup> VP: Patrick Bennett 2<sup>nd</sup> VP: Sandra West 3<sup>rd</sup> VP: Joe Myers  
Chaplain: Ray Turner Treasurer: Glenn Fowler  
Sergeant at Arms: Mark Kaleel, Matt Davidson, & 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 Megan.*

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

#### **E-MAIL**

shannon@propvoice.com

### **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**

This is your newsletter, and we want to publish news and events that are important to our members. Please let us know about any item you would like your fellow members to know about.

*As always, please keep Past Presidents, George Corey, Ray Turner, and Jim Fair in your prayers.*

## **Mark Your Calendar**

**September 13, 2016**

**Member Meeting  
FOP President, Steve Zona  
Mr. Zona will be discussing various topics**

**September 15, 2016**

**Annual Banquet  
Crowne Plaza  
14670 Duval Rd.  
Jacksonville, FL 32218**

**September 27, 2016**

**Board Meeting**

## **Birthdays for September**

<b>John Rutherford</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>Shannon Elian</b>	<b>07</b>
<b>Jerry Holland</b>	<b>09</b>	<b>Dr. Lloyd Watkins</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>Ray Moore</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>Richard Goode</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Sandra F. West</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Antoinette Jones</b>	<b>28</b>

# Past Meetings

August 9, 2016



In cooperation with the EDEN Group, the Northside Business Leaders held a candidate forum featuring the candidates running for the House of Representatives, Congressional District 4. In attendance were Steve Kaufman, Ed Malin, Bill McClure, Deborah Pueschel, Lake Ray, John Rutherford, and Hans Tanzler, III.

Each candidate was given a unique question to answer. This allowed our attendees to gain information about the views of each candidate.

We also presented our Scholarship Recipients for 2016. They are Taylor E. Snipes, Tania T. Williams, Warren M. Hornsby, Chase M. Kilette, and Khaai Nguyen.



**Scholarship Recipients & their families**

We honored our Officer of the Quarter. The award was presented by Assistant Chief Greg Burton to Officer Fred Caldwell.



**Asst. Chief Greg Burton, Past President, Ray Turner, & Officer of the Quarter Fred Caldwell & Spouse**

**SEE YOU NEXT MONTH!**