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**Jay Cann Attendance
Award \$50
No winner last week**

**Woody Cooper
Award**

THE SOUTHSIDER

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

OK Gang! We're gearing up for one last hurrah as the year end approaches. The next six weeks will be our busiest yet!

Every Tuesday evening until Veterans Day we're float building. Check with Barbara Buzby for more info. This Thursday is a Meet-A-Member at Jeanne Maron's new business, the Gifted Cork.

Starting November 4th we'll be at the Jacksonville Fair. The Veterans Day parade is on the 11th, and we will be holding our weekly meeting at Metropolitan Park immediately after the parade along with some very special military guests. See Nancy Bennett to see how you can help with this very important event!

Then, one day after the fair wraps up, on November 16th, we kick off RUSH SBMC! Get your Toga's ready! That's right - a weeklong celebration of our beloved Club will be delivered to the masses! We will have events every night that week at strategic locations around town where people are already collected so we can introduce the Club and invite new membership! The week will culminate with our participation in the annual tree lighting event at the St. Johns Town Center on November 21st. Thanks to Mike White there will be considerable media coverage on this event. See Annie Houghton and Patrick Hetherington for details!

See you on Wednesday!
 Timothy Buchanan
 President

GUEST SPEAKER

S.W.A.T. Team Demo

MONTHLY PROGRAMS

October 28th	Bob Buehn The new mayoral appointee to the Military Affairs Director position
November 4th	Policeman & Fireman Appreciation/Awards
November 11th	Open Meeting at Metropolitan Park at

\$301

Sponsored by:

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Name drawn last week:
Eric Ramshaw

50/50 Drawing was
won by
Mike Dungey
and
Michael Haney

Mike Dungey donated
his winnings to the
Sunshine Fund.
Thank you Mike!

Next Meeting

October 21, 2009
San Jose C. C.
7529 San Jose Blvd
12:30 - 1:30

Lunch Buffet 12:00

\$20 Members
\$25 for Guest

Invite A Guest!!

the end of the Veteran's Day Parade

November 18th Membership Drive/Rush Week Activities

November 25th Annual Wine Tasting hosted by
Tom Whicher and PRP Wines

LUNCHNET

Our LunchNet meetings are going very well. If you wish to participate please contact Eric Ramshaw at ericramshaw@bellsouth.net

Please Note: This program is only available to current Southside Business Men's Club members.

Thank you.

UPCOMING EVENTS

MEET-A-MEMBER - OCTOBER 22ND

Your invitation to the Meet-a-Member was emailed to you this week.

The meeting will be held at

The Gifted Cork
64A Hypolita Street
St. Augustine, FL 32082 (near Scarlet O'Hara's Pub)

Time: 5:36 - 7:30 p.m.
Phone: 904-810-1083

Sponsors: Jeanne Maron, Howard Caplan, and Steve Johnston

VETERAN'S DAY PARADE - NOVEMBER 11TH

Just another friendly reminder to attend the Float Decorating Committee meeting on Tuesday at 5:30 till???. The address is 4115-4 University Blvd., Crt. Park underneath the University Blvd., over pass.

Barbara Buzby

AGRICULTURAL FAIR - NOVEMBER 4TH-15TH

Calling all Beer Tenders!!!

We need volunteers for the beer tents at the Greater Jacksonville Agricultural Fair. The proceeds for this event are used to fund the Children's Christmas Shopping Spree.

We work every other day beginning Wednesday, November 4th through Sunday November 15th.

Contact Eric Ramshaw or Patrick Heatherington for details and to sign up!!

ericramshaw@bellsouth.net

patrickheatherington@synovus.com

GOLF OUTING - NOVEMBER 12TH

Our next golf outing will be held at Ponte Vedra Golf and Country Club (formerly Oak Bridge).

The first tee time is 12:27 p.m., cost per player \$45.00.

Contact Brian Doherty to sign up!!

bdoherly@yourpeoconnection.com

904-268-5660

'DOCKTAILS' - NOVEMBER 14TH

Your invitation has been emailed to you to attend:

'Docktails' with St. Johns Riverkeeper
Saturday, November 14th from 4:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

Hosted by Eric Ramshaw and Kathy Brown

Location: 3626 Camelia Bay Drive South
Jacksonville, FL

CHRISTMAS PARTY - DECEMBER 12TH

It's that time of year for holiday cheer
Which is closer than all of you think,
Our gala celebration - to be met with exuberation
Will be here in a nod and a wink.

In a grand, graceful style, which will make you all smile,
The party is the 12th of December,
So don't delay, buy your tickets today
For sure 'twill be a ball to remember.

Plan to applaud, relax and be awed
That the year is finally behind us,
A classy venue is waiting for you,
And you can buy your tickets without fuss.

For a small denomination, you'll have a grand celebration
So include your family and friends,
Open bar, entertainment, fabulous food you just name it,
What a great way for this year to end!

Break out the dancing shoes, black dress and high heels,
And brush off the mildew and dust;
It's time to celebrate so don't you all wait,
Your attendance at this party is a MUST!

Please see Mike "thin man" Dungey, Candy "tax ma'am" Thurman and
yours truly, The Ghost of Christmas Party Ticket Sales Present...Angie
Tekin

Buy your tickets BEFORE November 11th and be entered into a drawing for a \$100 gift card.....buy TODAY!

Venue: The Cody Center
Time: 6:00 p.m. - 12:00 midnight
Cost: \$60.00 per person

Angie Tekin

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

November 4th
Policeman & Firefighter of the Year Program

November 7th
Night at the Symphony
Contact Gene Maszy to make your reservations.
gene.maszy@suntrust.com

November 16th - 22nd
SBMC Rush Week
Look for details soon!!!

December 21st
Tree Lighting
St. Johns Town Center
12:00 noon - 10:00 p.m.

CLASSIFIED

If anyone is interested in the following please call June at work 886-5308 or cell 535-8872.

Positions with BB&T:

1. Quickly we are adding a BB&T At Work Officer. This person will have to uncover businesses to present our at work program to their employees. The individual has to be comfortable giving presentations. MUCH travel involved. Work at fast pace and hit goals.
2. We are working on building a great pipeline of wonderful Investment Counselor candidates for the North Florida Region

Thank you,
June Johnson -
Assistant Vice President, FCL

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