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MELDON LAW CARES ANNOUNCES GIFT CARD GIVEAWAY

Help Meldon Law Get Our Local Businesses Running

Since the beginning of the COVID-19 outbreak, the **Meldon Law Cares** program has been showing our appreciation to our hospital workers and law enforcement agencies. We have donated 500 burgers from Five Guys to North Florida Regional Medical Center, 500 burgers from Shake Shack to Broward Health (Ft. Lauderdale), 500 burgers from Five Guys to UF Medical at Shands, 20 pizza pies from Leonardo's Millhopper to UF Medical at Shands, 200 sandwiches from Hogan's Great Sandwiches to Malcolm Randall VA Hospital, and 200 more sandwiches from Hogan's to Alachua County Sheriff's Office.



Jeffrey and Sarah Hedges delivering Hogan's Sandwiches to Sheriff Sadie Darnell

Now, Meldon Law is asking for your assistance to help many more local businesses get restarted. We would like you to join in the spirit of **Meldon Law Cares** and request a free \$15 Gift Card to spend at your local business to help spread the love. You are able to use the gift card at any of

your favorite local businesses, including restaurants, retail stores, and coffee-shops. To request your gift card, you can call us at [1-800-373-8000](tel:1-800-373-8000) or email Josh Howard at jhoward@meldonlaw.com. We continue to serve our community through programs like our **Free Attorney Hotline** and our **COVID-19 Resource Page** on our website. We are committed to helping you, your family and your business get back to our new normal.

SUPPORT LOCAL BUSINESS

Quotes of the Month

"Life isn't about finding yourself. Life is about creating yourself."

- George Bernard Shaw

"Do not fear failure but rather fear not trying."

- Roy T. Bennett

"Knowing yourself is the beginning of all wisdom."

- Aristotle

Jokes of the Month

How do you fix a cracked pumpkin?

With a pumpkin patch.

What do you get when you cross an elephant with a fish?

Swimming trunks.

Would February March?

No, but April May.

"LAW TALK LIVE" AIRS ON SATURDAYS!

Tune in and listen LIVE every Saturday morning to Law Talk LIVE at 10:30 A.M. with your hosts Jeffrey Meldon, Carey Meldon, Chris Qualmann, and special guests on WSKY 97.3 FM News Talk Radio.

Entering its 18th consecutive year on air, Law Talk LIVE serves as the longest running Legal and Public Affairs radio program in the Southeast United States. The Meldon Law team brings you the latest discussions on legal topics and issues that you care about. For more info and program listings, please visit www.thesky973.com.



"Jeffrey on the Air"

This month's "Trivial Pursuit" >>>

Questions:

1. Which U.S. state is known as the Garden State?
2. Who was US president during World War I?
3. What is the deepest lake in the U.S.?
4. How many days are there in a fortnight?
5. Which African country was formerly known as Abyssinia?
6. What is the capital city of Canada?
7. In the Star Wars movies, which moon is home to the Ewoks?
8. How many black keys does a modern piano have?
9. Which actor/actress has the most amount of Oscars?
10. Who was the first Prime Minister of the United Kingdom?



Answers: 1. New Jersey 2. Woodrow Wilson 3. Crater Lake 4. 14 days 5. Ethiopia 6. Ottawa 7. Endor 8. 36 keys 9. Katherine Hepburn 10. Robert Walpole



JUNE'S REVIEW OF THE MONTH

"Jeffrey and his team handled my case in a top notch professional manner and amazed me with their work ethic and results. I can't thank them enough."

- J J Tennant

In The Community... **Nicki's Magic Cleaning**

Owner: **Nicki Pedrick** Location: **Alachua County** Phone Number: **(352)-240-5649**

Nicki Pedrick is the proprietor of Nicki's Magic Cleaning, a professional cleaning service that serves Alachua County. Whether you have a warehouse, small business, or just a residence, Nicki's Magic Cleaning is the best option to keep your space clean and tidy. Nicki started with a 5 bedroom AirBnB next to the stadium that she cleaned and managed for the past few years. She realized her enjoyment for cleaning and making homes and businesses a clean and comfortable place for others. You can reach out to her for a free consultation at (352) 240-5649.



MELDON LAW RECOGNIZES

SCHOLAR-ATHLETES CLASS OF 2019-2020



We would like to offer a huge congratulations to the winners of the **2019-2020 Scholar-Athlete Program**, Elise Bauer and Ja'Quavion Frazier. Elise competed as a swimmer for Forest High School in Ocala, FL. She competed for both her school and her club team, while maintaining a phenomenal 4.5 GPA. Elise would wake up at 5 am every morning, something that has proved rewarding with a second place finish in the 500 freestyle last year, and appearances in the State Championship the past four years. Elise qualified for the 2024 Olympic Trials in the 800-meter freestyle and 1500m freestyle. She planned on competing for a spot in Tokyo but COVID-19 postponed the trials. Elise will be attending the University of Florida and joining their swim team. She was recognized on September 25th, 2019 as the **Scholar-Athlete of the Week**.



Elise Bauer

Ja'Quavion Frazier is a true dual athlete. He is four-star wide receiver for Dunnellon High School's football team while also batting .475 with 39 runs scored, and 37 RBI for his school's baseball team. This past season Ja'Quavion has totaled 31 receptions for 630 yards while hauling in 12 touchdowns. He maintained a remarkable 4.2 GPA during his four years at Dunnellon High School and hopes to study sports medicine in college. Next year, Ja'Quavion will bring his dominance on the field right here at Ben Hill Griffin Stadium, having committed to the University of Florida for this fall. He was announced as the **Scholar-Athlete of the Week** on November 27th, 2019.



Ja'Quavion Frazier

Finally, we would like to applaud the rest of the scholar-athletes from the 2019-2020 school year:

Ashley Spencer, Jillian Cassube, Jacobi Byrd, Lachelle Sikes, Bailey Tucker, Gray Albright, Glenna Li, Rylee Coleman, Zhai Smith, Logan Swift, Eric Hester, Na'Tazeigha Jenkins, Ashley Ray, Key'Shaun Williams, Jalen Benjamin, Ryan Brogan, Colby Townsend, Yaree James, Emily Barras, Cassidy Bowlin, Mason Johnson, Olivia Bryant, Lars Hammersmark, Alex McCollum, and Hallie Bryant

We commend their perseverance in the face of extreme adversity. We wish this year's class all the success going forward, as they continue to grow their academic and athletic abilities.

RECIPE OF THE MONTH - Honey-Sesame Chicken

Ingredients:

- ½ cup honey
- ¼ cup ketchup
- ¼ cup olive oil
- 2 tablespoons sesame seeds
- 2 tablespoons low-sodium soy sauce
- 1 tablespoon freshly squeezed lemon juice
- 1 tablespoon Sriracha sauce
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon ground black pepper
- ½ teaspoon garlic powder
- ½ teaspoon ground ginger
- 1 pound chicken breast, cut into 1-inch cubes

Directions:

1. Mix honey, ketchup, olive oil, sesame seeds, soy sauce, lemon juice, Sriracha sauce, salt, pepper, garlic powder, and ginger in a bowl until well combined. Add chicken pieces and toss to coat. Cover and refrigerate for 2 to 6 hours.
2. Preheat the oven to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C).
3. Transfer chicken and sauce into an oven-proof dish.
4. Bake in the preheated oven for 8 minutes. Remove from oven and turn chicken pieces over. Bake until chicken is no longer pink in the center and the juices run clear, 5 to 8 more minutes. An instant-read thermometer inserted into the center should read at least 165 degrees F (74 degrees C).



Helping Our Healthcare Heroes

We set out to recognize the sacrifices made by the life-saving nurses in our community on National Nurses Day. We took the initiative to donate food from local businesses to the hospitals in our area five times now! With the help of our community, we have donated over 2,000 meals to our brave hospital workers during **National Nurses Week**. We provided *Hogan's Great Sandwiches* to the medical staff at the Malcom Randall VA Hospital, pizza from *Leonardo's Millhopper* to the UF Health Shands staff, and *Five Guys* burgers to the North Florida medical staff. We hope this gesture will not only serve to help the healthcare workers and first responders, but also help promote our favorite local restaurants during this difficult time.



Nurses at North Florida Hospital

Take some time to thank the nurses in our community and across the country. Everyone in our hospitals is going above and beyond during this chaotic time. We look forward to the opportunity to continue to recognize and give back to the medical professionals who devote so much time and energy for others.



Staff at the VA Medical Center in Gainesville



Front-line workers at Broward Health Medical Center