



# JWLA

## “The Scoop”

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### The year is off to a great start!

**Gari Greenwald**  
“New Year, New You.”  
Feb. 9, 2012

Gari Greenwald is “The Wardrobe Maven” and she will present the “New Year, New You” program and provide you with the tricks to being poised, polished and put-together for all body-types. You will not want to miss this presentation. It will give you ideas on how to maximize your attributes and help you have more confidence with your appearance. Putting you in control of your business image. Let an expert show you how to look your best and maximize your wardrobe for 2012. Bring a friend! **RSVP by Feb. 3rd to [kate@mesiclaw.com](mailto:kate@mesiclaw.com)**

**Feb. 9th., Come bid on your bachelor/bachelorette and help JALA.**

**“I have \$50, do I hear \$100, going once, going twice, SOLD!”**

Come bid on your favorite bachelor/bachelorette and win a great date and wonderful prizes. All proceeds benefit Jacksonville Area Legal Aid. **February 9, 2012** the event will start at 5:30 p.m., at the River Club and the auction starts at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are available through JALA and in Room 503 of the Duval County Courthouse. **Cost is \$30.00 per person, 2 for \$50.00 in advance and \$35.00 on the day of the event and at the door.** For more information contact **Stephanie Harriett at 630-2404.**

**Mar. 8th., Valarie Logan “Purse-onal Financial Workshop”**

What is your financial Purse-onality? Come find out with our guest speaker Ms. Valarie Logan an Allstate Exclusive Financial Specialist. You will be walk away with good information, an eye opening experience and an opportunity to walk away with one of two designer bags pictured below. Make your reservations early.

**Michael Kors**  
Hamilton Large Tote



**Cole Hann**  
Village Denney Drawstring

### Calendar of Events for 2012

**Luncheon, Feb. 9, 2012**  
**Gari Greenwald**  
“New Year, New You”

*Feb. 9, 2012*  
*Starting at 5:30 p.m.*  
**JALA Fundraiser**

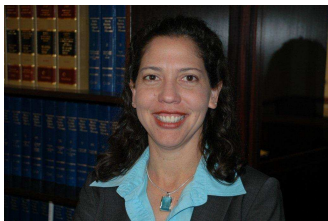
*Mar. 8, 2012*  
**Valarie Logan**  
“Purse-onal Financial Workshop”

*Apr. 12, 2012*  
**Gwynne Young**  
President-Elect of the Florida Bar

*May 10, 2012*  
“Life Coach & Lawyer”

**Judicial Reception:**  
**Thursday,**  
**June 14, 2012**

### Do You Know ...



Name: Vanessa Zamora  
Newtonson  
Firm: Mark Rosenblum, P.A.  
Practice Area: Criminal Defense (State and Federal Court) and Immigration  
School: University of Florida in Gainesville (both undergrad and law school)

Birthdate: October 7  
Favorite TV Show: NCIS (the original series)  
Last Book Read: Nancy Drew (since I’m pregnant with a little girl, I have been collecting the Nancy Drew series that I read when I was young)  
Favorite Past Time: Reading mystery books in our backyard lanai  
Hobbies: Reading, traveling, running (my next goal is to run the Marine Corp Marathon in Washington, DC, in the next few years)  
Family: Husband Paul and soon-to-be-born, baby girl Newtonson

#### Board Members:

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F. Susannah Collins  
VP Holiday Party:  
Banda deLane Crawford  
VP Judicial Reception:  
Vanessa Zamora Newtonson

**Door Prize Drawing**  
for the member bringing the most guests to our luncheons. **Renee Maxey** was our January Winner.

**JWLA Mailing Address:**  
**4446-1a Hendricks Ave.**  
**Ste. 317, Jacksonville, FL 32207**  
**Membership Applications are available on line at [www.jwla.org](http://www.jwla.org) and on pg. 2 of this newsletter.**  
**Mark you calendars with the dates above and help us grow your Chapter.**

**Jacksonville Women Lawyers Association**

**Dues Statement and Renewal/Application Form 2011-2012**

Dues for the year July 2011 to July 2012 are based upon either a “pay as you go” for luncheons and events or “all inclusive” one time payment.

**Option 1 – Pay As You Go:**

\$100.00 for members of the Bar (\$65.00 for government attorneys)—which includes payment of JWLA membership and payment for two JWLA receptions: the Opening Reception and Holiday Party (does not include the Judicial Reception). Also includes state dues which will be forwarded to the Florida Association for Women Lawyers (FAWL) for statewide membership. Student member dues are \$35.00.

Monthly luncheons at the River Club for which you must RSVP, cost \$25.00 each.

**Option 2 – All Inclusive:**

\$250.00 for all benefits outlined in Option 1 above, plus prepayment of all seven monthly luncheons at the River Club. This one time payment option includes a \$25.00 discount off the total price of the membership fee, plus prepayment of the seven luncheons.

Payments to JWLA are not deductible as charitable contributions for Federal Income Tax purpose, but may be deducted under other provisions of the Internal Revenue Code.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Law Firm: \_\_\_\_\_

Law School for student members: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Florida Bar No.: \_\_\_\_\_ (Required by FAWL to generate its master mailing list. Please indicate if you are not a member of the Florida Bar and we will make alternate mailing arrangements.)

Area (s) of practice to be included on the website referral list: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT YOUR INFORMATION ABOVE WILL BE PLACED ON OUR MEMBERSHIP ROSTER POSTED ON THE WEB SITE, SO PLEASE DON'T INCLUDE PHONE NUMBERS AND ADDRESSES THAT YOU DO NOT WANT PUBLIC.

Please indicate which sub-committees you would like to serve on:

\_\_\_\_ Membership Development    \_\_\_\_ Holiday Party    \_\_\_\_ Mentoring    \_\_\_\_ Awards

\_\_\_\_ Community Service Project    \_\_\_\_ Judicial Reception    \_\_\_\_ Public Relations

Please mail the complete Dues Statement/Application and check for membership dues payable to “JWLA” and mail to:

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