

December 2, 2016 • Program Schedule

ADVANCED FAMILY LAW PRACTICE AND LITIGATION

7:45-8:00	REGISTRATION
8:00-8:15	OPENING REMARKS, Ron Boyd, President
8:15-9:45	<p>CASE LAW UPDATE</p> <p>Randy Nichols, Massey, Stotser and Nichols</p> <p>Join us for a fast paced review of some of the most important Family Law cases decided by the Alabama Supreme Court and the Alabama Court of Civil Appeals.</p>
9:45-10:00	BREAK
10:00-10:30	<p>LEGISLATIVE UPDATE AND PRACTICAL CONSEQUENCES FOR FAMILY LAW ATTORNEYS</p> <p>Noah Funderburg</p> <p>Anne Lamkin Durward, Massey, Stotser and Nichols</p> <p>Our panel of experts will discuss some of the major changes which have occurred legislatively, and how these will practically affect Family Law practitioners.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Common Law Marriage Grandparents Visitation Same Sex Marriage
10:30-11:30	<p>MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE IN THE GOLDEN YEARS</p> <p>Ron Boyd, Boyd, Fernambucq, Dunn & Fann</p> <p>Bill Nolan, Nolan Elder Law & Estate Planning, LLC</p> <p>Karen Havey, BNY Mellon Wealth Management</p> <p>As our population ages, most family law attorneys have seen their practices swell with clients facing the end of a marriage in the golden years. This program will address premarital considerations for such clients, including the use of Domestic Asset Protection Trusts and other creative prenuptial devices; an analysis of alimony in a golden years' case, and how assisted living and Medicare rules are affected by alimony; and planning issues for older divorcees, including long-term care, Medicaid/Medicare, Social Security, and VA benefits, in the context of other financial resources. In this program we hope to also focus on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alimony and Other Support Obligations Reduced Earning Capacity Vocational Experts
11:30-12:30	LUNCH
12:30-12:45	AFTERNOON REMARKS -Denise J. Pomeroy, President-Elect
12:45-1:45	<p>VALUATION AND DIVIDING COMPLEX ASSETS</p> <p>Jessica Kirk Drennan, Kirk - Drennan Law</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Stock Options How to Value and Divide Retirement Plans Valuing Executive Compensation Plans Trust Assets Interest in Closely Held Businesses Valuations of Professional Practices (Medical, Dental, Accounting and Legal) Digital Assets Insurance Issues
1:45-2:45	<p>ETHICS AND THE MOVIES</p> <p>Candace B. Peeples, Peeples & Davis</p> <p>This fast-paced program will discuss legal ethics, professionalism, and trial practice techniques using examples from your favorite legal movies. The information is current, relevant, practical and fun! This is a presentation that can't be missed!</p>

2:45-3:00	BREAK
3:00-4:00	<p>JUDGE'S PANEL</p> <p>Honorable Lara Alvis (Shelby County)</p> <p>Honorable Elizabeth Hamner (Tuscaloosa County)</p> <p>Honorable Patricia Stephens (Jefferson County)</p>

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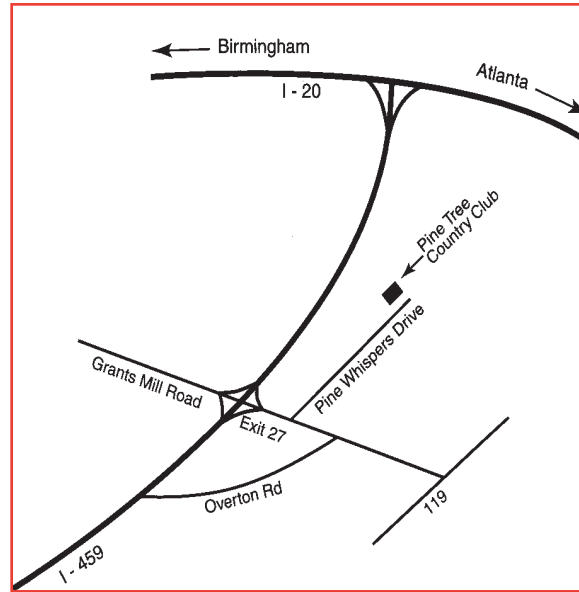
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