


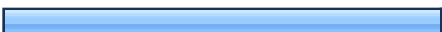




1. Section 1 of 8: Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner at Cedar Key This series of questions will consist of suggestions for changes in scheduling, location, etc. for the Annual Dinner. If you do not wish to give input on this set of questions, you may skip ahead to the next section.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Continue to Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner questions		80.2%	73
Skip to Judicial Poll questions		19.8%	18
answered question			91
skipped question			0



2. Have you attended the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner in Cedar Key at least three (3) times in the past five (5) years? If "no," please briefly explain why you do not go regularly to the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner in Cedar Key

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		34.2%	25
No		65.8%	48
Explanation for non-attendance.			49
answered question			73
skipped question			18



3. Since you do not regularly attend the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner in Cedar Key, would you attend if it was held on a Friday - so long as it is not the Friday of UF's Homecoming?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		57.4%	27
No		42.6%	20
answered question			47
skipped question			44



4. Would you like to see this event moved to a Friday (not UF's Homecoming weekend)?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		26.9%	7
No		73.1%	19
answered question			26
skipped question			65



5. If moved to a Friday, would you be inclined to spend the night?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		26.5%	9
No		73.5%	25
answered question			34
skipped question			57



6. Would you like the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner to be expanded to allow each member to bring one guest? (Please note that guests will be charged a higher price than members)

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		45.7%	32
No		54.3%	38
answered question			70
skipped question			21



7. Would you be interested in holding the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner some place other than Cedar Key? If so, please list suggestions for an alternate location.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		43.8%	32
No		56.2%	41
Alternate location.			27
answered question			73
skipped question			18



8. Section 2 of 8: Judicial Poll This series of questions will consist of suggestions for changes in the Judicial Poll. The judicial poll is a voluntary practice adopted by the EJCBA to evaluate the performance of our local judiciary by practicing attorneys as a means of informing the Bar, bench and public in a manner consistent with Rule 4-8.2(a) of the Rules of Professional Conduct and its accompanying commentary. The current poll is similar to the Florida Bar's model poll (which was modeled after prior EJCBA polls). It is the hope of The Florida Bar that every organized bar association in the state will appoint a standing Judicial Poll Committee, with the objective of carrying out this poll as part of the responsibilities of the Bar under Rule 4-8.2(a) and its accompanying commentary within the Rules of Professional Conduct. To fulfill this objective of the Florida Bar, the EJCBA has conducted its poll for the past several years utilizing a computerized web site for convenience and cost. If you do not wish to give input on this set of questions, you may skip ahead to the next section.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Continue to Judicial Poll questions.		89.0%	81
Skip to Activities questions.		11.0%	10
answered question			91
skipped question			0



9. Do you favor having the EJCBA conduct a judicial poll?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		91.0%	71
No		9.0%	7
answered question			78
skipped question			13

10. Do you find it useful to complete the poll via the internet or would you prefer paper ballots?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Internet		92.2%	71
Paper		7.8%	6
answered question			77
skipped question			14

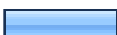




11. Unlike the Florida Bar's preference to poll regarding just the local trial judges, the EJCBA has conducted its poll including all area judges and magistrates (federally appointed, lifetime appointees). The EJCBA Judicial Poll Committee has determined it useful to fulfilling the broader goal outlined by the Florida Bar to do so even if positions are not elected. Do you believe it useful to continue this policy?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		90.9%	70
No		9.1%	7
answered question			77
skipped question			14



12. Please provide any suggestions you may have to improve the judicial poll.

		Response Count
		8
answered question		8
skipped question		83

13. What impact do you believe the judicial poll has on the administration of justice by the local judiciary?

		Response Percent	Response Count
5 - significant positive impact		16.7%	13
4 - minor positive impact		55.1%	43
3 - no impact		19.2%	15
2 - minor negative impact		6.4%	5
1 - minor positive impact		2.6%	2
		answered question	78
		skipped question	13




14. Section 3 of 8: Activities This series of questions will consist of interest indicator questions for various types of activities for the EJCBA membership. If you do not wish to give input on this set of questions, you may skip ahead to the next section.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Continue to Activities questions.		93.3%	83
Skip to Luncheons questions.		6.7%	6
		answered question	89
		skipped question	2





15. Would you participate in the following Bar-sponsored athletic related activities?

	Yes	No	Maybe	Response Count
an annual softball tournament	16.9% (13)	58.4% (45)	24.7% (19)	77
an annual golf tournament	18.4% (14)	67.1% (51)	14.5% (11)	76
an annual tennis tournament	12.7% (10)	78.5% (62)	8.9% (7)	79
a 5k run	31.2% (24)	53.2% (41)	15.6% (12)	77
a 10k run	18.7% (14)	72.0% (54)	9.3% (7)	75
a half marathon	14.9% (11)	74.3% (55)	10.8% (8)	74
a charity fundraising walk (such as March of Dimes)	31.9% (23)	34.7% (25)	33.3% (24)	72
			Other (please specify)	4
			answered question	79
			skipped question	12

16. With whom would you be interested in having Bar Association social activities?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Other attorneys only		24.4%	19
Other attorneys and spouses/significant others		43.6%	34
Other attorneys and their family members		32.1%	25
		Other (please specify)	5
		answered question	78
		skipped question	13



17. When is a convenient time for you to attend EJCBA-hosted activities? Please check all that apply.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Before 9am (such as breakfast seminars)		33.8%	26
After 5pm (such as socials)		70.1%	54
Friday afternoon (such as post-luncheon seminars, golf or other social activities)		59.7%	46
Weekends (such as athletic events, socials, or family included activities)		44.2%	34
	Other (please specify)		2
answered question			77
skipped question			14

18. What type of activities are you interested in?

	very interested	somewhat interested	neutral	not interested	Response Count
CLEs	64.6% (51)	27.8% (22)	3.8% (3)	3.8% (3)	79
wine and cheese social	32.9% (26)	29.1% (23)	24.1% (19)	13.9% (11)	79
BBQ social	27.4% (20)	24.7% (18)	30.1% (22)	17.8% (13)	73
drink and hors d'oeuvres social	31.2% (24)	31.2% (24)	24.7% (19)	13.0% (10)	77
sweets and coffee social	18.4% (14)	30.3% (23)	30.3% (23)	21.1% (16)	76
athletic events	16.4% (12)	39.7% (29)	21.9% (16)	21.9% (16)	73
			Other (please specify)		1
answered question					80
skipped question					11

19. Section 4 of 8: Luncheons This series of questions will consist of suggestions on changes in scheduling, location, speakers, etc. of the monthly luncheons. If you do not wish to give input on this set of questions, you may skip ahead to the next section.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Continue to Luncheons questions		89.8%	79
Skip to Service Projects questions		10.2%	9
answered question			88
skipped question			3

20. Please provide two suggestions for speakers for the monthly luncheons.

	Response Count
	22
answered question	22
skipped question	69

21. Please assess different aspects of the current association luncheons.

	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Response Count
Overall environment	26.4% (19)	59.7% (43)	9.7% (7)	4.2% (3)	72
Ability to hear speakers	29.2% (21)	48.6% (35)	18.1% (13)	4.2% (3)	72
Food quality	23.6% (17)	43.1% (31)	29.2% (21)	4.2% (3)	72
Food quantity	19.4% (14)	52.8% (38)	25.0% (18)	2.8% (2)	72
Location	30.6% (22)	47.2% (34)	18.1% (13)	4.2% (3)	72
Cost	18.1% (13)	38.9% (28)	40.3% (29)	2.8% (2)	72
Timeliness (starting and ending on schedule)	29.2% (21)	54.2% (39)	15.3% (11)	1.4% (1)	72
answered question					72
skipped question					19

22. The luncheons have been administratively difficult for the association because of the number of "walk ins," which widely from month to month (from 5 to over 30 in any given month). While the association wants its members to attend, there have been shortages of food when the walk-in number was high, but also shortages of money when a certain number of meals are guaranteed because members reserve in advance but don't pay or show up. With this in mind, please comment on the following. 1 being a bad idea and 10 being a great idea.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
You must reserve and pay in advance. Your payment confirms your reservation.	11.1% (8)	1.4% (1)	5.6% (4)	5.6% (4)	16.7% (12)	2.8% (2)	13.9% (10)	12.5% (9)	8.3% (6)	22.2% (16)
No walk-ins allowed. If you don't reserve, you don't attend.	40.3% (29)	12.5% (9)	5.6% (4)	4.2% (3)	15.3% (11)	1.4% (1)	4.2% (3)	5.6% (4)	2.8% (2)	8.3% (6)
Walk-ins are allowed only up to the number of meals guaranteed.	12.3% (9)	6.8% (5)	5.5% (4)	2.7% (2)	13.7% (10)	2.7% (2)	8.2% (6)	11.0% (8)	11.0% (8)	26.0% (19)
If you reserve, you must pay even if you don't attend.	2.8% (2)	2.8% (2)	4.2% (3)	2.8% (2)	9.9% (7)	1.4% (1)	12.7% (9)	9.9% (7)	2.8% (2)	50.7% (36)
Instead of meals that require a longer time to prepare, the lunches served are a type more conducive to buffets and higher variability in attendees, such as BBQ, Chinese, or Mexican food.	20.5% (15)	5.5% (4)	13.7% (10)	2.7% (2)	13.7% (10)	2.7% (2)	11.0% (8)	12.3% (9)	6.8% (5)	11.0% (8)
A certain number of meals are guaranteed each month. If you reserved and paid in advance, you are guaranteed a meal. If you did not pay in advance, the remaining meals are first come, first served when you pay at the door until the guaranteed number of meals is sold, at which point members and their guests can attend but not eat.	8.3% (6)	4.2% (3)	9.7% (7)	8.3% (6)	9.7% (7)	1.4% (1)	5.6% (4)	11.1% (8)	15.3% (11)	26.4% (19)
Luncheons are replaced by monthly meetings at a different time with beverages only and a speaker. One or two luncheons may be held per year, such as Law Day and Annual Meeting.	41.7% (30)	11.1% (8)	12.5% (9)	4.2% (3)	9.7% (7)	4.2% (3)	1.4% (1)	5.6% (4)	4.2% (3)	5.6% (4)



answered question

skipped question

23. Please provide any additional comments/suggestions/concerns regarding the luncheons.

	Response Count
	15
answered question	15
skipped question	76

24. Section 5 of 8: Service Projects This series of questions will consist of suggestions for service project to be run by the EJCBA. If you do not wish to give input on this set of questions, you may skip ahead to the next section.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Continue to Service Projects questions		88.4%	76
Skip to Continuing Legal Education questions		11.6%	10
	answered question		86
	skipped question		5

25. Please rate your interest level in participating in service activities benefiting the following.



	Very interested	Somewhat interested	Neutral	Not interested	Response Count
Children	54.8% (40)	21.9% (16)	12.3% (9)	11.0% (8)	73
Elderly	31.1% (23)	39.2% (29)	17.6% (13)	12.2% (9)	74
Hospital - long term	5.7% (4)	34.3% (24)	40.0% (28)	20.0% (14)	70
Workshops for categories of needy	9.7% (7)	41.7% (30)	36.1% (26)	12.5% (9)	72
Homeless	16.7% (12)	26.4% (19)	36.1% (26)	20.8% (15)	72
Immigrants	4.2% (3)	29.2% (21)	40.3% (29)	26.4% (19)	72
Mentoring	32.9% (23)	38.6% (27)	14.3% (10)	14.3% (10)	70

Other (please specify) 4

answered question 74

skipped question 17

26. Would you have any objection to the EJCBA starting a charitable foundation (501(c)(3)) which would provide a means for tax deductible contributions for association related service projects? If you have an objection, please briefly denote the reasoning for such.



		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		22.4%	17
No		77.6%	59

Objection. 17

answered question 76

skipped question 15



27. Section 6 of 8: Continuing Legal Education This series of questions will consist of suggestions for CLE topics and scheduling. If you do not wish to give input on this set of questions, you may skip ahead to the next section.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Continue to Continuing Legal Education questions		91.9%	79
Skip to Holiday Project questions		8.1%	7
answered question			86
skipped question			5



28. The following topics have been proposed for CLEs. Please rate your level of interest for each.

	Very interested	Somewhat interested	Neutral	Not interested	Response Count
Writing skills improvement	11.8% (9)	31.6% (24)	32.9% (25)	23.7% (18)	76
Mediation skills	17.3% (13)	45.3% (34)	26.7% (20)	10.7% (8)	75
Computers and legal information technology	42.9% (33)	42.9% (33)	6.5% (5)	7.8% (6)	77
Law updates by specialty	53.8% (42)	42.3% (33)	2.6% (2)	1.3% (1)	78
Court and procedure rules and updates	55.3% (42)	36.8% (28)	5.3% (4)	2.6% (2)	76
Practice under the Hague convention and treaties	1.3% (1)	10.5% (8)	25.0% (19)	63.2% (48)	76
Practice before the Supreme Court (state and federal)	5.3% (4)	32.0% (24)	37.3% (28)	25.3% (19)	75
Maintaining mental and physical health as a lawyer	13.2% (10)	39.5% (30)	28.9% (22)	18.4% (14)	76
Stress reduction	15.8% (12)	35.5% (27)	28.9% (22)	19.7% (15)	76
Exercise	15.8% (12)	27.6% (21)	35.5% (27)	21.1% (16)	76
Healthy living / weight control	14.9% (11)	23.0% (17)	36.5% (27)	25.7% (19)	74
			Other (please specify)		3
			answered question		78
			skipped question		13

29. Would you be interested in attending a low-cost CLE sponsored by the Bar Association that would be held for 2 hours after one or more association luncheons?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		86.5%	64
No		13.5%	10
answered question			74
skipped question			17

30. Section 7 of 8: Holiday Project This series of questions will consist of suggestions for changes in the EJCBA's Holiday Project. If you do not wish to give input on this set of questions, you may skip ahead to the next section.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Continue to Holiday Project questions		85.9%	73
Skip to Miscellaneous questions		14.1%	12
answered question			85
skipped question			6




31. For the 2009 holiday season, the Holiday Project as it had existed for a number of years was replaced by donations to the Guardian ad Litem Foundation. The Association is considering options for future holiday seasons. Please give suggestions for future holiday programs.

	Response Count
	15
answered question	15
skipped question	76



32. One goal of future holiday programs is that they benefit the entire circuit. Please provide ideas you believe would benefit our less populous counties.

	Response Count
	15
answered question	15
skipped question	76



33. Would it affect your giving for a holiday program if the donation was to a tax-deductible contribution to a 501 (c)(3) organization?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Substantial difference		10.0%	7
Some difference		32.9%	23
No difference		57.1%	40
		answered question	70
		skipped question	21





34. Have you personally contributed to the Holiday Project in the last 5 years? If so, how many of those years?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		69.6%	48
No		30.4%	21
		Number of years in the past 5.	41
		answered question	69
		skipped question	22



35. Has your firm/practice contributed to the Holiday Project in the last 5 years? If so, how many of those years?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		47.0%	31
No		53.0%	35
Number of years in the last 5.			26
answered question			66
skipped question			25



36. If you or your firm contributed to the Holiday Project in the past, was the contribution a financial donation, "adopting a child," or both?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Financial donation		32.8%	21
Adopting a child		12.5%	8
Both		31.3%	20
Not applicable		23.4%	15
answered question			64
skipped question			27



37. In the last 5 years, have you or any of your firm's staff members who report directly to you participated in the organizing of bags prior to distribution?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		31.1%	19
No		68.9%	42
answered question			61
skipped question			30



38. In the last 5 years, have you or any of your firm's staff members who report directly to you participated in the distribution of holiday bags to attorneys or other donors?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		21.9%	14
No		78.1%	50
answered question			64
skipped question			27



39. In the last 5 years, have you or any of your firm's staff members who report directly to you participated in the distribution of bags at a school?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		17.7%	11
No		82.3%	51
answered question			62
skipped question			29

40. Do you believe the reputation of the EJCBA or attorneys in general has benefited from our participation in the Holiday Project?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		81.5%	53
No		18.5%	12
Comment			7
answered question			65
skipped question			26

41. Do you think the EJCBA should participate in a project during the holiday season? If no, what time of year do you feel would be better?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		84.6%	55
No		15.4%	10

Alternate time of year. 11

answered question 65

skipped question 26



42. Please provide any suggestions you may have for improving or changing the Holiday Project.

	Response Count
	9
answered question	9
skipped question	82

43. Please provide any suggestions you may have for other community projects in which the EJCBA might participate in place of the Holiday Project.

	Response Count
	9
answered question	9
skipped question	82

44. Section 8 of 8: Miscellaneous This series of questions consists of suggestions for new member categories in the EJCBA, seeking discounts for services for members, changes to the website, and expanding other services offered by the EJCBA. If you do not wish to give input on this set of questions, you may skip ahead to the next section.

		Response Percent	Response Count
Continue to Miscellaneous questions		95.3%	81
End Survey		4.7%	4
answered question			85
skipped question			6

45. Should the association open its membership to auxiliary members, such as:

	Great idea	Good idea	Don't care	Bad idea	Really bad idea	Response Count
Law firm support staff	12.8% (10)	11.5% (9)	25.6% (20)	38.5% (30)	11.5% (9)	78
Law-related vendors (such as court reporters)	6.5% (5)	9.1% (7)	24.7% (19)	41.6% (32)	18.2% (14)	77
Other non-legal related vendors	1.3% (1)	2.6% (2)	19.2% (15)	42.3% (33)	34.6% (27)	78
answered question						79
skipped question						12

46. If the Bar Association could arrange discounts, would you use discounts for the following?

	Yes	No	Response Count
Car rental	60.0% (45)	40.0% (30)	75
Books / Professional Materials	72.6% (53)	27.4% (20)	73
Socials	52.8% (38)	47.2% (34)	72
Parking	63.9% (46)	36.1% (26)	72
Discounted Luncheons	74.6% (53)	25.4% (18)	71
Clothing	54.2% (39)	45.8% (33)	72
Technology	73.6% (53)	26.4% (19)	72
Theatre	62.5% (45)	37.5% (27)	72
Restaurants	78.7% (59)	21.3% (16)	75
		answered question	76
		skipped question	15

47. On a scale of 1 to 10, 1 being a bad idea and 10 being a great idea, what are your thoughts on the following.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Opening an EJCBA office staffed on a part time basis.	26.3% (20)	10.5% (8)	9.2% (7)	9.2% (7)	21.1% (16)	2.6% (2)	7.9% (6)	3.9% (3)	5.3% (4)	3.9% (3)
A fee arbitration service for disputes between clients and attorneys.	7.8% (6)	6.5% (5)	6.5% (5)	11.7% (9)	28.6% (22)	9.1% (7)	9.1% (7)	5.2% (4)	5.2% (4)	10.4% (8)
An initiative to approach the Alachua County Medical Society to hold one or more joint functions, such as a legal/medical issues symposium, golf and tennis tournaments, scholarship dinner, or the like.	5.1% (4)	12.7% (10)	5.1% (4)	3.8% (3)	13.9% (11)	10.1% (8)	7.6% (6)	11.4% (9)	12.7% (10)	17.7% (14)
Creating a lawyer referral service within the Eighth Judicial Circuit.	10.3% (8)	6.4% (5)	6.4% (5)	3.8% (3)	20.5% (16)	3.8% (3)	14.1% (11)	9.0% (7)	7.7% (6)	17.9% (14)
Leasing a space near the courthouses in downtown Gainesville for a members' lounge with refreshments and access to computers and printers.	25.3% (20)	10.1% (8)	10.1% (8)	8.9% (7)	8.9% (7)	7.6% (6)	8.9% (7)	3.8% (3)	5.1% (4)	11.4% (9)
Holding an annual scholarship dinner to build a fund toward providing college grants to worthy students.	21.5% (17)	7.6% (6)	10.1% (8)	7.6% (6)	16.5% (13)	7.6% (6)	7.6% (6)	2.5% (2)	10.1% (8)	8.9% (7)
Starting an EJCBA mentoring / peer assistance program between association members.	6.3% (5)	2.5% (2)	2.5% (2)	7.6% (6)	25.3% (20)	5.1% (4)	17.7% (14)	8.9% (7)	7.6% (6)	16.5% (13)
answered question										
skipped question										

48. On a scale of 1 to 10, 1 being a bad idea and 10 being a great idea, what are your thoughts on the following regarding the EJCBA website.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Re
Adding a lawyer referral service (The Florida Bar maintains and receives income from the existing lawyer referral service. If the EJCBA took over this function it would run the service but also receive income from doing so.)	14.5% (11)	2.6% (2)	3.9% (3)	6.6% (5)	21.1% (16)	5.3% (4)	6.6% (5)	9.2% (7)	14.5% (11)	15.8% (12)	
Adding a help wanted / employment wanted listings section	6.5% (5)	1.3% (1)	5.2% (4)	1.3% (1)	15.6% (12)	6.5% (5)	7.8% (6)	16.9% (13)	14.3% (11)	24.7% (19)	
Displaying advertising by members and legal related services vendors (e.g., a banner ad or a box ad)	18.7% (14)	8.0% (6)	4.0% (3)	4.0% (3)	18.7% (14)	0.0% (0)	8.0% (6)	13.3% (10)	12.0% (9)	13.3% (10)	
Adding a speakers bureau to provide speakers upon request for public functions	1.3% (1)	3.9% (3)	1.3% (1)	2.6% (2)	18.4% (14)	2.6% (2)	13.2% (10)	19.7% (15)	13.2% (10)	23.7% (18)	
Adding classified advertising by members (e.g., "craigslist" style advertising)	9.2% (7)	3.9% (3)	6.6% (5)	2.6% (2)	23.7% (18)	3.9% (3)	14.5% (11)	13.2% (10)	5.3% (4)	17.1% (13)	
Expanding forums / blogs by practice area	9.2% (7)	6.6% (5)	3.9% (3)	2.6% (2)	26.3% (20)	5.3% (4)	10.5% (8)	9.2% (7)	7.9% (6)	18.4% (14)	
Adding luncheon registration and online payment through PayPal	5.3% (4)	4.0% (3)	4.0% (3)	5.3% (4)	21.3% (16)	4.0% (3)	6.7% (5)	12.0% (9)	8.0% (6)	29.3% (22)	
answered question											
skipped question											

1. Have you attended the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner in Cedar Key at least three (3) times in the past five (5) years? If "no," please briefly explain why you do not go regularly to the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner in Cedar Key

1	New member	Jan 12, 2011 10:36 PM
2	I just recently moved to Gainesville.	Jan 13, 2011 7:41 AM

1. Have you attended the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner in Cedar Key at least three (3) times in the past five (5) years? If "no," please briefly explain why you do not go regularly to the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner in Cedar Key

3	scheduling conflicts	Jan 13, 2011 8:23 AM
4	Too far away to drive, busy time of year	Jan 13, 2011 8:51 AM
5	No time.	Jan 13, 2011 9:09 AM
6	conflict schedule with homecoming events and distance from Gainesville.	Jan 13, 2011 9:26 AM
7	Schedule has been an issue	Jan 13, 2011 9:50 AM
8	Week night, too far, bad food, too expensive.	Jan 13, 2011 9:58 AM
9	Not a high enough priority to justify the time.	Jan 13, 2011 10:16 AM
10	CAN'T SEEM TO GET INTERESTED	Jan 13, 2011 10:23 AM
11	Kids, too hard to get away, not in private practice	Jan 13, 2011 10:26 AM
12	I have been practicing in the Eighth Judicial Circuit for less than five years.	Jan 13, 2011 10:31 AM
13	1) Too far from Gainesville, 2) too much time away from my family, and 3) concerned about inebriated fellow EJCBA members running me over on the road home.	Jan 13, 2011 10:39 AM
14	Unproductive, too much drinking and ridiculous behavior	Jan 13, 2011 10:49 AM
15	Timing was bad.	Jan 13, 2011 10:58 AM
16	Don't want to drive to Cedar Key and run the risk of driving back late at night. Accidents, cops, distance.	Jan 13, 2011 11:33 AM
17	Not worth the drive. Too long hanging around before dinner is available. Dessert contest makes the whole thing last waaaay too long. And then people get drunk and drive home on narrow dark roads.	Jan 13, 2011 11:43 AM
18	it is right before homecoming, which I prefer to spend with my family	Jan 13, 2011 12:01 PM
19	It is too far and I don't want to drink and drive or spend the money on a driver.	Jan 13, 2011 12:26 PM
20	calendar conflicts	Jan 13, 2011 12:28 PM
21	Mostly younger people now, and I don't know them, and not interested in drinking with them.	Jan 13, 2011 12:34 PM
22	I just became a lawyer.	Jan 13, 2011 12:37 PM
23	Unable to get time to go. Usually busy with guests for homecoming weekend.	Jan 13, 2011 1:29 PM
24	I have attended 2 out of the last 5 years. Many years we have houseguests coming in Thursday evening for Homecoming	Jan 13, 2011 1:47 PM
25	haven't been an EJCBA member for 5 years	Jan 13, 2011 2:24 PM
26	Sick this past year although I paid up front for the dinner.	Jan 13, 2011 4:22 PM

1. Have you attended the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner in Cedar Key at least three (3) times in the past five (5) years? If "no," please briefly explain why you do not go regularly to the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner in Cedar Key

27	conflicting social engagements, and disappointment with the food	Jan 13, 2011 4:55 PM
28	The food and company just isn't worth the trip and late return.	Jan 13, 2011 5:35 PM
29	My work schedule is not flexible as I am frequently traveling. I will come if I am able.	Jan 13, 2011 8:07 PM
30	2 out of the last five years. Drive time to Cedar Key.	Jan 14, 2011 2:34 PM
31	expensive and clique-ish. Maybe offices that like one another should just have joint office parties. I might also say food not as good as in the remote past	Jan 14, 2011 4:19 PM
32	Not in town on the date it is held.	Jan 15, 2011 8:33 AM
33	unavailable	Jan 17, 2011 1:05 PM
34	New Attorney	Jan 17, 2011 2:56 PM
35	Have not been an attorney for a full 5 years yet.	Jan 27, 2011 3:50 PM
36	It is not safe driving late at night down that dark two-lane country road.	Jan 31, 2011 10:52 AM
37	personal schedule conflict. I make this annual event a priority on my calendar and only miss when substantial conflict exists.	Jan 31, 2011 11:06 AM
38	conflicts	Jan 31, 2011 11:07 AM
39	Too far away.	Jan 31, 2011 11:07 AM
40	Gator game guests	Jan 31, 2011 11:12 AM
41	quality of food took a dive and transportation issues	Jan 31, 2011 11:17 AM
42	I just moved to town and this past year's dinner was my first.	Jan 31, 2011 11:26 AM
43	I've missed in recent years due to pregnancy (i.e. being too tired) and having a young child. I don't want to miss evening time with my 2-year-old since I work and don't get to spend days with her!	Jan 31, 2011 11:33 AM
44	new to circuit	Jan 31, 2011 12:08 PM
45	Price too high, and no public transport like City bus we used to be able to take.	Jan 31, 2011 1:00 PM
46	I have attended 2 of the last 5 years, but not more because of the "members only" rule. I would have attended more regularly if my significant other could come with me.	Jan 31, 2011 2:17 PM
47	have not been a member that long	Jan 31, 2011 2:34 PM
48	Fellowship and to meet members of the bar I wouldn't ordinarily have contact with.	Jan 31, 2011 2:57 PM

1. Have you attended the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner in Cedar Key at least three (3) times in the past five (5) years? If "no," please briefly explain why you do not go regularly to the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner in Cedar Key

49	I went this year and had a great time. I had not attended in about eight years because when I went in years past, about 10 percent of the people I talked to were extremely intoxicated (not just a little tipsy) and I did not want to deal with any drunks. That was not the case this year. I liked the buffet format better this year than the sit down table format.	Jan 31, 2011 4:01 PM
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1. Would you be interested in holding the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner some place other than Cedar Key? If so, please list suggestions for an alternate location.

1	Saskatchewan, Manitoba CA	Jan 12, 2011 10:39 PM
2	Gainesville	Jan 13, 2011 8:51 AM
3	Hilton Hotel on 34th Street	Jan 13, 2011 9:26 AM
4	Within 20 miles of Gainesville	Jan 13, 2011 9:58 AM
5	St. Augustine	Jan 13, 2011 10:21 AM
6	St.. Augustine	Jan 13, 2011 10:26 AM
7	Gainesville seems to be an appropriate location.	Jan 13, 2011 10:32 AM
8	Gainesville	Jan 13, 2011 10:40 AM
9	Gainesville (on alternate years)	Jan 13, 2011 10:53 AM
10	Gainesville	Jan 13, 2011 11:33 AM
11	Micanopy? Ocala? Even...Gainesville?	Jan 13, 2011 11:44 AM
12	gainesville	Jan 13, 2011 12:02 PM
13	Gainesville	Jan 13, 2011 12:27 PM
14	St. Augustine	Jan 13, 2011 12:29 PM
15	No thoughts	Jan 13, 2011 12:35 PM
16	Gainesville	Jan 13, 2011 2:15 PM
17	Gainesville	Jan 13, 2011 3:56 PM
18	Touchdown Terrace Ben Hill Griffin Stadium	Jan 13, 2011 5:37 PM
19	Gainesville	Jan 31, 2011 10:52 AM
20	St. Augustine	Jan 31, 2011 11:07 AM

1. Would you be interested in holding the Jimmy C. Adkins Annual Dinner some place other than Cedar Key? If so, please list suggestions for an alternate location.

21	I'm not necessarily opposed to a different location, so long as it is something that creates a special atmosphere like Cedar Key does. Obviously, it should be in our Circuit, thus ruling out Steinhatchee, for example. The "Gilchrist Club" may be an option, but would require a large tent (other fundraisers have major events there and do it this way). I am happy w/ Cedar Key.	Jan 31, 2011 11:09 AM
22	Gainesville-Marks, Dragonfly, Embers, etc	Jan 31, 2011 11:13 AM
23	St. Augustine	Jan 31, 2011 11:18 AM
24	downtown Gainesville	Jan 31, 2011 11:27 AM
25	The Yearling in Cross Creek	Jan 31, 2011 11:33 AM
26	St Augustine on a Fri or Sat	Jan 31, 2011 1:01 PM
27	Cedar Key is fine, other options may be fine too.	Jan 31, 2011 4:03 PM

4. Please provide any suggestions you may have to improve the judicial poll.

Response Text		
1	A question asking how often in the last year have you appeared in front of the judge might help show the basis of opinions.	Jan 13, 2011 5:02 AM
2	Poll participants should only rate those judges that the poll participant has appeared before during the rating period.	Jan 13, 2011 10:59 AM
3	Some of the answers to the questions are not likely to be known by the lawyers and I believe should not be included. For example, at least one judge scores high on service to the judiciary but does absolutely nothing in that regard. I becomes a popularity poll and we should find some way to help avoid that.	Jan 13, 2011 11:13 AM
4	Poll results as to each judge should be confidential until the judge has had a couple of years to address problem areas.	Jan 13, 2011 5:00 PM
5	The answers currently are inherent biased to render a mostly positive outcome for the judiciary. The answers should contain an equal amount of potentially positive and negative responses, rather than mostly positive choices.	Jan 31, 2011 11:22 AM
6	I don't think we should have it because it has been used to try and get rid of certain Judges. People who do not practice before a given Judge will fill in negative information about Judges they know little or nothing about.	Jan 31, 2011 12:12 PM
7	Many lawyers do not vote, particularly lawyers that know or have appeared in front of judges. Some vote with no personal or professional knowledge of a judge. And, some vote purely for political reasons and with political or personal bias and purpose.	Jan 31, 2011 1:04 PM
8	I don't think it serves any useful purpose other than to provide a forum for unhappy lawyers to vent.	Jan 31, 2011 3:20 PM

1. Would you participate in the following Bar-sponsored athletic related activities?

1	crew rowing	Jan 13, 2011 7:45 AM
2	pool/billiards; turkey shoot, truck pull	Jan 14, 2011 4:24 PM
3	fishing tournament	Jan 31, 2011 11:10 AM
4	Bowling tournament - you don't have to be good to bowl. Also a family picnic.	Jan 31, 2011 11:35 AM

2. With whom would you be interested in having Bar Association social activities?

1	and staff	Jan 13, 2011 9:13 AM
2	Not really interested in such social activities	Jan 13, 2011 10:34 AM
3	any of the above	Jan 13, 2011 2:28 PM
4	Attorneys, Judges and Magistrates; and Sheriffs and Police Chiefs	Jan 31, 2011 1:06 PM
5	and guests.	Jan 31, 2011 2:20 PM

3. When is a convenient time for you to attend EJCBA-hosted activities? Please check all that apply.

1	None of the above. Lunch is the best fit.	Jan 13, 2011 10:42 AM
2	Can't answer b/c it depends on the activity	Jan 13, 2011 12:43 PM

4. What type of activities are you interested in?

1	community service activities	Jan 31, 2011 2:20 PM
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1. Please provide two suggestions for speakers for the monthly luncheons.

Response Text		
1	- Rep from Pam Bondi's office to comment on new Attorney General agenda/changes - Jury consultant	Jan 12, 2011 10:47 PM
2	Please know time limits, and visuals are helpful.	Jan 12, 2011 11:39 PM

1. Please provide two suggestions for speakers for the monthly luncheons.

Response Text		
3	any judges, panels on timely topics- exp. criminal justice, foreclosures,	Jan 13, 2011 9:18 AM
4	Heads of administrative and regulatory agencies; speakers from the private sector, especially those in businesses which have on-going interaction with the courts.	Jan 13, 2011 10:38 AM
5	Up coming legislation most significant changes in legislation	Jan 13, 2011 10:41 AM
6	Public Defender State Attorney	Jan 13, 2011 10:53 AM
7	Ruth Angaran: New Beginnings family counselor Chief Tony Jones, Gainesville Police Department Sheriff Sadie Darnell	Jan 13, 2011 11:06 AM
8	clerk of court on email filing dean of law school on current topics facing school, students or society	Jan 13, 2011 11:17 AM
9	President of UF Coach Muschamp	Jan 13, 2011 11:42 AM
10	Federal judges court administrators	Jan 13, 2011 12:37 PM
11	City Commission candidates - particularly Susan Bottcher	Jan 13, 2011 12:42 PM
12	Speakers should be non-political, non-sports figures.	Jan 13, 2011 12:46 PM
13	Chief Judge Robert T. Benton, 1st DCA Mark Powers or Assoc. from Atticusonline.com	Jan 13, 2011 1:04 PM
14	Alachua County Sheriff Public defender	Jan 13, 2011 1:32 PM
15	(1) Local judges - could even share a date to speak - i.e. "perspective from the bench" (2) clerk of court or court administration speaker - practice tips within circuit / services offered	Jan 13, 2011 2:31 PM
16	Radley Balko (http://www.theagitator.com), Lisa Hasel (Assistant Professor, UF School of Criminology, http://www.clas.ufl.edu/users/lhasel/)	Jan 13, 2011 4:34 PM
17	Will Muschamp, Buddy Irby	Jan 15, 2011 8:38 AM
18	Local city and county commission candidates Fla. Bar executives Speaker from BLSE 8th Circuit Chief Judge (state of the circuit) Buddy Irby Carl Schwait to discuss the work BOG really does	Jan 17, 2011 11:19 AM
19	motivational speaker addressing how to be more effective	Jan 31, 2011 11:18 AM

1. Please provide two suggestions for speakers for the monthly luncheons.

Response Text		
20	While it's nice to have speakers, it is not always necessary. The format isn't a mandate to bring in speakers unless there is some person or topic of interest. Every now and again, it would be nice to have NO speaker and just have a 'social' bar luncheon. We seem to be intractably wed to the concept that a 'successful' Bar luncheon MUST have a speaker. No, not unless there is a speaker or issue of interest. There's no law against lawyers and judges just talking eat together, socializing and enjoying the 'time out' from work, seeing folks we don't see except at these meetings. Loosen the reins.	Jan 31, 2011 11:19 AM
21	Legislators on Court funding committees. Legislators on committees dealing with criminal sentencing and with mental health facilities and other alternative disposition/treatment for convicted persons with mental health issues.	Jan 31, 2011 1:12 PM
22	court IT people to discuss the technology available at the courthouses (NOMAD, overhead projectors, etc)./someone to talk about how to use technology in trial, things like powerpoint, maps and programs that would assist with presenting a case to the jury.	Jan 31, 2011 2:24 PM

4. Please provide any additional comments/suggestions/concerns regarding the luncheons.

Response Text		
1	i seem always to have emergencies on Fridays. Raising the local bar dues to cover luncheons should provide a surplus.	Jan 13, 2011 9:18 AM
2	NO WALK-INS IS A TERRIBLE IDEA.	Jan 13, 2011 10:32 AM
3	Walkins should not be served a meal until all those with reservations are served. If space is a problem, they shouldn't be seated until those with reservations are seated.	Jan 13, 2011 10:41 AM
4	Buffet style similar to Rotary meetings. But not chinese or mexican.	Jan 13, 2011 10:53 AM
5	No reason for association to incur costs for this. Those who reserve must pay whether they attend or not. If member has not reserved they can come but may eat only if food available.	Jan 13, 2011 11:03 AM
6	Last option doesn't make sense. Have vegan options available, please. Some of us really and truly don't consume cheese, butter, eggs, or milk. And we would like to eat real food, not just salad with oil and vinegar. Enjoyed the buffet because I can load up on veggies and skip the meat.	Jan 13, 2011 11:49 AM
7	Offer nonrefundable reduced bulk rate price for advance buying of all/most luncheons.	Jan 13, 2011 1:04 PM
8	I think having luncheons every other month would be better.	Jan 13, 2011 2:22 PM

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Response Text		
9	Probably need option for attendees who do not want (or are not willing to pay for) lunch to pay smaller seat fee. I really enjoy the luncheons and speakers. It is reprehensible for attorneys to reserve and not pay - whether or not they can attend.	Jan 31, 2011 11:18 AM
10	current location (Ti Amos) is good. The other location (Steve's American or whatever it's currently called) is a poor location because it has the worst acoustics in the world. Cannot hear in that room and the Karioke machine just makes a bad circumstance, worse.	Jan 31, 2011 11:19 AM
11	I enjoy the format of the luncheons - please don't change. It's rare that I get out and have a really good lunch with my colleagues.	Jan 31, 2011 11:37 AM
12	Add a quarterly or twice/year cocktail only 1 - 1-1/2 hour at downtown location one time and at location near G. Mall or Butler Plaza next time.	Jan 31, 2011 1:12 PM
13	not particularly impressed with the restaurant, but it will do.	Jan 31, 2011 2:24 PM
14	Should get a credit for not attending for the next meeting, then it's forfeited.	Jan 31, 2011 3:23 PM
15	I think that something needs to be done to limit walk-ins so there is enough food. EJCBA has refused to refund my advance payment when I was sick and called the morning of the lunch to say that I could not attend - yet when I have made reservations and paid in advance- on several occassions at Steve's, they ran out of most of the food, so I got a small lunch without much choice - lesson learned, get in line first and don't stand around talking so that you are at the end of the line or you won't get much food --and recently at Ti Amo, I got a smaller portion meal than others because the waitress served most of the rest of the table first and forgot about me and a few others until the food had started to run out. Ti Amo is much better than Steve's, the sound was terrible at Steve's.	Jan 31, 2011 4:23 PM

1. Please rate your interest level in participating in service activities benefiting the following.

1	Joint projects with the law school = quasi-mentoring	Jan 12, 2011 10:49 PM
2	Limit activities to legal assistance	Jan 13, 2011 10:32 AM
3	Veterans	Jan 31, 2011 1:15 PM
4	animals	Jan 31, 2011 2:24 PM

2. Would you have any objection to the EJCBA starting a charitable foundation (501(c)(3)) which would provide a means for tax deductible contributions for association related service projects? If you have an objection, please briefly denote the reasoning for such.

1	better to support existing charities without siphoning off funds from them.	Jan 13, 2011 9:20 AM
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2	Currently sufficient organizations in area to address needs.	Jan 13, 2011 9:32 AM
3	I don't see this as the mission of the association. The thing the association most needs is consensus about what its mission is.	Jan 13, 2011 10:28 AM
4	Leave these projects to other social organizations	Jan 13, 2011 10:32 AM
5	Many if not most lawyers already contribute to various charitable organizations, and it seems unnecessary to add another organization to collect contributions. The lawyers who do not already contribute to charitable or pro bono organizations (with time or money) seem unlikely to begin to do so with the creation of a new foundation.	Jan 13, 2011 10:40 AM
6	There are many such organizations out there. I would suggest that the BAR point people wishing to make such a donation in the "right" direction.	Jan 13, 2011 10:43 AM
7	Now we start to become an organization that needs "professional staff" to assist the "leadership." We don't need another layer of administration. Once you create a bureacratic office, it becomes self justifying and is never removed.	Jan 13, 2011 11:41 AM
8	An observation: Why is this necessary? Charitable activities are at best a secondary purpose of the Association. Other organizations are created to primarily to provide such services.	Jan 13, 2011 12:50 PM
9	WE can all do this ourselves. NOt the purpose of the bar assn.	Jan 13, 2011 12:57 PM
10	It seems beyond the scope of our purpose	Jan 13, 2011 5:42 PM
11	I don't object strongly. But I do feel strongly that the main purpose of the bar association is to help MEMBERS WITH BAR RELATED needs, activities, education, mentorship, etc. Most of us provide charitable donations and service through our churches, synagogues, other service organizations, and so on, and don't need another outlet for this. The Bar should not try to be all things to all people, but instead should focus on its actual mission to bar members. I don't believe the Bar should become an organization providing money to charities.	Jan 17, 2011 11:23 AM
12	Duplication of effort; expense and time of setting up and maintaining 501(c); overhead; staff time, and likely as not, it will sooner or later end with a request to hire additional administrative staff. No, No, No! Anyone who wishes to donate can do so directly to whatever organization or cause they wish. Our Bar assoc. will begin expanding beyond it's prime function of service to the local lawyers and judiciary. Creating a foundation is a 'feel-good' concept with disasterous unintended consequences such as duplication, staffing, expenses, account audits, reports, etc. This will cause an administrative expansion.	Jan 31, 2011 11:24 AM
13	Local legal public service firms should be supported - Three Rivers Legal Services, Inc.	Jan 31, 2011 11:48 AM
14	501(c)(3) always seem to become political...we need to keep politics out of the 8thjba	Jan 31, 2011 12:13 PM
15	Unless the entire membership had input into which service projects will be benefitted.	Jan 31, 2011 12:42 PM

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16	not necessary and costly to maintain	Jan 31, 2011 1:11 PM
17	State the specific intended/possible donees before putting to a vote by all paid members. Limit it to 5 -6 possibilities	Jan 31, 2011 1:15 PM

1. The following topics have been proposed for CLEs. Please rate your level of interest for each.

1	Marketing, Advertising Rules	Jan 13, 2011 11:42 AM
2	Again, the Bar should not try to be all things to all people. We certainly do not need CLE from the Bar about exercise and weight control. Puh-leeeeeze!!	Jan 17, 2011 11:25 AM
3	Ethics and Professionalism, as well as courtesy and public image.	Jan 31, 2011 1:17 PM

1. For the 2009 holiday season, the Holiday Project as it had existed for a number of years was replaced by donations to the Guardian ad Litem Foundation. The Association is considering options for future holiday seasons. Please give suggestions for future holiday programs.

Response Text		
1	Habitat for Humanity	Jan 12, 2011 10:53 PM
2	Child themed.	Jan 13, 2011 10:31 AM
3	Do not do any	Jan 13, 2011 10:35 AM
4	Strongly encourage our memvbers to give to other charities and report such donations to the BAR so that the BAR can still see how much the member support worthy causes.	Jan 13, 2011 10:49 AM
5	EJCBA has money in the bank. That money could be used for donations to GAL or others. The holiday project was fun, included hands-on and money donations, and got good publicity.	Jan 13, 2011 11:23 AM
6	Guardian ad Litem is a good cause and circuit-wide.	Jan 13, 2011 11:52 AM
7	I liked adopting families and kids in need and shopping for them, etc.	Jan 13, 2011 1:01 PM
8	Adopt low income elderly and/or elderly long-term care residents.	Jan 13, 2011 1:10 PM
9	St. Francis House support	Jan 13, 2011 5:52 PM
10	Stay with the Guardian ad Litem Foundation	Jan 14, 2011 2:43 PM

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Response Text		
11	Do something that lasts longer than the time it takes to open a gift. Pay a light bill or car payment; distribute gift cards for food, gas or clothing. Give a family a night at the movies or dinner out.	Jan 14, 2011 4:42 PM
12	Helping the homeless	Jan 15, 2011 8:42 AM
13	Selecting one school like in the past but having it not always being the same school. Have it shift between an Alachua and out county school (ie. Alachua, Baker, Alachua, Bradford, Alachua, Level, Alachua, Gilchrist, Alachua Union) with need level of the school being primary indicator.	Jan 27, 2011 4:03 PM
14	GAL is a great program...keep it there.	Jan 31, 2011 12:15 PM
15	Something that benefits the community and shows lawyers in a positive light.	Jan 31, 2011 12:30 PM

2. One goal of future holiday programs is that they benefit the entire circuit. Please provide ideas you believe would benefit our less populous counties.

Response Text		
1	Playground construction project	Jan 12, 2011 10:53 PM
2	Three Rivers Legal services provides services throughout the circuit to the poor and needy	Jan 13, 2011 10:53 AM
3	w should do what we did before for schools in the rural areas.	Jan 13, 2011 10:56 AM
4	That's a great thought, but where is our membership concentrated?	Jan 13, 2011 11:23 AM
5	Don't know what they need; perhaps contact clerk of court for each location or one of the long-standing attorneys in the area for suggestions.	Jan 13, 2011 11:52 AM
6	why is this the goal? we should do what we can.	Jan 13, 2011 1:01 PM
7	Guardian ad litem foundation	Jan 13, 2011 1:59 PM
8	Clinics organized by Three Rivers in a wide variety of legal specialties which Three Rivers identifies as needed.	Jan 13, 2011 5:52 PM
9	Stay with the Guardian ad Litem Foundation	Jan 14, 2011 2:43 PM
10	Engage the attorneys from the outlying counties in identifying what needs exist in those counties and how the Bar can assist.	Jan 14, 2011 4:42 PM
11	See above	Jan 27, 2011 4:03 PM
12	none	Jan 31, 2011 12:15 PM

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Response Text		
13	Collecting books that would help increase the reading skills/interst, information about our Country from National to local.	Jan 31, 2011 12:30 PM
14	Holiday projects to the elderly in terms of useful or edible gifts during the holidays. Everone always thinks of children but the truly forgotten are the elderly.	Jan 31, 2011 12:46 PM
15	Veterans outreach and legal assistance/counseling.	Jan 31, 2011 1:23 PM

4. Have you personally contributed to the Holiday Project in the last 5 years? If so, how many of those years?

1	1	Jan 12, 2011 10:53 PM
2	2	Jan 13, 2011 5:11 AM
3	1	Jan 13, 2011 8:57 AM
4	3 or 4	Jan 13, 2011 9:58 AM
5	4	Jan 13, 2011 10:31 AM
6	1	Jan 13, 2011 10:56 AM
7	5	Jan 13, 2011 11:06 AM
8	5	Jan 13, 2011 11:23 AM
9	5	Jan 13, 2011 11:33 AM
10	3	Jan 13, 2011 11:43 AM
11	3	Jan 13, 2011 11:52 AM
12	2	Jan 13, 2011 12:45 PM
13	2	Jan 13, 2011 12:47 PM
14	3	Jan 13, 2011 1:01 PM
15	3	Jan 13, 2011 1:10 PM
16	2	Jan 13, 2011 1:35 PM
17	5	Jan 13, 2011 1:52 PM
18	2	Jan 13, 2011 1:58 PM
19	5	Jan 13, 2011 2:27 PM
20	all that I was a member	Jan 13, 2011 2:34 PM

4. Have you personally contributed to the Holiday Project in the last 5 years? If so, how many of those years?

21	4	Jan 13, 2011 5:07 PM
22	don't recall; once I think.	Jan 13, 2011 5:52 PM
23	3	Jan 14, 2011 2:43 PM
24	5	Jan 14, 2011 4:42 PM
25	2	Jan 15, 2011 8:42 AM
26	4, I believe.	Jan 17, 2011 11:27 AM
27	3	Jan 17, 2011 1:17 PM
28	4	Jan 19, 2011 11:51 AM
29	2	Jan 27, 2011 4:03 PM
30	3	Jan 31, 2011 11:19 AM
31	1	Jan 31, 2011 11:23 AM
32	4	Jan 31, 2011 11:28 AM
33	2	Jan 31, 2011 11:40 AM
34	All.	Jan 31, 2011 12:30 PM
35	4	Jan 31, 2011 12:57 PM
36	4	Jan 31, 2011 1:23 PM
37	5	Jan 31, 2011 2:27 PM
38	5	Jan 31, 2011 3:04 PM
39	4	Jan 31, 2011 3:25 PM
40	two	Jan 31, 2011 4:35 PM
41	5	Jan 31, 2011 8:00 PM

5. Has your firm/practice contributed to the Holiday Project in the last 5 years? If so, how many of those years?

1	?	Jan 13, 2011 10:37 AM
2	4	Jan 13, 2011 10:46 AM
3	5	Jan 13, 2011 11:33 AM
4	3	Jan 13, 2011 11:43 AM
5	3	Jan 13, 2011 11:52 AM

5. Has your firm/practice contributed to the Holiday Project in the last 5 years? If so, how many of those years?

6	5	Jan 13, 2011 11:52 AM
7	3	Jan 13, 2011 12:40 PM
8	5 I think.	Jan 13, 2011 12:47 PM
9	3	Jan 13, 2011 1:01 PM
10	3	Jan 13, 2011 1:10 PM
11	5	Jan 13, 2011 1:52 PM
12	2 or 3	Jan 13, 2011 2:27 PM
13	all	Jan 13, 2011 2:34 PM
14	1	Jan 13, 2011 4:28 PM
15	5	Jan 14, 2011 4:42 PM
16	4, I believe.	Jan 17, 2011 11:27 AM
17	4	Jan 17, 2011 1:17 PM
18	5	Jan 19, 2011 11:51 AM
19	5	Jan 31, 2011 11:19 AM
20	All	Jan 31, 2011 12:30 PM
21	4	Jan 31, 2011 12:57 PM
22	4	Jan 31, 2011 1:23 PM
23	3	Jan 31, 2011 1:42 PM
24	5	Jan 31, 2011 2:27 PM
25	5	Jan 31, 2011 3:04 PM
26	5	Jan 31, 2011 8:00 PM

10. Do you believe the reputation of the EJCBA or attorneys in general has benefited from our participation in the Holiday Project?

1	Do not know	Jan 13, 2011 11:06 AM
2	don't know	Jan 13, 2011 11:52 AM
3	This goes to the purpose of chairitable activities. Is it to do good, for PR or both? As PR, I think it has little or no value.	Jan 13, 2011 12:57 PM
4	and its fun. involves families of attys and kids love it.	Jan 13, 2011 1:01 PM

10. Do you believe the reputation of the EJCBA or attorneys in general has benefited from our participation in the Holiday Project?

5	I think the community sees attorneys "throwing money" at kids during the holidays and then disappearing into thin air.	Jan 14, 2011 4:42 PM
6	It would if we could get broad media coverage, I think.	Jan 31, 2011 11:03 AM
7	Elementary school teachers and principal mentioned it to me.	Jan 31, 2011 11:23 AM

11. Do you think the EJCBA should participate in a project during the holiday season? If no, what time of year do you feel would be better?

1	law day	Jan 13, 2011 5:11 AM
2	None	Jan 13, 2011 10:35 AM
3	other than holidays; everyone is generous then, but what about the rest of the year?	Jan 13, 2011 11:52 AM
4	Anytime when everybody else isn't doing it. For homeless, January, for warm clothing.	Jan 13, 2011 12:45 PM
5	Back to School time.	Jan 13, 2011 12:47 PM
6	Question assumes the answerer agrees that such a project should be undertaken at all.	Jan 13, 2011 12:57 PM
7	Late summer early fall	Jan 13, 2011 1:10 PM
8	I also think I would be beneficial to have a program during the Summer when there are many unmet needs for families.	Jan 14, 2011 4:42 PM
9	September	Jan 31, 2011 11:28 AM
10	No, only because I believe that we should have either an ongoing project throughout the year or several different projects throughout the year.	Jan 31, 2011 1:23 PM
11	off season when there is less overall charitable giving from other organizations.	Jan 31, 2011 2:27 PM

12. Please provide any suggestions you may have for improving or changing the Holiday Project.

Response Text		
1	The contribution to the GAL program does not carry the same emotional resonance/Christmas spirit as gift donations. It is also much less visible to the community.	Jan 13, 2011 10:31 AM
2	Focus on legal activities	Jan 13, 2011 10:35 AM
3	See first answer above.	Jan 13, 2011 10:49 AM

12. Please provide any suggestions you may have for improving or changing the Holiday Project.

Response Text		
4	start early	Jan 13, 2011 2:27 PM
5	Make it not just a holiday project. Make it a project that ACTIVELY involves attorneys in the life of the community. Commit to tutoring a child, leading a craft or exercise class at a nursing home. Become a friend/partner first and an attorney incidentally. Press the flesh.	Jan 14, 2011 4:42 PM
6	Lower the amount expected per child. This makes contributions go further and those on a budget can do shopping for more than one child with still the same financial expenditure.	Jan 27, 2011 4:03 PM
7	Change the timing. Everyone is seeking donations for causes during the holidays. Our work is lost in the din.	Jan 31, 2011 11:03 AM
8	I think the focus on children and the needy is greater at Christmas time. This provides us with many opportunities to help two of our most vulnerable groups - children and the elderly.	Jan 31, 2011 12:30 PM
9	Ask for volunteers further in advance, with details on the help needed, to make it easier for attorneys to participate. A general call for help does not attract as much attention as letting people know exactly what you need.	Jan 31, 2011 4:35 PM

13. Please provide any suggestions you may have for other community projects in which the EJCBA might participate in place of the Holiday Project.

Response Text		
1	Didn't participate in this project only because was heavily involved (time and money) in CG-AWL holiday project for elders.	Jan 13, 2011 10:26 AM
2	See first answer above	Jan 13, 2011 10:49 AM
3	maybe sponsor 4H	Jan 13, 2011 10:56 AM
4	We could also do a back-to-school project and provide some school supplies.	Jan 13, 2011 11:23 AM
5	Animal adopt-a-thons, rescues, Operation Catnip assistance on spay/neuter days.	Jan 13, 2011 11:52 AM
6	toys for tots. usmc	Jan 13, 2011 1:01 PM
7	Thanksgiving food drive seemed to go over well.	Jan 27, 2011 4:03 PM
8	Maybe a Habitat for Humanity House.???	Jan 31, 2011 11:03 AM
9	Any project that demonstrates that lawyers, as a group/profession, are positive roll models and of essential value to our community and to society in general; and that allows people to experience the value of our justice system and lawyers in creating, preserving, and improving the quality of personal liberty and opportunity for everyone, not just for those that can afford our services.	Jan 31, 2011 1:23 PM