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The Meldon Law team attending the Our Town Fave event hosted at the Best Western Hotel



Jeffrey and Patricia recording a commercial for the Ronald McDonald House Charities Red Shoe Affair at Pinner's Fine Shoes

FLORIDA GATORS IN THE 2024 OLYMPICS

The 2024 Olympics in Paris have been a global stage where several athletes from the University of Florida have showcased their remarkable talent and determination. Representing both the United States and other nations, these athletes have exemplified the spirit of excellence and sportsmanship.

One standout athlete from the Florida Gators is Grant Holloway, a track and field sensation who has captured the world's attention with his electrifying performances in the men's 110-meter hurdles. His impeccable technique have propelled him to a gold medal in Paris, solidifying his status as one of the premier hurdlers in the world.

Another notable Gator making waves in Paris is Caeleb Dressel, whose prowess in swimming has been nothing short of extraordinary. Dressel has clinched multiple gold medals in various events, including the men's 100-meter freestyle and the 4x100-meter medley relay. His dedication and relentless pursuit of perfection have not only brought glory to himself but also to the University of Florida.

In addition, several Florida Gators have come together to form formidable teams representing their respective countries. The women's soccer tournament saw the participation of Canadian Deanne Rose and Brazilian Lais Araujo, both former Gators whose skills were honed during their collegiate careers.

The 2024 Olympics have also been a platform for emerging talents from the University of Florida to make their mark on the world stage. Behind every successful athlete are dedicated coaches and a supportive community, and the Florida Gators have fostered an environment that nurtures both athletic and personal growth. The university's commitment to excellence in sports has consistently produced athletes who embody the values of discipline, resilience, and teamwork, qualities that are essential for success in any endeavor.

As the 2024 Olympics draw to a close, the achievements of Florida Gators athletes stand as a testament to their hard work and determination. Whether winning medals, setting records, or inspiring future generations, these athletes have made their university and their country proud.

Looking forward, the legacy of the 38 former and current Florida Gators in the Olympics remains bright, with current and future athletes poised to continue making significant contributions to the world of sports. The 2024 Olympics have reaffirmed the University of Florida's position as a powerhouse in collegiate athletics and a breeding ground for champions.

BUSINESS HIGHLIGHT

Whether you want to dance for fun and fitness or are committed to taking your skills and passion to the highest levels possible, Momentum Dance Arts can help you reach your goals. They have a wide variety of dance and fitness classes allows you to explore the art of dance. Take a class in a dance style you haven't tried before, find a fun new way to get fit, make new friends, and improve your skills in all disciplines. They offer classes for everyone!



GOOGLE REVIEW OF THE MONTH



Joseph Fairbanks 4 reviews

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Absolutely wonderful service and staff. Would highly recommended!



TEAM MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Mandolin Martin

Closing Department Manager in PI

Mandolin's positive attitude and devoted approach are evident in the exceptional and caring service she provides to Meldon Law's clients!

Meldon Law Core Values:

Compassion Accountability Reliability Excellence Sense of Urgency



RECIPE OF THE MONTH - JOANNE'S HONDURAN BALEADAS

INGREDIENTS:

-2 cups refried beans, warmed -1 avocado, sliced -½ cup crumbled queso fresco (fresh white cheese) -¼ cup crema fresca (fresh cream) -2 eggs -2 Flour tortillas

DIRECTIONS:

 Heat a large skillet over medium-high heat. Cook each tortilla until browned and lightly puffed, about
minute per side.

2) Scramble the eggs, add a little bit of salt to your liking.

3)Layer refried beans, eggs, avocado, and queso fresco onto warm tortillas, then drizzle crema over top. Fold tortillas in half to eat.





Joanne Jarufe Marketing Specialist



Angela at the GAWN (Gainesville Area Women's Network)



Jeffrey and Bobby D'Alessio watching the Florida Gators at the College World Series in Omaha



Bob Rose joining Jeffrey for the podcast.



The 2024 Rolling Thunder Chapter 3 Poker Run

CASES OF INTEREST: AUGUST 2024

CARELESS BURNING OF LAND

We had a careless burning case where the client was charged with accidental or careless burning of land. We were retained and the same day I went to the scene, looked at the burning (which had occurred almost a year earlier) and observed that there were no burn indicators near the alleged fire pit. We then received discovery and in one of the interviews by the investigating officer, learned that the night prior a neighbor had been burning as well. After documenting all of the burned areas (surrounding both homes and firepits) and a conversation with the prosecutor. We convinced the assigned state attorney to drop the case.

TRAGIC EVENT AT A RESTAURANT

In a tragic series of events, we represent an estate where the deceased was eating outside of a restaurant and was run over by a drunk driver. We are pursuing claims against the driver and other establishments who created zones of risks for our client.



REFER A FRIEND



At Meldon Law we love helping people and continue to work hard to provide our clients with the best experience through challenging times.

If you happen to know of anyone who may need the services we provide, please have them reach out to us at 352-373-8000.

JOKES OF THE MONTH

What did the ocean say to the beach?

Nothing. It just waved.

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Why did a whale learn to play the flute?

He wanted to be in the orca-stra.

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Knock, knock! Who's there? Sia. Sia who?

Sia at the beach.

Knock, knock! Who's there? Anita. Anita who?

Anita put on sunscreen so I don't get burned.



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FEATURING GUESTS SUCH AS COACH STEVE SPURRIER, SCOTT STRICKLIN, JEFF CARDOZO, PAT DOOLEY, & MORE!

THIS MONTH'S **TRIVIAL PURSUIT** QUESTIONS 1. Who was the first author to use a typewriter in writing a manuscript? 2. Neil Armstrong became the first person in history to do what 3. What is United Kingdom's national Anthem? 4. What is the largest bone in the human body? 5. Who wrote "The Star-Spangled Banner"? 6. The unicorn is the national animal of which country? 7. Which writer holds the Guinness World Record for the most translated works? 8. What year did World War I begin? Agatha Christie 8) 1914 King 4) Femur 5) Francis Scott Key 6) Scotland 7) 1) Mark Iwain 2) Walk on the moon 3) God Save the