

Meeting Minutes of
the South Carolina Chapter of the
Association of Legal Administrators

Location: Nelson, Mullins, Riley & Scarborough, 1320 Main Street, Columbia, SC
Date: June 10, 2010
Time: 10:30 a.m.

President Jane Todd called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

A. Jane welcomed everyone and recognized Gold Sponsor, Sharp Business Systems, and Randy Bidwell representative. Randy gave a greeting and provided attendees with handouts. Jane thanked all our sponsors for their support.

B. Announcements included

1. Paula Barnes is the new Region 2 Director for ALA.

2. SCALA members Jane Todd, Shawn Payment, Carol Cummings, Joanne Moody, Margaret Glassman, and Tommy Little attended the ALA Conference in Boston. At the conference, SCALA received the Award of Excellence in Visibility (Bar Relations) and the President's Award of Excellence – Gold. Clark Reifsnider will take the Visibility award to the SC Bar. Jane Todd thanked Clark for his many years of excellent service in Bar Relations. Jane will hold the President's Award of Excellence. SCALA also was selected as an alternate for a free webinar. Jane Todd won a \$100 resort credit at the hotel for the Region 2 Conference in Miami, which will be awarded to an attendee.

3. The Vendor Fair is scheduled for August 19, 2010, at the Columbia Conference Center. Dick Nigon is the speaker for Education session.

C. Jane Todd introduced the speakers for the meeting's program: ALA's Annual Education Conference and Exposition in Review: Jane Todd: "PDAs, Blackberries and iPhones: How to Manage Their use to Avoid Employment Law Problems and Other Headaches" and "Developing an Ethics program for Staff"; Margaret Glassman: "What Drives the Bottom Line?"; Shawn Payment: "Wikis and Internal E-Collaboration: Using Online Tools to Transfer Knowledge" and "The Adventure of Change: Timeless Certainties for Uncertain Times"; and Tommy Little: "Is Partnership Still a Goal".

D. A drawing was held for 2 \$1300 scholarships for the Region 2 Conference in Miami, Florida, October 22-23. Winners were Valorie Songer and Brenda Stewart. Alternates are Rhonda Amick, Larry Mack, Clark Reifsnider, and Leah Funderburk.

The meeting adjourned to lunch.