



eNews August 11, 2011

Let's Get Ready for Football !!

Downtown Straight UP - Kickoff at the Hyatt

Networking and New Member Activity

Thursday August 11, 2011 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. or later

[More details at downtowncouncil.org](http://downtowncouncil.org)

Annual Painting of Paw Prints on Bay Street

Come join the Downtown Council and Jaxson De Ville

Date: Saturday, August 13, 2011

Time: 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Where: LAZ parking lot next to Chamber offices on Bay Street

Join Jaxson de Ville and the Downtown Council for the Annual Painting of the PawPrints from Bay Street to EverBank Field. Free coffee, orange juice, water, bagels and donuts will be provided, in addition to free parking at the LAZ parking lot adjacent to the Jacksonville Chamber.

Afterwards, enjoy a complimentary mimosa at the celebration event to be held in the parking lot at the corner of Bay and Newnan Street.

Contact Bonnie Arnold at bonnie@bonniesfloraldesigns.com or (904) 346-3300 or (904) 699-0961 to:

[Download Flier for more information](#)

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Purchase Jaguars Tickets from the Downtown Council

2011 - 2012 Season

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Next Council Meeting:

Date/Time: August 19, 7:30 a.m.

Speaker: Paul Anderson, Jacksonville Port Authority

Place: Currents Riverview Bistro, 841 Prudential Dr, Aetna Building

FREE PARKING Ground floor in second garage

[More details at downtowncouncil.org](http://downtowncouncil.org)

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The Chamber's Downtown Council and Arlington Council present

A Special Breakfast Presentation to All Councils "The Mayor's Vision for Jacksonville"

Mayor Alvin Brown has invited all Chamber Council members to a special breakfast meeting. His presentation will be "The Mayor's Vision for Jacksonville."

Mayor Brown will have comments on job creation, public safety, downtown redevelopment and the budget that is being reviewed now by the City Council. He will also take questions from the attendees.

Wednesday, August 24, 2011 - 7:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

AT&T Tower 301 Auditorium with FREE Parking

[See Opportunity Jacksonville for more information and to register](#)

Downtown Council Meets 1st and 3rd Friday of each month

1st Friday LUNCH: University Club, 1301 Riverplace Blvd (Top of the Wachovia Tower on the Southbank);
Time: 11:30 a.m. Networking and Lunch, 11:50 Self Introductions and Program to follow. Meeting will end at approximately 1 p.m.

3rd Friday BREAKFAST: Currents Riverview Bistro, 841 Prudential Drive (The Aetna Building), 2nd Floor
Time: 7:30 a.m. Networking & Breakfast, 7:45 self-introductions and program to follow. Meeting will end at approximately 9 a.m.

We accept checks, cash, MasterCard, Visa & American Express.



About Downtown Council, Jacksonville Regional Chamber of Commerce

Our Council is devoted to enhancing and improving the business climate in Jacksonville through the association of business professionals and the core district of our community.

Members enjoy an exceptional networking experience and valuable programs at our meetings and mix business with pleasure at our social events. We work together to cultivate ideas, grow business opportunities, and improve the quality of life for all our residents. In the process, we help develop business owners and managers into business leaders, while they grow their businesses.

Great cities are known for their great Downtowns. If you want to be part of the excitement and opportunities at the center of our community, check out www.downtowncouncil.org. The time is now, the place is Downtown.

DOWNTOWN COUNCIL NEWS

DOWNTOWN ENHANCEMENT COMMITTEE

The Downtown Enhancement Committee (DEC) meets monthly to plan and organize events that will add to the Downtown area and also may raise funds to promote Downtown Council events and activities. Next DEC meeting Tuesday Aug 18 8:00 a.m. Einstein's Bagels in Riverside.

DOWNTOWN COUNCIL EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The Downtown Council is Proud to Sponsor the Julia Landon School

If you would like to become involved in the Downtown Council's Education Committee, please contact: Cynthia Farmer at cbell@nova.edu , or Ray Hays at RHays@PRCdigital.com . ***Or, attend any Downtown Council meeting and volunteer.***

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