**HUNTSVILLE-MADISON COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION**

**MINUTES OF MEETING**

The monthly meeting of the Huntsville-Madison County Bar Association was held on Wednesday, November 7, 2018 at 11:45 p.m. at the Cooper House.  President, Mark Debro; Vice President/President-Elect, Jeremiah Hodges; Treasurer, Bart Siniard; and Secretary, Rebekah Graham, presided.  Frank Caprio gave the invocation.

**MINUTES AND TREASURER’S REPORT**

The minutes from the October 3, 2018 meeting were unanimously approved.

The Treasurer’s report was presented as follows:

**BAR ASSOCIATION**

            Compass General Account:                                        $115,645.34

Compass Money Market: $111,790.68

            Compass Ben Boyanton Scholarship Account:          $8,643.39

            Regions Sarah Jaye Daye Scholarship Account:        $53,749.95

           Regions Sarah Jaye Daye Scholarship CD:                $68,256.96

**LAW FOUNDATION**

            Compass Account:                                                      $33,545.81

**ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Mark Debro, called upon members to introduce guests. Judge Johnson introduced Judge Liles Burke our new United States District Judge and his law clerk, Beau Womack. Other guests were introduced by members.

**Membership and Professionalism Committee**

Tim McFalls proposed the following for membership: Courtney Huggins, Alexis Killough, Zachary Roberson, Lana Hawkins, Zachary Anderson, and Austin Smith.

A motion was made to accept them into membership, seconded, and the vote carried unanimously.

**Continuing Legal Education Committee**

John Brinkley gave the report. The November Breakfast and Learn CLE will be November 14, 2018 at 8:00 a.m. at Cyn Shea’s Café.

Mark Debro also mentioned that the Last-Chance Seminar will be December 6, 2018 through December 7, 2018.

**Young Lawyers Committee**

Tyler Mann gave the report. The Young Lawyers Section will have Happy Hour at OTBX on November 9, 2018 from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

**Madison County Volunteer Lawyers Program**

Mark Debro gave the report. The Madison County Volunteer Lawyers Program will host a Wills for Heroes clinic on November 13, 2018 and November 14, 2018 at the City of Huntsville Public Safety Training Academy.

**Announcements**

Toys and Toddies will be December 6, 2018. More details will be coming soon.

The WHNT Legal Action Line was a success.

Judge O’Dell’s retirement ceremony was held last week. Judge Richardson also retired. The Madison County Judicial Commission is accepting applications for those positions through Friday, November 9, 2018.

It is now open enrollment for health insurance through the Huntsville-Madison County Bar Association. November 30, 2018 is the last day for enrollment in the life insurance/long term care policy.

**PROGRAM**

Jeremiah Hodges introduced our speaker, Dan Roberts. Mr. Roberts is the Executive Director of the Alabama Brewers Guild.

**THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED**.

Rebekah Graham

Secretary