

October 27th Meeting

By Mike Shewey on Friday, October 23, 2020

Club Meeting

South Jacksonville Meets at Southside Baptist Church, Fellowship Hall Buffet 1435 Atlantic Blvd Jacksonville, FL 32207 Lunch begins at 12:00 PM Time: Tuesday at 12:30 PM







Our October 27th meeting will be in person but also available via zoom.

Events

- October 27th **[Rick Mullaney \(in person meeting\)](#)**
- November 3rd **[Dan Hicken \(in person\)](#)**
- November 9th **[Gingerbread Extravaganza Setup](#)**
- November 10th **[Crystal Broughan \(Zoom only\)](#)**

Birthdays

-  **[Casey Martin](#)**
October 25th
-  **[Bruce R. Maddern](#)**
November 1st
-  **[Kyle Peters](#)**
November 5th
-  **[PP David S. Bissell](#)**
November 7th

[Ron Patrick](#)

Weekly Speaker

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Rick Mullaney is the Director of the Jacksonville University Public Policy Institute (◆Institute◆), political analyst for WJXT Channel 4 and WOKV, 104.5 FM in Jacksonville, Florida, and host of a radio program, *Policy Matters*, on WJCT 89.9 FM. He is the Founding Director of the Institute, which offers four graduate degree programs in public policy, including a Masters in Public Policy (MPP) degree and three dual degree programs (MPP-JD, MPP-MBA, and MPP-Marine Science). He teaches PPOL 513 Law and Public Policy in the MPP program.



Mullaney received a BA in Political Science at the University of Florida (1973-1977), graduating Phi Beta Kappa and first in College of Arts and Sciences. He also graduated from law school at UF (1977-1980), serving on the Moot Court Team and as Executive Editor of the Law Review. After graduation, he worked as a business lawyer for Carlton Fields, prosecutor, Mayoral Chief of Staff, and General Counsel for the City of Jacksonville. He has received the Prosecutor of the Year Award for the state of Florida and the Lawyer of the Year Award for the City of Jacksonville. He ran for Mayor of Jacksonville in 2011.

During nearly 40 years in the private and public sectors, Mullaney has represented diverse public entities, been involved in numerous public policy initiatives and political campaigns, and lectured on legal and public policy topics in more than 20 states. For 20 of those years, he served as legal counsel and advisor to Jacksonville◆s consolidated government and Jacksonville mayors Ed Austin, John Delaney, and John Peyton.

Mullaney serves on numerous non-profit boards, including the World Affairs Council, Chamber of Commerce Board of Governors, and the Government and Public Policy Institute for the University of the Bahamas. He is past Board Chair for Gateway Community Services and the Saint Vincent◆s Healthcare Foundation. Mullaney is a member of Leadership Jacksonville (1988) and Leadership Florida (2001). He and his wife Lynn have been married for over 30 years and have three children ◆ Taylor, Richie and Katie.



November 8th



PE [Richard Dow](#)
November 9th



[Ben Samuels](#)
November 14th



[Christy King](#)
November 14th



[Emory Ware](#)
November 20th

This week in History

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New York City Subway Opens

At 2:35 on the afternoon of October 27, 1904, New York City Mayor George McClellan takes the controls on the inaugural run of the city's innovative new rapid transit system: the subway.

While London boasts the world's oldest underground train network (opened in 1863) and Boston built the first subway in the United States in 1897, the New York City subway soon became the largest American system. The first line, operated by the Interborough Rapid Transit Company (IRT), traveled 9.1 miles through 28 stations. Running from City Hall in lower Manhattan to Grand Central Terminal in midtown, and then heading west along 42nd Street to Times Square, the line finished by zipping north, all the way to 145th Street and Broadway in Harlem. On opening day, Mayor McClellan so enjoyed his stint as engineer that he stayed at the controls all the way from City Hall to 103rd Street.

At 7 p.m. that evening, the subway opened to the general public, and more than 100,000 people paid a nickel each to take their first ride under Manhattan. IRT service expanded to the Bronx in 1905, to Brooklyn in 1908 and to Queens in 1915. Since 1968, the subway has been controlled by the Metropolitan Transport Authority (MTA). The system now has 26 lines and 468 stations in operation; the longest line, the 8th Avenue A Express train, stretches more than 32 miles, from the northern tip of Manhattan to the far southeast corner of Queens.

Every day, some 4.5 million passengers take the subway in New York. With the exception of the PATH train connecting New York with New Jersey and some parts of Chicago's elevated train system, New York's subway is the only rapid transit system in the world that runs 24 hours a day, seven days a week. No matter how crowded or dirty, the subway is, it's one New York City institution most New Yorkers or tourists could not do without.

Club Anniversaries

Years of Service



PP [Ted S. Johnson](#)
10-03-1972
48 Years



[Hal A Kelly](#)
10-01-1974
46 Years



PP [Vicki-lynn Gloger](#)
10-16-1990
30 Years



[Rick C. Mullens](#)
10-31-1993
27 Years



PP [Jason B. Burnett](#)
10-10-1995
25 Years



[Bruce R. Maddern](#)
10-10-1995
25 Years



[Randy Gordon](#)
10-21-2003
17 Years



[Bill M Traer, III](#)
10-07-2014
6 Years



[Andrea Hartley-Myers](#)
10-21-2015
5 Years



[Amanda Watson](#)
10-21-2015
5 Years



[John L. Cumbow](#)
10-10-2017
3 Years

[Crystal Broughan](#)

Club Leaders



[Tom A. Ranney](#)
President



[Richard Dow](#)
President -Elect



[Charlie G Cofer](#)
Secretary
Treasurer



[Greg Anderson](#)
Sergeant-at-Arms
International Service
Ave Dir



[Bea Fore](#)
RI & District Awards
Chair
iPast President



PP [Gary L. Wilkinson](#)
Club Service Ave Dir



[Lisamarie Winslow](#)
Mentor & Training
Chair
Vocational Service
Ave Dir



PP [Vicki-lynn Gloger](#)
Community Service
Ave Dir



[Julia Kalinski](#)
Youth Services Ave
Dir



[Crystal Broughan](#)
Rotary Foundation
Chair



[Bill Langley](#)
Membership Chair
Past President



[Janet Reagor](#)
Assistant Governor



10-09-2018
2 Years



[Rob Gatta](#)
10-16-2018
2 Years

Wedding Anniversaries



[Marcus Haile](#)
November 2nd



[Randy Gordon](#)
November 4th



[Tyrie W. Boyer](#)
November 6th



[Ryan Goltry](#)
November 8th