



CALA NEWS

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

CALA Cares!

ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY & TOYS FOR TOTS TOY DRIVE!

🎄 Happy Holidays! A huge THANK YOU to everyone who made our Annual Holiday Party unforgettable! The turnout was amazing, and we missed those who couldn't make it—hope to see you next year!

Winning NALA's inaugural Affiliate of the Year Award is a testament to all your passion and hard work—this honor belongs to YOU! Shout-out to everyone who supported our Toys for Tots campaign and to Sgt. Cox of the US Marines for leading the charge. Your generosity is spreading joy this holiday season! Congrats to our lucky raffle winners—we had amazing prizes for you this year! 🎁



A huge thank you to our incredible highlight sponsors, **Steno** and **Live Oak Reporting**, for helping make this spectacular event possible! We also would like to thank our very generous donors for the door prizes! THANK YOU!



Happy New Year!





ANNOUNCEMENTS

REMINDER!

Renew or join CALA by **December 31st, 2024**, and enjoy these exclusive benefits!

Renewals: Submit a renewal application, and you'll be entered into a raffle for a **\$100** gift card.

New Members: Submit a new membership application, and you'll be entered into a special raffle for a fantastic prize.

****These raffles will be drawn at our first Social Networking Event January 2025. This offer is only valid for applications postmarked by 12/31/24.****



*Paralegal Spotlight of the Month
December 2024*



December Birthdays

The holidays are upon us, and the spirit of giving extends to celebrating all our incredible CALA members with December birthdays!

May your special day be filled with warmth, joy, and the company of loved ones. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

- 12/6: Vanessa M. & Joy J.
- 12/8: Madi M.
- 12/11: Laci F.
- 12/19: LaToshia J.

To end 2024 on a high note, CALA is excited to feature one of our longstanding members, Jessica McDonald, as our Paralegal Spotlight for December! Jessica first became interested in the legal industry while enrolled in a business law class and studying political science at the College of Charleston. She then decided to attend Trident Technical College and received an Associate's Degree in Paralegal Studies in 2013. She interned with Lawton Law Firm in Mount Pleasant, helping with medical malpractice and personal injury cases. After her internship, she began working at Lawton Law Firm as a paralegal and worked there for eight years prior to joining Rosen Hagood, where she now works as a paralegal.

At Rosen Hagood, Jessica works on cases involving construction law, commercial disputes, and employment matters. She enjoys working in civil litigation because the cases are always evolving, and there's always an opportunity to learn something new. She also enjoys the investigative aspect of litigation. Jessica is currently pursuing certification through NALA. Outside of work, Jessica enjoys working in the yard, trying new recipes, and spending time with her husband, Alex, and their two rescue hounds, Poppy and Ross. Thanks, Jessica, for all that you do!

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New Year, New Perks for CALA Corporate Members!

This year, CALA is excited to offer a fantastic new benefit for our corporate members. Depending on your membership tier, you can now enjoy additional full-paralegal memberships, as follows:

Platinum Tier: Up to 3 full-paralegal memberships

Gold and Silver Tiers: Up to 2 full-paralegal memberships

Bronze and Associate Tiers: Up to 1 full-paralegal membership

If you haven't renewed your membership yet, now is the perfect time to do so and take advantage of these enhanced benefits! We deeply appreciate your continued support in promoting the paralegal profession and serving our community in the Tri-county!

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to us at calacorrsecretary@gmail.com or calapresident@gmail.com.

Thank you for being a valued member of CALA!

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WELCOME TO CALA FAMILY!

We are beyond thrilled to welcome two incredible new members to our CALA family—our 2025 Platinum Sponsor, TeleCare, and our Associate Sponsor, Stewart Title Guaranty! 🎉 We are so excited to have you on board and can't wait to work together in the upcoming year.

Your partnership means the world to us, and we are deeply grateful for your support. Together, we will continue to make a powerful impact and elevate the paralegal profession in our community!

Thank you for joining us on this exciting journey!

Let's make 2025 unforgettable! 🌟

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CALA would like to extend our heartfelt thanks and deep appreciation to all of our incredible corporate sponsors this year. Your generous support is not only vital to our efforts but plays an essential role in advancing and promoting the paralegal profession throughout the tri-county area. We are truly grateful for your commitment and partnership. Your contributions make a real difference, and we couldn't do this without you!

From the bottom of our hearts—Y'all ROCK! We are so fortunate to have you as part of our community, and we look forward to continuing this amazing journey together. Thank you for being such a vital part of our success!

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