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They're Here...Florida ABLÉ Accounts.

The Achieving Better Life Experience Act, or ABLÉ Act, was signed into law by President Obama in December 2014. ABLÉ updates the Internal Revenue Code to allow eligible individuals and their families to establish a tax-exempt savings account that allows for disbursements of income tax-free funds for “qualified disability expenses,” including education, transportation, housing, obtaining and maintaining employment, personal support services, assistive technology and health and wellness. Money contributed to an ABLÉ account is generally disregarded, or not countable, when determining eligibility for federal benefit programs, such as Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Medicaid.

The Florida legislature passed the Florida Achieving a Better Life Experience Act, which was signed into law by Governor Rick Scott on May 21, 2015. This state law establishes ABLÉ United, to oversee the state of Florida’s qualified ABLÉ program. As of this month, July 2016, eligible Florida residents may establish ABLÉ accounts.

In order to establish an ABLÉ account, the individual with a disability must be a Florida resident. Further, the ABLÉ Act limits eligibility to individuals who have developed significant disabilities before turning 26 years old. You do not have to be under the age of 26 to qualify as long as you have documentation and/or medical records which prove the onset of the disability before age 26. If you meet the age of onset criteria and are receiving benefits under SSI and/or SSDI you are automatically eligible. Otherwise, you must have a condition listed in the “List of Compassionate Allowances Conditions” maintained by ...

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**One Senior Place
Workshops**



Located at:
715 Douglas Ave
Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Elder Law Workshops:

The Truth about Medicaid Planning

Thursday, July 28, 2016 at 9:30 a.m.

The Truth about Medicaid Planning

Thursday, August 25, 2016 at 2:00 p.m.

Estate Planning Workshops:

The Truth about Estate Planning

Thursday, July 28, 2016 at 2:00 p.m.

The Truth about Estate Planning

Thursday, August 25, 2016 at 9:30 a.m.

Upcoming Specialty Workshop:

What to do When Someone Dies
Thursday, July 21, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.



Co-hosted by Baldwin Brothers

At this workshop, we will review the step-by-step process you need to know before and after losing a loved one. Topics to be covered include: pre-need funeral planning, the probate and estate administration process, and answers to frequently asked questions.

Location: 254 Plaza Drive, Oviedo, FL 32765. Call 407-977-8080 to register today!

UPCOMING EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOPS & EVENTS

JULY

The Truth About Medicaid Planning
Wednesday, July 6, 2016 at 9:30 a.m.

The Truth About Estate Planning
Tuesday, July 12, 2016 at 9:30 a.m.

What To Do When Someone Dies
Thursday, July 21, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.

Office Closed- 4th of July Holiday
Monday, July 4, 2016

AUGUST

The Truth About Medicaid Planning
Wednesday, August 3, 2016 at 9:30 a.m.

The Truth About Estate Planning
Thursday, August 11, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.

Women in Transition
Tuesday, August 16, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.

SEPTEMBER

The Truth About Medicaid Planning
Wednesday, September 7, 2016 at 9:30 a.m.

The Truth About Estate Planning
Tuesday, September 13, 2016 at 9:30 a.m.

All My Children Wear Fur Coats
Thursday, September 22, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.

Office Closed- Labor Day
Monday, September 5, 2016

All public workshops are complimentary and are held in our Learning Center. To RSVP please call 407-977-8080 or visit HoytBryan.com for more information.

Flag Cake

- 4 cups fresh strawberries
- 1 package (12 oz) frozen prepared pound cake, thawed, cut into 15 slices
- 1-1/3 cups blueberries divided
- 1/4 cup packed mint leaves
- 1 tub (12 oz) Cool Whip Topping, thawed



1. Slice 1 cup strawberries; halve the remaining.
2. Cover bottom of 13x9 inch dish with cake slices.
3. Top with sliced strawberries and 1 cup blueberries.
4. Spread Cool Whip over berries.
5. Arrange strawberry halves and remaining blueberries on Cool Whip to resemble US flag.
6. Keep refrigerated.
7. Serve at room temperature and enjoy!

Save The Date:

Hoyt & Bryan
2016 Special Needs Conference
Friday, September 16, 2016
9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
At Oviedo Mall Community Room

Join us to learn more about Social Security Income (SSI), ABLE Act, Mental Health Issues, Guardianship & Special Needs Trusts.

Reservations Required.
Please Call 407-977-8080
for more information and to RSVP!



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Lending a Helping Paw..
Armani

Size: Medium
Age: Young
Gender: Male (neutered)

Armani has gold eyes and is playful. He is as soft as a bunny and will capture your heart. Armani was born on 5/15/14 in a telephone cable yard.

If you are interested in adopting Armani or to make a donation please email KittyRescueTNR@gmail.com.