



PRESIDENTS FORUM AGENDA

Date: **Wednesday, March 13th, 2019**
Time: 12:00pm-4:00pm
Location: **INVERNESS GOLF CLUB**
102 Roselle Rd.
Inverness, IL 60067

DIVORCE AND YOUR BUSINESS

Recently, with all the media attention focused on Jeff Bezos's highly-publicized divorce, this impactful event has surfaced again as an ever-present threat to a business owner. You may be surprised to learn that your business can become part of the legal proceedings in a divorce, even if you owned the business prior to your marriage.

Our speaker is a well-known matrimonial and family law attorney who has handled some of the largest divorce cases in Illinois with celebrities, sports figures, and business titans and will share his expertise gleaned over years of involvement in divorce proceedings.

Whether you are currently single or married, you will learn the strategies to best protect your business should divorce become a possibility in your life or among your key executives or family members.

Knowing about the divorce process will provide you insight into what preventative steps you can take to protect yourself as you strive to accomplish your financial objectives and lay out your estate planning.

We will discuss such topics as:

- How to protect your business.
- How to be sure your estate gets transferred to your children – beyond their divorce.
- How to make sure your children's stock in your company does not end up in the hands of their divorced spouse.
- Do certain attorneys better serve husbands or wives?
- Costs and timeframes.
- Current legal precedents
- Maintenance deductibility
- Prenuptial and postnuptial agreements

Divorce can impact you not only from your direct involvement but also tangentially through your key people or family members.

We will share our experiences with divorce. So, bring all your questions and concerns regarding this complex subject.

HOW TO BUILD GREAT RELATIONSHIPS AT HOME AND AT WORK:

As the leader of your organization, you know that relationships can make or break your company—whether those are the relationships with your executive team, your vendors, or your employees at large. The same holds true in your personal life—dynamic resilient relationships with your spouse or children or friends can either buoy you or bring you down. And yet most company leaders have received maximal training in financials or operations and minimal training in relationships—the lifeblood of any company’s success. Too often we reach out in desperation for support with a critical relationship when there is already a problem—when a partnership proves to be detrimental or we haven’t established a work/family integration and you’re down to the last straw.

Building strong, thriving relationships at work and at home means building muscle in the core relationship skills we all need but never learned—especially when it comes to conflict. Conflict isn’t something to be managed. It is a tool to be leveraged. In our dynamic workshop, our speaker will teach the **Rules of Engagement**—skills he has used in training CEOs and couples for over 30 years to provide ways to engage that not only help in leveraging conflict, but also provide the foundation for strong relationships at home and at the office.

What questions do you have about building better relationships at home and in the office?

FUTURE MEETING DATES

April 23rd
Inverness G.C.

May 8th
Inverness G.C.

June 12th
Inverness G.C.

