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The Memorial Park Association Elects Officers and Celebrates Restoration at Annual Meeting

Jacksonville, Fla. — January 6, 2016 — The [Memorial Park Association](#) held its Annual Meeting at the [Garden Club of Jacksonville](#) Wednesday to elect new officers. Following the Annual Meeting board members and guests were given a four part presentation on the history of the association's work to maintain and enhance the park which led to the 2015 restoration of Memorial Park's iconic sculpture, "Life" and the surrounding fountain.

The 2016-2017 Officers and Board are:

President

Agnes E. Danciger

Executive Vice President

Karen McCombs

Secretary

Robin H. Patton

Treasurer

Matthew Cochran

Vice Presidents at Large

Barbara H. Arnold

Patricia M. Houlihan

BOARD

- Emmett C. Bearden
- Frank Bioteau
- Janet H. Blackstone
- Timothy A. Burleigh
- David W. Foerster
- W. Robinson Frazier
- F. Terry Hallihan
- Alden Howell
- Holly Keris
- Emily R. Lisska
- Elizabeth G. McRae
- JoAnn F. Meyer
- Joan W. Newton
- Susan D. Ober
- Percy Rosenbloom, III
- Paula Skitsko
- Tim M. Tyler
- H. Warner Webb, M.D

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[About Memorial Park and the Memorial Park Association](#)

Memorial Park is located at 1620 Riverside Ave., between Margaret Street and Memorial Park Drive in Riverside near the 5 Points area of Jacksonville, Fla. Established in 1986, The Memorial Park Association is a nonprofit charitable organization serving its mission to enhance, promote and preserve Memorial Park as the premier historic park in the City of Jacksonville. Designed by the famed Olmsted Brothers and dedicated on Dec. 25, 1924, it is the only park in the state dedicated to the 1,220 Floridians who lost their lives in service during World War I. In 2012, the Memorial Park Association initiated major planning efforts to restore and rehabilitate Memorial Park to its original grandeur, culminating in the development of a viable master plan that will serve as the foundation for continued restoration efforts. Learn more about Memorial Park and the Memorial Park Association [here](#) or visit them on [Facebook](#) or [Twitter](#).