



BULLETIN

Club Meeting

New Tampa
Meets at Currently meeting via Hybrid format (Zoom and in-person) until further notice. Tampa Palms Golf & Country Club
5811 Tampa Palms Blvd.
Tampa, FL 33646
Time: Friday at 07:00 AM






Events

- May 8th
OASIS Opportunities Service Project
- May 10th
Club Meeting--Club Assembly, Strategic Plan
- May 17th
Club Meeting H2O For Life
- May 18th
Make New Tampa Beautiful--Service Project
- May 24th
No Meeting: Honoring the men and women who serve our country.
- May 31st
Club Meeting Stop the Movement!

Birthdays

-  Bradley C. Page
May 8th
-  Damo Damodaran
May 12th
-  Ram Kanchara
May 17th
-  John Preston Longmire
May 20th

Wedding Anniversaries

-  Gary Michael Gunter
May 9th
-  Joyce Ann Gunter
May 9th
-  Gerard A. Perret Jr.
May 18th
-  Damo Damodaran
June 2nd
-  William Frank Moore
June 4th

Club Leaders

-  Ken Guidera
President
-  Alfred Allen
President-Elect
-  Gerry Cecci
Vice President

Three F's and an S

By Jozsef Toth on Thursday, July 27, 2023

Focus of Rotary International, New Tampa

FUN, FAMILY, FELLOWSHIP, and SERVICE

Zoom Link for Friday Club Meetings

By Jozsef Toth on Thursday, August 17, 2023

Join Zoom Meeting
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83781892870?pwd=WTR5RDE3b0N0WHhRTllova0JMSDFVZz09>

This does not change, so it is good every week.

God Bless America

God bless America land that I love
Stand beside her and guide her
Throughout the night with the light from above
From the mountains to the prairies
To the oceans white with foam
God bless America My Home Sweet Home
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Club Assembly Strategic Plan




Frank Moore reviews our Rotary Club's assessment and the strategic planning committee's recommendations for investing time, talent and resources in the future.

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OASIS Opportunities Service Days




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District Rotary Foundation Chair

By Debby L. Amon



Sorting and packing clothing and supplies for students in need enrolled in the 250+ schools in Hillsborough County.

SIGN-UP
<https://www.oasisopportunities.org>
 Click on: How to Help
 Then: Volunteer
 Then: Sign-up [Read More](#)

Sparkle & Shine - Installation of new district Governor Chevion Baccus and the 2024-25 District Club

Incoming District Governor Chevion Baccus

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Magnolia Building
 702 E Orange St
 Lakeland, FL 33801

JUNE 8 - District Conference FOOD, FELLOWSHIP, AWARDS, and FAMILY FUN

This year the conference will be at Rotary's Camp Florida in Brandon, and we plan lunch, music, games, swimming, a couple of speakers, awards of all kinds, and a formal presentation about our district's newest club.


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District Public Image Chair

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Upcoming Costa Rica Service Project & Sightseeing Trip April 2025

Before...During...



& After 2014



Dates: TBD
Duration: Approximately 6 Days



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St. Pete Beach Clean-up and Fishing Meet-up

Details will be shared soon, or contact Mac Anderson

Give Back Breakfast

By Karen Mess Frasier on Monday, May 6, 2024



Every year we celebrate outstanding nonprofit organizations in Tampa and around the world. The breakfast invites those organizations to be our honored guests for the Give Back Breakfast. We know our donations are used to benefit people through these special programs and outreach.

[Read More](#)

No morning gathering--Memorial Day Weekend



Meetings resume following week, Friday May 31. [Read More](#)

H2O For Life Global Service Update

Monday, May 6, 2024



H2O For Life has completed 1,187 water, sanitation and hygiene education projects at schools since 2007. That year, Patty Hall answered a cry for help from a small village in Kenya desperate to build a water project. Now 539,624 students now have access to water at school. [Read More](#)

Hope For Liver Cancer Patients - Egypt

Wednesday, May 8, 2024



This is a project that Rotary New Tampa and 12 other clubs supported: Collin & Robyn Beach from our club were very involved with this effort. Hope for Liver Cancer Patients in Egypt is now complete. 27 Rotarians traveled to Egypt last month to meet members of our host club - Cairo Elite. Photos are from screening clinics in Mansoura Village near Sherbin, which is about 100 miles NE of Cairo. Members of Cairo Elite are all wearing red vests. Educational materials were handed out that focused on identifying signs and symptoms of liver disease. A tour of the Egyptian Liver Research Institute and Hospital was given by Dr. Farahat, who has been vital to this project. The hospital is a modern 100 bed facility with 14 specialized outpatient clinics. Also, a picture of a patient undergoing a medical procedure for liver cancer and pictures of the nurses' training sessions. Overall, this grant paid for 45 patient procedures and specialized training for 40 nurses.

[Read More](#)

Rotary Club of New Tampa Mission Statement

We promote the development of genuine friendships by helping members build their strengths to apply the ideal of "service above self." We positively impact the lives of others in our community and support Rotary International's global and service efforts.



What Is Rotary?



We are 1.2 million community and business leaders who create positive, lasting change in our communities and around the world. Our differing occupations, cultures, and countries give us a unique perspective. Our shared passion for service helps us accomplish the remarkable. We are [people of action](#).

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Membership Growth and Public Image

By Duane Williams



In recent newsletters we have outlined elements of a Membership Campaign to grow our numbers within District 6890. If you were following the membership newsletter articles, we were outlining a campaign to increase our members district-wide. [Read More](#)

Is 21-acres enough to contain a bunch of rowdy Rotarians?



Rotary's Camp Florida in Brandon, for more than 30 years, has been helping kids with cancer. The day after Christmas, 1991, 28 Rotarians from 17 different clubs pitched in to acquire the land and launch what is arguably one of the most important Rotary projects in Florida.

That's one of the reasons why this year's District Conference will be there, to raise awareness of this important location and purpose.

Plus, we wanted to be outside.

and not too expensive

and only one day

and have games

and swimming

and music

and food.

and awards.

Many clubs and leaders will be recognized.

Are you signed up? [Sign up Here!](#)

Come join us.

DG Steve

Be Sure to Attend the Installation Banquet for DGE Chevon Baccus

Chevon Baccus is a driven, "get-er-done" person who will transform 6890 into an efficient growing machine. A child of Polk County, Chevon grew up in Lake Wales and became a newspaper reporter there in the mid-seventies. She has owned a number of businesses over the years so she knows what success looks like. A long-time Rotarian and founder of "The Ridge" club in Lake Wales, Chevon steps into the District Governor's chair July 1st, but will be installed a few days earlier on Wednesday evening June 26 at the Magnolia Building in Lakeland. Register on DACDB. Please follow the QR code for registration

and payment.



Prior to that, on Saturday June 8, expect to see a number of awards handed out to clubs and officers as we celebrate the 2023-2024 year at the District Conference at Rotary's Camp Florida, from 9-3pm. Expect food, music, games and swimming, a DG Dunk Tank, and a special presentation about one of our newest clubs. See you there. Again, register on DACDB.

Only a couple of months left in the fiscal year. Promote Rotary. Celebrate Rotary. Make Rotary a bigger part of your life, and therefore in the lives you impact. See you soon.

DG Steve

Rotary Foundation Update for May 2024

By Mark Gilbert Scolnick



POLIO: Although we have 4 new wild poliovirus cases the World Health Organization (WHO) is still optimistic that 2024 could be the last year that we see this dreadful but preventable disease! [Read More](#)

Thank You District Conference Sponsors!



Sponsors make it happen, and we are definitely proud of ours! There are five levels of sponsorship opportunity available for our upcoming district conference in June, and we want everyone to thank those who have chosen to help promote the conference by supporting us as a sponsor.

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