

February 5, 2023 Imaginarian Greetings from Sunny Florida

It's February.

Time for **Superbowl**, **Valentine's Day** and **Punxsutawney Phil's** prediction of 6 more weeks of grey, winter weather.

That's not happening here, Phil, because our **District 6890 Rotarians** are busy spreading sunshine everywhere they go.

- The **Rotarians** from the **Westchase Rotary Club** spent a chilly Saturday spreading **sunshine, warmth and hope** by delivering furniture from **New Life Warehouse** to a family from Cuba who is starting a **new life** of their own in America. A week later these **Rotarians** were back out serving their community, this time enjoying some Florida sunshine at their Club's **quarterly road cleanup**. **Rotarians are Service Above Self.**
- It may have been a chilly Friday night but the **Rotary Club of Lakeland, the Lakeland Tiger Town Rotary Club, the Rotary Club of Lakeland South and the Lakeland Sunrise Rotary Club** warmed things up by working together to host the **19th Annual Rotary Twilight 5K** benefitting Common Ground Park. It was an amazing collaboration for a great cause. **Rotarians are People of Action**
- The **Rotarians of Hardee County** spread a little sunshine of their own by reading books to children at their local elementary school. Literacy is one of **Rotary's 7 Areas of Focus**. **Rotarians make a Difference.**



Check out the **Calendar on DACdb** for more information about **Clubs, Service Projects, Learning Opportunities** and other ways to connect with **Rotarians in our District**.

- The **Rotary District Conference Cruise** is collecting new or gently used musical instruments that we will be donating to schools in Cozumel as part of our **International Service Project**. If you would like to help with our District efforts, please contact Kim Tyson at hummingbird133@fastmail.com to coordinate pick-up of the instruments.

On behalf of your District Leadership Team
We are yours in Rotary Service

Debbie Meegan
District Governor
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