

Rotary



Club of Seminole Lake

Club Meeting

Seminole
Lake
Meets at St.
Petersburg
College
Seminole
Campus
Conference
Center
9200 113th St
N
Seminole, FL
33772
Time: Friday
at 07:15 AM

Club Leaders

**Mary
Fiorentino**
Club
President
Club Interact
Club Sponsor

**Wayne
Reynolds**
Club
President-
Elect

Karen Main
Club iPast
President

**Mark
Vernick**
Club
Membership
Chair
Past
President

**Nicholas J.
Fiorentino**
Club
Attendance
Secretary
Club
Secretary

**Timothy C.
Schuler**
Club
Executive

Bulletin

Rotarian of the Month - Gene Stern

Today's Agenda

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|--------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| 07:00 | Breakfast | |
| 07:15 | Call To Order | |
| | Invocation | |
| | Pledge of Allegiance | |
| | Eye Opener | Wayne Reynolds |
| | Introduction of Guests & Visitors | Rick Saltarelli |
| 07:20 | Health & Happiness | Vivian Lurie |
| 07:25 | Rotary Moment / Why | Mark Vernick |
| 07:30 | Club Business | |
| 07:35 | Today's Speaker | Amy Rettig |
| 08:00 | 50/50 & Happy Dollars | |
| 08:15 | 4 Way Test and Adjourn | |

Rotary Meeting-

Seminole Lake Weekly Club Meeting

Speaker:

Amy Rettig

Topic:

Partnership Development Manager, Junior Achievement of Tampa Bay

Description:

Junior Achievement of Tampa Bay, serving 13 counties including the entire Tampa Bay area, is a volunteer-driven, non-profit organization empowering the futures of local students by giving them the knowledge and skills they need to manage their money, plan for their future, and make smart academic, career and economic choices.

Location:

St. Petersburg College Seminole Campus Conference Center
9200 113th St N
Seminole, FL 33772

Club Business

Secretary
Past District
Governor

**Glenn
Stamm**
Club Youth
Services
Chair
Club
Treasurer

**Sharon
Harper**
Club
Administrator
Club
Treasurer
Co-chair

**Gerald J.
Cachia**
Club
Sergeant-at-
Arms

**Enrico
Michael
Saltarelli**
Club
Sergeant-at-
Arms

**Gene G.
Stern**
Club Rotary
Foundation
Chair

**Debra J.
Bebell**
Club
Programs
Chair

**Michael
Braccio**
Club Public
Image Chair

**Sandra
Jean Lilo**
Club
Community
Service Chair

**Charles W.
Oldanie**
Club
International
Service Chair
Club Director

**William
David
Outlaw**
Club
Vocational
Service Chair

**Robert W.
Cadzow**
Club Director

**Tiffany
Gorman**
Club Director

Club Business

Adopt A Mile

22 March 7:30AM Post Office

Rick Saltarelli

Prizes

**Prizes for Red party & First
Friday**

Gerry/Glenn

District Training

12 April

Karen Main

Tech help for seniors class is on the 27th of this month. It will the 4th Thursday of every month going forward.

Belize Missions Trip dates for the 2026 Belize Missions Trip to February 22-27 2026. We have a capacity for 14. Let me know if you'd like to be on the list. This isn't a commitment but rather a first expression of interest. Please advise if you are interested. Point of contact is David Buzza

Member Spotlight Dave Buzza



I'm originally from Ohio but was transferred around the country many times while in the corporate world like many of you. I also was an entrepreneur owning a commercial printing company in Nashville for over 10 years. After selling my company in 2006, I retired for a brief time before going back to the corporate world as the Chief Development Officer for a global printing franchise company. In 2018 I retired for good and set my sights on traveling the world. One of my other retirement goals was to take up hiking again, a passion from my earlier years hiking portions of the Appalachian Trail and other adventurous hikes in the around the country.

In 2020 while many of us were hunkered down inside our homes at the suggestion of one of my friends I watched the movie "The Way" starring Martin Sheen about a pilgrimage hike across Spain. The Camino is the way of St. James and has significant meanings for all those who walk. The Camino has been walked by hundreds of thousands for over 1,000 years. That was it, I was hooked and immediately started making his plans to make this pilgrimage that attracts individuals from all over the world. Two years previous I lost my one and only brother at a young age to Parkinson's disease while I was his caregiver. Like in the movie, I thought this would be a great way to deal with my grief as well as honor my brother's memory by spreading his ashes all along the way at significant locations across the Camino. In 2022 my dream became a reality as I completed the famous Camino Frances starting in Saint-Jean-Pied-de-Port, France and finishing in Santiago de Compostela, Spain walking just over 600 miles in 33 days. I have since also completed the Portuguese Camino in 2024 with Mike Braccio and others from our Rotary club. At present, I'm signed up for my third Camino adventure volunteering to push a disabled person in a wheelchair across 100km of the Camino.

I am married to my wife Candi and between us we have six adult children and 15 grandchildren. I am a 28 year Rotarian and lead teams to Belize annually for a mission trip. I am diligently working towards fulfilling my goal of seeing the world and experiencing the "retirement dream". Hopefully no more hurricanes will get in my way! My favorite saying is "You don't choose a life, you live one". Cheers!

Dream Center

We had another exciting and early morning at the Florida Dream Center. With this crew we got an early start to our Saturday morning, helping load boxes for distribution. We all had fun while helping in our community.

**Harry
Heuman**
Club Director
**Vivian E.
Lurie**
Club Director



April 12 - DTA

APRIL 12, 2025



DTA

DISTRICT TRAINING ASSEMBLY



GUEST SPEAKER

Brian Ford, COO
Tampa Bay Buccaneers

PASCO HERNANDO STATE COLLEGE

10230 RIDGE RD., NEW PORT RICHEY, 34654


8 AM REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST - 9 AM SHARP START TIME

*FOR ALL FUTURE CLUB PRESIDENTS, ASSISTANT GOVERNORS,
BOARDS, SERVICE CHAIRS, MEMBERSHIP CHAIRS, SECRETARIES,
TREASURERS AND FOUNDATION CHAIRS.*

PLUS A SPECIAL BOOT CAMP TRACK FOR NEW ROTARIANS.

PLEASE SHARE WITH YOUR CLUB LEADERSHIP

Click on the QR code above to register now!
Cost is \$50 per person.

Rotary 
Rotary District 6950

Becky Bennett, Governor
2025 - 2026

Rotary



**UNITE
FOR
GOOD**

New Members



Club	Member Name	Sponsor	Classification
Belleair	Spear, Sadieann	?	Wellness
Clearwater	Clements, Ron	Ed Shaughnessy	?
Clearwater	Rector, Bruce	Terry S. Simmons	?
Clearwater	Taylor, Bill	Gene Moore	?
Clearwater	Latvala, Bianca	Stanley Sofer	Direct Mail Marketing
Crystal River	Fielding, Kathryn	Don Shook	Real Estate
Dade City	Bursten, Aidan	Scott Knight	
Dade City Sunrise	Chesser, Matthew	Randy Bush	Clergy
Downtown Inverness	Russu, Nina	Robert Plaisted	?
Downtown Inverness	Infante, Andres	?	?
Dunedin	Scholl, Robert	?	?
Dunedin North	Muir, Graham	Gary Coughlin	Business Owner
Dunedin North	Pooler, Erin	J Rooney & J Wilson	Realtor
Dunedin Waterside	Walker, Luke	Bob Memoli	Pest Control Services
E-Club	Soozin, Adi	D Kroner & A Miller	?
Homosassa	Harrell, Alice	?	?
Holiday	McCarthy, Kelly	Maria Faith Johnson	?
Holiday	Rodriguez, Kellie	Cesar Rodriguez	?
Holiday	Cantie, Nathan	?	?
Holiday	McPadden, Justin	?	?
Indian Rocks Beach	Haig, Nancy	Joe Wright	
Indian Rocks Beach	Hair, Rihard	Joe Wright	
Inverness	Craig, Thomas	Crystal Lizanich	
Inverness	Goddette, Jill	M Carella & N Barry	?
Inverness	Herndon, Holli	K. Spires & L.Blue-McLean	?
Largo	Woodard, C Matt	Woody L. Brown	Financial Advisor
Largo	Woodard, Arrow	Woody L. Brown	Housing Manager
Palm Harbor	Erickson, Ocyrus	?	?
Safety Harbor Noon	Bischoff, Bonnie	Eric Johnson	?
Seminole	Marlow, Don	?	?
Seminole Lake	Parks, Jim	Curtis	Insurance
Seminole Lake	McGlamry, Wayne	Mike Braccio	?
Tarpon Springs	Stuempel, Al	R Wikle & B Handley	Executive Coach
Tarpon Sunset	McKay, Mark	Randy Nilsson	Reality Based Self Defense
Wesley Chapel	Salimbene, Camille	Rachel Markley	Business Development
Wesley Chapel	Edmonds, Eric	Terri Williamson	Jimmy Johns Franchise
Wesley Chapel	Pettinelli, Rebecca	A Layne & W Wenner	?
Wesley Chapel	Cooper, Chad	Troy Stevenson	?
Wesley Chapel	Baldwin, David	Cindy Ross	?
Wesley Chapel	Allen, Lincoln	?	?
Wesley Chapel	Mollene, Kyle	Warren Wenner	Non-profit management
Wesley Chapel	Benortham, Todd	Antonio	?

RLI - Rotary Leadership Institute



2024- 2025

Rotary Leadership Institute

building a better Rotary through education

A successful Rotary Club is best maintained by enhancing members' leadership skills and Rotary knowledge taught at RLI Sessions.

Parts 1, 2, & 3 will be offered. Also, Graduate classes for **Membership** will be offered

Ask your club leadership for details.

At RLI, you will share discussions with newer members starting their Rotary journey as well as members of many years looking to expand their Rotary knowledge. You will learn the different perspectives of Rotarians.

Register today!

Analyzing Your Rotary Club,
Service Projects, Strategic Planning,
Rotary Opportunities, Effective Leadership
Strategies, Service Project Grants, and the
History of Rotary are just some of the interesting
topics discussed. Plus a special Graduate Class

SESSION DATES

Saturday May 3, 2025

Facility:

St Petersburg College
2465 Drew Street
Clearwater, FL 33760

Parts 1, 2, & 3 will be offered. Also, Graduate classes for **Foundation** will be offered

For more information, contact District 6950 RLI Director PDG
Jamie Mick

at 727-642-8041 or PDGJMICK6950@gmail.com

To sign up By Going to RLITraining.org and click on Course Information and then highlight either Course Schedule or Registration.

\$100.00 per session

March theme



RI Monthly Themes & Calendar



Develop meeting agendas, projects, or public image campaigns based on these Rotary International special occasions.

[Calendar](#) | [My Rotary](#)

July 2024 - Maternal and Child Health Month

1 July — Beginning of the Rotary year

August 2024 - Membership and New Club Development Month

1 August — Service Project Center replaces Rotary Showcase

September 2024 - Basic Education and Literacy Month

October 2024 - Community Economic and Development Month

30 September–October 6 — Rotary Alumni Reconnect Week

24 October — World Polio Day

November 2024 - Rotary Foundation Month

4–10 November — World Interact Week

December 2024 - Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

15 December — Last day for early registration discount for the Rotary International Convention

January 2025 - Vocational Service Month

February 2025 - Peacebuilding and Conflict Prevention Month

9–13 February — International Assembly, Orlando, Florida, USA

23 February — Rotary's anniversary

March 2025 - Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene Month

10–16 March — World Rotaract Week

31 March — Preregistration discount ends for the Rotary International Convention

April 2025 - Environmental Month

30 April — Rotary International Convention registrations and ticket cancellations are due

May 2025 - Youth Service Month

June 2025 - Rotary Fellowships Month

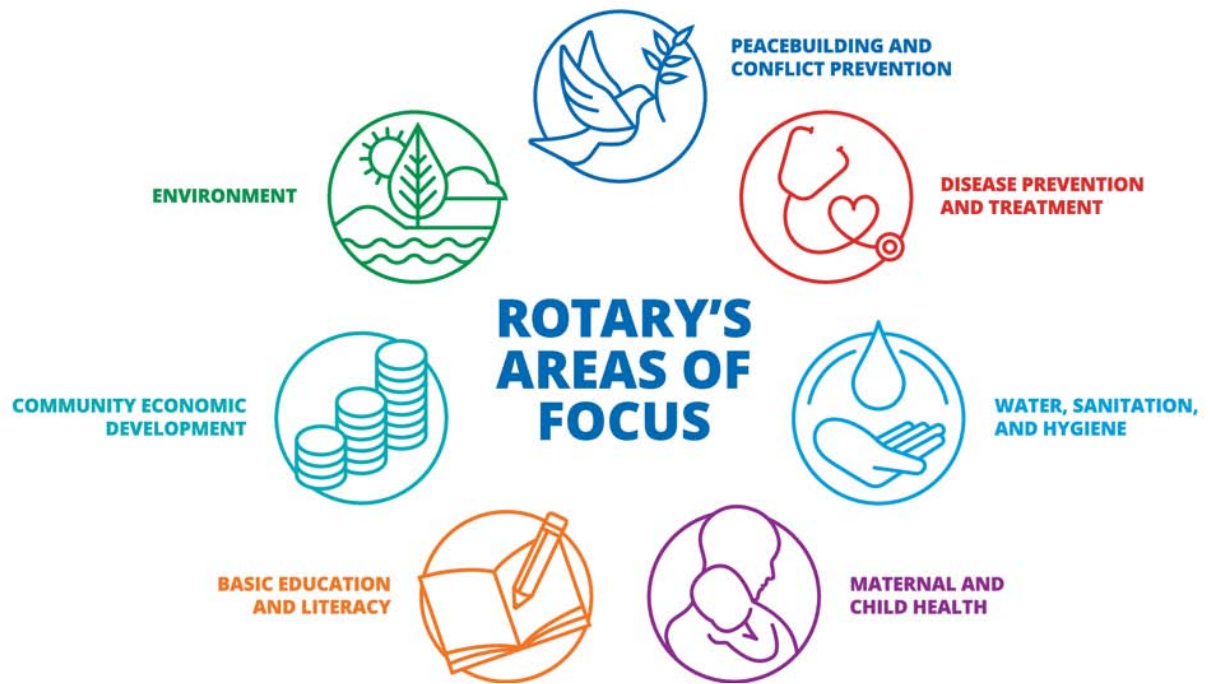
21–25 June — Rotary International Convention, Calgary, Canada

2026

11–15 January — International Assembly, Orlando, Florida, USA

13–17 June — Rotary International Convention, Taipei, Taiwan

Areas of Focus



Birthdays



[Michael Braccio](#)
March 22nd



[Edward J. Hallock](#)
March 28th



[Rebecca K Taylor](#)
March 31st



[Nicholas J. Fiorentino](#)
April 18th

Wedding Anniversaries



Mark Vernick
April 17th

Years of Service



Gene G. Stern
44 Years



Francis A. Barreiro
44 Years



Robin L. Williams
40 Years



Gary E. Marcus
37 Years



Wayne Reynolds
22 Years



Rosa Sang
19 Years



David A. Buzza
18 Years



Vivian E. Lurie
17 Years



Donald Bradford Fairbairn
12 Years



Theodora C. Komninos
9 Years



William David Outlaw
9 Years



Michael A. Marr
8 Years



Robert W. Cadzow
8 Years



Marianne Fisher
8 Years



Sharon Harper
8 Years



Karen Sherrets
5 Years



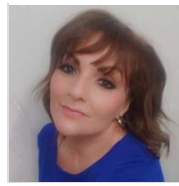
Wallace Hopkins
5 Years



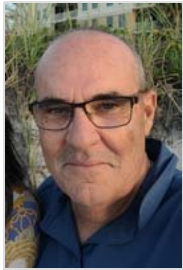
Albert Valk
5 Years



Enrico Michael Saltarelli
3 Years



Karla Moreno
2 Years



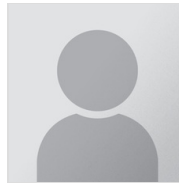
Michael Braccio
2 Years



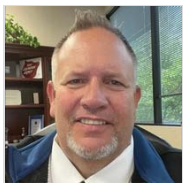
Matthew J Kessenich
1 Year



Michael E Ray
1 Year



Devin Dempsey
1 Year



Gary Sturdivant
1 Year



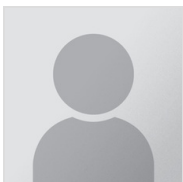
Loriann McKeever
1 Year



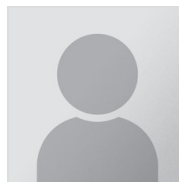
Curtis E VanHoesen
0 Years



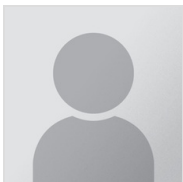
Michel A Clark Jr.
0 Years



Lourdes Mulet
0 Years



James E Parks Jr.
0 Years



Wayne A. McGlamry
0 Years

Speakers

March

21st - Amy Rettig

Amy Rettig - Partnership Development Mngr Junior Achievement of Tampa Bay

28th - Dr. Eduard Pocola

The UF Health St. Petersburg Dental Center offers a complete range of dental care.

Events

March

21st - Rotary Meeting-Junior Achievement of Tampa Bay

Speaker: Amy Rettig

Subject: Amy Rettig - Partnership Development Mngr Junior Achievement of Tampa Bay

27th - Early Act Club Meeting

28th - Dr. Pocola with the University of Florida College of Dentistry

Speaker: Dr. Eduard Pocola

Subject: The UF Health St. Petersburg Dental Center offers a complete range of dental care.

April

4th - First Friday Seminole – APRIL 4, 2025 – SOUNDS OF SOUL