

## Speakers

**May 19, 2026**  
Rotarian and LPD  
Assistant Chief of  
Police Hans Lehman  
Law Enforcement,  
Public Safety, and  
Cameras

**May 26, 2026**  
Dr. Bethany  
Thompson  
Detention String  
Project

**June 02, 2026**  
Annual Club  
Celebration Dinner  
At Bonnet Springs  
Park Event Center

**June 09, 2026**  
Member Profiles

**June 16, 2026**  
Robbie Bell  
Bees and  
Beekeepers

## Birthdays

Karen Moore  
May 19th  
Deane L. Hart III  
May 24th  
Carol J. Wallace  
May 24th  
Kathryn Dhue Abels  
May 26th  
Judi New  
May 31st  
Joey Bunker  
May 31st  
James H. Russell  
June 4th  
John Griffin  
June 8th  
Joe L L. Ruthven  
June 10th  
H. Allen Sale  
June 12th  
Cameron Rehbein  
June 13th  
Andrew Lingenfelter  
June 16th  
Dawn Lyons  
June 18th

## Years of Service

Nathan H. Dunham  
03-05-2002

## Club Meeting

Lakeland  
Meets at First United Methodist Church  
72 Lake Morton Drive  
Lakeland, FL 33801  
Time: Tuesday at 12:00 PM

## Weekly Meeting, May 12, 2026

By Julie O'Rourke Townsend on Tuesday, May 12, 2026

**Here's the recap of our May 12, 2026, Rotary Meeting >>**



**President Larry Becker** called the meeting to order.

**Karen Warren** led the Invocation, Pledge of Allegiance and Four-way Test, and so opened the meeting.

**Orathai Northern** introduced guests and visiting Rotarians.

**Beatty Raymond** gathered Happy Dollars.

**Haley Tonge** and **Beatty Raymond** served as greeters.

**Mike Loudon** led the club in singing.



**Blue Badge Ceremony! Congrats!!**

**CLUB BUSINESS:** **President Larry** floated the idea about a Rotary table friend.

**PAY YOUR DUES!!! Darlene Eanett**, treasurer, reminded us dues notices are being emailed.

**Irma Cole** has been selected as an emerging leader from our Zone 34. **WAY TO GO IRMA!! RCMA** sent us a nice thank you note for our recent donation.

Reba promoted the Tigers Game event (which has since been canceled due to low ticket sales.)

25 Years  
 Julie O'Rourke  
 Townsend  
 03-23-2010  
 17 Years  
 Donna McWilliams  
 03-06-2012  
 15 Years  
 Stacy Campbell-  
 Domineck  
 02-28-2017  
 10 Years  
 Melody Rider  
 03-06-2019  
 8 Years  
 Michael Beckham  
 03-01-2022  
 5 Years  
 Eric Gardner  
 03-01-2022  
 5 Years  
 Frances Hadley-  
 Ervin  
 03-01-2022  
 5 Years  
 Andrew Lingenfelter  
 03-24-2022  
 5 Years  
 William Boynton  
 Wynn  
 02-24-2023  
 4 Years  
 Kellie Anne Phillips  
 02-24-2023  
 4 Years  
 Karen Albert Warren  
 02-24-2023  
 4 Years  
 Melissa Innella  
 02-24-2023  
 4 Years  
 Dawn Lyons  
 03-13-2023  
 4 Years  
 Kristin Aiken  
 02-26-2025  
 2 Years  
 Tim Birri  
 02-26-2025  
 2 Years  
 Brent Degel  
 02-26-2025  
 2 Years  
 Cheryl L Bauman  
 02-26-2025  
 2 Years  
 Leila Blacking  
 03-04-2025  
 2 Years



**PROGRAM RECAP : Dr. William Allen, FSC Associate Professor of Digital Media - Interactive Gaming**



**PROGRAM May 19 >> Law Enforcement, Public Safety & Cameras – LPDACOP Hans Lehman**

**CANCELED May 22 – Flying Tigers Outing**

Jeff Carrillo  
03-02-2026  
1 Year

Katie Decker  
03-03-2026  
1 Year

Kathleen Killingsworth  
03-03-2026  
1 Year

Joey Bunker  
03-03-2026  
1 Year

Brad Sundgren  
03-03-2026  
1 Year

Tim Czernek  
03-03-2026  
1 Year

### Club Leaders



Lawrence M. Becker  
President



Matthew Alan Brown  
President-Elect



Thomas Conger  
Vice President



Ron Denney  
Rotary Foundation Chair



Darlene Enett  
Treasurer



Josie Hill  
Secretary



Irma Cole  
Club Public Image Chair



Fred A. Oeters  
Sergeant-at-Arms



Stacy Campbell-Domeck  
Club Director



Pamela Craven  
Club Director



Mark Fore  
Club Director

Trey Harden

## Upcoming Programs & Events>>May 26 – Detention String Project – Dr. Bethany Thompson

June 9 – Member Profiles

June 16 – Bees and Beekeeping – Robbie Bell

June 23 – President Larry Becker Farewell

June 2 - NO MEETING - ANNUAL DINNER THAT EVENING!

June 27 – District 6890 Installation in Auburndale – SAVE THE DATE!

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**CLUB**  
**ANNIVERSARY**  
**DINNER**

**TUESDAY – JUNE 2<sup>ND</sup>**  
**5:30 PM – 8 PM**  
**At Bonnet Springs Park Event Center**

President Larry Becker requests the pleasure of your company at dinner in honor of  
**THE 108<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE LAKELAND ROTARY CLUB**

Tuesday, June 2 5:30PM-8:00PM | Bonnet Springs Park Event Center

For Questions: Beth@lakelandrotary.org

June 13-17th - Rotary International Convention in Taipei, Taiwan.

**MAY IS**  
**YOUTH SERVICE MONTH**

Together, let's empower and inspire the next generation for positive change.



Rotary's Theme for May is Youth Service Month. It serves as a reminder that the future is built by those who are prepared, supported, and inspired today.

Rotary clubs and districts are encouraged to undertake projects that support the needs of young people.

Please start thinking about who you can nominate for our Students for Tomorrow's Leaders (S4TL) program coming up next month at Florida Southern College. Do you know a rising high school senior who might qualify as a future leader?



Club Director



Jessica Kirby  
Club Director



Andrew Lingenfelter  
Club Director



Martha Lou Luce  
Club Director



Karen Albert Warren  
Club Director



Marsha Leap  
iPast President

# ROTARY VISION STATEMENT



**Francesco Arezzo, a member of the Rotary Club of Ragusa, Italy, is our Rotary International President for 2025-26.**

**Arezzo is an orthodontist by profession and has been a Rotarian for over 30 years.**

*Follow our socials, and remember to Like, Join and Share!*

