

## November 13, 2022 Imaginarian

This is shaping up to be quite a November! Hurricane Nicole came to call, and rained on our parade-literally. The Flags for Heroes Celebration hosted by the **Rotary Club of Tampa** had to be postponed due to the weather. Stay tuned for the new date as we continue to honor our Veterans. **The four Lakeland Rotary Clubs** were able to host their annual Veteran's Day Breakfast Celebration. What a wonderful turnout of Veterans from all branches of Service. It was indeed an honor to be in the presence of so many hometown heroes.

On behalf of our **District Foundation Committee** we are very pleased to say that we have nearly 170 people attending the **Foundation Gala** this Tuesday! A big thank you to the many Clubs that have sponsored the event and or donated auction and raffle items. It is going to be a FUN evening celebrating The Rotary Foundation and our generous donors.

Here are a few activities that you may enjoy in the coming weeks:

11/16 – The **Satellite Rotary Club of New Tampa** welcomes all to their After Hours – Happy Hour from 6:30 to 9:00 pm at Peabody's Restaurant, Bar & Billiards, 15333 Amberly Dr., Tampa 33647.

11/16 – The **Rotary Club of Tampa** is hosting a Rotary Business Exchange Mixer at Envoy Mortgage, 4006 S MacDill Ave Ste C, Tampa, FL 33611, from 6:00-8:00 pm.

11/19 – Join **New Tampa Rotarians** cleaning up the shoreline and mangroves at South Gandy Beach.

11/24 - **New Tampa Rotary Club's** 10th Annual Wiregrass Turkey Trot - Walk - Run – Wobble. Register here: <https://raceroster.com/events/2022/57079/wiregrass-turkey-trot>

12/3 – **Fishhawk-Riverview RC** reminds us to bring our boats to the 38th Annual Alafia Lighted Boat Parade!

12/3 – **Lake Placid Noon Rotary Club** – Wild Game Dinner

12/3 – **Avon Park Rotary Club**– Freedom Flight Golf Tournament

Don't forget to register for the **District 6890 Imagination Cruise District Conference** sailing on 3/27/2023.

Just **IMAGINE** all the fun and fellowship we are going to have. There'll be time for some R & R too! Ports of call include Cozumel and Grand Cayman. <https://csherman.dreamvacationsgroups.com/index.html#/groups/10763769>

We also encourage you to sign up to attend the **Rotary International Convention in Melbourne, Australia**. Find out more about it here: <https://convention.rotary.org/en/melbourne>

And, lastly, thank you to all the Clubs that are actively using DACdb to post events! If your Club has an event to share, contact Linda Devine at [linda-rotary@ut.edu](mailto:linda-rotary@ut.edu). Be sure to post your events and meetings on DACdb so any Rotarian in our District can see it on our shared calendar.

On Behalf of your District Leadership Team – We are Yours in Rotary Service,



Debbie Meegan  
District Governor  
2022-2023

Celebrating our Veterans

WWII Veteran Andrew Bosko