

Rotary

Club of Fort Lauderdale



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Sunday, May 19, 2024

Rotary Weekly Meeting - Annual Scholarship Lunch

Annual Scholarship Awards Luncheon
May 22, 2024 at 12:15 p.m.



Moderated by Scholarship Chairperson, Terry Robinson

We meet at the Global Event Center, 416 NE 1st Street, for the live meeting. Join us at noon. The meeting will begin at 12:15 pm. Email rotaryftlaud@gmail.com with questions.

A lunch buffet is provided by Hugh's Catering.

Parking Update: December 6, 2023:

Please note that on Wednesdays during our lunch meetings, we have free parking if you arrive between 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. If you arrive after 12:30 p.m., please be sure to pay for the time you need to avoid getting a ticket.

[Click here](#) on Wednesday anytime after 12:00 to participate in the Zoom meeting.

You can also dial in, but you will not see the PowerPoint or video feeds. To dial in call: 646-558-8656 and use this Meeting ID: 954 424 0731
Password: 275406

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Annual Raffle Winners



And the Winners Are.....

Linda White won 1st prize - \$5,000.
Victor Steffen won 2nd prize \$2,500.
Rietta Steffen sold his winning ticket!
Linda Cooke won 3rd prize - \$1,000.

We raised approximately \$7,000 with this raffle. We will use these funds to provide scholarships to local high school seniors and to help with community projects here and around the world. Thank you to everyone who participated.

Our top seller was John Aquino.



Club Meeting

Fort Lauderdale
Meets at Global Event
Center
416 NE 1st St Entrance B
Second Floor
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301
Time: Wednesday at 12:15
PM

Events

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Birthdays

Christine Madsen
May 20th
Susanne Waterhouse
May 26th

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Rotary Community Corps Activities

On Wednesday, May 8, Tony and Jorg re-introduced the Rotary Community Corps (RCC) which our club pledged to support in 2015. RCC members are service-minded individuals who embody the spirit of Service Above Self. They give back to the community just like we do in our Club but cannot make the time and financial commitments that we are privileged to be able to make. President Rick asked for a list of upcoming events when our Rotary Club members can meet like-minded volunteers. Please RSVP to join us at the following events:

May 11 11:00 am – 3:00 pm, Book Give Away | RSVP required – Limited spaces

Every Child Reads – Nothing Else Matters! Please join the **Action For Literacy** team to giveaway gently used books at a special event at the L.A. Lee YMCA/Mizell Community Center, 1409 NW 6 St. **To register, contact team leader Jorg Hruschka at Jhruschka@fortlauderdale.gov.**

May 18 9:00 am – complete, Lifenet4families – Paint Resource Room and Sort Donations | RSVP required

Did you know that LifeNet4Families offers services to those who are chronically homeless, those who are newly homeless, and who are food insecure. The 3 pillars that essentially supports our services are: food and nutrition, health and wellness, and stability. Our Rotary team would like to assist by painting and organizing their resource room that is open to hundreds of underserved families each month. The team will meet at 1 NW 33rd Terrace, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33311. There is plenty of on-site parking. Wear clothes you do not mind getting dirty/painted. **For more information, contact team leader Les Campbell at lescamp78@gmail.com.**

May 25 9:00 am – 1:00 pm, Good Neighbor Day | RSVP required – Limited spaces

The City of Fort Lauderdale and Christian Life Center is collaborating with the faith-based Love Has No Limits organization and other Non-Profits to produce an informative, family friendly, Good Neighbor Days Community Outreach Festival at Walker Elementary School, 1001 NW 4 St, Fort Lauderdale, 33311. The Rotary Club of Fort Lauderdale is giving away fresh food to underserved families. **To sponsor or otherwise support the program, contact team leader Jorg Hruschka at Jhruschka@fortlauderdale.gov.**

Last Meeting of the Month Social

MONTHLY SOCIAL

MAY 29, 2024
5:30 pm - 7:00 pm



Gateway Shoppes
[1025 N Federal Hwy](#)
[Fort Lauderdale, FL 33304](#)

Happy Hour Food & Drink

Planning Meeting 2024-25



The annual Rotary planning meeting for the next Rotary Year
will be on Saturday, June 8, 2024.
ALL are welcome!

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Henderson Behavioral Health Center
330 SW 27 Ave., 3rd Floor Conference Room
Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312

MAY IS YOUTH SERVICE MONTH



Rotary believes in developing the next generation of leaders. Our programs help younger leaders build leadership skills, expand education and learn the value of service.

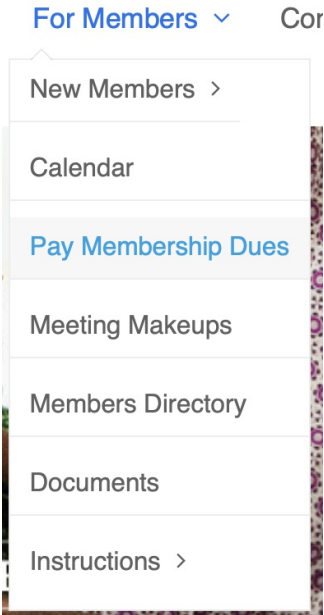
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Do you have a great idea for our next newsletter? Would you like to see more information on a certain topic? If so, please email your article or suggestions to [Barbara Sanchez](#).

SUBMISSION DEADLINE FOR THE WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Thursday, 10 a.m., for bulletin/newsletter being sent the following Monday.

Make a Difference: Join a Committee Today!

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As we continue to embody the spirit of "Service Above Self," we invite you to consider joining one of our dynamic committees. Your unique skills, passions, and dedication can play a pivotal role in creating positive change within our local community and beyond.

Our committees are the heartbeat of our club, and they allow us to focus our efforts and expertise on specific areas that matter most to us. Whether you're passionate about youth development, community service, international projects, or professional networking, we have a committee that aligns with your interests.

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