### Rotary



## Club of Tampa

Thursday, May 6, 2021

#### **Upcoming Events**

May 11th <u>Club Luncheon</u> Meeting Speaker: Jen Bricker- Bauer Subject: Everything Is Possible May 18th Club Luncheon **Meeting** Speaker: Vivekanand Jayakumar, Ph.D., UT Associate Professor of Economics Subject: Bitcoin and Cryptocurrencies � Are they Inflation Hedges or Just Speculative Assets?

May 19th

Rotary Club of

Tampa Board of

Directors meeting

May 25th
Club Luncheon
Meeting
Speaker: Mike
Deeson
Subject: Bad News
for You is Good

News for Me May 27th Club Spring Gala

#### **Happy Birthday!**



<u>Winnie M.</u> <u>Marvel</u> May 10th

#### **Your Leaders**



<u>Joseph D.</u> <u>Hunt</u> President



<u>Linda W.</u>
<u>Devine</u>
<u>Ph.D.</u>
President Elect

#### **Anything is Possible!**

Born without legs, one would think **Jen Bricker-Bauer** would be destined for a life of hardship. However, the hand of destiny brought her an amazing adoptive family, who gave her one simple rule, Never say can to and helped her forge a life of triumph, not tragedy. As a child, Jen was obsessed with gymnastics, and her idol was Olympic gold-medalist Dominique Moceanu. Seemingly against all odds, Jen went on to compete against able-bodied athletes, and became a State Champion in power tumbling only later to discover Moceanu was actually her biological sister.

Jen joins us via Zoom to share her inspiring story on Tuesday. See you there! Click here to register for the live luncheon. Deadline is Sunday!

Please remember to bring a mask or other face covering for fellowship time. If you are unable to attend, please email the club office in case there is a wait list. Thank you!

Or, Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85949539742?pwd=cERNRE1xcmwvTmhSMU0xQXNTb0NuZz09

Meeting ID: 859 4953 9742 Passcode: Rotary2020 One tap mobile

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#### Rotary Cares a Ton Challenge is now through May 31!

Can you say 6 tons??? Our club is just getting started! Thanks to our fearless leader Carolyn Wilkinson, this District-wide donation initiative = Spring cleaning for you!Let's keep the momentum going by continuing to

support the Salvation Army and other local causes that collect used household items, vehicles, furniture, non-perishable food, anything!

For a list of Salvation Army drop off locations, click this link. No matter where you donate, from now to May 31, clean out those closets, reach out to your neighbors, collect and donate as much as you can, and report the approximate weight of your donations to Carolyn Wilkinson by emailing here. If you can send a picture along, even better! CASH COUNTS TOO!. For every dollar you all donate in March or April to any organization, we get a 5lb per \$1 credit.

The club that wins this event for the district wins a Paul Harris Fellow for the member donating the most weight to the cause. Let's win this!



#### **Register now for the Virtual District Conference**

This year's District Conference may not be in person, but we are bringing the best to our District anyway!! We have the dynamic PDG Vanessa Ervin from District 7730, RI Director Stephanie Urchik and the



<u>Hanisha</u> <u>Patel</u> Secretary



<u>Charles V.</u> <u>Williams</u> Treasurer



<u>Jamie</u> <u>Adair</u> Sergeantat-Arms



<u>Steve</u> <u>Overton</u> Assistant Governor



Please join us via Zoom for the exciting
CELEBRATION of our historic pandemic Rotary year!
Have your family join you to hear our fabulous and
inspiring guest speakers. We have lots of surprises
in store and some great entertainment too!



amazing Peter Verbeek, District Governor from District 6990. This is a terrific lineup of inspirational Rotary talent that you won't want to miss!

In addtion to our great speakers we will also be joined by our very own Bob Thompson from the Rotary Club of New Tampa. Bob will offer musical entertainment and other fun anecdotes as the Emcee for the event.

Go to the DACdb calendar to register now- CLICK HERE!

Don't miss the Spring Gala - click image to RSVP!



# SPRING MEMBER GALA

FOR ROTARIANS AND SIGNIFICANT OTHERS

Thursday, May 27 6-9 pm Santo's Drinkeria at Casa Santo Stefano 1607 N 22nd St. in Ybor City

RSVP VIA THE CLUB CALENDAR
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