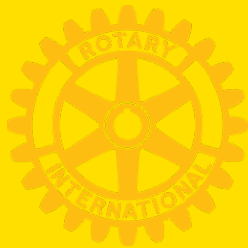


Rotary



Club of Tampa

Friday, September 27, 2024

Upcoming Events

October 1st
Club Luncheon Meeting
Speaker: Supervisor of Elections Craig Latimer
Subject: Hillsborough County's Vision - To be the best place in America to vote

October 8th
Fall Oyster Roast Club Social

October 22nd
Club Luncheon Meeting
Speaker: Dr. Susan McManus
Subject: 2024 Elections- What Can We Expect?

October 27th
Hillsborough River Clean up - service event

November 5th
Club Luncheon Meeting
Speaker: RCT Membership Committee
Subject: People of Action - Join us for the Membership Roundtable!

November 12th
Club Luncheon Meeting
Speaker: Robert Duboise
Subject: Wrongfully Convicted & Imprisoned for 37 Years - A Story of Freedom

November 19th
Club Luncheon Meeting
Speaker: Bemetra Simmons, President & CEO
Subject: The Tampa Bay Partnership - fostering collaboration & building business

November 26th
Metropolitan Ministries Holiday Tent - Service Event

Happy Birthday!

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Your Leaders



Kathleen Luzier Bogolea
President
iPast President



Connie E. Gage
President-Elect



Sunny Alexander
Secretary



John B. Kelly
Treasurer

Thinking of our neighbors after Hurricane Helene



There are a lot of flooded homes where we have not seen flooding before, downed limbs and trees, power outages and more all over our area. The Rotary Club of Tampa is praying for our neighbors and members as our community comes



together to clean up and rebuild.

Now is the time for #ServiceAboveSelf! Reach out to an impacted friend, community cause, or neighbor to see how you can help. Let's live our mission today!

Hillsborough County's Vision - To be the best place in America to vote



With our nation in the heart of election season, the promise of free and fair elections is a concept our citizens hold dear. **Craig Latimer is Hillsborough's County's three term Supervisor of Elections**, dedicated to making Hillsborough County the best place in America to vote. Join us on October 1 to hear more!

Mr. Latimer is the immediate past president of the Florida Supervisors of Elections and the first to earn the Governor's Sterling Award, the highest award for performance excellence in the State of Florida.

Public service has always been part of Craig Latimer's job description. Before working for the Supervisor of Elections office, he served and protected the community for 35 years in law enforcement, retiring as a Major from the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office in 2008.

Supervisor Latimer is on the board of the Central Florida Behavioral Health Network and the Tampa Catholic High School Board of Trustees, as well as Chair Emeritus of BAYS Florida and Honorary Commander for the 6th Medical Group at MacDill Air Force Base. He was born and raised in Hillsborough County. He attended Christ the King, graduated from Tampa Catholic High School, and earned his bachelor's degree from the University of South Florida.

Guests are welcome! Click here to register so we are expecting you. Members attend at no charge, and guests pay \$25 to join us. Members do not need to preregister any longer. PLEASE arrive by 11:45 so we can start on time.

Are you traveling? Join us on Zoom! [Click here for the link to the meeting.](#)

October 8 is our Oyster Roast - have you RSVPd??



Click the image above to RSVP today!



Lonnie Veasley Jr.
Sergeant-at-Arms

Service Opportunities are an RCT cornerstone

Throughout the year, the RCT offers so many varied opportunities to serve our community together. We are also interested in your ideas, especially when they are connected to our grant recipients. Here are the events you can already plan for! Learn more and share your ideas by [contacting the club office](#) or Community Service chair [Carolyn Wilkinson](#).



- October ongoing: Community Grant site visits & selection
- October 27: Friends of the Riverwalk River clean up
- November 26: MetMin Holiday Tent
- December 8: Holiday Gift project shopping day
- December 10: Holiday Gift project wrapping and distribution day
- December 21: MetMin Holiday Tent

Save the Date for the RCT Holiday Party!



EAT | DRINK | BE MERRY!

Rotary Holiday Party

December 6, 2024
6:30 - 9:30 pm
Virage Bayshore
2900 W. Julia Street
Tampa

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