



EYE OPENER

TALLAHASSEE SUNRISE ROTARY CLUB



August 5, 2022

Meeting Speaker -- Elizabeth Ricci, Holocaust Education Resource Council President

Please RSVP by Monday at noon if you plan to attend.

[RSVP HERE](#)

Elizabeth Ricci is an award-winning immigration attorney and advocate with varied interests. She was a member of the Tallahassee Rotary Club until 2009. She recently gave a TEDx in Miami about how we can change communities through art, expression, and performance. Elizabeth will also be a celebrity dancer with Legal Services of North Florida's Dancing with the Stars on December 8th!



With a deep love for learning, she enjoys teaching, writing, and speaking. Elizabeth has taught elementary, high school and college courses, has written several scholarly publications including an entry in the Encyclopedia of the Supreme Court. She has appeared on Univision, Fox and Friends, CNN, BBC, MSNBC, and in the New York Times.

She is a Presidential appointee to the Selective Service System Board and a current class member of Leadership Tallahassee.

Elizabeth is married to her law partner Neil Rambana with whom she has two teenage daughters.

On Tuesday, Elizabeth will discuss the mission of the Holocaust Education Resource Council where she currently serves as President.

Generous Sunrise Rotarians Volunteer Time and Talents

Let's DO Good. Have FUN.
How you will put Service Above Self with Sunrise Rotary this year?

Projects **highlighted** below are newly added to our Sunrise

The Four Way Test

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned

Inspiration

August 9

Rick Owen

August 16

Tyler Huston

August 23

Bob Gosselin

August 30

Dave Fiore

Birthdays

Dan Campbell

August 9

Sharon L Ofuani

August 16

T. Bo Schmitz

August 20

George S. Seliga

August 20

Brett Wellman

August 27

Bill Reardon

August 29



calendar. Mark your calendars NOW!

Questions? Please contact Club Service Chair Gale Workman, 850-228-1867 or gale_workman@hotmail.com.

A Champion is identified for each Sunrise service project. The Champion leads the project: plans and organizes it, recruits and engages volunteers, and implements the project. The Champion communicates directly with Sunrise members and Club Service Chair Gale Workman, who facilitates the Champion's leadership of the project and communicates with the Board about the project.

Sunrise Service Projects 2022-2023

Rotary Youth Camp July 24: Champion Palmer Williams. Thank you, Sunrise, for an awesome event.

Meals on Wheels (delivery Tuesdays 10:15 am-noon in July, September, November, January, March, May): Champion Melanie Quinton, via SignUp Genius

Fully Booked, Tallahassee: Champion Melanie Quinton, partnered with KCCI via Amazon Wishlist

CART Coins for Alzheimer's Research Trust: Champion Crystal Curvey, blue buckets on tables each week at Sunrise meeting

Bowling FUNrai\$er Sept. 18: Sept. 18: Champions Stephen Caldwell/Stuart Chandronnet, Capital Lanes, 4-6 p.m. \$200/lane or \$50 for individual bowler to be assigned to the Fractionals Team

Walk to End Alzheimer's Nov. 12: Co-Champions Rick Owen and CJ Aulet

Florida Department of Corrections Book Drive: Champion Stephanie Schwartz

Rotary Scholarship House: (fall and spring semesters) Champion Dan Nelson, Sunrise hosts a Pizza Party to Pack the Pantry once each semester.

Mentoring Initiative for Rotary Scholarship House: (academic year) Champion Betty Jensen to promote and implement mentoring relationships between Sunrise members and Scholarship House residents.

Boystown Birthday Buddies (monthly): Champion Dee Wellman, liaison with Boystown to recruit a Sunrise Rotarian to celebrate the birthday of one resident as needed

Red Kettle Bell Ringers December 5 and 6: Champion Christopher Campbell, Publix Village Square

Classroom Connection (academic year): Champion Colleen Castille, partnership with Tallahassee Chamber to support the Hartsfield Elementary

kindergarten classroom of Teacher Sophia Perkins

Sleep In Heavenly Peace Bed Build (District Grant) Champion Danielle Irwin

Ramp Build (Spring 2023): Champion Pam Doffek

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Thank You, Sunrise!

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July 25, 2022

RECEIPT FOR DONATION

Rotary Club of Tallahassee Sunrise

DONATION \$5411.00

VALUE \$5411- plus pillows, knives, forks, spoons, plates and beach towels

No goods or services were received for this donation.

Thank you for your support for dinner and a donation to Camp. Our Theme this year is King Arthur and the Round Table. So far the campers are thrilled with our activities. Camp is open and will run through July 31.

We appreciate your support as we work to meet our \$165,000 annual goal.

Sincerely,



Joyce Helen Dove
Executive Director

Rotary Youth Camp of North Florida, Inc., is a not for profit organization registered with the state of Florida and the IRS as a 501[c]3, FEIN # 59-3272746. RYC provides free, overnight summer camp to disabled children in north Florida and south Georgia.

Sunrise Travel Adventures



Betty Jensen and Gale Workman, while island hopping in New England recently, shared dinner and conversation with Adrienne Baumann, member of the Rotary Club of Falmouth, Cape Cod.

CART Update

Coins for Alzheimer's Research Trust

Thank you, Sunrise, for funding US-based research seeking a cure for Alzheimer's and other dementia. When you toss your small change into the blue bucket on your table at each Sunrise meeting, you make a big difference.



A Project of the Rotary Clubs of North America

CART started in 1996 with Rotarians voluntarily emptying their pockets and purses of change at weekly meetings. As of May 2022, CART had awarded \$11.2 million in 64 grants to recognized US research institutions.

100% of donated funds go to Alzheimer's Disease research. All administrative expenses of CART are paid from interest earned from invested contributions.

The CART Fund is governed by a Board of Trustees composed of

representatives from the Rotary districts that support the program. It is a 501(C)3 organization, Federal ID #31-1466051. The Fund is chartered as a nonprofit organization under the laws of the state of South Carolina.

8/2/2022: \$4.78

Sunrise CART total 2022-2023: \$57.28

Save the Date - Walk to End Alzheimer's 2022



Sign up for an Inspiration

Have something inspiring to share? Sign up for your day here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c44a9aa2fabfac52-inspirations1>

Sponsor of the Month -- Tyler Huston

Tyler Huston was born and raised in New York until graduating high school and attending Florida State University in Tallahassee, FL. During his collegiate time, Tyler participated in numerous organizations. He played on the FSU Lacrosse team as well as joining and becoming president of his fraternity, Sigma Lambda Beta.

Tyler earned an internship at a financial planning firm before graduating where he finished in the top 1% in the country and took the career full time. After spending 8 years at that firm, Tyler Huston opened his own, Pyxis Advisors, in January 2015. Then, in 2019, George Avant and Tyler merged their firms forming Avant Huston Financial Group.



Personally, Tyler is married to his lovely wife Darcie Morningstar. They reside in Tallahassee, FL with their three furry children, pups Margo, and Dingo and cat, Mr. Tux, and gaggle of chickens. Outside of work, Tyler is heavily engaged in the Tallahassee and Florida community.

He is serving or has served on:

- Leadership Florida Connect Class VIII (2017-2018)
- The Tallahassee QB Club Foundation (Biletnikoff Award) Honorary Trustee (2018-current)
- Founding Member of Capital Collaborative Group (2017-present)
- James Madison Institute Tallahassee Board of Advisors Chair (2015-2018)
- JMI Leaders Fellows Program (2014-2015)
- Tallahassee Sunrise Rotary President (2016-2017) Member (2009-Present)
- Network of Young Professionals Former President (2007-Present)
- Southern Hospitality Consultants (2013-Present)
- Knight Creative Communities Institute Project Chair (2012-2013)
- Young Alumni Development Council for FSU Foundation (2010-2013)
- Young Philanthropists Circle for United Way (2010-2013)
- Rotary Youth Leadership Award District Director (2010-2011)

Darcie and Tyler love traveling nationally and internationally, with a goal of getting outside the US one time each year, and seeing our country's great National Parks. Tyler also enjoys extreme sports with his friends having skydived, summited Mt. Rainier in Washington, Mt. Washington in New Hampshire, climbed Mt. Whitney in California, skiing, racing go karts, rock and ice climbing, attempted to surf and wakeboard. He's always looking for the next adventure!



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