



The Rotary Club of Tallahassee (Capital)



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Club Meeting & Place

Tallahassee (Capital)
Meets at Glory Days Drill, 1926 Capital Circle N.E., Tallahassee, FL 32308 2nd and 4th Tuesday each month
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Tallahassee, 32308, FL
Time: Tuesday at 12:30 PM

Club Officers



Linda Liebert-Hall
President



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Ed Acuff
Club Programs Chair



Gene Kelley Jr.
Club Service Chair



Joy Blomeley
Past President
iPast President

Events

September 10th
Tallahassee (Capital) Weekly Club

Tuesday's Program will be:

Brainstorm Session

Fund Raising Ideas

Meeting Location Reminders:

The September 10th meeting will be at:
Glory Days
1926 Capital Circle NE
Tallahassee, FL

The September 24th meeting will be at:
St. John's Episcopal Church
211 North Monroe St.
Tallahassee, FL

Fill The TUB

FILL THE TUB
09-10-2024

To kick off our "Ignite the Magic" year - Please bring your Fill the Tub items to our next meeting, September 10th. The recipient this year will be the Salvation Army.

Personal Hygiene :

Soap
Shampoo/ conditioner
Body wash
Toothbrush/ toothpaste
Razors
Deodorant

Household cleaners:

Laundry soap
Dish soap
Bleach
Windex
Floor cleaner
Disinfectant wipes

We will have our picture taken with our donation to the Salvation Army and hopefully get on WCTV Something Good.



Meeting

September 24th

Tallahassee (Capital) Weekly Club Meeting

September 27th

MAKE SANDWICHES FOR THE HANDS HELPING ANGLERS EVENT

October 8th

Tallahassee (Capital) Weekly Club Meeting

October 22nd

Tallahassee (Capital) Weekly Club Meeting

October 30th

Kearney Center

November 12th

Tallahassee (Capital) Weekly Club Meeting

Years of Service

Michelle Bailey
09-07-2015
9 Years

Birthdays

John Mackie
September 24th
Linda Liebert-Hall
October 1st
Brian L Wheeler
October 31st



Club Service - Sandwiches for the Hands Helping Anglers Event

MAKE SANDWICHES FOR THE HANDS HELPING ANGLERS EVENT

When: Evening of 09-27-2024
Where: 1906 Buford Blvd., Tallahassee

Hands Helping Anglers

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2024 EVENT DATE: September 28, 2024



Hands Helping Anglers 36th Annual Fishing Event Saturday, September 28, 2024

Hands Helping Anglers provides people with disabilities an awesome **FREE** day of fun and fishing.

Food, beverages, and bait included!

Transportation available.

Boats will launch from Shields Marina and other local sites in the Big Bend area.

Shields Marina
Serving Our Area Since 1952!



SPORTSABILITY
ALLIANCE

ROTARY CLUB OF TALLAHASSEE CAPITAL • ROTARY CLUB OF TALLAHASSEE NORTHSIDE

Hands Helping Anglers is a program to take people with disabilities out to experience boat fishing. Food, beverages, and bait will be provided for an awesome day on the water.

We are currently seeking boat owners willing to take a person with a disability fishing for the day. Even if you only have room for 1 person, you can provide a very special day on the water for an angler with a disability.

This will be our **36th Hands Helping Anglers** event, in partnership with Rotary Clubs and Shield's Marina.

As with previous years, most boats will leave out of Saint Marks, FL, but some will leave from other areas (depending on the boat captain).

Space is limited. Anglers are selected on a first-come, first-serve basis.

TIMELINE

- If you are interested in being a boat captain, please contact John McBride at 850-570-3467 or johnjennifer.mcbride@gmail.com
- We are taking registrations for anglers (people who want to go out on a boat fishing). If interested, please register here: [Hands Helping Anglers - September 28, 2024](#)
- Anglers will be matched with boats and transportation issues addressed

Mike McCall at Crafty Crab

This past Tuesday, Capital Rotary's guest speaker was Mike McCall, The Chief Meteorologist for WCTV. Mike gave us a great history of how he became interested in meteorology and how he ended up in Tallahassee at WCTV back in 1993. He also talked about how weather forecasts were developed.

We thank you, Mike, for all you do and your devotion to keeping an eye out for all the folks in the area.



Country or territory	Wild virus type 1 confirmed cases									Wild virus type 1 reported from other sources ²								
	Full year total							01 Jan-23 Jul ³	Date of most recent case	Full year total							01 Jan-23 Jul	Date of most recent virus
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024			2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024		
Pakistan	12	147	84	1	20	6	1	9	28-Jun-24	141	405	455	65	43	128	224	03-Jul-24	
Afghanistan	21	29	56	4	2	6	5	9	18-Jun-24	83	60	49	1	22	62	55	24-Jun-24	
Mozambique	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	10-Aug-22									
Malawi	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	19-Nov-21									
Iran	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA		3						20-May-19	
Total (Type 1)	33	176	140	6	30	12	6	18		224	468	504	66	65	190	279		
Tot. in endemic countries	33	176	140	5	22	12	6	18										
Tot. in non-end countries	0	0	0	1	8	0	0	0										
No. of countries (infected)	2	2	2	3	3	2	2	2										
No. of countries (endemic)	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2										
Total Female	18	72	59	2	10	4	3	4										
Total Male	15	104	81	4	20	8	3	14										

Countries in yellow are endemic. ¹Data reported to WHO HQ on week 30 in 2023 and 2024.

²Wild viruses from environmental samples, selected contacts, healthy children and other sources.

EPIC Award

As of TODAY your club is one of only TWO clubs in the district to achieve an award status. We are tied with Wakulla for BRONZE. We have completed the first three tasks of July, August, and September.

To complete October the club needs to rally up and do something for POLIO+. So put your thinking caps on and do the "Small but Mighty" thing and put together a plan. We will then need to shoot for November and December so get ready.



Excellence in Public Image Coordination (EPIC) Award

A snapshot of what is expected this year.

MONTH	TASK	DESCRIPTION	START DATE	END DATE
July	Public Image Audit	An audit of your club's online resources – social media, websites, cloud storage, email addresses, etc. – along with respective access credentials (e.g. usernames and passwords), as well as, who is authorized to use everything and correct and consistent branding across all channels.	15th May	31st October
August	Public Image Plan	Lay out where you are going to spread the word about what your Club is doing, what is your club story, when are you going to share it and what vehicle(s) are you going to use to deliver the news. Plan it out and don't forget to make sure you have help sharing all your awesome Public Image content in all your various news platforms.	15th May	31st October
September	Content Calendar	Create a Content calendar so everyone knows what and when the Public Image focus will be each month while also designing a set communication plan as part of your club calendar and Public Image plan, so that everyone is always on the same page about communication needs, what will be.	15th May	31st October

		shared and when		
October	World Polio Day	Share one or more images/graphics of what your club did for World Polio Day to educate your community about Rotary's efforts to End Polio Now and/or to support the PolioPlus Fund	15th September	30th November
November	Foundation Month	How is your club spreading awareness of the crucial work that our Foundation undertakes in our local communities and across the globe every single day and the importance of supporting our Foundation	15th October	31st December
December	Feedback	Provide feedback on how the Zones 33/34 Public Image Teams have supported your efforts to enhance your public image and how we can further assist you – What are we doing well? How can we improve? And what type of content would be beneficial as you share your Rotary story?	15th November	31st January
January	Rotary Brand & Learning Centers	Your experience with both the Rotary Learning Center and its range of Public Image courses and/or learning plans offered, as well as, the Rotary Brand Center and the Public Image resources its offers your club for everyday use as well as toward the Rotary Citation	15th December	28th February
February	Rotary Showcase	Your experience using Rotary Showcase as a means to share your club service projects and activities as a means of telling your club story and enhancing its public image	15th January	30th April
March	People of Action Posts	Showcase your use of the People Of Action campaign and examples of posts you have made on your social media accounts that have the highest engagement	15th January	30th April
April	Incoming Chairs	Share the names and email addresses of your club's Incoming Club Public Image Chair, Secretary and President	15th January	30th April

These tasks are designed to aid in organizing and facilitating the duties of the Public Image Chair while enhancing your club's public image. Complete each month's tasks to earn higher level recognitions as follows:

Platinum*: Complete 9-10 tasks
Gold*: Complete 7-8 tasks
Silver: Complete 5-6 tasks
Bronze: Complete 3-4 tasks

*To achieve Platinum or Gold recognition, your club must have completed the first three monthly tasks (i.e. July, August, and September).

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□ In the heart of Tallahassee, where the warm Southern sun bathes the city in its golden glow, there exists a group known for their tireless spirit and unwavering dedication to service: Capital Rotary. Despite its modest size, with only a handful of members, the club has a remarkable impact, fueled by a deep-rooted passion for making a difference. With 75% of its members boasting more than a decade of commitment, their history is rich, their service profound, and their heart for the community boundless.

The club's activities are a mosaic of community service, each project a testament to their enduring legacy. Every fifth Wednesday, members of Capital Rotary gather to volunteer at the Kearney Center for the homeless. As evening falls, the warm, hearty meals served by the club are more than just sustenance—they are a symbol of hope and compassion. The kitchen buzzes with activity, the clatter of pots and pans mingling with laughter and camaraderie. It's a rhythm that has become as familiar as the turning of the seasons, a cherished routine that brings a sense of togetherness to those in need.

Capital Rotary's dedication extends beyond the Kearney Center. Their support for The Rotary Youth Camp for handicapped children is another cornerstone of their service. This camp, designed to offer a haven of joy and opportunity for children with disabilities, benefits from the club's generous funding and hands-on assistance. Every year, the camp is transformed into a playground of laughter and learning, thanks to the club's unwavering support. For many children, this camp is more than just a summer getaway—it's a place where they can explore their potential and create lasting memories.

The club's impact is felt not only in the lives of children but also in the world of fishing enthusiasts with disabilities. At the Hands Helping Anglers handicap fishing event, Capital Rotary steps up to prepare lunch for participants. The event, which brings together anglers of all abilities, is made even more special by the club's contribution. As the sun rises over the shimmering waters, the fresh delicious sandwiches are a testament to the club's commitment to ensuring that every participant feels valued and cared for.

Throughout the year, Capital Rotary's support for the local Salvation Army is a constant presence. The annual Bell Ringing Event is a highlight, where members don their red aprons and jingle bells, spreading cheer and encouraging generosity in their community. But their support doesn't stop there; from filling barrels with clothing needs to assisting in various other events, the club is always ready to lend a hand.

Capital Rotary established the Dr. Samuel Meyer Scholarship at Tallahassee Community College to provide financial assistance to a graduating senior from a Leon County high school who took part in school activities and within the community.

In addition to these ongoing projects, the club recently launched a drive to collect household cleaners and personal care items for Second Harvest of the Big Bend. Their efforts, driven by a genuine desire to alleviate the burdens of those facing financial hardship, are a testament to their proactive approach in addressing community needs.

As the years roll by, Capital Rotary remains a "Small but Mighty" force in Tallahassee. With over 44 years of service, their legacy is not just in the projects they support but in the spirit they embody. Their story is one of commitment, compassion, and community, a reminder that even the smallest clubs can make a monumental difference. In every meal served, every camp supported, every bell rung, and every item donated, Capital Rotary writes a chapter of hope and generosity in the heart of their beloved city.