

Rotary



Club of Seminole Lake

Club Meeting

Seminole Lake
Meets at St. Petersburg College
Seminole Campus Conference Center
9200 113th St N
Seminole, FL 33772
Time: Friday at 07:15 AM

Club Leaders

Mary Fiorentino
Club President
Club Interact Club Sponsor

Wayne Reynolds
Club President-Elect

Karen Main
Club Public Image Chair
Club iPast President

Mark Vernick
Club Membership Chair
Past President

Nicholas J. Fiorentino
Club Attendance Secretary
Club Secretary

Bulletin

Novemb 6, 2024

Rotarian of the Month - Mark Vernick

Today's Agenda

- 07:00** Breakfast
 - 07:15** Call To Order
Invocation
Pledge of Allegiance
Eye Opener
Introduction of Guests & Visitors
 - 07:20** Health & Happiness
 - 07:25** Rotary Moment / Why
 - 07:30** Club Business
 - 07:35** Today's Speaker
 - 08:00** 50/50 & Happy Dollars
 - 08:15** 4 Way Test and Adjourn
- Wayne Reynolds
Rick Saltarelli
Vivian Lurie
Mark Vernick
Speaker-

Rotary Meeting-Samaritans Purse

Seminole Lake Weekly Club Meeting

Speaker: **Doug Meyer**

Topic: Samaritans Purse

Description: Doug will speak about Samaritans Purse and then our club will help pack Christmas boxes.

Member Spotlight Tiffany Gorman

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I was born and raised in Pinellas County. I graduated 4th in my class at Dixie M. Hollins High School (now known as Hollins High School), where I was Rotary Club Student of the Month in March of 1996. Immediately after graduation, I found out I was pregnant with my first son, Jonathan, so I

Timothy C. Schuler
 Club Executive Secretary
 Past District Governor

Glenn Stamm
 Club Youth Services Chair
 Club Treasurer

Sharon Harper
 Club Administrator
 Club Treasurer
 Co-chair

Gerald J. Cachia
 Club Sergeant-at-Arms

Enrico Michael Saltarelli
 Club Sergeant-at-Arms

Gene G. Stern
 Club Rotary Foundation Chair

Debra J. Bebell
 Club Programs Chair

Sandra Jean Lilo
 Club Community Service Chair

Charles W. Oldanie
 Club International Service Chair
 Club Director

William David Outlaw
 Club Vocational Service Chair



opted to stay in Pinellas County and attend St. Petersburg College. I began with the intention to obtain a two year Crime Scene Technician certificate, even though my lifelong dream was to be an FBI Agent when I grew up. But, as we all know, times were different, so I changed my major to Finance and transferred to University of South Florida, St. Petersburg. I later went on to obtain not only my BS in Finance at USF St. Pete, but also MBA in Forensic Accounting and Master of Accountancy (it's a long silly story why I ended up with two Master degrees). I later got my Certified Fraud (CFE) and Certified Public Accountant (CPA) licenses. During college, I worked full time as the opening manager at a corporately owned McDonald's in Pinellas Park and

afternoon shifts at Pasadena Pet Motel in Gulfport. I also welcomed two more sons during that time: Jacob and Joshua. I began working in banking at various local banks where I learned quite a bit about money laundering and fraud. In October of 2006, I was able to pursue my lifelong dream of working for the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and reported to duty for training at the FBI Academy in Quantico, VA. I have worked as a Forensic Accountant for the FBI for nearly 19 years now which has put me in an incredible position to testify as an expert witness in various matters, including murder, economic crime, and healthcare fraud. In 2011, I was selected to be part of the coveted Evidence Response Team (ERT) with FBI Tampa Division. ERT is responsible for responding to and processing federal crimes scenes which fall under the purview of our area of responsibility. I gravitated to the camera so I trained to be a Crime Scene Photographer. On June 12, 2006, that role would alter my life forever. I spent nine days photographing the crime scene of the Pulse Nightclub Massacre which was extremely difficult emotionally, and took a toll on my family. After spending two years in extensive therapy for Post Traumatic Stress Disorder, I was finally able to sleep again without recurring nightmares. Through therapy, I became a better single mother (I was happily divorced before I reported to duty in 2006), better friend, and better colleague. In 2020, I was selected to be part of the FBI HQ Resilience Working Group, which travels to the other 56 FBI field offices to train ERT team members on mental health topics and foster a culture of change to break the silence so many in law enforcement suffer with. These days, my sons are 27, 24, and 22, and I enjoy the freedom of traveling internationally on various mission trips to help out less fortunate throughout the world. I have been to Costa Rica (twice), Ecuador, Puerto Rico, and Guatemala so far and plan to go to Belize and Dominican Republic in 2025. I am also a partner at Radius Church in St. Petersburg where our mission is to move out in ever widening circles to help our community. My love for outreach and community is what brought me to Rotary and there is no turning back now!!

I currently run my own side gig that will be my full time job in retirement in a few years. I provide tax preparation for individuals and businesses, as well as ongoing bookkeeping and tax planning services. My business is called Genesis 41 Advisory Services

Club Business

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Hurricane Support	Ongoing	Mary Fiorentino
November First Friday	Highest profits this rotary year (since July) AND Highest nightly total profit ever! November 8th during our meeting, we are packing boxes for the Samaritans purse. The meeting on Friday is a club service project along with the presentation for Samaritan's purse. Please see updates that people have purchased since the last update.	Tim Schuler/ Gerry
Samaritans Purse		Mary Fiorentino
	50 small cars 140 animal erasers 60 #2 pencils	
Red Party Ticket/Sponsor	Ongoing	Mary/Gerry

Robert W. Cadzow
Club Director
Tiffany Gorman
Club Director
Harry Heuman
Club Director
Vivian E. Lurie
Club Director
Michael Braccio
Club Webmaster
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Events

November

8th - **Rotary Meeting- Doug Meyer-Samaritan's Purse**

15th - **Rotary Meeting- Mike Bohnet-Osceola High School**

16th - **Seminole Lake Rotary Club at the Florida Dream Center**

22nd - **Seminole Lake Weekly Club Meeting- Prep for Red Party**

28th - **Early Act Club Meeting**

29th - **Seminole Lake Weekly Club Meeting- Annual**

Red Party Basket Night
Interact
Dream Center
Club Breakfast/Social
First Friday November
Horses for Handicapped

14 Nov
15 Nov
16 Nov
29 Nov
Highest profits this rotary year (since July)
AND Highest nightly total profit ever!
Looking at Date in January 2025

Sandra Lilo
Mary Fiorentino
Rick Salterelli
Tim Schuler/Gerry
Karla/Mike

Events Red Party



SEMINOLE CITY CENTER PRESENTS
THE RED PARTY
Seminole's Ultimate Holiday Gala!

Friday, December 6, 2024
St. Petersburg College Conference Center
9200 113th Street N. / Seminole, 33772
6:00 pm to 9:00 pm
Tickets - \$50

- Music, Food, Door Prizes, and Fun!
- Dress in your finest holiday RED
- Music by The Sounds of Soul
- Bring a new, unwrapped toy or gift card to benefit Pinellas County Children in Foster Care

Limited Tickets Available
Scan QR Code to Purchase Tickets
or email gerry@williamclare.com






RED

PARTY <https://www.facebook.com/events/1081146310203602>

Seminole Lake Rotary Club and Seminole City Center presents The Red Party, an ultimate holiday gala featuring food, drinks, music, door prizes, and more! The event supports The Red Sled Initiative, a project dedicated to enriching the lives of children in the foster care system and their families. FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE Seminole: Get ready to take part in the largest holiday gala of the year as the Seminole Lake Rotary Club and Seminole City Center presents The Red Party, Friday, December 6, from 6 – 9 pm. The event will take place at the St. Petersburg College Conference Center, 9200 113th Street N. in Seminole. For a mere \$50 per person admission, eat and drink your way through a myriad of select businesses as they serve up a variety of delicious edibles and tantalizing refreshments. Show your holiday spirit by dressing in RED and enjoy music by The Sounds of Soul, door prizes, and more! A cash bar will be available. The Red Party is part of The Seminole Lake Rotary Club's Red Sled Initiative, a project dedicated to enriching the lives of some 1800 children who are in the foster care system and their families currently associated with Family Support Services. FSS provides safe homes for abused and/or neglected children and teens through foster care and finds forever families for children through adoption. For most, the holiday season is a time of joy, but for many food and gifts are not a given! The Red Sled Initiative is a project created to fulfill that need! Attendees who bring an unwrapped gift are eligible for door prize drawings throughout the event! LIMITED TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE! Due to the popularity of the event purchasing advanced tickets is highly encouraged! Tickets can be purchased at <https://square.link/u/wvX3VTjE> For more information contact Gerry Cachia at gerry@williamclare.com.

First Friday November 2024 Seminole City Center

The recent joint event hosted by the Seminole City Center and the Seminole Lake Rotary Club was a resounding success, drawing a large and enthusiastic crowd that highlighted the community's robust support for charity initiatives benefiting foster children. This collaboration not only fostered community engagement but also raised awareness and funds to aid in the welfare of foster kids, showcasing the impactful work of the Rotary Club in making a difference.

Calendar and Social Media

[Seminole Lake Rotary Website](#)

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Birthdays



[Robin L. Williams](#)
November 6th



[Matthew J. Kessenich](#)
November 9th



[Lourdes Mulet](#)
November 9th



[Timothy C. Schuler](#)
November 10th



[Francis A. Barreiro](#)
November 12th



[Karen Main](#)
December 2nd

Wedding Anniversaries



Rosa Sang
November 13th



Steven P. Sheehy
December 1st

Timothy C. Schuler
December 2nd



Club Anniversaries

Brooksville
November 5th
Dunedin North
November 21st
Belleair
November 30th

Central Citrus County
November 16th
Downtown Inverness-Citrus County
November 25th

Years of Service



Vivian E. Lurie
17 Years



Michael A. Marr
8 Years



Robert W. Cadzow
8 Years



Marianne Fisher
8 Years



Michael E Ray
1 Year



Curtis E VanHoesen
0 Years



Michel A Clark Jr.
0 Years

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