

Events

April 28th
[Jacksonville-Oceanside
Monthly Board Meeting](#)

April 29th
[Jacksonville-Oceanside
Weekly Club Meeting](#)

May 13th
[NO MEETING](#)

May 19th
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Club Leaders

Rebekah Gleason Hope
President

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President-Elect

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Past President
Secretary

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Club Foundation Chair

Kenneth R. Cahill
iPast President
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Club Director

Danielle N Fisher
Club Director

William B Huff
Club Director

Charlene Shirk
Public Image Chair
Club Director
Communications Officer

Kimberly Spencer
Bulletin Editor
Club Director

Mary Stutts
Club Director
Membership Chair

Rosemary Takacs
Club Director
International Service Chair

Rex J Williams
Club Director

Birthdays

Alex Brown
April 29th

John Griffis
May 3rd

William B Huff
May 8th

President's Message



Hello Oceansiders!

Dad joke of the day: Don't worry about your smartphone and tv spying on you. Your vacuum cleaner has been gathering dirt on you for years.

Oceanside is in the midst of quite the busy week! Friday, April 25 was the Karaoke social at Kim Spencer's home. The District Assembly was yesterday, and our own Club Assembly is this week's meeting! Please respond to Grace's email looking for input on the SWOT for our club.

Finally, we have a service event at PossAbilities Plus this coming Saturday, May 3. Truly a week where there is something for everyone.

NEXT MEETING: THIS WEEK: April 29, 2025.

Yours in Service,

Rebekah

Next Blood Drive

Chip Glisson

May 15th

Daniel J. Charletta

May 17th

Charlene Shirk

May 19th

Sarah Smith

May 20th

Cathy Rachel Fowler

May 24th

Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries
Found

Years of Service

Lynn E. Kleck

05-14-2007

18 Years

Kenneth R. Cahill

05-05-2015

10 Years

Donald D. Jacobovitz

05-24-2016

9 Years

Rex J Williams

05-11-2021

4 Years

Andrew Scammon

05-17-2022

3 Years

Sandy Simpson

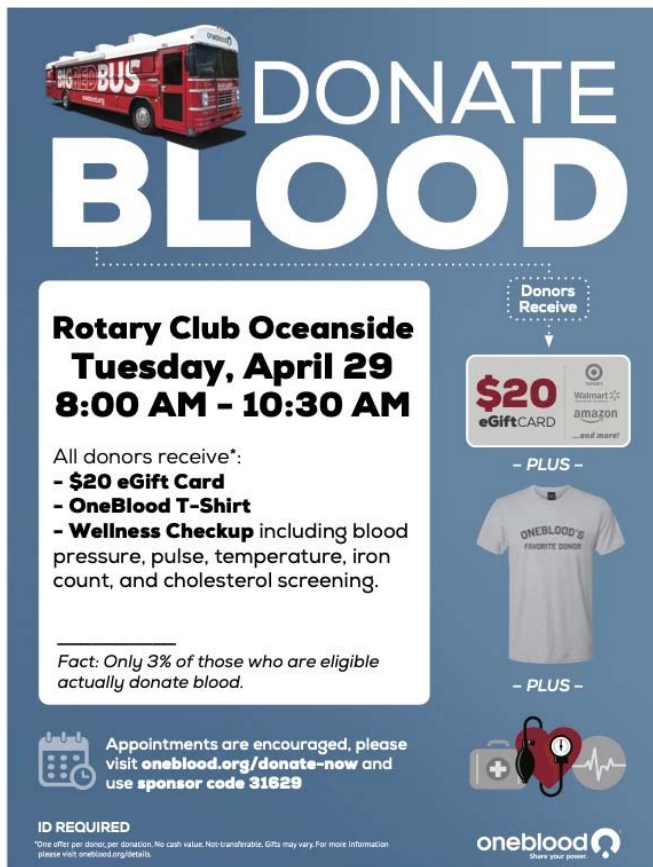
05-23-2022

3 Years

Fred Richards

04-30-2024

1 Year



DONATE BLOOD

Rotary Club Oceanside
Tuesday, April 29
8:00 AM - 10:30 AM

All donors receive*:
- **\$20 eGift Card**
- **OneBlood T-Shirt**
- **Wellness Checkup** including blood pressure, pulse, temperature, iron count, and cholesterol screening.

Fact: Only 3% of those who are eligible actually donate blood.

Donors Receive

\$20 eGift CARD (Walmart, Amazon, and more)

- PLUS -

ONEBLOOD'S FAVORITE DONOR T-SHIRT

- PLUS -

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ID REQUIRED
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Community Service Opportunities

ALL NEON SIGN

UPS <https://oceansidejaxrotary.app.neoncrm.com/nx/portal/neonevents/events#/events/April> is Autism Awareness Month. On May 3rd at 9AM we will meet up at PossibilitiesPlus (intersection of Atlantic & Mayport Road) to work in their garden which will involving weeding, fertilizing and perhaps some harvesting of vegetables. For those mechanically inclined there are several new bicycles which need assembling to include 1 tandem and 2 beach cruisers. Join us on Saturday May 3rd for a couple hours of fellowship and fun. And did I mention coffee & doughnuts?

Volunteer Proctors needed at San Pablo Elementary

May 7th May 13th May 15th

During the month of May state testing for 3rd, 4th and 5th graders will be conducted at San Pablo (across from Fletcher High). Each session requires a test administrator and a proctor. In the past, testing has taken up a significant amount of time for the teachers who normally serve as proctors. By serving as a proctor, we are freeing up teachers' time which is better spent in the classroom. We are basically serving as another set of eyes; the administrator will cover all the instructions and the actual facilitating of each test.

The time needed is 8:15 to 2:45 for each day with the possibility of being done early. Plan to arrive at 7:45 for a short training session by the test administrator. There will be a break for lunch. This will be hard to make for some as it is all during the week but we only need to provide 3 or up to 6 volunteers if we split up each day. Sign up in Neon or see Doug or Dirk if interested.

District Conference

The 2025 District Conference is on the calendar for June 6th & 7th in Daytona and ready for registration!

Kick off the weekend Friday evening with a delicious Low Country Boil on the beach-front patio with Rotarians from across the district! Start Saturday off with breakfast, be inspired all day by motivational speakers and impactful presentations, and join Northeast Florida Rotarian for lunch and leadership insights. Then, cap it all off with our District Awards Dinner, and dance the night away with the big band music of Crescendo Amelia!

Key points for you:

- v Members and guests can register directly at

- <https://Registrations.DACdb.com/Register/index.cfm?EventID=77817641>

- v Registration for the whole conference is only \$125 per person (with "ala cart" prices for individual dayparts listed in registration)

- v Hotel rooms are available for only \$189 per night (register by May 2nd for reduced rate)

We look forward to you, your club members, and guests joining us for our District Conference.

Friday Night Social

The Spencer house went loud and late Friday night! A good time was had by all, but by saying that I'm breaking the first rule of Oceanside Karaoke Club- we don't talk about Oceanside Karaoke Club! Already looking forward to the next one ~ OOMPAH!

