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The Rotary Tarpon

Rotary Weekly Hybrid Meeting

Rotary Weekly Meeting
Wednesday, July 13th at 12:15 pm



Speaker: John Wensveen, Executive Director, Alan B. Levan NSU Broward Center of Innovation

We meet at the Global Events Center, 416 NE 1st Street, for the live meeting Join us at noon. The meeting will begin at 12:15 pm.
Email rotaryftlaud@gmail.com with questions.

You do not need to order lunch, we will have Hugh's catering serving plated meals.

Park in the metered section of the parking lot, but do not pay. Parking is free! The lot is not monitored during our meeting.

[Click here](#) on Wednesday anytime after 12:00 to participate in the Zoom meeting.

You can also dial in, but you will not see the PowerPoint or video feeds.
To dial in call: 646-558-8656 and use this Meeting ID: 954 424 0731
Password: 275406

Click Read More for the Speaker Bio.

[Read More](#)

Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Center Pantry Drive



Pantry Donation Items Needed:

Cereal & Oatmeal
Peanut Butter & Jelly
Canned Fruits
Soups
Canned Beans
Rice
Pasta & Pasta Sauce
Crackers
Granola Bars
Diapers (newborn to size 6)
Baby Wipes

Bring items to our lunch meetings on July 13th or 20th or drop off at the Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Center, 1401 S Federal Hwy, Fort Lauderdale. Let them know it is from Rotary Club of Fort Lauderdale when you drop off!

Questions: Contact Linda Cooke or Steven Chess

Brews & Bites July Social & New Member Celebration



Rotary Fort Lauderdale
& Rotary Social
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invite you to

BREWS & BITES

Rotary Social Nite & New Member Celebration

Enjoy local beers and summertime socializing as two clubs come together to meet, mingle and welcome our newest members. Ticket includes 2 drink tickets, dinner buffet, brewery tour and special surprises.

THURSDAY, JULY 28 | 5:30-7:00PM

Tarpon River Brewing
280 SW 6th St, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301
Tarpon River is Pet Friendly!

\$30 /space is limited so sign up soon!
Go to: rotaryfortlauderdale.org or call 954.683.9159

Parking: on SW 2nd Ave
along the tracks, on SW 3rd
along the building or behind
the building. See Map.

1922 - 2022
Rotary 100
Club of Fort Lauderdale
A CENTURY OF SERVICE ABOVE SELF

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Thursday, July 28th
Tarpon River Brewing
280 SW 6th St, Fort Lauderdale
5:30 to 7:30 pm

Register early! Space is limited.

Tickets Cost \$30 per person
[Click here to register and pay.](#)

New Members who have joined the Rotary Club of Fort Lauderdale after July 1, 2021 do not need to pay.

[New Members only: Click here to register for the event via email.](#)

Email rotaryftlaud@gmail.com with any questions.

Club President Letter 2022-23

Dear Rotarians and Friends of Rotary:

It is tremendous honor to be the 100th President of the Rotary Club of Fort Lauderdale in our

centennial year. What a milestone! I am humbled to continue the legacy of those who came before me these past 100 years, and I am inspired by the over 1.5 million Rotary members worldwide we strive together with to uphold our mission of “Service Above Self.”

Last year’s International Rotary motto was “Serve to Change Lives.” It perfectly describes what we, as Rotarians, do every single day. This year’s theme is equally powerful: “Imagine Rotary.” Rotary International President Jennifer Jones – the first female rotary president ever – challenged members to “imagine the possibilities for change they can make to transform the world. Imagine a world where we get up each day knowing **we can make a difference.**” That’s a BIG challenge. But by being a part of Rotary, you ARE transforming the world and making a difference. Through the community and international projects our club supports, we impact thousands of lives. And this year – our 100th – **together we will continue to make a difference with ...**

- **Our Fundraising**, which has awarded more than \$3million in college and vocational scholarships to deserving area students
- **Our Generosity**, which has enhanced the lives of thousands of children and families in our community through our Holiday Toy Drive, Little Library book donations, Thanksgiving Basket distribution, and donation drives for people experiencing homelessness or in need of food and other life essentials
- **Our “Rotary Cares” Projects**, where we have painted, planted, rebuilt, and refurbished dozens of homes, non-profit facilities, and public spaces
- **Our Global Contributions**, which provide wheelchairs, clean water, education, and emergency supplies around the world, and
- **Our Stop Polio Now** support of Rotary International’s pledge to eradicate polio from the planet

At the end of the day, it’s the people that make a great club. YOU are all exceptional people of action. Working together, we CAN make the unimaginable happen. It may be ...

- One scholarship student at a time
- One person who got the gift of mobility thanks to our wheelchair donations
- One street or waterway at a time when we do neighborhood or beach clean ups
- Or one child at a time when they get a hot meal or gift for the holiday

It ALL makes a difference, and all of YOU make it happen. I look forward to serving to change lives and to Imagine Rotary, together, as we begin our next 100 years.

Jaye Abbate, Club President 2022-23
Rotary Club of Fort Lauderdale

Speakers

July 13, 2022

[John Wensveen, Ph.D.](#)

Executive Director, Alan B. Levan NSU Broward Center of Innovation

July 20, 2022

[Donn R. Colee Jr, author](#)

Legends & Lore of Fort Lauderdale's New River

July 28, 2022

[at Tarpon River Brewing 5:30 pm](#)

Events

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Birthdays

Taryn Koshelnyk

July 11th

