

Meet Our Speaker: **Heather Burford**

Heather Burford was sworn in as the Fire Chief of the City of Seminole Fire Rescue Department in January 2014 making her the second female fire chief in the department's history. Heather began her fire service career 26 years ago as a volunteer firefighter in Wilton, Connecticut. She spent 13 years in Manchester, Connecticut in the fire department and left her Battalion Chief position to assume the responsibilities of Fire Chief and Director of Emergency Management for a combination fire department in the Town of Ridgefield, Connecticut in 2006.

A Canadian native, Heather has had the opportunity to reside in a variety of cities across Canada and the US prior to moving to Seminole in 2013. She attended Iowa State University where she obtained a Bachelor of Science degree and later attended the University of Connecticut where she received her master's degree in Public Administration. A lifelong student, Heather has completed the USFA National Fire Academy's Executive Fire Officer Program and is nationally recognized as a "Chief Fire Officer".

Orange Grove Elementary Students of the Month

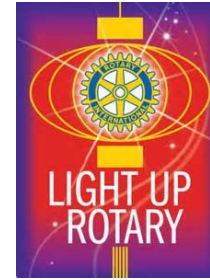


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February 25, 2015

PRAYER FOR TODAY: Lord, thank You for the wise words of others that help me be a better person. Amen

PROGRAM THIS WEEK: Fire Chief Heather Burford

PROGRAM LAST WEEK: Frank Edmunds, City Manager

**PROGRAM NEXT WEEK: Pinellas County Sheriff's Office
Canine unit**

Upcoming Events:

- March 7: **Rotary at the Races:** 11:30am at the Tampa Bay Downs. A \$2 admission fee includes parking, free lunch and giveaways.
- March 11: Deputy Thomas Kelly, PCSO, on terrorist awareness
- March 18: Jovana Unietis, former head pastry chef at Innisbrook
- April 16: Rotary Club of Seminole Golf Tournament