

Meet Our Speaker: **Ken Burke**
Clerk of the Circuit Court and Comptroller

Ken Burke is one of seven Pinellas County Constitutional Officers directly elected by citizens and responsible for safeguarding all public records and public funds. He took office as Clerk of the Circuit Court and Comptroller on January 4, 2005, and was reelected without opposition in 2008, 2012 and 2016. Ken obtained an Associate degree from St. Petersburg College and a Bachelor of Science degree, with a major in Accounting, from the University of South Florida. He is also a Certified Public Accountant and served as the Legal Administrator and Vice President of a law firm for 22 years before being elected as Clerk.

Over the years, the role of the Clerk has assumed nearly 1,000 individual statutory duties as delegated by the Florida Legislature. Ken manages all courthouse records, a local budget of approximately \$43 million and over 500 employees. Public service has always been a priority to Ken given his long track record of serving in numerous civic and charitable organizations, both at the local and national level. He has made significant contributions in the area of education, and has been a great asset to the support and advancement of the Florida Clerks and Comptrollers in all 67 counties.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS: NOVEMBER ROTARY ANNIVERSERIES

Chris Wujick	Nov. 1st	Ruth Berry	Nov. 1, 1995	24 years
Kelly Vaughn	Nov. 3rd	Steve Yudell	Nov. 11, 1998	21 years
Phil Crow	Nov. 13th	Eva Jones	Nov. 10, 2004	15 years
Ginger Hayes	Nov. 22nd	John Stockfisch	Nov. 18, 1998	4 years
		Phyllis Stockfisch	Nov. 18, 1998	4 years

Rotary Club of Seminole Officers 2019-2020:

President	Jen Reynolds	Sergeant at Arms	Bob Ross
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ROTARY 2019-2020

Club Number 4289

November 6, 2019

PRAYER FOR TODAY: Help us, God, to use the gifts you have given us to do your will. Amen

PROGRAM THIS WEEK: Ken Burke, Clerk of the Circuit Court, and Comptroller

PROGRAM NEXT WEEK: Gary Gilchrist, Honor Flight of West Central Florida

PROGRAM LAST WEEK: Presentation brought to us by Phil Crow

Upcoming Events:

- Nov. 20th Roger Edelman
- Nov. 27th Tim Ingold
- Dec. 4th Sandy Hartmann
- Dec. 11th Sara Im , Killing Fields
- Dec. 18th Alison Dolan, Clearwater Historical Museum
- Dec. 25th **NO MEETING, Merry Christmas**