Meet Our Guest: Host Rotarian Matt Lewis, Guest Speaker Matt Lewis, Financial Advisor at Edward Jones (see enclosed bio)

#### **EVENTS:**

<u>Club Social</u> March 13th 4:00 - 7:00. ClearSky on Park Blvd. All members, family and friends are invited to attend.

<u>Valspar Golf tournament</u> - Fundraiser for our club, Volunteers are needed at the tournament, members, family members and friends.

Please see Paul King to sign up - <u>Dates are March 20 - March 23 - 4 days.</u> Held at Innisbrook Resort and Golf Club, 36750 US Hwy 19 N, Palm Harbor.

Rotary Golf Tournament - April 17th. Golf Tournament will be held at the Bayou Club. Members are needed as volunteers to help support our club's major fundraiser. Please see Michele Davidson to volunteer.

**BOOZE BARREL DONATIONS NEEDED:** Please bring in medium to high quality liquor as we try to have liquor instead of wine/beer for the "Booze Barrel".

Michele Davidson has arranged for a 10% discount if she purchases the liquor at Total Wines, so if you don't want to purchase it yourself, please reach out to Michele and she will shop for you and receive a discount.

## **Rotary Club of Seminole Officers 2024-2025:**

President Mike Lurie Sergeant at Arms Stephen Basteri
President Elect Robby Groover Bulletin Editor Bernadette Homan
Secretary Lorie Whitney Past President Al Shields
Treasurer Tom Limroth

District 6950 Website - www.rotary6950.org Seminole Rotary Website - www.seminolerotary.org Rotary Club of Seminole P.O. Box 3313 • Seminole, FL 33775-3313 Club Meetings held at the Bayou Club 7979 Bayou Club Blvd., Largo



# SEMINOLE SMOKE SIGNALS



**ROTARY 2023-2024** 

Club Number 4289

March 5, 2025

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**FOR TODAY**: Lord, any mistake of judgement I make, let it be on the side of mercy. Amen.

#### **PROGRAM THIS WEEK:**

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#### HOST ROTARIANS FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH:

March 12th - Host Rotarian Alesia Warner, Student of the Month

March 19th – Host Rotarian Benjamin Pooler, Guest Speaker Benjamin Pooler, Generational Transitions - Relocation Specialists

**March 26th** – Host Rotarian Tom Limroth, Guest Speaker Rob Burnes, Pinellas County Environmental Management





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I started my career at Edward Jones after graduating from Southern Illinois University with a degree in accounting and working as a financial consultant to several Fortune 500 companies with Deloitte. My experience solving complex financial problems helps me simplify the finances for my clients here at Edward Jones.

We focus on serving a select and limited number of individuals and families. We put their most important goals in view through an established process. Personalized attention allows me to understand the distinctive needs of each client and put all the pieces of their financial puzzle together. We partner best with families and business owners with complex financial pictures pursuing a work-optional lifestyle.

Outside of the branch, I love getting outdoors, whether that be playing pickleball at Crescent Lake in St. Petersburg, or hunting and fishing with family and friends. I proudly support pickleball events and organizations that help grow the sport amongst our youth and special needs groups throughout Florida. I am passionate about the health of our local waters and wildlife and partner with Captains For Clean Water to help spread awareness for the health of our estuaries here in Florida.

We care for our clients by keeping their best interests first and foremost throughout, so they can focus on what matters most.

## **CLUB BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES MARCH:**

### **BIRTHDAYS**

Beverly Montgomery	March 5
Frank Massaro	March 12
Jerry Gunkel	March 15
Rafael Palaganas	March 15
Roger Edelman	March 19
Michele Davidson	March 20
Gerry Miller	March 23

## **ANNIVERSARIES**

Linda Bass	March 01, 1988	37 years
Hank Houser	March 01, 1996	29 years
Sandy Hartmann	March 01, 2012	13 years
Roger Edelman	March 13, 2019	6 years
Roger Kraft	March 09, 2022	3 years
Stephan Basteri	March 27, 2024	1 year