



**Triple your investment in our community by contributing to the
Rotary Club of Sarasota Foundation**

**Donations of \$25 - \$100 are matched \$2 for every \$1
24 Hours only - noon Sept. 20th until noon Sept. 21st
On-line only, by credit card**

Beginning at noon on Sept. 20th, visit www.rotaryclubofsarasotafoundation.org and follow the prompts to the Giving Challenge.

If you cannot make the donation on-line, or during the specific 24-hour period, you may simply return the enclosed form by mail - by 9/18/16 - and provide your credit card information (which we will strictly protect). Or contact Rick Hughes at 941-374-5896 any time in advance to gather your info. We will then make the donation for you on the day of the Giving Challenge and you will receive confirmation and a receipt for your tax deductible contribution.



Rotary Club of Sarasota Projects

- **Pioneer Picnic:** every year since 1973, The Rotary Club of Sarasota has hosted Pioneers at a community homecoming & reunion. Pioneer Picnic is a multi-generational celebration of those who have called Sarasota home for more than 50 years.
- **Next Big Project:** The Rotary Club of Sarasota is co-sponsoring the creation of in-school, mobile, dental labs to bring much needed dental care to students in need. Lack of proper dental care accounts for many absentee days from school and has a direct correlation to student achievement, health and well-being.
- **Food Pantries:** The Rotary Club of Sarasota, in partnership with All Faiths Food Bank, funded, established and provides volunteers for 4 school-based food pantries in Sarasota. The pantries provide much needed food to thousands of students and their families throughout the school year and part of the summer. There is the need for several more pantries throughout the county and expansion of the summer program.
- **Digital Learning Labs:** Rotarians funded and established Digital Learning Labs, providing computers and tutors for local students to thrive academically in our technical world. Through strategic collaborations, the Rotary Club of Sarasota plans to continue this program of excellence.
- **Kid's Cafe:** The Rotary Club of Sarasota funded construction of commercial kitchens at the Lee Wetherington and Roy McBean Boys & Girls Clubs of Sarasota County. The Kid's Cafes provide culinary training and fresh meals.
- **Dictionary Project:** Each year, Rotary delivers dictionaries to local 4th graders. Literacy is vitally important to a student's education and to his/her future employability and self-sufficiency.
- **Backpack Program:** Rotarians fund and volunteer to pack take-home backpacks of weekend food supplies, for those who would otherwise go hungry.
- **Oak Park School:** The Rotary Club of Sarasota participated in the funding and construction of the Oak Park School playground and sunshade. Additionally, Rotarians funded the purchase of computers and communication devices for students.
- **S4TL:** Rotary's Seminars for Tomorrow's Leaders is in its 36th year bringing hundreds of high schools students together, annually, for a week-long series of educational, civic and leadership training seminars.

Your donation will help the Rotary Club of Sarasota and Rotary Club of Sarasota Foundation continue projects like these in Sarasota!

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