



# ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office

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## Message from President

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Ken Schintzius, Clif Whelchel, Billy Passmore  
HCSO Museum

Greetings retirees,

In our last newsletter I reported the Grand Opening of our HCSO History Center in Ybor City at 2001 N. 19th Street, Tampa, FL 33605, on May 5, 2016, it is with great pleasure I report it has been a great success.

Thanks to the dedication of 26 of our HCSO Retirees, (1) volunteer from the HCSO Citizen's Patrol and (1) former employee. These volunteers have selfishly put in 936 hours from May 5, 2016 thru October 29, 2016. Also, hundreds and hundreds of visitors have toured the History Center from all over this great country during the same period. We thank our volunteers for their service.

We still need help, I am still trying to staff the History Center with Volunteers. Anyone wishing to volunteer their time at the HCSO History Center (a 5.5 hours shift) (Thursday, Friday and Saturday only), please email me at [Kenneth.schintzius@gmail.com](mailto:Kenneth.schintzius@gmail.com). Please be sure to include a phone number and I will call you and explain the program in further detail.

We hope those who live within driving distance, on vacation or just visiting the Tampa Bay Area, will stop by and take a tour (It's Free) of this awesome center.



### Board Members

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James Barth

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## Quarterly Meeting

The next Alumni Association Quarterly meeting will be held on October 27, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at J.J. Taylor Distributing Company, 5102 S. 16th Avenue, Tampa, FL 33619 (see map). A buffet style **dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m.** Please come join in the fun.

### Upcoming Meetings

The HCSO Alumni Association Quarterly Meetings will be held as follows:

January 26, 2017

April 27, 2017

July 27, 2017

For more information on the HCSOAA, please visit the Sheriff's Office website at [www.hcso.tampa.fl.us](http://www.hcso.tampa.fl.us)

### Directions:

#### FROM NORTH, EAST, WEST

Interstate 4 or 275 to the 50<sup>th</sup> Street exit. Take 50<sup>th</sup> Street (US 41) south to 16<sup>th</sup> Ave South and turn left. JJ Taylor Distributing is one block down on left. Landmark is King Automotive; it's across the street from 16<sup>th</sup> Ave. NOTE: If you get to Causeway Blvd, you've gone too far.

#### FROM SOUTH HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY

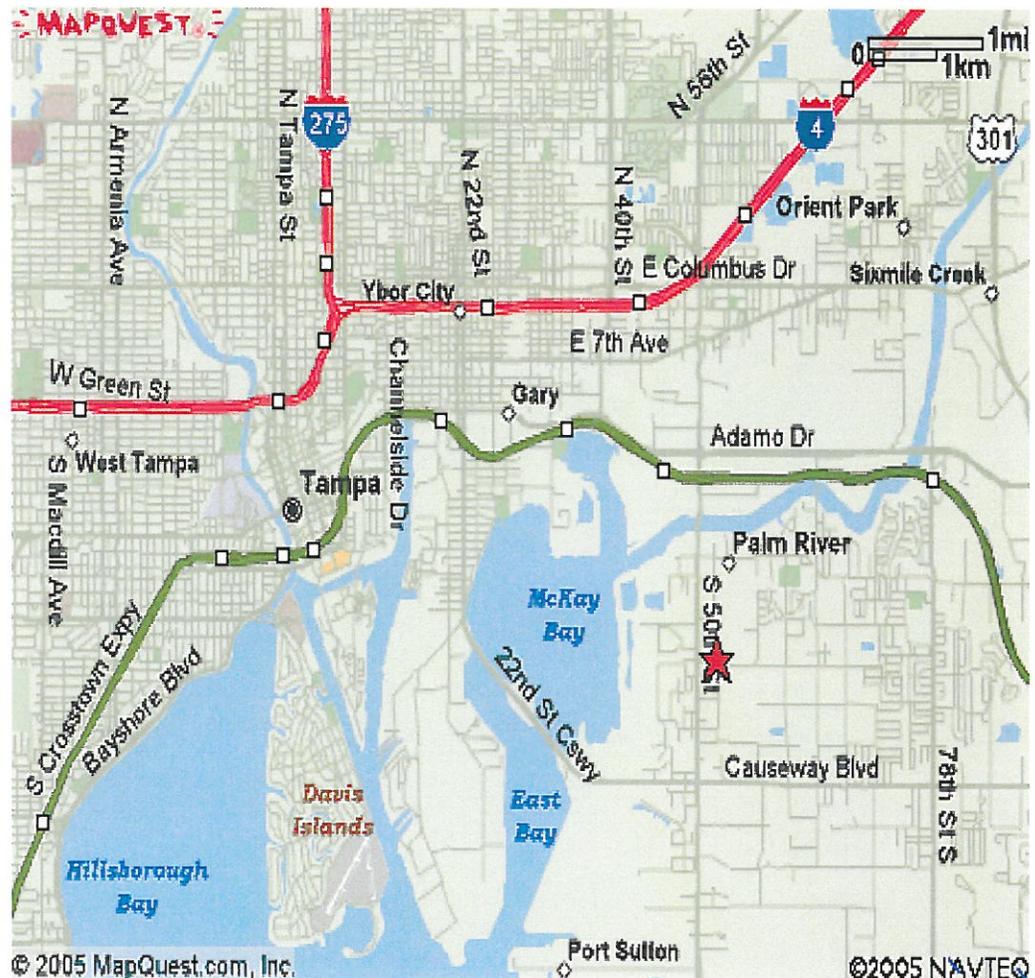
North on 50<sup>th</sup> Street (US 41). Turn right on 16<sup>th</sup> Avenue South. JJ Taylor is one block down on the left. NOTE: If you come to Palm River Road you've gone too far.

### Dinner Menu

Dinner featuring Lasagna w/meat, Broccoli, Garlic Bread, Tossed Salad w/Italian Dressing, Vegetable Tray w/Dip, Cold Cuts & Sliced Cheese Tray, Assorted Breads and Peach Cupcake.

### Flu Vaccinations/Vitality Checks

Flu vaccinations and Vitality Checks will be available at the quarterly meeting. Both will be **free** to those that carry HCSO Health Insurance through Humana. Bring your Humana ID card with you to sign in for flu shot and/or checks. The cost for flu shots for those that have other insurance will be \$32 and can be paid by cash, check or credit card.



**ATTENTION NEW MEMBERS**

Since the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office Alumni Association does not collect dues, we are accepting a voluntary, one-time donation of \$10. Anyone who is interested in making the one-time donation can do so at the quarterly meeting or mail a check to HCSOAA, P.O. Box 6843, Brandon, FL 33511-7001.

**Alumni Breakfast**

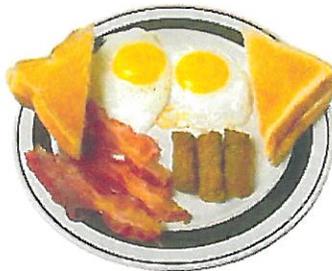
Alumni breakfasts will occur the first Friday of every other month.

The next Alumni Association breakfast will be held at 8:00 a.m. on Friday, December 2, 2016 at Perkins Restaurant, address 5002 E. Fowler Ave. Tampa, FL 33617. Please join us for food, fun, and fellowship.

Upcoming Dates:

February 3, 2017

April 7, 2017



**In Memory Of...**

**Retirees**

- Larry Caseber Sr., Correctional Deputy/Multi-Trades Worker II
- Glenn R. Davis, Detention Deputy
- Patrick Feutz, Detention Lieutenant
- Lyston Hallman, Community Service Officer
- Jerry Hoaks, Detention Deputy
- Errol Hunter Sr., Law Enforcement Deputy
- Leon James, Detention Corporal
- Michael Olson, LE Sergeant

**Current Employees**

- Ronaldo Arturo Barrera, Facilities Maintenance



**Shirts, Decals, Etc**

HCSO Alumni Association merchandise will be available for purchase at the meetings. To purchase items, contact Ken Schintzius at [Kenneth.schintzius@gmail.com](mailto:Kenneth.schintzius@gmail.com) or Sandi Ray at [waltray2k@aol.com](mailto:waltray2k@aol.com)

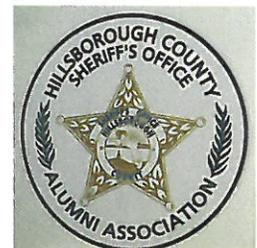
If you are ordering merchandise through the mail, make checks payable to HCSOAA and send to the address listed on page one of this newsletter. For stickers and decals, add \$.50 to your check for additional postage and \$6.00 for shirts, caps, and jackets.

<u>Items</u>	<u>Cost</u>
Window Stickers	\$2.00
T-Shirts (up to XL)	\$11.00
T-Shirts (2X)	\$12.00
T-Shirts (3X)	\$13.00
Polo Shirts (up to XL) **	\$0.00
Polo Shirts (2X) **	\$0.00
Polo Shirts (3x-4X) **	\$0.00
Jackets (up to XL) **	\$0.00
Jackets (2X) **	\$0.00
Jackets (3X-4X) **	\$0.00
Baseball Style Cap	\$12.00

\*\*All clothing items are currently on hold due to increased costs from the vendor\*\*



Baseball Style Cap



Window Sticker

**Donations**

We are still in need of sponsors to support the quarterly meetings. If you or someone you know would like to sponsor a meeting by donating \$300, please contact Ken Schintzius at [Kenneth.schintzius@gmail.com](mailto:Kenneth.schintzius@gmail.com)

## Welcome to the Club!

### New Retirees

Brian Alexander

John Bales

Frances Calvani

Michael Carroll

James Darby

Anthony Dorta

Jeremiah Dudley

Delores Forsythe

Fawn Hamilton

George Harper

Robert Henriksen

Juan Hernandez

Jodie Hines

Jimmie Hobbs Jr.

Mark Horvath

Gregory Jennings

Barbara Jones

Francis LaFeir

Thomas Mericle

Deborah O'Brien

Ronald Palinsky

Deborah Rogers

William Sarver Jr

Richard Sherin

Samantha Siebert

Marla Tierney

Patricia Vidal

## Congratulations!!!!!!



### Letter from the Editor



If you would like to receive the quarterly newsletter via email instead of U.S. Mail please email your name and email address to Tanya Preza at [tpreza@hcsso.tampa.fl.us](mailto:tpreza@hcsso.tampa.fl.us)

I have an additional email distribution list. If you would like to receive any HCSO information (Promotions, Funeral Notices of Retirees or Current employees, Retirement Celebrations, Humana Vitality and other insurance information) please indicate you would like to be added to the HCSO News email distribution list.

## HCSO Promotions

The Sheriff's Office Alumni Association extends our congratulations to the following current Sheriff's Office employees:

### Law Enforcement

Colonel Chad Chronister

Major James Bradford

Major Francis Losat

Major Kristin Poore

Major Kyle Robinson

Captain Christi Esquinaldo

Captain Danny Tewmey

Lieutenant Alton McCullough

Lieutenant Geoffrey Harris

Lieutenant Steven Lewis

Lieutenant Jeffrey Shiro

Lieutenant Thomas St. John

Lieutenant Kara Vance

Sergeant Leonette Wright-Garfield

Sergeant Samuel Bailey

Sergeant Jeffrey Caitlin

Sergeant Anthony Collins

Sergeant Kristian Gundersen

Sergeant Charles Hollis

Sergeant Matthew Luckey

Sergeant Stacie Molina-Dearth

Sergeant Peter Palm

Sergeant Andrea Reichard

Corporal Julius Grice

Corporal Joshua Haimes

Sergeant Clarence Rudolph

Sergeant Frank Tagliarini

Sergeant David Thatcher

Sergeant Jerry White

Sergeant Ryan Zacher

Corporal Krista Bateman

Corporal Chad Cave

Corporal James Dauphin

Corporal Michael Hannaford

Corporal Jeffrey Humphrey

Corporal Charles Keene

Corporal Joshua Loy

Corporal Justin Massaro

Corporal Stephen Meiczinger

Corporal Laura Pekarek

Corporal Carisa Pennington

Corporal Watts Sanderson

### Detention

Captain Michael Farrier

Lieutenant Peter Fuentes

Lieutenant Robert Fransen

Lieutenant Jason Palazzi

Lieutenant Brian Rogers

Sergeant Bobby Coleman

Sergeant Willie Comerford

Sergeant Ryan Harvester

Sergeant Michael Huhn

Sergeant Justin Johnson

Sergeant Scott Rogers

Sergeant Chandra Spampinato

Corporal Kelcie Crawford

Corporal Calvin Edwards

Corporal Michael Gelis

Corporal Chris Heppenstall

Corporal Matt Hernandez

Corporal Tommy Herr

Corporal Jennifer Kostelnik

Corporal Gary Miller

Corporal Brian Rawe

## HCSO Benefits/Humana Medicare Advantage Plans

The Humana Medicare Advantage team will be attending the Retiree Alumni meeting on Oct 27th to answer your Medicare Advantage questions and offer assistance. The Risk Management Bureau and Humana will host a formal plan information **Medicare Advantage Seminar on Thursday, Nov. 3rd from 1:00pm until 2:00pm** at the Pinebrooke Training Facility in Classroom #4. There will be only one seminar this year so, mark your calendar for this event. This will be your opportunity to find out about the specific details and features of Humana's Group Medicare Employer Plans. Thank you and I look forward to seeing you soon!

## Humana Personal Nurse & Humana First Nurse Advise Line

As we've been telling you, becoming a smart consumer saves you and the medical plan money. There are two (2) great nursing services provided to our members by Humana to help them stay healthier and to save money.

Humana Personal Nurse is a phone-based service. Participants talk to their nurse about serious health issues, chronic conditions and their overall well-being. They talk to the same nurse every time. Personal nurses help participants navigate the healthcare system, work better with their doctor and make smart health decisions with confidence. Personal nurses work flexible schedules and develop a personal relationship with members. To find out more about this FREE Humana service, call 1-800-662-9529.

HumanaFirst Nurse Advice Line is a FREE 24-hour health information telephone line. Nurses are available around the clock for your immediate medical concerns. Nurses can tell you if you need to go to the emergency room, connect you with programs to help you lose weight or quit smoking or they can help you find out more about a health condition. Keep this number handy, 1-800-662-9529.



Your HCSO Alumni Association along with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers have arranged a discounted ticket program for our retirees this season. The discount on tickets equals about 20 % off the stated ticket price with no charges for ticketmaster. These discounted tickets apply to all the Bucs home games this season. We have one game in particular that we would like to see all our HCSO retirees attend and that is the November 3, 2016 home game against the Atlanta Falcons. It's an evening game, so it's cooler and we don't have to get up in the morning to go to work. A representative from the Bucs organization will be attending our October dinner meeting to speak to the group as well about this tremendous offer.

A flyer with the required access code to purchase these discounted tickets will be emailed to the HCSO News distribution list at a later time. We hope all our retirees take advantage of this great offer. If anyone has questions about this offer and can't wait till our dinner meeting, feel free to Ken Schintzius -kenneth.schintzius@gmail.com or Jim Barth - jeb9925@verizon.net for details.

## Advisory Board

### Members

Joe Franceschi  
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