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Mar 15	World Speech Day	National Peanut Lovers Day
Mar 17	St. Patrick's Day	National Corn Beef & Cabbage Day
Mar 19	National Read to Me Day	National Let's Laugh Day
Fri, Mar 20	Spring Equinox	World Day of Theater for Young People & Children
Sun, Mar 29	Palm Sunday	World Piano Day



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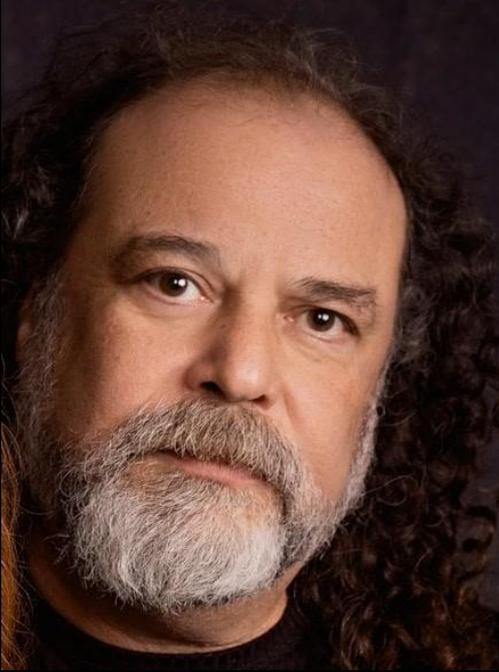
Joanne Durann has written for The Examiner, Yahoo.com, Axs, Out On The Town Magazine, and is a writing instructor. She has authored multiple books, new articles, and entertainment pieces. She has interviewed the likes of Geoff Tate, Mark Daly, and Rudy Sarzo, among others. After a successful career in education, Joanne's passion for the Florida lifestyle and the Tampa Bay area landed her in Apollo Beach. Joanne has worked in the real estate industry at Keller Williams with the Lovitch Group since her move to Florida from Pennsylvania, and she loved what she did. Joanne has a certification from the University of Michigan in Negotiations, has studied remotely with Harvard University, and is a member of The Working Women of Tampa Bay, WISE Tampa Bay, and the National Association of Professional Women.

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Howard Durann – Sales and Marketing



Howard Durann is a dynamic sales and marketing executive at Tampa Bay Sports and Entertainment (TBSE), where he plays a key role in driving fan engagement, sponsorship growth, and strategic brand initiatives.

With over a decade of experience, Howard specializes in blending data-driven strategy with creative execution to maximize impact in the arena and beyond. At TBSE, he has executed integrated marketing campaigns and secured high-value partnerships.

Howard brings a passion for innovation, a deep understanding of the sports and entertainment landscape, and a commitment to building lasting relationships with corporate partners, the media, and the community. His leadership continues to contribute to TBSE's success.

Phil Stoecker grew up the son of journalists, and youngest of eight children in a small town outside of New York City. He joined the U.S. Navy in 1979, serving as a cryptologist aboard submarines and at overseas duty stations. After his 10-year stint in the Navy, he was hired by the Department of the Navy, where he served as a civilian analyst until he retired 27 years later and moved from the Washington D.C. area to the Tampa Bay area with his wife, Trish, the Managing Editor. Phil indulges his hobbies as an amateur photographer and writer, and strumming one of his seven guitars, one of which is pictured above in Trish's arms. He hopes to make entertaining contributions to this publication.



Sun, Sand, and Salt: Some of the Best Beaches in Tampa Bay



The Tampa Bay area is home to some of the most acclaimed shorelines in the world. Whether you are looking for a high-energy boardwalk with sunset festivals or a secluded island where the only residents are ospreys and gopher tortoises, the Gulf Coast delivers.

As of early 2026, several local spots continue to dominate national "Best of" rankings, proving that this 35-mile stretch of Florida coastline remains a premier destination for locals and travelers alike.

- **Clearwater Beach:** Frequently ranked among the top two beaches in the U.S., Clearwater is the social heart of the region. The **Beach Walk** promenade is perfect for strolling, and the nightly **Sunsets at Pier 60** festival features artisans and street performers.

- **St. Pete Beach:** Known for its laid-back yet upscale vibe, this beach is home to the "Pink Palace"—the historic **Don CeSar** hotel. It's a favorite among families and those seeking a mix of boutique shops and emerald-green waters.

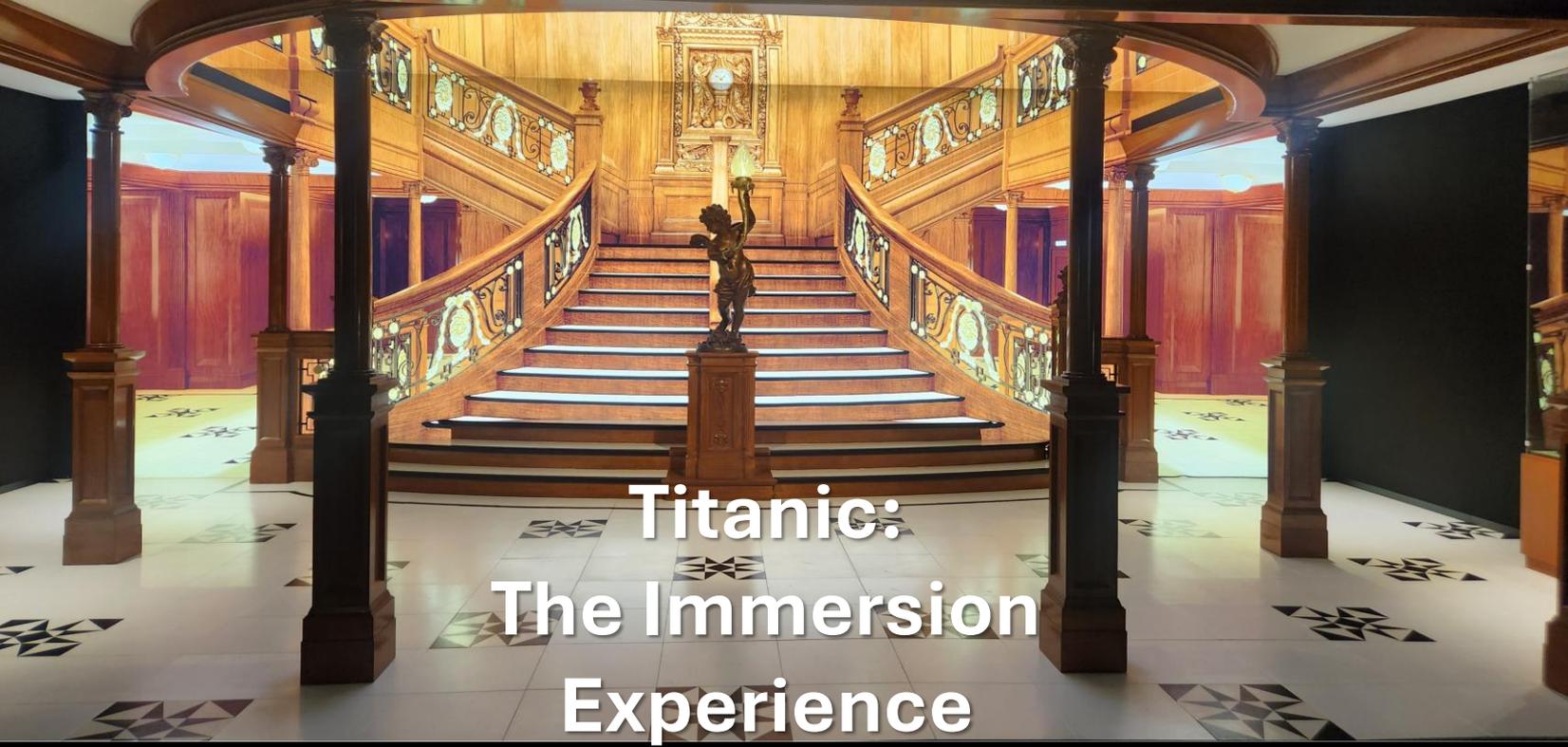
- **Siesta Beach (Sarasota):** Though a bit south of the bay proper, Siesta is legendary for its 99% quartz sand, which stays cool to the touch even in the blistering Florida heat. It recently secured the #6 spot in Tripadvisor's 2026 rankings.

If you want to escape the high-rises and neon lights, these protected areas offer a glimpse into "Old Florida."

Beach	Access Type	Best For
Honeymoon Island	Car / Bridge	Hiking trails, shelling, and a dedicated dog beach.
Caladesi Island	Ferry / Boat	Untouched white sand and mangrove kayaking.
Fort De Soto Park	Car / Bridge	History buffs (Spanish-American War fort) and camping.
Egmont Key	Ferry Only	Snorkeling around sunken ruins and seeing the 1858 lighthouse.

For a more relaxed, community-focused afternoon, head to these smaller beach towns.

- Pass-a-Grille:** Located at the southernmost tip of St. Pete Beach, this historic district has no high-rises, just charming boutiques and the famous **Merry Pier**.
- Indian Rocks Beach:** A quieter alternative for families, offering dozens of public access points and a residential feel.
- Madeira Beach:** Often called "Mad Beach," it's home to **John's Pass Village & Boardwalk**, a rustic fishing village-turned-tourist hub with great seafood and dolphin cruises.



Titanic: The Immersion Experience

At Tampa Bay Sports and Entertainment, we have been very lucky to see many things. One of those was the Titanic Experience, and we got to sit down with Gautam Chandna, SVP of Global Touring Exhibition Hub, to speak all things Titanic.

When people come to an immersion experience, they get to feel lots of different emotions and see things in a different way. The last one in Tampa was the Van Gogh experience, which felt like stepping into a painting. This is more of stepping into a tragedy.

How do you keep the thought behind what happened while still giving people the exact experience?

Very good question, actually, never been asked this question before stepping into a tragedy, and yet it gives the right way to entertain. So, the story of the Titanic is that it's a lot about love, heroism, courage, and loss in the end, right? It's you know people who survive. You know, by luck, by God's choice, or whatever you want to call it. But then there's a lot that did not survive, or did, and their counterparts were lost.

What you see here is that we learn from history; it teaches us a lesson. We learn from these maritime mistakes that were not in place, these laws were not in place, and above all, what you see is. They were the wealthiest of the wealthiest on the ship, as we know, and people who were not so well-to-do were all on the same level. When nature strikes, money cannot save you. You know, it's not money that will protect you from anything. It's nature, and it will do its course.

Ultimately, we're all humans. There's a famous quote, "We're all passengers on the Titanic. Everybody's on the same platform, no matter how wealthy you are or what you have or may not have anything." In the end, I think it teaches us a lot of these lessons in many different ways. That touches on our lives; as you know, we can connect with a passenger through this and learn from it.

How does this experience with the Titanic give you things that other Titanic experiences haven't?

Yeah, so there are a few other Titanic experiences out there, and they focus on the ship, the machinery. The marvel, the engineering, whereas our experience covers that as well. But our experience is more about human lives, the passengers' and the crew's stories, what happened, and the fateful night. It shows you the passengers' personal belongings, which you can then relate to. You have empathy with the passenger, one-on-one.

who survived. That's when you come out having goosebumps or just tears as to what happened that night.

And then after that, we've used a lot of technology to show and connect people to empathize with the passengers and the ship, the VR. The experience that takes you down to the bottom of the ocean to the rec site, 2 1/2 miles underwater. Then you go there to see what the Titanic wreck looks like today, and it brings you back to the deck. You and your passenger then walk on the deck, going through the rooms recreated in digital format, and that is what makes it different from the other Titanic shows.

What in your gut feeling made you decide Tampa was one of those places that needed to be seen and felt this way?

Tampa, you know, right by the ocean, I guess. You know, the ocean is in the DNA of the city. Huge maritime history and Port Authority here, and also there's that organization, the Coast Guard Cutter Tampa, that was assigned after the disaster to patrol and help with the maritime laws, so the region has direct links to the Titanic.



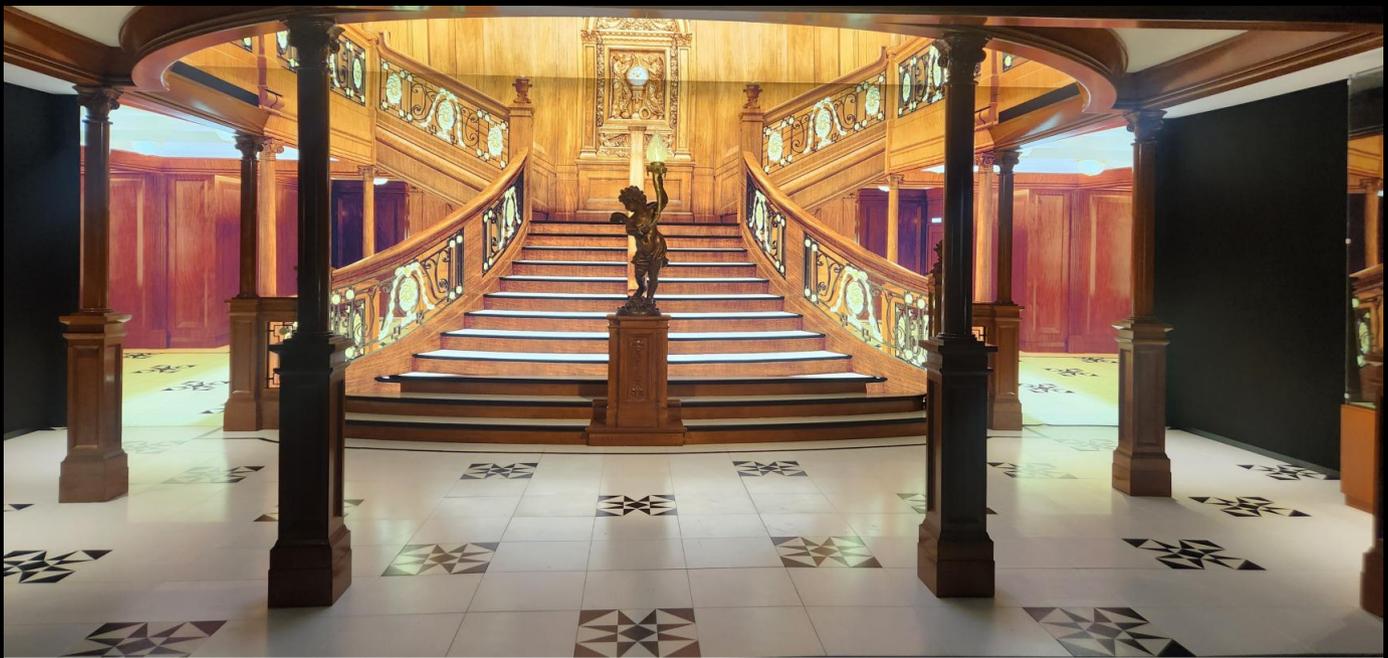
There are over 300 artifacts on display here. When you're global touring like that, do you find that audiences are more connected to the artifacts, or more like digital ghosts with VR headsets? Which do you feel people enjoy more?

Again, a very good question that has never been asked before. On the digital side of things, it's more the kids and young adults who gravitate towards it. And yes, the kids will not really understand or connect with the artifacts, such as the postcards and letters. They may not be that interested in that; they're not into the museum. They want other things. You know, young adults and teenagers, they like the, you know, the photo OPS, the pictures, they want to share that on social media.

You see a different trend in who is actually spending time on the showcases versus who's actually spending time on other activities they like. I think that is a very universal trend that we see all around the globe, wherever we go, that the younger generation gravitates towards the digital side of things, right? And that's why we have those. So the story stays connected through all ages, all generations.

The grand staircase is completely iconic, particularly after the movie, which I've been told is much better than the movie. Walk us through the logistics of getting to that level of grandeur while still maintaining that 1912 kind of craftsmanship.

You know, the grand staircase is one of the most iconic parts of the ship, and we all know that, especially from how it was displayed in the movie. It was the centerpiece of the ship, and when you see the grand staircase. The production team and the architects have really crafted it very well to showcase it or come as close as possible to how it was on the ship. When you go through the experience, you will see that in the pictures, it looks amazing. The craftsmanship of the cherub and the steps really bring it to life. You will notice that when you go through the experience.



Looking at the 2026 landscape, what's the next frontier for this?

Our company has several sets, an exhibition hub. We tour several sets of the Titanic, so it will probably be in another city. That is, you know, looking to welcome the experience and then we will probably bring another experience in this great location and amazing Tampa.

How do you see people's reactions? Because when you come in, you get to be a passenger. How do you see people react when they go to the memorial wall to find out whether they lived or died?

They really get goosebumps when they're actually connecting with the passenger and seeing whether they survived or perished, and you see a lot of them. Even though one person may survive, if it's a couple, it'll show 1 survived and 1 perished. And it keeps that connection, that moment when you see the stark, dark contrast between different people, and there could be families of four, and some survived, and some did not.

Is it possible to ever finish telling the story of Titanic or is this just a narrative, like a narrative and a story that's going to continue in your mind on for almost like that forever?

I think, you know, after, you know, what people have seen in pop culture, are they, they've, they've read books or, you know, they've researched. Then they get in line when they come here, and it really puts things into perspective about what happened. It's different when you see it with your own eyes, and that's when it remains with you forever.

You always connect to that moment as to how it was displayed. Very well in the movie; although it's fiction, you can connect all the pieces together, and now here it just makes it the complete picture.

How do you feel you've contributed to the legacy that's Titanic?

Yeah, I have as a part of the team. The team has been working on the Titanic project for, I would say, a very long time. The designers were part of the Titanic's 100th anniversary in 2012, and I've been working with the team since then. For that, they have very deep knowledge. They have worked with the Titanic, historians, and researchers. These are the people who also worked on the film as consultants on the team. This is where that team is stemming from that has brought this experience together.

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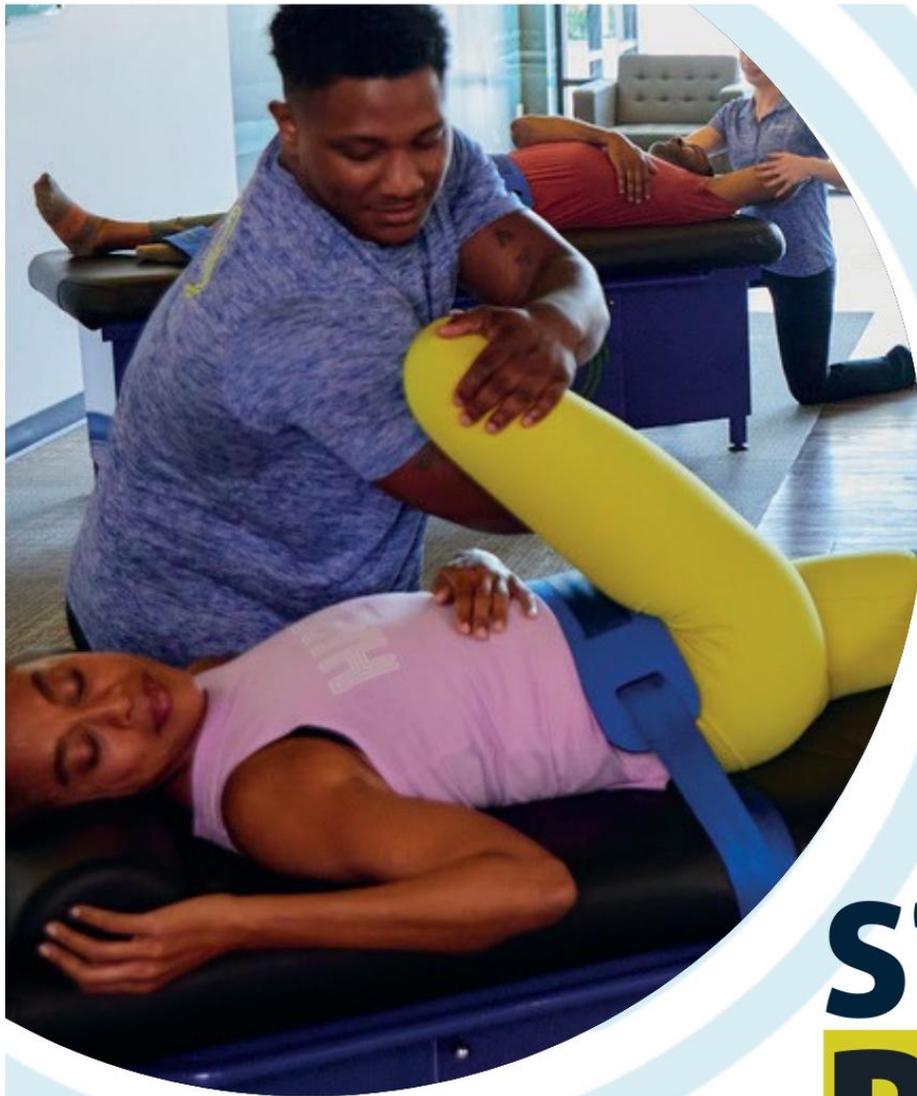
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Date	Performer / Event	Time
Sun, Mar 1	Stayin' Alive: Bee Gees Tribute	1:00 PM
Thu, Mar 5	Billy Ocean	7:30 PM
Sun, Mar 8	PlayStation The Concert	7:00 PM
Mon, Mar 9	Paul Anka – <i>Seven Decades Tour</i>	7:00 PM
Sun, Mar 15	Get The Led Out (Zeppelin Tribute)	8:00 PM
Wed, Mar 18	John Legend – <i>A Night of Songs & Stories</i>	8:00 PM
Sat, Mar 21	Diana Ross	8:00 PM
Sun, Mar 22	The Bronx Wanderers	1:00 PM
Sun, Mar 22	Beth Hart	8:00 PM
Mon, Mar 23	Whose Live Anyway? (Improv Comedy)	7:30 PM
Tue, Mar 24	The Temptations & The Four Tops	7:30 PM
Wed, Mar 25	Celtic Woman – <i>A New Era</i>	8:00 PM
Mar 27 – 28	Dancing With The Stars: Live!	7:30 PM
Sun, Mar 29	The Dream Team of Rock & Roll	1:00 PM



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Wed, Mar 4	Eli Young Band & LANCO	8:00 PM	Event Center
Thu, Mar 5	Joey Diaz – 62 & Still Slinging	8:00 PM	Sold Out
Wed, Mar 11	Charley Crockett	8:00 PM	Event Center
Thu, Mar 12	Christian Alicea (En Vivo)	9:00 PM	Hard Rock Cafe
Fri, Mar 13	Cage Fury Fighting Championships 151	7:00 PM	Event Center
Sun, Mar 15	Alok (Pool Party)	11:00 AM	Tempo Daylife
Wed, Mar 18	Wayne Newton	8:00 PM	Event Center
Sun, Mar 22	Martin Lawrence – Y'all Still Know What It Is!	8:00 PM	Event Center
Thu, Mar 26	The Beach Boys (led by Mike Love)	7:30 PM	Event Center

Lonestar

A Front Porch State of Mind: Why Lonestar Still Hits Home

Joanne Durann

Lonestar, the iconic country band that started back in the early 90's, remains a steadfast pillar of country music's melodic storytelling. In 2026, they are not just a nostalgic group resting on their past success of 90's radio dominance; they are showing up and revitalizing what it means to be the band their fans know and love. Drew Womack has proven that even time cannot take his voice away. The seasoned, soulful grit singer has the perfect fit in the band's lineup, and with a voice that stands the test of time, he brought down the house.



The band members, Dean Sams (Keys & Guitar), Michael Britt (lead guitar), and Keech Rainwater (drums), stormed into the Florida Strawberry with vigor, energy, and a party, let's get at it attitude. The 2026 "Always in the Band" Tour, let fans remember all the great hits and some new ones. People were slow dancing to the love songs and rocking out to the top hits, with the band consistently getting the audience involved throughout.

Playing top hits that fans always want to hear, including My Front Porch Looking In, What About Now, and Mr. Mom, with full audience participation. Sprinkling in power ballads like I'm Already There, Amazed, and the always extraordinary Walking in Memphis, they left the crowd asking for more.

The band puts a fresh twist on some of their '90s hits by adding a modern edge to the vocals while preserving the music's authenticity and essence. This gives the same music a phenomenal new edge. This is the exact approach the band took on the album *Ten to 1 and Beyond* (2023), which released the band's top songs with a fresh new look.



They also introduced a song from the new album “Iconic, Vol. 1,” in which the band covers some of the best songs by top women in music. At the Strawberry Festival, they played “Rolling in the Deep,” the classic Adele song, to showcase the album's vocal and musical diversity.



They finished out the show as only they could, with a classic set of rock songs from the 60s, 70s, and 80s. They included iconic songs from Phil Collins “In the Air”, Pink Floyd’s “Another Brick in the Wall,” the Eagles’ “Life in the Fast Lane,” and Thin Lizzy’s “The Boys Are Back in Town,” among others. It was the perfect way to end a phenomenal show.



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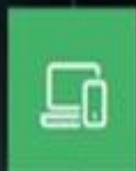
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Wed, Mar 4	Gregorian	7:30 PM
Thu, Mar 5	Justin Furstenfeld (of Blue October)	8:00 PM
Fri, Mar 6	"I Am, He Said" (Neil Diamond Tribute)	8:00 PM
Sat, Mar 7	Taj Farrant	8:00 PM
Sun, Mar 8	The Man In Black (Johnny Cash Tribute)	7:30 PM
Tue, Mar 10	Ron Pope – <i>Spring Break '26!! Tour</i>	8:00 PM
Wed, Mar 11	Home Free	8:00 PM
Thu, Mar 12	Classic Elton (Elton John Tribute)	8:00 PM
Fri, Mar 13	Paula Poundstone	8:00 PM
Sat, Mar 14	Gino Vannelli	8:00 PM
Sun, Mar 15	Gary Gulman – <i>All New Live</i>	8:00 PM
Mon, Mar 16	Pat Metheny – <i>Side Eye III+ Tour</i>	7:30 PM
Thu, Mar 19	98ROCKFEST EVE (feat. Jakob's Castle)	8:00 PM
Fri, Mar 20	Dusty Slay – <i>The Neighborhood Guy</i>	7:00 PM
Sun, Mar 22	Classic Albums Live: Prince – <i>Purple Rain</i>	8:00 PM
Mon, Mar 23	Don McLean	7:30 PM
Thu, Mar 26	The Simon & Garfunkel Story	7:30 PM
Sat, Mar 28	Forever Donna (Donna Summer Tribute)	8:00 PM

St Patrick's Day 2026 Around the Bay!



St. Patrick's Day in the Tampa Bay area for 2026 is shaping up to be a multi-day celebration across the bay. Whether you're looking for family-friendly festivals or late-night pub crawls, there's plenty to do.

Featured Festivals & Parades:

River O' Green Fest (Tampa): On **Saturday, March 14**, Curtis Hixon Waterfront Park hosts the iconic dyeing of the Hillsborough River. The festival runs from **11:00 AM – 4:00 PM** and features live Irish music, food trucks, and a pet costume contest.

Rough Riders St. Patrick's Night Parade (Tampa): Following the river festival on **March 14**, the parade kicks off in Ybor City around **2:00 PM** (though festivities often peak in the evening). Expect kilted riders, beads, and plenty of energy.

Paddy Fest (St. Pete): This three-day celebration at Williams Park runs from **March 13–15**. It's the city's largest Irish event, featuring headliners like *The Byrne Brothers* and *Derek Warfield & The Young Wolfe Tones*, plus a massive kids' zone and Guinness on tap.

O'Keefe's Irish Fest (Clearwater): On the actual holiday, **Tuesday, March 17**, O'Keefe's Tavern hosts its massive annual party with bagpipers, Irish dancers, and green beer from **11:00 AM – 10:00 PM**.

 **Bar Crawls & Nightlife:**

The Official Lucky's St. Patrick's Day Crawl: Taking over Downtown St. Pete and Tampa on **Saturday, March 14**. Many local favorites like *MacDinton's* and *Yard of Ale* will have drink specials and live DJs.

Mary Margaret's Olde Irish Tavern (St. Pete): Known for a more authentic experience, they'll host a "Kegs and Eggs" breakfast at **9:00 AM** on March 17 and a block party throughout the day.

Yuengling Draft Haus (Tampa): Hosting an afternoon of live music and Irish-inspired bites starting at **1:00 PM** on **March 14**.

 **Unique Experiences:**

River O' Green Paddle: Rent a kayak or paddleboard from **Urban Kai** to be on the water while the Hillsborough River is bright green.

St. Patrick's Day Lunch Cruise: Set sail on the **Yacht StarShip** on March 17 for a holiday-themed buffet and views of the downtown Tampa skyline.

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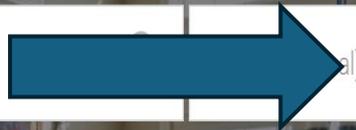


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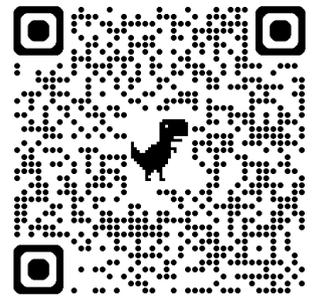


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NFL's HealthTECH Challenge Seeks Next Frontier of Helmet Safety Evolution

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Today, at the Bay Area Host Committee (BAHC) Super Bowl LX Innovation Summit, the NFL announced the next round of the HealthTECH Challenge series, a crowdsourced innovation competition designed to accelerate the development of cutting-edge football helmets and new standards for player safety. The HealthTECH Challenge invites inventors, engineers, startups, academic teams and established companies worldwide to submit ideas for improving the impact protection and design of football helmets through improvements to how facemasks absorb and reduce the effects of contact on the field.

Submitted designs may be compatible with all helmet models or tailored to a specific product line. Potential submissions may consist of, but are not limited to:

- Improved facemask and connector designs;
- Advanced energy-absorbing materials or structures;
- Enhanced helmet retention systems, such as chin straps

The HealthTECH Challenges are a key component of the NFL's ongoing commitment to fostering research and innovation that can help reduce injuries and better protect players through advances in equipment. By working closely with the helmet industry and running a series of similar crowdsourced challenges in years past, the NFL has driven a rapid pace of innovation for helmet technologies. In fact, the most protective models ever tested are currently being worn on NFL fields originated from past challenge applicants.

Most helmet safety progress to date, however, has stemmed from improvements to the shell and energy attenuating padding. Facemasks and the elements that connect to them are a key priority in the next generation of helmet evolution. Shell improvement has occurred at more than double the rate of facemask improvement over the past 10 years, resulting in the proportion of concussions from shell impacts reducing and the proportion of concussions from facemask impacts increasing. For the 2025 season, 44% of in-game concussions resulted from an impact to the player's facemask, an increase from 29% in 2015.

"The rapid rate of innovation in helmet technology reflects how research and data can directly improve the level of safety across football," said Jeff Miller, NFL executive vice president overseeing player health and safety. "These challenges have raised the standard of equipment to help reduce concussions and mitigate the effects of head impacts. Recent efforts to improve shell impact technology have been incredibly fruitful, and now we look forward to evaluating this next wave of creative solutions to facemasks and other helmet components with the goal of further reducing injury."

Selected winners will receive up to \$100,000 in aggregate funding, as well as expert development support to help move their concepts from the lab to the playing field. The challenge is conducted in partnership with Football Research, Inc. (FRI) and Duke Biomedical Engineering (Duke BME); submissions will be assessed by Duke BME and a panel of expert judges established jointly by Duke BME and FRI.

The submission window is open until May 28, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. ET. Applications can be submitted to [Duke.is/DukeMRP](https://duke.is/DukeMRP) (a step-by-step guide is available [here](#)), and questions can be directed to HealthTECH@duke.edu. Full details on eligibility, submission instructions and evaluation criteria can be found at NFL.com/HealthTECHChallenge.

A webinar for interested applicants, where further details on the challenge will be discussed, will be held on March 3. Registration for the webinar can be found [here](#).

The HealthTECH Challenges are part of the NFL's broader commitment to supporting research and innovation in player health and safety, including advances in the areas of head protection, lower extremity protection, materials science, and sensor technology, among others.



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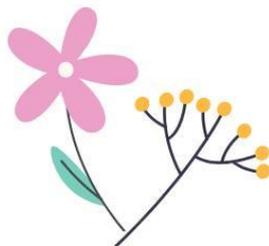
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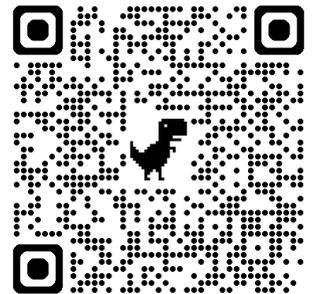


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Mar 5 (Thu)	Disney On Ice: Mickey's Search Party	7:00 PM
Mar 6 (Fri)	Disney On Ice (Two Shows)	3:00 PM & 7:00 PM
Mar 7 (Sat)	Disney On Ice (Three Shows)	11:00 AM, 3:00 PM, 7:00 PM
Mar 8 (Sun)	Disney On Ice (Two Shows)	11:00 AM & 3:00 PM
Mar 13 (Fri)	Matt Rife: <i>Stay Golden World Tour</i>	8:00 PM
Mar 20 (Fri)	NCAA March Madness: 1st Round (Session 1 & 2)	All Day
Mar 22 (Sun)	NCAA March Madness: 2nd Round	All Day
Mar 27 (Fri)	Katt Williams: <i>The Golden Age Tour</i>	8:00 PM

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Mar 5 (Thu)	Angelo Colina (En Español)	7:00 PM
Mar 6–8 (Fri–Sun)	DeRay Davis	Fri: 7:00 PM, 9:45 PM , Sat: 6:30 PM, 9:15 PM , Sun: 6:00 PM
Mar 10 (Tue)	Manuel Ángel Redondo (En Español)	7:00 PM
Mar 12 (Thu)	Steve Hofstetter	7:00 PM
Mar 13–14 (Fri–Sat)	Steph Tolev	Fri: 7:00 PM, 9:45 PM Sat: 6:30 PM, 9:15 PM
Mar 15 (Sun)	Rod Minger	6:00 PM
Mar 18 (Wed)	Aaron Chen	7:00 PM
Mar 19 (Thu)	Mike Goodwin	7:00 PM
Mar 20–21 (Fri–Sat)	Chris Powell	Fri: 7:00 PM, 9:45 PM Sat: 6:30 PM, 9:15 PM
Mar 22 (Sun)	Drag Brunch (Disney/Hannah Montana Tribute)	2:00 PM (Doors 12:30)
Mar 25 (Wed)	Lady Bunny: <i>Don't Bring the Kids</i>	7:00 PM
Mar 27–29 (Fri–Sun)	Tony Rock	Fri: 7:00 PM, 9:45 PM Sat: 6:30 PM, 9:15 PM Sun: 6:00 PM



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Sat. Oct 11	7:00 PM	New Jersey	Sat. Jan 10	7:00 PM	@ Philadelphia
Mon. Oct 13	1:00 PM	@ Boston	Mon. Jan 12	7:00 PM	@ Philadelphia
Tue. Oct 14	7:00 PM	@ Washington	Tue. Jan 13	7:00 PM	@ Pittsburgh
Fri. Oct 17	7:00 PM	@ Detroit	Fri. Jan 16	7:00 PM	@ St. Louis
Sat. Oct 18	7:00 PM	@ Columbus	Sun. Jan 18	1:00 PM	@ Dallas
Thu. Oct 23	7:00 PM	Chicago	Tue. Jan 20	7:00 PM	San Jose
Sat. Oct 25	5:00 PM	Anaheim	Fri. Jan 23	6:00 PM	@ Chicago
Sun. Oct 26	5:00 PM	Vegas	Sat. Jan 24	7:00 PM	@ Columbus
Tue. Oct 28	6:45 PM	@ Nashville	Mon. Jan 26	7:00 PM	Utah
Thu. Oct 30	7:00 PM	Dallas	Thu. Jan 29	7:00 PM	Winnipeg
Sun. Nov 2	1:30 PM	@ Utah	Sun. Feb 1	T.B.A	Boston
Tue. Nov 4	7:30 PM	@ Colorado	Tue. Feb 3	7:00 PM	Buffalo
Thu. Nov 6	7:00 PM	@ Vegas	Thu. Feb 5	7:00 PM	Florida
Sat. Nov 8	7:00 PM	Washington	Wed. Feb 25	7:30 PM	Toronto
Wed. Nov 12	7:00 PM	N.Y. Rangers	Thu. Feb 26	7:00 PM	@ Carolina
Sat. Nov 15	6:00 PM	@ Florida	Sat. Feb 28	7:00 PM	Buffalo
Sun. Nov 16	5:00 PM	Vancouver	Tue. Mar 3	8:30 PM	@ Minnesota
Tue. Nov 18	7:00 PM	New Jersey	Thu. Mar 5	7:00 PM	@ Winnipeg
Thu. Nov 20	7:00 PM	Edmonton	Sat. Mar 7	7:00 PM	@ Toronto
Sat. Nov 22	7:00 PM	@ Washington	Sun. Mar 8	6:00 PM	@ Buffalo
Mon. Nov 24	7:00 PM	Philadelphia	Tue. Mar 10	7:00 PM	Columbus
Wed. Nov 26	7:00 PM	Calgary	Thu. Mar 12	7:00 PM	Detroit
Fri. Nov 28	1:00 PM	@ Detroit	Sat. Mar 14	7:00 PM	Carolina
Sat. Nov 29	2:00 PM	@ N.Y. Rangers	Tue. Mar 17	7:00 PM	@ Seattle
Tue. Dec 2	7:00 PM	@ N.Y. Islanders	Thu. Mar 19	7:00 PM	@ Vancouver
Thu. Dec 4	7:00 PM	Pittsburgh	Sat. Mar 21	8:00 PM	@ Edmonton
Sat. Dec 6	7:00 PM	N.Y. Islanders	Sun. Mar 22	6:00 PM	@ Calgary
Mon. Dec 8	7:30 PM	@ Toronto	Tue. Mar 24	7:30 PM	Minnesota
Tue. Dec 9	7:00 PM	@ Montreal	Thu. Mar 26	7:00 PM	Seattle
Thu. Dec 11	7:00 PM	@ New Jersey	Sat. Mar 28	1:00 PM	Ottawa
Sat. Dec 13	3:30 PM	@ N.Y. Islanders	Sun. Mar 29	5:00 PM	Nashville
Mon. Dec 15	7:00 PM	Florida	Tue. Mar 31	7:00 PM	Montreal
Thu. Dec 18	7:00 PM	Los Angeles	Thu. Apr 2	7:00 PM	Pittsburgh
Sat. Dec 20	7:00 PM	Carolina	Sat. Apr 4	5:00 PM	Boston
Mon. Dec 22	7:00 PM	St. Louis	Mon. Apr 6	7:00 PM	@ Buffalo
Sat. Dec 27	7:00 PM	@ Florida	Tue. Apr 7	7:00 PM	@ Ottawa
Sun. Dec 28	5:00 PM	Montreal	Thu. Apr 9	7:00 PM	@ Montreal
Wed. Dec 31	1:00 PM	@ Anaheim	Sat. Apr 11	12:30 PM	@ Boston
Thu. Jan 1	7:30 PM	@ Los Angeles	Mon. Apr 13	7:00 PM	Detroit
Sat. Jan 3	1:00 PM	@ San Jose	Wed. Apr 15	7:00 PM	N.Y. Rangers



As usual, there is a lot going on both with the military and the veteran communities. First up is the rescinding of the VA Disability Ratings Interim Final Rule, which would have changed how disability ratings are evaluated. For more information, read on, scan the QR Code for more information, and click on the link to the article.

VFW Applauds VA for Rescinding Disability Ratings Rule: The VFW commends VA for rescinding its interim final rule that would have changed how disability ratings are evaluated, a move the VFW warned could unfairly reduce benefits for disabled veterans. More than 20,000 public comments were submitted urging the policy's withdrawal after widespread concern from veterans and service organizations.

VFW National Commander Carol Whitmore thanked VA Secretary Doug Collins for listening to veterans and reversing what she called an abrupt change that could have had potentially unintended consequences. While praising the decision as a significant step forward, the VFW pledged to continue working with Congress and VA to ensure future policy changes prioritize transparency, meaningful veteran input, and the protection of earned benefits.



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Sat, Mar 7	Pigeons Playing Ping Pong & Lotus	7:00 PM	Funk / Jam
Sun, Mar 8	Gary Numan	7:00 PM	New Wave / Electronic
Tue, Mar 10	Sticky Fingers	7:00 PM	Indie / Reggae Fusion
Wed, Mar 11	Machine Girl	8:00 PM	w/ LustSickPuppy
Fri, Mar 13	Aly & AJ – <i>Places to Run Tour</i>	7:00 PM	Pop
Thu, Mar 19	Khamari	7:00 PM	R&B / Soul
Fri, Mar 20	Artemas – <i>LOVERCORE Tour</i>	7:00 PM	w/ Isabel LaRosa
Sat, Mar 21	Midnight Til Morning	7:00 PM	World Tour 2026
Thu, Mar 26	Who's Bad	7:00 PM	Michael Jackson Tribute
Fri, Mar 27	moe.	8:00 PM	Jam Band
Sat, Mar 28	Orbit Culture	7:00 PM	Metal (Death Above Life Tour)



Date	Event	Time	Venue
Wed, Mar 11	Sing Out Tampa Bay 2026	7:30 PM	Mahaffey Theater
Fri, Mar 13	Harry Potter & the Deathly Hallows Part 2	7:30 PM	Straz Center (Morsani)
Sat, Mar 14	Harry Potter & the Deathly Hallows Part 2	2:00 PM	Straz Center (Morsani)
Thu, Mar 19	Inside Mozart's Jupiter Symphony	7:30 PM	Mahaffey Theater
Sat, Mar 21	Mozart's Jupiter Symphony (Masterworks)	8:00 PM	Mahaffey Theater
Sun, Mar 22	Mozart's Jupiter Symphony (Matinee)	2:00 PM	Mahaffey Theater
Fri, Mar 27	Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 (Masterworks)	8:00 PM	Straz Center (Ferguson)
Sat, Mar 28	Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 (Masterworks)	8:00 PM	Mahaffey Theater
Sun, Mar 29	Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 (Matinee)	2:00 PM	Mahaffey Theater



2026 Headliner Concerts

Thursday, February 26

- 10:30 AM:** Jimmy Sturr & His Orchestra (*Free with Gate Admission*)
- 3:30 PM:** The Oak Ridge Boys
- 7:30 PM:** Alabama

Friday, February 27

- 3:30 PM:** Jo Dee Messina
- 7:30 PM:** Jamey Johnson

Saturday, February 28

- 3:30 PM:** Lonestar
- 7:30 PM:** Ty Myers

Sunday, March 1

- 6:30 PM:** Riley Green (featuring Hannah McFarland)

Monday, March 2

- 3:30 PM:** Gene Watson
- 7:30 PM:** "Legends of Love" (featuring Brian McKnight, Ginuwine & Ruben Studdard)

Tuesday, March 3

- 3:30 PM:** Sandi Patty
- 7:30 PM:** Lauren Daigle

Wednesday, March 4

- 3:30 PM:** John Foster
- 7:30 PM:** Brantley Gilbert

Thursday, March 5

- 10:30 AM:** Bill Haley Jr. & The Comets (*Free with Gate Admission*)
- 3:30 PM:** The Bellamy Brothers
- 7:30 PM:** Dierks Bentley

Friday, March 6

- 3:30 PM:** The Marshall Tucker Band
- 7:30 PM:** Forrest Frank

Saturday, March 7

- 3:30 PM:** *To Be Announced / Pitbull Toddler (Free)*
- 7:30 PM:** The Offspring

Sunday, March 8

- 7:30 PM:** Joan Jett and the Blackhearts

Here is the breakdown of ticket information for the 2026 Florida Strawberry Festival. As always, verify prices and availability with the website as things can change.

There are two separate tickets:

1. Gate Admission Ticket (to enter the festival grounds)

Ticket Type	At the Gate	Advance (at Publix)
Adults (13+)	~\$15	~\$10 - \$11
Youth (6-12)	~\$5	~\$4 - \$5
Children (5 & under)	FREE	FREE

2. Concert Tickets (to enter the Soundstage for the specific show)

Top Tier Acts (\$70+)

- Riley Green: \$121 – \$148.50
- Dierks Bentley: \$77 – \$99
- The Offspring: \$77 – \$88
- Lauren Daigle: \$77 – \$93.50
- Alabama: \$71.50 – \$77
- Forrest Frank: \$77 – \$99

Mid-Range Acts (\$40 - \$60)

- Joan Jett: \$49.50 – \$82.50
- Brantley Gilbert: \$55 – \$93.50
- Ty Myers: \$55 – \$82.50
- Jamey Johnson: \$49.50 – \$60.50
- Legends of Love: \$44 – \$88
- Jo Dee Messina: \$44 – \$55
- The Oak Ridge Boys: \$44 – \$49.50

Value Acts (\$25 - \$40)

- The Marshall Tucker Band: \$38.50 – \$44
- Lonestar: \$38.50 – \$49.50
- Gene Watson: ~\$33
- Sandi Patty: ~\$33
- The Bellamy Brothers: ~\$33
- John Foster: \$27.50 – \$38.50

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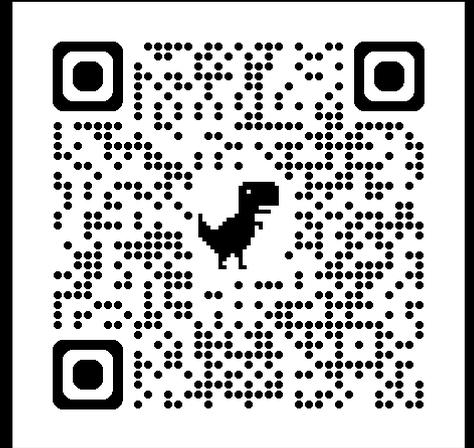
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Sun, Mar 1	Attack on Titan: Beyond the Walls World Tour	Morsani Hall
Wed, Mar 4	The Naked Magicians	Ferguson Hall
Mar 7 – 8	Dog Man: The Musical	Ferguson Hall
Wed, Mar 11	HCPS Elementary Fine Arts Festival	Morsani Hall
Mar 11 – 31	The Shark is Broken (Runs through April 5)	Shimberg Playhouse
Fri, Mar 13	Harry Potter & the Deathly Hallows Part 2 In Concert	Morsani Hall
Sat, Mar 14	Darci Lynne and Friends	Ferguson Hall
Sat, Mar 14	Harry Potter & the Deathly Hallows Part 2 (Matinee)	Morsani Hall
Sun, Mar 22	Chucho Valdés Royal Quartet	Ferguson Hall
Sun, Mar 22	Anne Wilson	Morsani Hall
Mar 24 – 31	Hell's Kitchen - The Musical (Broadway Series)	Morsani Hall
Thu, Mar 26	The Orchestra (Starring Former Members of ELO)	Ferguson Hall

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APR 4 at SPORTING CLUB JAX

APR 11 vs. OAKLAND ROOTS SC

APR 18 at CHARLESTON BATTERY

APR 25 vs. SARASOTA PARADISE*

MAY 2 vs. INDY ELEVEN

MAY 9 at RHODE ISLAND FC

MAY 16 at MIAMI FC*

MAY 20 at NEW MEXICO UNITED

MAY 23 vs. PHOENIX RISING FC

MAY 30 at LOUISVILLE CITY FC

JUNE 6 at SPORTING CLUB JAX*

JUNE 10 vs. CHARLESTON BATTERY

JUNE 13 vs. HARTFORD ATHLETIC

JUNE 20 at BROOKLYN FC

JULY 4 vs. LEXINGTON SC

JULY 11 vs. FC NAPLES*

JULY 25 at MIAMI FC

AUG 1 vs. LOUISVILLE CITY FC

AUG 8 at ORANGE COUNTY SC

AUG 15 vs. RHODE ISLAND FC

AUG 22 at DETROIT CITY FC

AUG 29 at PITTSBURGH

SEPT 5 vs. BROOKLYN FC

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February 7

Kaskade

February 15

Ivy Queen

February 28

RuPaul (DJ SET)

March 13

Tyler Hubbard

March 15

Zedd

March 28

The All-American Rejects



Date	Performer(s)	Show Times
Sun, Mar 1	Anthony Mrocka / Comics Night Out	5:00 PM / 8:00 PM
Wed, Mar 4	Peyton Ruddy	8:00 PM
Thu, Mar 5	Derrick Stroup	7:30 PM
Fri, Mar 6	Derrick Stroup	7:00 PM & 9:30 PM
Sat, Mar 7	Derrick Stroup	6:00 PM & 8:00 PM
Sun, Mar 8	Todd Barry	7:00 PM
Tue, Mar 10	Bob Marley (Comedian)	8:00 PM
Wed, Mar 11	Bob Marley (Comedian)	8:00 PM
Thu, Mar 12	Ari Matti	7:30 PM & 9:45 PM
Fri, Mar 13	Ari Matti	7:30 PM & 10:00 PM
Sat, Mar 14	Caroline Rhea / Ari Matti	6:00 PM (Rhea) / 7:30 & 10:30 (Matti)
Sun, Mar 15	Eric Eaton	5:00 PM & 7:45 PM
Fri, Mar 20	Are You Garbage? (Podcast Live)	7:00 PM & 9:30 PM
Sat, Mar 21	Are You Garbage? (Podcast Live)	7:00 PM & 9:30 PM
Sun, Mar 22	David Jolly	7:00 PM
Fri, Mar 27	Kevin Nealon	7:00 PM & 9:30 PM
Sat, Mar 28	Kevin Nealon	7:00 PM & 9:30 PM



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 **MARCH 19**
Phillies Prospects vs. Twins Prospects

ATL - North Port NYY - Tampa
BAL - Sarasota PIT - Bradenton
BOS - Ft. Myers TB - Port Charlotte
DET - Lakeland TOR - Dunedin
MIA - Jupiter WSH - West Palm Beach
MIN - Ft. Myers



The 2026 Pier 60 Sugar Sand Festival is scheduled to run from **Friday, March 27, to Sunday, April 12, 2026**, at Clearwater Beach. The 2026 theme is "**United in Sand: Celebrating Sports & Spirit**," featuring a 24,000-square-foot exhibit of sculptures celebrating athletic triumph and teamwork.

Daily Hours of Operation

- **Sunday – Thursday:** 10:00 AM – 9:00 PM
- **Friday & Saturday:** 10:00 AM – 10:00 PM
- **Easter Sunday (April 5):** 10:00 AM – 9:00 PM (Souvenir Photo stand closes early at 6:00 PM)

Opening Weekend (March 27 – 29)

Friday, March 27:

Frontline Friday: Discounted tickets for police, fire, military, teachers, & healthcare workers (ID required).

8:00 PM: Concert featuring **The Fulcos**.

Saturday, March 28:

8:00 PM: Concert featuring **Cutty Jones x Jay Slay**.

9:30 PM: **Fireworks Display**.

Sunday, March 29:

5:30 PM: Concert featuring **Kenny Barcenas & Destiny Bachata Band**.

7:00 PM: Concert featuring **Orquesta INFINIDAD** (Latin/Salsa).

Week 2 (March 30 – April 5)

Tuesday, March 31:

Timeless Tuesday: Discounted tickets (\$14) for seniors 60+.

Friday, April 3:

Frontline Friday (Discounted tickets for eligible groups).

8:00 PM: Concert featuring **22N!** (Party/Dance Band).

Saturday, April 4:

Event: Pro-Amateur Sand Sculpting Competition (South side of Pier 60).

10:30 AM: Free Beach Yoga.

8:00 PM: Concert featuring **The Black Honkeys Band** (R&B/Soul/Funk).

9:30 PM: **Fireworks Display**.

Saturday, April 4:

Event: Pro-Amateur Sand Sculpting Competition (South side of Pier 60).

10:30 AM: Free Beach Yoga.

8:00 PM: Concert featuring **The Black Honkeys Band** (R&B/Soul/Funk).

9:30 PM: Fireworks Display.

Sunday, April 5 (Easter Sunday):

Festival open regular hours (10 AM – 9 PM); VIP Lounge closed.

Closing Weekend (April 6 – 12)

Tuesday, April 7:

Timeless Tuesday: Discounted tickets for seniors 60+.

Friday, April 10:

Frontline Friday (Discounted tickets for eligible groups).

5:30 PM: Concert featuring **Aubrey Wollett**.

8:00 PM: Concert featuring **Homegrown: The Zac Brown Band Experience**.

Saturday, April 11:

10:30 AM: Free Beach Yoga.

5:30 PM: Concert featuring **Whosoever South**.

8:00 PM: Concert featuring **Crossfire Creek Band** (Country).

9:30 PM: Fireworks Display.

Sunday, April 12 (Grand Finale):

4:30 PM: Concert featuring **Soul Circus Cowboys**.

7:00 PM: Concert featuring **Pirate Flag** (Kenny Chesney Tribute).

9:00 PM: Closing Night Fireworks.

Recurring Daily Activities

These events happen regularly throughout the festival duration:

Free Sand Sculpting Classes:

Daily: 2:00 PM

Saturdays: 11:00 AM & 2:00 PM

Speed Sand Demonstrations:

Saturdays & Sundays: 4:00 PM (Watch pros compete against the clock).

Sunsets at Pier 60:

Daily: Begins 2 hours before sunset. Features buskers, artisans, and street performers.

Ticket Information

General Admission: ~\$16 online (Children 3 & under are Free).

VIP Lounge: Available Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays (includes fast-lane entry, AC restrooms, drinks/dinner, and VIP seating).

Discounts: Available only at the gate on "Frontline Fridays" (\$12) and "Timeless Tuesdays" (\$14).



MARCH - APRIL

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
22	23	24	25	26 STL	27	28 STL
29 STL	30 MIL	31 MIL	1 MIL	2	3 MIN	4 MIN
5 MIN	6 CHC 4:10	7 CHC 6:40	8 CHC 8:40	9	10 NYY 7:10	11 NYY 8:10
12 NYY 1:40	13	14 CWS	15 CWS	16 CWS	17 PIT	18 PIT
19 PIT	20 CIN 6:40	21 CIN 8:40	22 CIN 1:10	23	24 MIN 7:10	25 MIN 4:10
26 MIN 1:40	27 CLE	28 CLE	29 CLE	30		

JULY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 KC	2 KC	3 HOU	4 HOU
5 HOU	6 NYY 6:40	7 NYY 8:40	8 NYY 8:40	9 NYY 1:10	10 SEA 7:10	11 SEA 4:10
12 SEA 1:40	13	14	15	16	17 BOS	18 BOS
19 BOS	20 TOR	21 TOR	22 TOR	23 TOR	24 CLE 7:10	25 CLE 6:10
26 CLE 1:40	27	28 TEX 6:40	29 TEX 8:40	30 TEX 12:10	31 CWS 7:10	

MAY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1 SF 7:10	2 SF 8:10
3 SF 1:40	4 TOR 6:40	5 TOR 8:40	6 TOR 1:10	7 BOS	8 BOS	9 BOS
10 BOS	11 TOR	12 TOR	13 TOR	14	15 MIA 7:10	16 MIA 4:10
17 MIA 1:40	18 BAL 6:40	19 BAL 8:40	20 BAL 1:10	21	22 NYY	23 NYY
24 NYY 1:40	25 BAL	26 BAL	27 BAL	28	29 LAA 7:10	30 LAA 4:10
31 LAA 1:40						

AUGUST

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1 CWS 4:10
2 CWS 1:40	3 COL	4 COL	5 COL	6	7 SEA	8 SEA
9 SEA	10 ATH	11 ATH	12 ATH	13	14 BAL 7:10	15 BAL 8:10
16 BAL 1:40	17 BAL 6:40	18 TOR 8:40	19 TOR 8:40	20 TOR 1:10	21 BAL	22 BAL
23 BAL	24 DET	25 DET	26 DET	27	28 SD 7:10	29 SD 4:10
30 SD 1:40	31 NYM 6:40					

JUNE

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 DET 6:40	2 DET 8:40	3 DET 1:10	4	5 MIA	6 MIA
7 MIA	8 BOS 6:40	9 BOS 8:40	10 BOS 1:10	11	12 LAA	13 LAA
14 LAA	15 LAD	16 LAD	17 LAD	18	19 WSH 7:10	20 WSH 4:10
21 WSH 1:40	22 KC 6:40	23 KC 8:40	24 KC 8:40	25 KC 12:10	26 AZ 7:10	27 AZ 8:10
28 AZ 1:40	29	30 KC				

SEPTEMBER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 NYM 6:40	2 NYM 8:40	3 TEX	4 TEX	5 TEX
6 TEX	7	8 ATL	9 ATL	10 ATL	11 HOU 7:10	12 HOU 8:10
13 HOU 1:40	14	15 ATH 6:40	16 ATH 8:40	17 ATH 1:10	18 BOS 7:10	19 BOS 4:10
20 BOS 1:40	21	22 NYY	23 NYY	24 NYY	25 PHI	26 PHI
27 PHI	28	29	30			

HOME GAME AWAY GAME

(Schedule subject to change)

SEASON PRESENTED BY ORLANDO HEALTH

Rays New Stadium!



The Tampa Bay Rays released initial renderings of the proposed ballpark and mixed-use district at Hillsborough College's Dale Mabry campus.

The images offer an early look at a vision for the site and will continue to evolve based on further study of the site and ballpark design concepts, as well as input from local leaders and residents.

"I'm incredibly grateful for what our organization and the Tampa community have accomplished in just over 100 days since acquiring the team, and the progress we are making together toward a Forever Home for the Rays and our loyal fans," said Patrick Zalupski, Managing Partner of the Tampa Bay Rays. "Hillsborough County's unanimous vote is a significant milestone and a clear signal that Tampa is serious about keeping Major League Baseball in this region and transforming Tampa Bay for generations to come."

"We are moving into the next phase of this process with excellent momentum, thanks to the outstanding support of community leaders and our staff and partners here at the Tampa Bay Rays," added Ken Babby, Chief Executive Officer of the Tampa Bay Rays. "We're proud to share our bold and dynamic vision for the ballpark and believe strongly in its ability to benefit the team and our fans, Hillsborough College, the surrounding neighborhoods, and the entire region."

"Our community can be assured, however, that we want the ballpark and district design to reflect the voices of the people who live, work, study, and operate businesses here. In that spirit, we look forward to meeting and listening to as many people from across Tampa Bay as we can in the weeks ahead."

To date, the Hillsborough College Board of Trustees approved a Memorandum of Understanding with the Rays to redevelop the Dale Mabry campus as part of a new ballpark district, and the Hillsborough County Commission voted unanimously on Wednesday to begin negotiations with the Rays on proposed ballpark funding. The plan and partnership with Hillsborough College are designed to improve campus facilities, expand workforce development, curriculum and internship opportunities for more than 45,000 students, and reinforce the site as a key driver of regional growth.

The project is envisioned as a public-private partnership, with ballpark costs shared between the team, Hillsborough County, and the City of Tampa. The broader, multi-billion-dollar, mixed-use development will be 100 percent privately financed.

A recent independent economic analysis projects that the mixed-use development will generate \$34 billion in total economic impact, support 11,900 new permanent jobs, only made possible due to the project, and attract approximately 10 million annual visitors to the campus and surrounding district once fully built out – on par with annual attendance at a major U.S. theme park.

The Rays and Hillsborough College are consulting closely with a broad coalition of project partners and stakeholders, including Hillsborough County, the City of Tampa, and Hillsborough County Public Schools; design, engineering, and development partners including Populous, Gensler, Kimley-Horn, RCLCO, Beck, Walter P Moore, Terracon and ME Engineers; legal, finance and advisory partners including Shubin Law Group, Foley & Lardner LLP, The Southern Group, Mercury, VOX Global, FleishmanHillard, CSL, and Tipping Point Sports; and regional sports and civic stakeholders including the Tampa Bay Lightning, the New York Yankees, the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, and Tampa International Airport.

In the coming weeks, the Rays, Hillsborough College, and local officials will host a series of community engagement sessions across the county. These meetings will give baseball fans, Hillsborough College students and faculty, nearby residents, and community and business leaders opportunities to review the evolving concepts, ask questions, and share feedback that will help shape the final design. Details on dates, times, and locations for these sessions will be announced shortly.

Rays fans and the community can learn more about the project and make a \$19.98 deposit to secure early access to seating in the new ballpark by visiting NewBallpark.RaysBaseball.com.

Spring TRAINING 26

FEBRUARY						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	16	17	18	19	20	21 PHI 1:07PM
22 @BOS 1:05PM	23 NYM 1:07PM	24 NYY 1:07PM	25 @DET 1:05PM	26 MIA 1:07PM	27 @TB 1:05PM	28 PHI 1:07PM @NYY 1:05PM

MARCH						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 @DET 1:05PM	2 BOS 1:07PM	3 CAN 1:07PM	4	5 @ATL 1:05PM	6 PIT 1:07PM	7 @PHI 1:05PM
8 DET 1:07PM @BAL 1:05PM	9	10 ATL 1:07PM	11 @NYY 6:35PM	12 @PHI 1:05PM	13 MIN 1:07PM	14 DET 1:07PM
15 @NYM 1:10PM	16 @MIA 1:10PM	17	18 BAL 1:07PM	19 NYY 1:07PM	20 @MIN 1:05PM	21 @PHI 1:05PM @PIT 1:05PM
22 TB 1:07PM	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

TEAM CANADA	HOME	AWAY	SPRING BREAKOUT
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SPRING TRAINING 2026 SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 BAL
22 TB PHI	23 NYC	24 BOS	25 ATL	26 TC	27 C	28 HOU

MARCH

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 STL	2 TB	3 WORLD BASEBALL CLASSIC VS. COLOMBIA	4	5 SF	6 P TOR	7 DET
8 B	9 NYY	10	11 BAL	12 A	13 DET	14 C
15 TB	16 MIN	17 H	18 D	19 BAL	20 ATL D	21 M
22 B	23 A	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	Dates, times, and opponents are subject to change. HOME AWAY SPTSQUAD SPRING BREAKOUT GAME PIRATES.COM/SPRINGTRAINING			



SPRING TRAINING 2026

Sarasota



	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
						20 NYY 1:05	21 PIT 1:05	
	22 DET 1:05	23 ATL 1:05	24 MIN 1:05	25 TB 1:05	26 DET 1:05	27 PIT 1:05	28 ATL 1:05	
	1 BOS 1:05	2	3 NED 1:05	4 HOU 1:05	5 TB 1:05	6 STL 1:05	7 MIN 1:05 ATL 1:05	
	8 TOR 1:05	9 STL 1:05	10 HOU TBD	11 PIT 1:05	12	13 PHI 1:05	14 PIT 1:05	
	15 NYY 6:05	16 BOS 6:05	17 DET 1:05	18 TOR 1:07	19 NYY 1:05 PIT 6:05	20 BOS 6:05 SPRING BRAGGADU NYY 6:35	21 PHI 1:05	
	22 WSH 1:35 <small>SEASIDE PARK BY CAMDEN YARDS</small>	23 WSH 1:05 <small>NATIONALS PARK</small>						
FEBRUARY/MARCH							HOME	AWAY

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2026 NEW YORK YANKEES SPRING TRAINING SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
15	16	17	18	19	20 BAL	21 DET
22 NYM	23 PIT	24 TOR	25 WSH	26 ATL	27 MIN	28 TOR
MARCH						
1 PHI	2	3 PAN	4 BOS	5 MIN	6 TB	7 WSH
8 NYM	9 PIT	10 PHI	11 TOR	12 DET	13 ATL	14 PHI
15 DET BAL	16	17 TB	18 BOS	19 BAL TOR	20 BAL	21 DET
22 PHI	23 CHC	24 CHC	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

HOME GAME
AWAY GAME

Schedule updated as of 11/05/25



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2026 SPRING TRAINING SCHEDULE

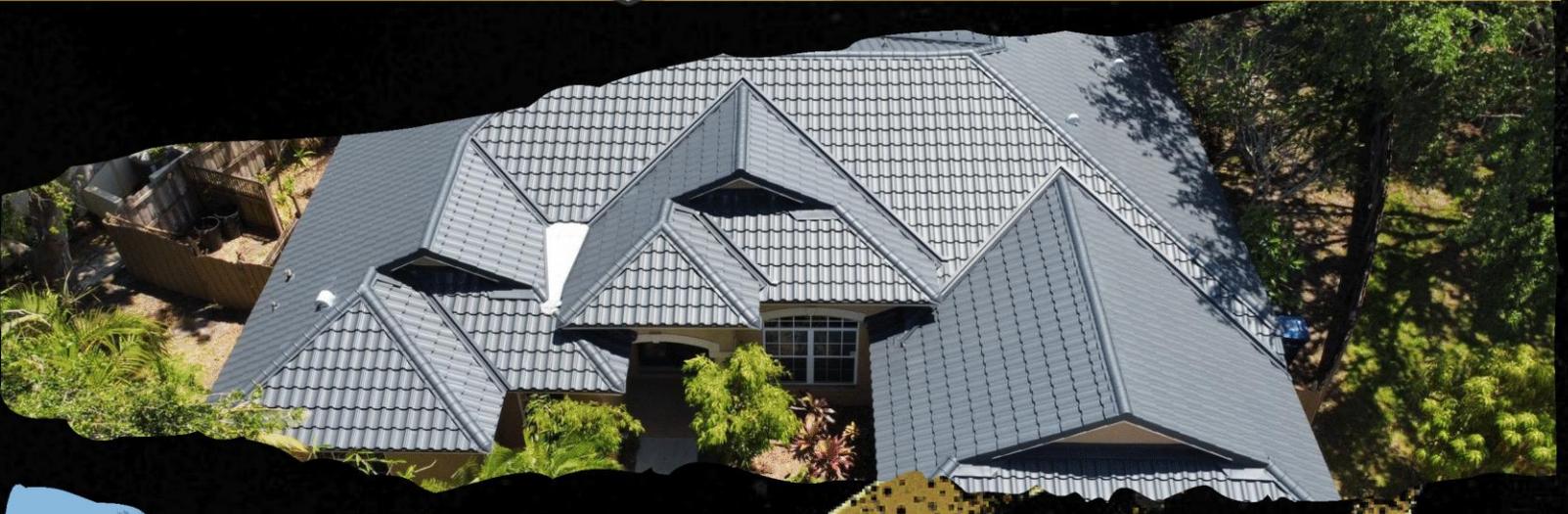
FEBRUARY/MARCH

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						21 NYY
22 BAL 1:05 PM	23 MIN 1:05 PM	24 ATL	25 TOR 1:05 PM PHI	26 BAL	27 PHI 1:05 PM	28 TB
1 TOR 1:05 PM	2 ATL 1:05 PM	3	4 * PAN 1:05 PM	5	6 BOS 1:05 PM	7 PIT 1:05 PM
8 TOR	9 TB 1:05 PM	10 BOS	11 MIN	12 NYY 1:05 PM	13 PIT 6:05 PM	14 TOR
15 NYY	16 PHI 1:05 PM	17 BAL 1:05 PM	18 PIT	19	20 PHI PIT	21 NYY 1:05 PM
22	23 COL @ SCOTTSDALE	24 COL @ SCOTTSDALE				

■ LAKELAND ★ TIGERS VS. PANAMA WBC EXHIBITION
■ AWAY ■ SPRING BREAKOUT
■ DET PROSPECTS & PIT PROSPECTS



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