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November 2009



Dear EWI Tampa Bay Chapter Members,

Greetings, I would first like to say what a wonderful time we had at our October meeting. Brenda Enfinger of Tomlin Staffing did a wonderful job conducting a candlelight ceremony for the installation of our new officers and directors.. We enjoyed the wonderful restaurant along with dinner organized by Dana MacDonald of Busch Gardens. The restaurant was unique and the food delicious.

As we especially honor our veterans during the month of November, please remember the active members of our military serving and preserving our freedom all over the world. Keep them in your prayers and be mindful of the sacrifice each one gives in service for their country. The holiday season is particularly sad for our troops that are stationed overseas.

Try to send a letter, gift package or magazine that may brighten their spirit and encourage morale. Join us in saluting our military veterans and active service men and women; May God Bless them and bring them home safely.

In keeping with this same theme; Tina Spinks with Spinks Law Firm has organized a special evening for our chapter at MacDill Air Force Base on November 12<sup>th</sup>. This will give us a wonderful opportunity not only to honor our military but to personally share in the experience afforded us by our guest speaker who is currently serving at MacDill. I look forward joining you for this special program.

I am sure each one of us will be challenging our previous records for multi-tasking projects in the next couple of months. Our Tampa chapter also has some challenges ahead. Your board will be working on several issues, committee assignments, program schedules, membership, etc. If there is a committee you are interested in chairing; please contact me as soon as possible.

A special "THANK YOU" to Loretta Williams with AON Risk Services for organizing our 2009 Reading Rally. This young lady is a mover and a shaker. She jumped right in displaying both leadership and organizational skills. Lookout Loretta, you may have to chair more than one committee...!! See

Toys for Tots. We are trying to combine our EWI Tampa Chapter efforts with our member firms in collection of donations for this worthy charity. The condition of the economy is not exactly the best and we are involved in several other charities throughout the year. However, EWI says "The sky is the Limit" (another LCAM tidbit) Please consider getting your staff and co-workers involved. Contact me with your interest.

Have a wonderful Thanksgiving. Enjoy your friends and family, share and take a breath. May God Bless Us and give us the courage to be leaders, in our homes, in our careers, in our communities and in his eyes.

Best regards,  
Linda

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# Veteran's Day

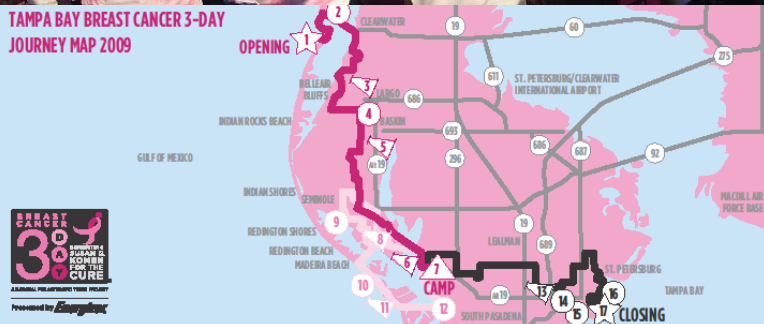


# Member Firms

- Anna Perrott Jewelers
- Aon Risk Services
- Busch Gardens/Adventure Island
- Carey Limousine of Tampa Bay
- Creative Design Ideas
- Hellmuth, Obata & Kassabaum
- Humana, Inc.
- KPMG LLP
- Levy Awards and Promotional Products
- Sheraton Tampa Riverwalk
- Sykes Enterprises
- Syniverse Technologies
- TECO Energy, Inc.
- T. Edmund Spinks, Esq. P.L.
- Tomlin Tested Staffing
- The University of Tampa
- WEDU—Florida West Coast Public Broadcasting, Inc.
- Weichert Realtors, Yates & Associates
- Yale Lift Trucks of FL and GA



Kim Frey, Executive from H.O.K. and Terry Lundquist from Syniverse have both participated in the 3-day walk for breast cancer awareness on Oct. 30th—Nov. 1st. The event had 1,400 walkers, 350 volunteers and raised 4 million dollars, and they were a part of it all. Way to go girls!



LEGEND: DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3
<p><b>1. Opening Ceremony</b> ★ Sand Key Park 10:00 Gulf Blvd Clearwater Beach, FL 33767 Sand Key Park was opened to the public in August, 1984. Ninety-five acres are located on Sand Key, a barrier island between the Gulf of Mexico and the Florida mainland.</p> <p><b>2. Clearwater Marine Aquarium</b> ① Clearwater Marine Aquarium is an internationally respected center for animal care, public education and marine research.</p> <p><b>3. Bank of America Deering/Dalton</b> ① Open 10:00 am - 11:15 am 125 Indian Rocks Rd. N. Bellevue Hills, FL 33770</p>	<p><b>4. Pinellas Trail</b> ① Walkers will venture on, onto and travel underneath the Pinellas Trail. It is a 47-mile winding, rolling trail, the longest urban linear trail in the western United States.</p> <p><b>5. Bayline Mall Hotel (Opening Station)</b> ① 11:00 am - 2:15 pm 1988 St. N and 105th Ave. N Largo, FL 33778</p> <p><b>6. Chabad Jewish Center (Opening Station)</b> ① 12:45 pm - 4:00 pm 4030 Park St. N St. Petersburg, FL 33708</p>	<p><b>7. Camp</b> ▲ Welcome Home!</p> <p><b>8. Seminole State of Florida (Opening Station)</b> ① Open 6:30 am - 10:30 am 5400 Seminole Blvd Seminole, FL 33772</p> <p><b>9. Boca Ciega Wetlands Park</b> ① Boca Ciega Wetlands Park is a stop on the Florida Fish &amp; Wildlife Conservation Commission's "Gulf Florida Birding Trail." You can view shore birds, wading birds, lots of gray, island birds and water fowl.</p> <p><b>10. Raymond Golf Course Beach</b> ① Golfcourse</p> <p>Although you will be walking through, you will want to come back and stay. You will see all sorts of beach activities including parasailing, jet ski rentals and dolphin encounters.</p> <p><b>11. Mather's Boat Village (Opening Station)</b> ① Open 10:45 am - 3:45 pm 3520 Boatwalk Place N Madera Beach, FL 33708</p> <p><b>12. Admiral Furgut Academy</b> ① Founded in 1935 in Pine Beach, New Jersey, Admiral Furgut Academy also has an academy in St. Petersburg that serves as a college prep boarding school for students Pre-K thru 12th Grade.</p> <p><b>13. Woodson Park (Opening Station)</b> ① Open 9:15 am - 11:30 am 1420 16th St. N St. Petersburg, FL 33704</p> <p><b>14. Inglewood Field</b> ① At high points along Day 2's route, walkers may see the dome over Inglewood Field, home of the Tampa Bay Rays.</p> <p><b>15. Honda Grand Prix Site</b> ① Our 3-day route is reserved for foot traffic, but the Honda Grand Prix, an Indy pro series race, shuts down streets in downtown St. Petersburg for a few days every spring as professional drivers take to the track.</p> <p><b>16. St. Petersburg Pier</b> ① Walkers have already crossed the beach, but maybe next time it is worth a trip to the St. Petersburg Pier, which stretches half a mile into Tampa Bay. It is open 365 days a year and is home to shops and restaurants, including the Columbia Restaurant.</p> <p><b>17. Opening Ceremony</b> ★ Epp Beach Park 6:15 2nd Ave. NE St. Petersburg, FL 33701</p>



## **Humana awards \$100,000 grant to Children's Cancer Center** *Tampa nonprofit will use Tampa Bay Benefits grant to expand outreach*

**TAMPA** — Nov. 3, 2009 — Tampa Bay area families who have a child with cancer will have increased services and support thanks to Humana's [Tampa Bay Benefits](#) \$100,000 charitable gift to the [Children's Cancer Center](#).

[Humana](#) Inc. (NYSE: HUM), one of Tampa Bay's leading health benefits companies, awarded the one-time \$100,000 signature grant to the Children's Cancer Center at the Oct. 22 ceremony celebrating its 2009 *Tampa Bay Benefits* charitable giving program.

Humana Central Florida Commercial Operations Market President Sid Morgan presented the \$100,000 *Tampa Bay Benefits* grant to Children's Cancer Center Director of Community Relations Shannon Hannon-Oliviero and representatives from the Tampa nonprofit at the grant celebration at the Lions Eye Institute in Ybor City. Nearly 90 Tampa Bay business, civic and nonprofit leaders attended the evening awards ceremony.

"This grant from Humana will enable the Children's Cancer Center to provide increased services and support to those Tampa Bay families who need our assistance, those who have moved into survivorship and its many challenges, and finally, those who can't make the journey to our facility," said Hannon-Oliviero. "This grant expands our boundaries, and helps us provide additional outreach services to the community."

For the fourth consecutive year, Humana awarded a \$100,000 grant to a bay area nonprofit organization working to improve the quality of life for people in the Tampa Bay community through its work in the areas of mind, body and spirit..



**EWI Tampa Bay Chapter Meeting**

**November 12, 2009**

**at**

**MacDill Air Force Base**

**SAVE THE DATE**

**YOU MUST RSVP NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28**  
**DUE TO MACDILL SECURITY PROCEDURES**

**WE WILL NEED TO PROVIDE THE SECURITY CHECKPOINT WITH  
YOUR FLORIDA DRIVERS LICENSE TO ENTER MACDILL AFB ON  
NOVEMBER 12TH.**

**INVITATIONS WILL BE SENT EARLY FOR THIS MEETING**



**EWI Tampa Bay Chapter Meeting**

**December 9, 2009**

**Tampa Museum of History**

**EWI Tampa Bay Chapter Board Meeting**

**December 17, 2009 5:30 pm.**

**Hellmuth, Obata & Kassabaum**

**201 N. Franklin St.—Suite 1800**

**(One City Center/The Verizon Building)**



**2009 Reading Rally**

The annual Reading Rally event was again a success! A special thanks to Loretta Williams for chairing this years event and also to Bonnie Smith, Loretta Williams, Marilyn Mason and Melissa Gross for representing our chapter on October 26th, at Seminole Heights Elementary School. EWI Tampa Chapter donated school supplies, 60 books "When Donkeys Fly" (given to each child in attendance) and a check was presented to the school for \$466 to use as needed. Also, an additional check was donated in the amount of \$250 to Edison Elementary School, on behalf of our chapter. Thanks also, to all those members that donated school supplies.



10/26/2009 10:39 am

EWI  
EXECUTIVE WOMEN INTERNATIONAL  
TAMPA BAY CHAPTER  
Date  
PAY TO THE  
ORDER OF SEMINOLE HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

17 am



In October some of our representatives shared lunch with Georgene Keenum, a long time member who served on our Chapter Board for many years. We met at the Columbia Restaurant and had a wonderful time. Georgene's beautiful smile and spirit constantly inspires us all and we will remain close in the years to come.



L-to-R Seated: Georgene Keenum, Brenda Efinger, Carol Talone & Oni Hess  
L-to-R Standing: Leah Brainard, Chris Murnghan & Ena Justo



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 Marilynn Madson B-day	4	5 Sharon Hewitt B-day	6	7 Linda Helton's B-day
8	9	10	11 Veterans Day 	12 Chapter Meeting @ MacDill AFB	13	14
15	16	17	18 Chapter Board Meeting @ MacDill	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26 Thanksgiving 	27	28
29	30					

# December 2009

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		1	2	3	4	5
6	7 Loretta Williams' B-day	8	9 Chapter Meeting Tampa Museum of History  Vicki Boyle & Carol Talone's B-days	10	11 Patti Jako B-day	12 Anna Perrott B-day Hanukkah 
13	14	15	16 Dottie Leeds' B-day	17 Board Meeting HO & K 5:30 pm	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas 	26
27	28	29	30	31 New Years Eve 		