

August Luncheon Speaker

Stephen Shiveley

Stephen Shiveley, a Meteorologist with the National Weather Service, based at the US Weather Service Station in Ruskin, was the guest speaker at the Sun City Center Men's Club August monthly membership meeting.

Mr. Shively touched on sea breeze thunderstorms, El Nino and hurricane development before ending with a lively Q and A session.

Watch this talk on our YouTube channel!



Photo L to R Ed Whitehead, SCCMC, Scott Maentz, SCCMC, Art Jorgensen, SCCMC, Stephen Shively, NWS, Elliott Bart, President, SCCMC, Mike Geist, SCCMC
Photos & article by Jay Sparkman

Mr. Shively described his history with the Weather Service and how the Weather Service provides weather, hydrologic (water), and marine conditions. Also related were facts such as the 120 weather stations in the USA are manned 24/7, 365 days a year and that the Weather Service is tasked with providing 7-day forecasts, educating the public, providing info to local and state officials and issuing watches and warnings.

Bob Jenkins, Lions Club

Bob Jenkins, President of the Sun City Center Lions Club was a guest of the Sun City Center Men's Club at the August members' meeting and took a few minutes to relate the charitable workings of the Lions Club.

The Lions Club is a leading service organization historically supporting the visual and hearing impaired. The Sun City Center Men's Club provides members insightful guest speakers while offering members opportunities to participate in community supportive activities.



Photo: L to R: Fred Rathke, SCCMC, Elliott Bart, President, SCCMC, Bob Jenkins, Lions Club, Dennis Humbarger, SCCMC, Edwin Gonzalez-Gertz, SCCMC, Mike Geist, SCCMC



Dear members of the Men's Club of Sun City Center & Kings Point,

As summer winds down, we look forward to welcoming back our seasonal residents and beginning another exciting year of fellowship, service, and community involvement.

I'm pleased to report that our program to assume responsibility for the welcome sign on State Road 674 is moving ahead smoothly. Thanks to the outstanding support of our participating organizations, every contributor has now submitted their commitment. Installation is progressing as planned, and we anticipate the new sign will be in place and welcoming everyone entering Sun City Center by the end of October.

We are moving ahead in anticipation of our Golf Tournament at the Renaissance Country Club on November 14th. We have established an outstanding meal for with Club Renaissance after the tournament. We are obtaining sponsorships and gift baskets for

a raffle drawing at the end of the Tournament. Everything is moving along smoothly. Please come and join us and play this tournament last year was a wonderful experience and I'm sure this year will be even better yet.

In addition, we also have an outstanding lineup of speakers, service projects, and special events planned in the months ahead. Your continued participation and support are what make our club such a valuable part of this community.

Thank you for all you do to strengthen the Men's Club and help improve the quality of life for the residents of Sun City Center & Kings Point. Come join us for our monthly luncheon September 16, at 11 o'clock. Doors open at 10:30.

With warm regards,

Elliott W. Bart
President, Men's Club



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Thanks, Travel World!



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Photo by Jay Sparkman.

A Generous Gift of \$2,047!

Hilda Simmons, travel agent and manager of TravelWorld in Sun City Center presented the Sun City Center Men's Club with a check for **\$2,047** as a donation from proceeds of the SCC Men's Club trip out of Tampa on Margaritaville at Sea in June.

Travel World has worked with the SCC Men's Club for the last 15 years or more to provide trips for members and guest.



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GOLF TOURNAMENT

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Golf Scramble*

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- ★ Mulligans
- ★ Longest Drive
- ★ Closest to the Pin
- ★ 50/50 Raffle

**FOURSOME OR INDIVIDUAL
REGISTRATION**

SCAN TO REGISTER
A FOURSOME
OR AN INDIVIDUAL!





SAVE THE DATE!
SATURDAY, NOV. 14, 2026

**2ND ANNUAL
SCC Men's Club
Fund-Raiser
"Best Ball"
Golf Scramble**

★ **BENEFITTING** ★



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EVENT SCHEDULE*

🕒	7:00–8:00 AM	REGISTRATION
🏌️	8:30 AM	4-PERSON SCRAMBLE SHOTGUN START
🍴	1:30 PM	LUNCHEON BUFFET
🏆	2:30 PM	AWARDS CEREMONY

*Times are subject to change

LOCATION
**Club Renaissance
Golf Course**

2121 S Pebble Beach Blvd
Sun City Center, FL 33573
clubrenaissance.clublink.com



Hosted at Club Renaissance



LEARN MORE
sccmensclub.org



QUESTIONS?
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(813) 633-7091

SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE!

— ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT LOCAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE THROUGH LIFELINE. —

The Men's Club of Sun City Center is pleased to announce it will be holding its second annual golf tournament at Renaissance Golf Club on Saturday November 14, 2026. Registration for Foursomes and Individual players is now open on the website. Scan the QR code above to go to the registration page.

The Men's Club is seeking sponsors to support our efforts to raise money for our charitable work in the Sun City Center and Kings Point communities. There are three levels of Sponsorship, plus hole sponsorship opportunities:

Platinum at \$5,000
Gold at \$2,000
Silver at \$1,000
Hole Sponsorship at \$250 per hole

Platinum sponsors will be named on all promotional materials, and have a table for their own promotional materials during team check in and at the luncheon, a four-person team in the competition and a table for eight at the luncheon.

Gold sponsors will have a table for their own promotional materials during team check in and at the luncheon, a four person team in the competition including a table for eight at the luncheon.

Silver sponsors will have a table for their own promotional materials during team check in, a four person team in the competition including a table for four at the luncheon.

Hole sponsors will have their corporate name displayed on the hole they elected to sponsor or can show the name of who the hole is in memory of. All sponsors will be acknowledged at the luncheon.

Thank you for taking the time to consider sponsorship. You can register as a sponsor on our website or contact myself or Tim Broad with any questions or concerns. Our contact info is on the last page of this Chronicle newsletter.

Elliott Bart, President
Men's Club of Sun City Center

JOIN US FOR A DAY AT TROPICANA FIELD

in
St. Petersburg!



Tropicana
FIELD



SUN • SEPT 20
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GAME TIME: 1:45PM • HOME: 6:45PM



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- ✓ Clear Bag must be a single compartment
- ✓ Clear Bag may have handles or straps
- ✓ Clear Bag may have a clear, reusable storage bag up to 1-gallon size
- ✓ One Small, Single-Pocket Clutch/Wallet/Fanny Pack is permitted per person NO LARGER THAN 5" x 7" NOT required to be clear or transparent; item may have a handle or strap

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R/T TRANSPORTATION
ADMISSION
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FOOD—BEER—WINE SOFT DRINKS
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TODAY!**

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DEPARTURE IS AT 11:45AM

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MEN'S CLUB

Luncheon

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2026



**CHICKEN PARMESAN
BREAST WITH
TOMATO BASIL**



ROASTED SALMON



CHICKEN MARSALA

GUEST SPEAKER PROFILE:

BILL HARRIS



Bill Harris is the Library Branch Manager of the SouthShore Regional Library in the Tampa-Hillsborough County Public Library System.

He was born in Tampa, Florida and has lived in Hillsborough County his whole life. He started working in his first library back in 1992 and he has over

26 years of experience working in the Tampa-Hillsborough County Public Library. He was part of the original staff at SouthShore Regional Library when it opened in 2006.

Bill received a master's degree from the School of Information at the University of South Florida in 2011 and is a member of Beta Phi Mu which is a Library and Information Studies Honor Society. His hobbies include Basketball, Genealogy, and watching the Bucs win the Super Bowl. He would love for you to visit one of the largest libraries in our library system and see all the different services we provide the community.

Make your reservation by Sunday, September 13th at 6:00pm. Scan the QR code to the right to go directly to the reservation page on our website. Or just go to the site and click the Luncheon Tickets menu option. seccmensclub.org

SCC Community Hall - 1910 S. Pebble Beach Blvd, Sun City Center

Doors open at 10:45am | Meeting concludes at approximately 1:00pm



HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS

RESOURCES FOR KINGS POINT & SUN CITY CENTER RESIDENTS



BE INFORMED

BE PREPARED

BE SAFE

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HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Your first stop for hurricane preparedness.



This is Hillsborough County's primary source for official preparedness information and disaster recovery services.

- ✓ Sign up for emergency alerts by text and email
- ✓ Download the Annual Disaster Planning Guide
- ✓ Learn how to prepare your home and family
- ✓ Request disaster preparedness education for your organization
- ✓ Access disaster recovery information after a storm

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OR VISIT:

[hcfl.gov/residents/
public-safety/
emergency-management](http://hcfl.gov/residents/public-safety/emergency-management)

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DISASTER RADIO SERVICE

Stay connected when other communications fail.



The Kings Point Amateur Radio Club (KPARC) offers a Disaster Planning FRS Radio Program for Kings Point and Sun City Center residents.

- ✓ Receive local emergency information
- ✓ Stay informed when internet and cellular service are unavailable
- ✓ No FCC license required
- ✓ Basic radios available for approximately \$15

A small investment today can provide peace of mind when traditional communications are disrupted.

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OR VISIT:

[kparc.org/
disaster-planning-
frs-radio-program/](http://kparc.org/disaster-planning-frs-radio-program/)

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SUN CITY CENTER EMERGENCY SQUAD

Community support during extended power outages.

The Sun City Center Emergency Squad is preparing to assist residents during widespread power failures caused by hurricanes and other disasters.



Device charging



Public Wi-Fi access from the Emergency Squad parking lot



Ice for temperature-sensitive medications (as supplies permit)



These services can help residents remain connected, receive emergency information, and protect essential medications until power is restored.



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NOVEMBER 29 - DECEMBER 7, 2026

ONBOARD SKY PRINCESS



Day	Port	Arrive	Depart
1	Port Canaveral, Florida		3:30 PM
2	Sea		
3	Princess Cays, Bahamas	7:00 AM	4:00 PM
4	Sea		
5	San Juan, Puerto Rico	9:00 AM	5:00 PM
6	Amber Cove, Dominican Republic	10:00 AM	6:00 PM
7	Grand Turk, Turks & Caicos	7:00 AM	4:00 PM
8	Sea		
9	Port Canaveral, Florida	7:00 AM	

Travelworld Pricing:

INSIDE CABIN Cat IB **\$1691**
Per Person

VERANDA CABIN Cat BB **\$2141**
Per Person

MINI SUITE CABIN Cat MC **\$2771**
Per Person

Other categories available upon request.

RATES SHOWN INCLUDE ALL PORT TAXES &
PRE-PAID GRATUITIES / Based on Double Occupancy

Trip Cancellation / Medical Insurance
is **HIGHLY** recommended!

CRUISE PRICES ABOVE INCLUDE:

- Unlimited Beverage Package
- WIFI – 4 devices per person
- Pre-Paid Gratuities
- Unlimited Specialty Dining
- Unlimited Casual Dining
- Premier Photo Package
- Reserved Theater Seating
- \$100 per person Shore Excursion Credit:

REFUNDABLE Deposit: \$250 per person
Final: August 14th, 2026

Contact – Travelworld
(813) 634-3318

Jim Rottman of the SCC Men's Club:
jrottman@tampabay.rr.com

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Per Person

PRIME AQUA CLASS Cat A1

\$3235.58

Per Person

★ RATES SHOWN INCLUDE ALL PORT TAXES & PRE-PAID GRATUITIES

★ Based on Double Occupancy

★ All rates are subject to availability

★ Other categories available upon request

★ Trip Cancellation / Medical Insurance is HIGHLY recommended for this cruise!

★ Motorcoach will be an additional cost - MUST have 35+ people

DAY	PORT	ARRIVE	DEPART
1	Fort Lauderdale, Florida		4:00 PM
2	Cruising		
3	Puerto Plata, Dominican Rep	7:00 AM	3:00 PM
4	Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas	11:30 AM	7:00 PM
5	St. Johns, Antigua	5:00 AM	5:00 PM
6	Philipsburg, St. Maarten	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
7	Cruising		
8	Cruising		
9	Fort Lauderdale, Florida	7:00 AM	

CRUISE PRICES ABOVE INCLUDE:

- ✓ Classic Beverage Package
- ✓ Basic WIFI
- ✓ Pre-Paid Gratuities



Group Leader
Jim Rottman / 813-205-6949

Contact -
Travelworld

☎ Office (813) 634-3318

✉ scctravel@travelworld1.com

REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT:

\$250 per person

FINAL:

August 20th, 2027



**Contact one of these board members
if you are interested in helping the
Men's Club serve our community**

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