

The Historical Society of Sarasota County

welcomes you to our upcoming events!

Downtown Historic Narrated Trolley Tour featuring the renowned historian/ story-teller Sue Blue

The original, and still the most informative and entertaining, Sarasota history as seen through the eyes of a Sarasota native. For more information, see <https://hsosc.com/trolley>

Saturday Feb 8 & 22, March 14 & 28, April 4 10am - 12noon \$35

Departs/Returns Crocker Memorial Church Free Parking Reservations Required 941-364-9076 (M-F 10am to 2pm)

Sparkly Saturday

A "trunk show" of gently-used vintage, costume, unique, fine and fashion jewelry displayed for you in the Crocker Memorial Church, and a bonus tag sale on the porches of the Bidwell-Wood House. If you love to sniff out treasures, this is the event for you! Presented in partnership with jewelrytotherescue.org

Saturday February 8, 9am - 1pm Admission free, but a donation of your underloved costume jewelry enables Jewelry to the Rescue to continue its outreach for local nonprofits.

Conversations at The Crocker A monthly happening, February's topic will be

A history of food in Sarasota with Gary Morimino & Judi Gallagher

Tuesday February 11, 7 pm Members Free, Guests \$10

Sunday Afternoon Social A light, entertaining program presented cafe-style in the historic Crocker Church (c.1901)

David Duncan on the history of the railroads

Sunday Feb 16, 2 to 4pm Light refreshments Members \$5, Guests \$10

St. Petersburg: Revitalizing History, A Bus Tour

With a guide from the "Preserve the Burg" group, we'll see St. Pete's historical highlights, including vibrant Central Avenue, the Detroit Hotel (1888), the 90-year-old St. Petersburg Shuffleboard Club with over 1200 members, and the spectacularly restored Vinoy Hotel. We'll enjoy a gourmet lunch (included) at the renowned Chief's with a choice of entrees before we explore the African American Trail, witnessing the amazing revitalization of The Deuces Corridor and visiting the Woodson Museum.

Tuesday, Feb. 18, 8:00-4:30 Leaves/ returns at Historical Society, 1260 12th

St. \$80 Member, \$90 not-yet-Member. Reservations required; call 941-364-9076 or email hsosc1@gmail.com.

Historic Cruise of Sarasota Bay

Learn local history the fun way on our 36th Historical Bay Cruise on the iconic Le Barge. Narrated with flair by John McCarthy, noted Sarasota Historian. Light refreshments, cash bar.

Sunday, March 8, 2020 11am - 1pm \$50 per person \$75 VIP (Priority boarding, perks, and a free drink ticket!) Reservations a must

Hero of History Gala Luncheon

This year, our Hero of History Award will be presented to Jon Thaxton

Wednesday March 18, 2020 – 11:30am at Michaels on East. Sponsorships and Group tables available. Reservations a must; call HSoSC at 941-364-9076 or email hsosc1@gmail.com for opportunities to honor Jon's contribution to Sarasota County and to celebrate with us.



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