

## 2026 Sarasota Manatee Council NLUS Event Calendar (as of April 25, 2026)

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<u>Month</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Theme</u>	<u>Speaker</u>	<u>Venue</u>	<u>Coordinated or Joint Event?</u>	<u>Other Considerations/ Color Guard</u>
January	13	Event		Agave Bandido, Waterside LWR	Reception	
January	14	Board Meeting		Zoom		
January	28	USCGC Blackthorn Memorial		Blackthorn Memorial Park (19S/ I-275S)	Blackthorn Memorial Committee	Wreath laying
January	TBD	Visit Sta Cortez				
February	16	Board Meeting		Zoom		
February	24	Event		Oak and Stone, Clark Road		
February	26	Event	Track Meet VMS			Cindy coordinating
March	TBD	SOQ Presentation		Air Station Clearwater		
March	9	Board Meeting		Zoom		Zoom
March	13-22	Volunteer / Fundraising	Sarasota County Fair dates			
April	TBD	SOQ presentations				

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April	8	Board Meeting		Zoom		Supported Units
April	9	Youth Programs	Jennifer Stringer/Teresa Caracciolo NPHS teachers	PLANTATION Golf and Country Club	Lunch VHS MCJROTC NPHS NJROTC PPHS CGJROTC YMs Sea Cadets	Venice Middle School Color Guard TR Medals All Youth Program Scholarships Outstanding Young Marines
<b>May</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Board Meeting</b>		<b>Zoom</b>		
<b>May</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>VADM John T. Blake, USN (Ret)</b>	<b>Casey Key Resort</b>		
June	9	Board Meeting 4pm		<b>LWR Library, Community Rm B</b>		
<b>June</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>ADM Jamie Foggo, USN, (Ret), Dean, Center for Maritime Strategy</b>	<b>Lakes Club, LWR</b>		
July	TBD	SOQ presentations				SOQ to be presented
July	14	Board Meeting		<b>Venice Library</b>		
August	4	Event USCG Birthday				
August	11	Board Meeting		Zoom		
September	8	Board Meeting		Zoom		

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September	10	Event				
October	TBD	SOQ presentations				
October	6	Board Meeting		LWR Library - Not yet booked		Supported Units
<b>October</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>ADM Harry Harris, USN (Ret)</b>	<b>Venue TBD</b>		
November	4	Board Meeting		Zoom		
November	10	Event USMC Birthday				
Dec	TBD	SOQ presentations				
December	8	Board Meeting		Selby Library		Supported Units
December	10	Event				