



**ERIC R. MYERS BOOSTER CLUB  
(ERMBC)**

**COMMITMENT TO SERVICE  
TODAY, TOMORROW, FOREVER!**

*Florida's First!*

# ERMBC Quarterly Compass

## The Honorable Eric R. Myers, Deputy Imperial Potentate "A Florida First"

### 2022 CALENDAR

JANUARY							FEBRUARY							MARCH							APRIL													
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### Words from the President...



*Al's Soul-food Restaurant,  
Tampa, FL.*

*Above photo displayed left to right: Keith Smith, Lorraine James, TJ James, Eric Myers, Carolyn Hunter, Lois Middleton, Alvin Walker*

Allow me to personally thank everyone who supported and participated in the Meet and Greet Affair on February 11-12, 2022, in Tampa, Florida; and especially those who traveled from afar. This event was created to allow Booster Club members, supporters, and friends a chance to come together and fellowship since the December 2021 cruise was cancelled by the Cruise Line. During the Saturday event several prizes were given to those in attendance. This was a surprise to everyone. Kudos to Shirley Myers, who did a great job keeping up with the financials and working with Keith Smith to coordinate the events and thank you to the small businesses who donated the door prizes. Special thanks to Ronald Boykins for transporting guests to the events. To ensure safety of the participants, our Admin and Support teams implemented CDC COVID-19 practices and temperature checks as per the CDC guidelines. To both the Admin and Support Teams, a heart-felt "Thank you" for your hard work and dedication to make our events a success.

*Eric*



*Congratulations again to **Michael Bradley**, recipient of the 70-inch TV!*

To all the ERMBC members, as you read this Volume of the Quarterly Compass, feel free to submit ideas that can contribute to our ERMBC content. The Leadership team and I appreciate you and we look forward to continuing a working relationship with you. For those who would like to join or learn more about the Booster Club, visit the ERMBC website at: <https://www.ericmyers.org>.



- 03/01/22** March Madness Begins!
- 03/26/22** Game Night—8PM
- 03/26/22** Member Meeting
- 04/30/22** Game Night—8PM
- 05/28/22** Game Night-8PM
- 06/25/22** Game Night-8PM
- 08/12-08/19** Imperial Session St. Louis, MO.
- 08/16/22** ERMBC Hospitality
- 08/18/22** Installation Ceremony

### MARCH IS RED CROSS MONTH

March is known as National Red Cross Month and is designed to recognize Americans participating in its lifesaving mission -- powered by a workforce that is more than 90% volunteers. This is a time for local communities to come together on one day to help thousands of families nationwide who have been impacted by home fires or other local disasters. Below are ways you can help:

- Make a monetary donation on 3/23/22; Red Cross Giving Day! [redcross.org/GivingDay](https://www.redcross.org/GivingDay)
- Volunteer your time, emotional support and or other skills
- Give Blood
- Learn CPR and help save a life



**Give Blood. Volunteer. Donate.**



**CONGRATULATIONS  
TO OUR NEW  
ERMBC MEMBERS**

**WE LOOK FORWARD TO  
WORKING WITH YOU!**

**Together, Let's Support our Local Red Cross and Help Save Lives!  
WWW.REDCROSS.ORG**

## ERMBC Charity and Community Service

Over the past few months, the Booster Club has been answering the call for charitable service. As we turn the page on COVID-19, many individuals and organizations are receiving more than normal clients who are in need of services. Below are just a few projects that we have been able to assist. Hats-off to Booster Club members who have answered the call to assist in these efforts.



### Crescent Temple #148 & Crescent Court #143

ERMBC Members of Crescent Temple and Crescent Court in Florence, SC., joined in the fight against COVID-19. On January 29, 2022, both the Temple and Court sponsored a community-wide event titled, Join the Fight Against COVID-19. This was an event designed to help “put shots in the arms” to help save lives from the deadly disease. The event resulted in 20-patrons receiving vaccinations. The Health Department’s Mobile Unit provided vaccinations and boosters to adults and children. Gift cards were distributed to those who received the services. This event was Chaired by our very own Dt. Lois Middleton.

### Kudos PC Lois Middleton!

JOIN THE FIGHT  
AGAINST



### In the Spotlight!

**HPP Noble Alvin E. Walker** a member of Harram Temple #23, Tampa, Florida, the “Man in the Spotlight!” Having been a member of Harram Temple #23 for 10-years, Alvin currently serves as the Imperial Deputy Marshal, Worshipful Master of St. Pete Lodge #109, Past Worthy Patron Lola Simon #33, Grand Marshal for the United Supreme Council, and Chief Desert Marshal for the Desert of Florida. Noble Walker has recently Chaired the Temple’s Annual Clothing Donation project that valued over more than \$100,000. The event is designed to help the homeless community throughout the Tampa Bay County area. In between Alvin’s other service projects, he also finds time to help with ERMBC fundraising efforts. As we can see, Alvin displays characteristics of a great leader and leads by example.

**Kudos to HPP Alvin E. Walker!**

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**SPECIAL OFFER** Reduced Membership fees March 2022



**Membership Levels**

- WAS \$75 NOW \$50 Gold - General Membership
- WAS \$250 NOW \$200 Platinum - 1/2 off on all events + T-Shirt
- WAS \$500 NOW \$350 Diamond - All events free + T-Shirt Cruise not Inc

Gold Members could add a T-Shirt (CashApp \$ERMBoosterClub)

NOTE: renewal rates will revert back to regular rates at the end of the month

For additional information  
Email: [ermboosterclub@gmail.com](mailto:ermboosterclub@gmail.com)  
Website: [www.ericmyers.org](http://www.ericmyers.org)

DEAL OF THE MONTH

### Make Your Donation Today!

ERM Booster Club has available various methods for making donations. See details below.

CashApp: \$ERMBoosterClub

Zelle: [ermboosterclub@gmail.com](mailto:ermboosterclub@gmail.com)



Snail-mail: ERMBC

7853 Gunn Highway #107

Tampa, Florida 33626

To Join, visit <http://www.ericmyers.org> or click this button to begin the process:

**JOIN US**