

January 2022

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Downtown Clearwater CRA



Dear Friend,

Over the past month, we have celebrated the spirit of the season with movies, music, markets, and more unique holiday moments in Downtown Clearwater for the entire family including your fluffiest family members. As we enter the final days of the season and prepare to welcome 2022 please enjoy this [highlight video](#) from our Fourth Annual [Holiday Extravaganza](#).



[Click to Watch Holiday Season Recap Video](#)

**Wishing your Holidays are Merry, Bright, and Beautiful!**

The CRA Team – Amanda, Anne, Howard, and Eric



## Movies - FREE

At the historic Bilheimer Capitol Theater

### Last Holiday

December 30 at 7:30 PM

## Celebrate the New Year

### [Dancin' in The District](#): Kickin' 2021 to the Curb New Year's Eve Party

Countdown to midnight and enjoy a night of music and dancing on Cleveland Street. Presented by Downtown Clearwater Merchants Association.

### [Light it up Clearwater!](#) Fireworks

Clearwater Beach's Annual Fireworks New Year's Eve Celebration at midnight. Presented by AMPLIFY Clearwater.

## Final Days of the Holiday Voucher Program

### Get \$10 OFF

*Now through December 31.*

*While supplies last. Limit one per customer.*

Redeem your Holiday Voucher at over 20 participating Downtown Clearwater retailers, restaurants, and bars to enjoy \$10 OFF your bill, with a minimum purchase of \$15

[Get Voucher](#)

## January Featured Events

### [The Market Marie](#) - 2nd Saturday

January 8 from 10 am - 2 pm at Court and Myrtle

### [Peace Concert Series](#) presents: **Made in America**

January 9 at Peace Memorial, located at 110 S. Fort Harrison Avenue

Doors open at 2:30 pm and Showtime at 3 pm

Come enjoy a fascinating program showcasing the wide range of musical styles and rich sounds of the saxophone quartet. The concert features works by American composers, including George Gershwin and Philip Glass, as well as new compositions dedicated to this exciting young ensemble.

No tickets but an offering will be taken (\$5-\$10 minimum suggested).

### [Clearwater Hispanic Farmers Market](#) - 3rd Weekend

January 15 and 16 from 9 am - 3 pm at Court and Myrtle

## January Events

- January 8: [The Market Marie](#)
- January 9: [Peace Concert Series](#) presents [Made in America](#)
- January 10: [East Gateway Business and Neighbors Association](#)
- January 15: [Clearwater Arts Alliance](#) Public Art Walk
- January 15: [The District](#) presents Sip & Stroll
- January 15-16: [Clearwater Hispanic Farmers Market](#)
- January 20: [The District](#) presents Dine Out For A Difference



**Blues ON THE Block**

**Downtown Clearwater  
on Feb. 4 & 5**

**2022 Blues on the Block Lineup**

<b>Friday, Feb. 4</b> Starting at 5 p.m.	<b>Saturday, Feb. 5</b> Starting at noon
Anders Osborne	Southern Hospitality
Ghost Town Blues Band	Selwyn Birchwood
Ally Venable	RJ Howson Band
	More artists TBA...

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CLEARWATER, FL

## Blues on the Block

*A spinoff of the Clearwater Sea-Blues Festival*

February 4 - 5

[Blues on the Block](#), a spinoff event of the Clearwater Sea-Blues Festival, will be taking over the 600 block of Cleveland Street. Enjoy live music from national blues recording artists, culinary experiences from downtown restaurateurs, craft beer and wine from local brewers, market vendors and so much more.

The Clearwater Sea-Blues Festival will be eagerly awaiting to return a newly renovated waterfront park and music venue after the completion of Imagine Clearwater construction in 2023.

Music starts at 5 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 4, and you can get your weekend started with an evening of blues in beautiful downtown. Jam to headliner Anders Osborne and eat at one of the local downtown restaurants.

On Saturday, Feb. 5, music and market vendors will begin at noon. Stroll through Downtown Clearwater, and check out vendors from the Market Marie while enjoying blues music throughout the day.

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More artists to be announced...

Follow our [Facebook Page](#) to stay up to date on the latest information and artists.

Blues on the Block is a free event and tickets are not necessary for general admission. VIP tickets are available for \$75 and include a backstage lounge experience in Station Square Park complete with complimentary food and beverages and access to reserved seating directly in front of the stage.

### **Community and Business Resources**





### **America's Everglades – Through the Lens of Clyde Butcher**

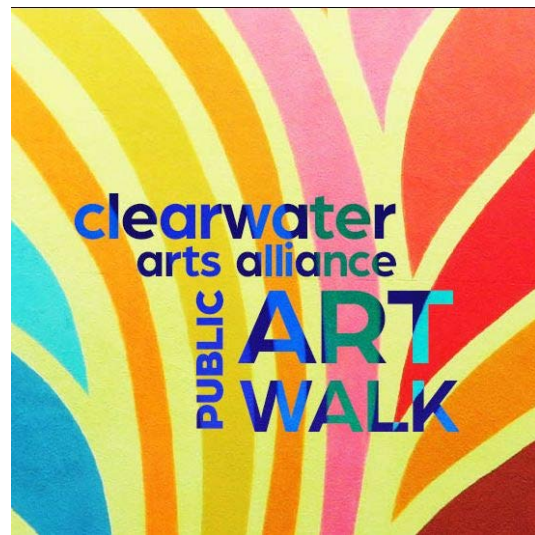
*Free admission*

Experience the natural beauty and boldness of Clyde Butcher's monumental black and white photography in a museum-quality art gallery inside the Clearwater Public Library. This exhibit features an accumulation of images from Clyde's beloved Everglades.



### **East Gateway Business and Neighbors Association**

A Clearwater, Florida community group that is made up of residents



### **Public Art Walk**

Every third Saturday, join the Clearwater Arts Alliance on a leisurely stroll featuring nearly two dozen murals, sculptures, and placemaking sites in Downtown Clearwater at 10:30 am or 4:00 pm on January 15.



### **Cleveland Streetscape Phase III and Festival Core**

Quarterly community meeting to get construction updates and to learn more about the project

Dates: February 8

Time: 6 - 8 pm.

Location: Hacienda Corralejo, 1238 Cleveland Street

and businesses with a goal to revitalize our area, making it a vibrant and safe place in which to live, work, and play has resumed meeting on the second Monday of each month at Hacienda Corralejo, 1230 Cleveland Street. Mix and mingle is held at 5:30 pm followed by the meeting from 6 - 7 pm.



### **Business Assistance Grants**

The CRA has adopted 3 business assistance grant programs for current and future downtown commercial property owners and businesses to help reduce blight and vacancy. [Reserve](#) your time to meet with staff to learn about our programs.



[Clearwater Business SPARK](#) is a network of resources provided by our partners to support businesses and entrepreneurs in every stage of development so that you may easily identify and obtain the resources you need to grow in the greater Clearwater area.



COVID-19 information and resources from the [Florida Department of Health](#) and the [city of Clearwater](#).

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