

September 2022

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Downtown Clearwater CRA



Dear Friend,

**Food Truck Thursdays in Downtown Clearwater returns September 8th
with Even More Food**

Join us this Thursday, September 8th from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. for [Food Truck Thursdays](#) in Station Square Park, [612 Cleveland St.](#), for lunch served with music, games, and fun!

Featured September 8th

- [Just Smokin' BBQ](#)
- Fresh Empanadas
- [Kona Ice Shaved Ice](#)

FOOD TRUCK THURSDAYS



Station Square Park
612 Cleveland Street
Downtown Clearwater

Select Thursdays
Monthly
11:30 am – 2:00 pm

Sept 8 ★ Oct 13 ★ Nov 10 ★ Dec 8

Lunch served with Music, Games, and Fun!

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Just Smokin' BBQ

ENTREES

- BEEF BRISKET SANDWICH \$13
- PULLED PORK SANDWICH \$13
- PULLED CHICKEN SANDWICH \$13
- MEMPHIS GOLD SANDWICH \$14
- ELVIS SANDWICH \$14
- RIBS (3 BONES) \$15
- BBQ PRETZEL SANDWICH \$16

SIDES

- FRENCH FRIES \$6
- MAC-N-CHEESE \$6
- COLE SLAW \$4
- BAKED BEANS \$4

DRINKS

- SODA CAN \$2
- BOTTLED WATER \$2
- POWERADE \$3

FRESHLY MADE ASSORTED



STATION SQUARE PARK
SEPTEMBER 8TH
11:30 - 2:00



Upcoming Thursdays

- October 13
- November 10
- December 8

Presented by [KnowBe4](#), the [Clearwater Community Redevelopment Agency](#), [City of Clearwater Government](#), and [Clearwater Downtown Development Board](#).

Send Greetings from Downtown Clearwater

Check out this new experience at [Daydreaming: Niki Butcher's Hand-Painted Photography](#) exhibit at the Clearwater Public Library Main Branch. See the exhibit and afterwards take a moment to fill out a free "Greetings from Downtown Clearwater" postcard featuring images from Niki Butcher's exhibit. Postcard includes free domestic shipping from our artistic mailbox.

Free exhibit and free postcards. Open through February 2023 during [library hours](#).



Introducing the True Florida Photo and Essay Contest Winners

This summer, the [Tampa Bay Times](#) and the City of Clearwater Community Redevelopment Agency teamed to present True Florida, a photo and essay contest. It was inspired by two art exhibits on display at the Clearwater Main Public Library: the “America’s Everglades Through the Lens of Clyde Butcher” photo exhibit (which ended in May) and the “Daydreaming: Niki Butcher’s Hand-Painted Photography” exhibit (through February 2023).

[Click Here to read full Tampa Bay Times article and see all the winners >>>](#)



Kenneth Macejka titled his winning image "Shocking." He said the reddish egret was taking a break from feeding in the Gulf of Mexico. [Photo by Kenneth Macejka]

Continue scrolling down to learn about the latest events, business resources, and more taking place this September.

The CRA Team – Matt, Howard, Eric, Vickie, and Anne

September Events

- **September 8:** [Food Truck Thursdays](#)
- **September 10:** [The Market Marie](#)
- **September 12:** [Downtown Gateway Business and Neighbors Association](#)
- **September 24:** [Clearwater Arts Alliance Public Art Walk](#)
- **September 24:** [Sip and Stroll](#)

THE MARKET
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OUTDOOR CULTURE EVENTS

THE MARKET CULTURE PRESENTS

SEPTEMBER 10
AND EVERY 2ND SATURDAY!

THE MARKET
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10 AM - 2 PM

80+ VENDORS
DJ DAVE
HENNA
DELICIOUS FOOD
DRINKS
PET TREATS
& MORE!

710 COURT ST. CLEARWATER, FL 33756

[The Market Marie](#)

Saturday, September 10th - second Saturdays monthly

10:00 am - 2:00 pm at Court and Myrtle



Public Art Walk

Saturday, September 24th

Presented by Clearwater Arts Alliance tours at 10:30 am or 4:00 pm.

October Events

Brand new Halloween themed events all October long. More details coming soon!

[Hispanic Farmers Market](#) returns on the third Saturdays of the month starting October 15th at their new location at the [Clearwater Historical Society Museum and Cultural Center](#) at 610 S Fort Harrison Avenue.

CLEARWATER
celebrating
HISPANIC
FARMERS MARKET

**CELEBRATING
HISPANIC
HERITAGE MONTH**

**SATURDAY
OCTOBER 15, 2022**

**610 S FT HARRISON AVE,
CLEARWATER, FL 33756**
Clearwater Historical Society Museum & Cultural Center

9am – 3 pm

Artisan Crafts, Jewelry, Pottery,
Packaged Food, Plants, Honey
Folklore Performances, Music
Latin Cuisine, and more

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BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL, SAY TO BEACH

Unexpected Dumpster Art Lands in the Downtown Gateway

Three local artists came together this summer to paint three dumpster murals in the Downtown Gateway neighborhood, check out these artistic creations along Cleveland Street.

Artist Rosie Rivera – location 1417 Cleveland Street

Artist Sarah Mullins – location 1414 Cleveland Street

Artist Angel Kourkoulou – location 1480 Cleveland Street



Thank you to the Downtown Gateway Business and Neighbors Association for coordinating these projects, Revival Tattoo for hosting the painting event, the Public Arts Board, and City of Clearwater Cultural Affairs.

Community and Business Resources



Business Assistance Grants

Orange Barrel Specials

The CRA has multiple business

assistance grant programs for current and future downtown commercial property owners and businesses to help reduce blight and vacancy. We are eager to assist applicants through the streamlined process.

Learn more about our NEW CRA Business Renovation Grant Program.

downtownclearwater.com/grants/

AMPLIFY CLEARWATER

ESTABLISHED 2019

AMPLIFY Clearwater

The chamber of commerce is proud to offer complimentary memberships to ten small, diverse businesses based in the Tampa Bay region. Applications will be considered by the Board of Directors on an 'as-received' basis.

The application portal will close on September 15, 2022.

amplifyclearwater.com

The Downtown Gateway Business and Neighbors Association would like to introduce you to "Bob Barrello" and the new "**Orange Barrel Special**" construction campaign featuring restaurant specials and special events from Downtown Gateway businesses.

Be sure to follow the [Clearwater East Gateway Business And Neighbors Association](#) to learn more.



Downtown Gateway Business and Neighbors Association

The second Monday of each month. Mix and mingle at 5:30 pm followed by the meeting from 6:00 - 7:00 pm at Hacienda Corralejo, 1230 Cleveland Street.

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