

Congratulations

Advocacy

- Bernadette Homan – Arden Courts of Largo/Seminole
- Daphni Tsongranis – Honor Flight
- Gary LeBlanc – Dementia Mentors
- Mary Wiley – Cypress Palms of Largo
- Nancy Figueroa – Good Samaritan Health Clinic

Community Connection

- Buddy Morabito – YMCA & Long Center
- David Middleton – Sunshine Center & Holiday Shores Park
- Jill Andrew – Ambiance of Brandon
- Julie Schultz – Aging Well Center
- Linda Mells – Seventh Day Adventist Church
- Val Sanford – Applause Community Theater Newsletter

Direct Care

- Cruz Faña-Souchet – AMA Medical Group
- Monice “Moe” Cannell – Highland Lakes Assisted Living
- Sheryl Baker – Family Caregiver
- Tracy Horsefield – Accordia Woods Assisted Living

Leadership

- Andre Smith – Mt. Herman Missionary Baptist Church
- Ann Wilkinson – Pasco Retired Senior Volunteer Program
- Arthur Moseley – Griswold Care Pairing
- Barry Rubin – Pinellas Beaches Chamber of Commerce
- Charlene Miller – League of Nonprofits
- Frank Katz – Trinity Lutheran Church
- Frank Kneen – Good Shepherd Episcopal Church Dunedin

2026 Nominees

Spirit

- Al Rodriguez – Temple B'nai Israel
- Andy Ellis – Trinity House
- Barbara Baughman – Menorah Life
- Barbara White – ECHO's Opportunity Center
- Barbara Wojcik – BLS Pinellas
- Chantala Davis – A Mother's Arms
- Karen Parrish – Local Prayer Groups
- Karen Taylor – Francis Wilson Playhouse
- Kay Klosterman – Brookhaven of Palm Harbor
- Mariaelena Alcira – Weissman Adult Day Center
- Ron Regan – Suncoast Jazz Festival & BLS Pinellas
- Sandy Kneen – Good Shepherd Episcopal Church Dunedin
- Sarah Im – Smart Living Health Fairs
- Virginia & Cal Fox – Mainlands of Tamarac by the Gulf

Volunteerism

- André Kühner – SIS Operation Veteran Connect
- Barbara Salyers – Peterborough Senior Apartments
- Colleen Weimer – Empath Suncoast Hospice
- Eric Steinbuechler – Friends of Seminole Library
- Gregory Ferguson – SIS Senior Companion Program
- John Killeen – Gulfport Senior Foundation
- Julie Ciccarello – Trinity Lutheran Church
- Karen Burdewick – Angels of Hope Ostomy Clinic & Closet
- Marian Tagliarino – Sunshine Senior Center
- Randy Billingsley – Pearlana's Adult Activity Center & REC
- Raymond Van Loon – SIS Senior Disaster Support
- Shirley Onofrey – Meals on Wheels