

RAO MUSUNURU, M.D. MUSEUM & LIBRARY

# 1st Annual Quilt Show

In Partnership with

**West Pasco Quilters Guild**

February 18th, 19th & 20<sup>th</sup>

Friday – Saturday 9 am – 4 pm; Sunday 10 am – 4 pm

**R A F F L E**

TICKETS \$1 EACH OR 7 FOR \$5

**ON SALE NOW**

**Quilt Drawing Sunday February 20, 2021 at 4:00 pm**

**BEAUTIFUL PATRIOTIC  
QUILT  
“AMERICAN HOME”  
LOG CABIN DESIGN**



- Great Food Trucks
- Entertainment
- Farmers & Craft Market
- Door Prizes
- Museum Open

**QUILT ON DISPLAY AT  
MUSEUM**



## LETTER FROM OUR PRESIDENT

DEAR MEMBERS:

Happy New Year! We have completed the end of a long, difficult year and wish you and your loved ones the best in 2022. The museum and library are open in full swing with our regular hours of Friday, Saturday & Sunday, 1pm – 4 pm and extended hours for special occasions. We will once again be scheduling events both in the museum and Peace Hall. Please follow our Facebook and Website to keep up with everything and make sure we have your email. Our beautiful gift shop is open and we have a new visitors center to keep you up with what is available in our area.

The calendars are finally ready after waiting for the right paper to come in to have them printed. Thank you Dr. Musunuru for paying for them. Every member gets one free and they can be purchased in the gift shop.

From all of us on the Board of Directors and our amazing volunteers, we extend our appreciation for your support and extend a warm invitation to visit the museum and library. Remember, members get free admission and 10% off in the gift shop.

Bob Langford, President

### Meet the Authors and special guest Bob "Tub" Langford



- Bob "Tub" Langford's crucial role in Atlanta's music scene during the '60s & '70s is highlighted in the new book, *Atlanta Pop in the '50s, '60s & '70s*, by authors Andy Lee White and John M. Williams.
- Join us and meet the authors along with special guest, New Port Richey native, Bob "Tub" Langford.
- Books will be available for purchase and refreshments will be served.

Date: Thursday December 19, 2019  
Time: 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm  
Place: West Pasco Historical Society  
6431 Circle Blvd, New Port Richey, FL

For those of you who would like to read about our President, Bob Langford, during his music career in the 50's 60's and 70's, you can obtain the above book in the gift shop.

## COME SEE THE NEW WELCOME CENTER AT THE MUSEUM!

We have many visitors from out of town that ask us where to go eat, drink, see live music, gift shops, etc. So, we decided to put in a Welcome Center with brochures and business cards of local businesses. We have the beautiful New Brochure done by New Port Richey Main Street that gives people a map of the city with listings and locations of local businesses. We need your help to build our center. When you patronize local businesses ask them for brochures, menus, business cards, etc. to add to our Visitor Center. Thank You





## Volunteers are always needed

We have a wonderful group of volunteers and will be having our first annual dinner and award ceremony this year. The Board of Directors have approved several new perks for the volunteers:

- 1) Free membership after each year of work.
- 2) Discount in Gift Shop.
- 3) Special awards at Annual Award Banquet for services.

***Come join in the fun.*** You can work as little or as much as you want. Some work 3 hours once a month, some work every other weekend, some work when we have special events. You can make your own hours. It is so rewarding to give back to your community.

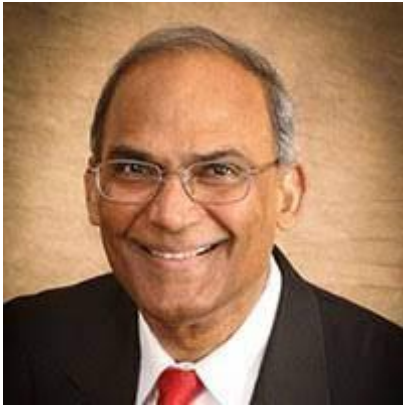
**Volunteers – A gift to the community.**

**THANK YOU TO THE BUSINESSES THAT SUPPORT US**

**AAUW West Pasco Branch  
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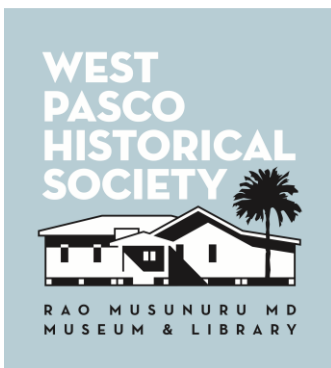
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The museum was organized in 1973 with Julie Obenreder as the first President. It was originally called the NPR Library and was housed in a downtown building. The museum is now located in Sims Park in downtown New Port Richey, Florida. The building originally served as a two-room schoolhouse in Seven Springs, built in 1915. After closing as a school in 1925 it became a private residence to several families. Alex Acey purchased the home and donated it to the West Pasco Historical Society and it was moved to Sims Park in 1981.

The library addition was added in 1982. Thanks to Dr. Rao Musunuru the building was saved from closing and extensively remodeled in 2010-2011, which led to the renaming of the building to include Dr. Musunuru's name. The most recent renovations were done in 2019-2020 with 40 plus new exhibits designed to tell the complete story of West Pasco County from over 15,000 years ago through the Native American Era and Pioneer Days. From the Silent Movie Star days to Johnny Cash. We would also like to thank the City of New Port Richey and Pasco County Commissioners for their continued support. FYI: February 1<sup>st</sup> is Dr. Musunuru Day in Pasco County.



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