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Hispanic Heritage Celebration -Join us in Kissimmee, FL on Sunday, Oct 8th, at Osceola County YMCA, Kissimmee, FL.

Top Hispanic/Latino Leaders celebrate Hispanic Heritage in Kissimmee, Florida.

Kissimmee, Florida; Celebrate Hispanic Heritage in Southwest Florida! All Central Florida is invited to join us in celebrating Hispanic Heritage in Kissimmee, Florida!

Check out [Video Promo here!](#)

This event is a free family and community event, featuring great music, vendors. Food Plus, we will also be awarding Central Florida top leaders with the Top Latino Lideres and the Amigo awards!

BRING your lawn chair and ENJOY LIVE MUSIC and Performances by Revelacion Salersa, PLUS, Dance performances and MORE!

ENJOY the Awards Ceremony Featuring the 2023 TOP Latino Lideres (Latino Leaders) with Leaders coming from all over Central Florida to be recognized and receive the Latino Lideres Award and the Amigo Award on Stage. The Osceola County Sheriff's Office will be present.

Being Awarded on Stage: City of Kissimmee Mayor Olga Gonzalez, Osceola Sheriff Marco Lopez, City of Deltona Mayor Santiago Avila, City of Kissimmee Vice-Mayor Olga Lucia Castano, State Representative Carolina Amesty, Hispanic Florida Director of Faith and Liberty, Angelica McKinney, Wanda Rentas, Julio Aviles, Jackie Espinosa, Nick Caturano, Brenda Del Calle, Ivelize Santiago, Jon Arguello, Marucci Guzman, Doctora Adamar Gonzalez, Mariana Valerio, Luz Rodriguez, Cheyenne Riofrio, Marianela Abreu, Zulma Velez Estrada, Dilia Castillo.

Plus, receiving the Amigo Award on stage, for all their tireless work for our community is City of Kissimmee Police Chief Betty Holland, Martin Levert of Florida Technical College, Sam Haught, Mike Fisher and Ms. Universe Kelly Haser-Pickens.

Remembering our good friend Guillermo "Bill" Hansen, founder of the Osceola Star, and a supporter of our events for over 12 years!

TOP Latino Chef Contest: Contestants entered their TOP Empanadas, and other Latino Dishes like Paella and MORE!

Sponsors Recognized at the Event: FORD Motor Company; Osceola County YMCA; Florida Technical College, VISIT TAMPA BAY, Florida Blue; Hispanic Resource Family Cultural Center; Florida Blue, La Teresita Restaurant; Osceola Star, La Teresita Restaurant, Latin Times Magazine; Vaya DJ, Chris Maloof Entertainment.

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