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### Scene & Heard

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#### Roaring '20s come alive during gala

Flappers, fedoras and zoot suits were the style at the DeBartolo Family Foundation's seventh All-Star Charity Gala on March 5 at A La Carte Pavilion in Tampa. More than 500 guests dressed in their 1920s best to fit in with the "Roaring Twenties" theme and speakeasy decor, complete with a flapper swinging from a trapeze suspended from the ceiling. Celebrities, including current and former football players, were hosted at a private reception before dinner. Former Buccaneers Pro Bowl linebacker Shelton Quarles and his cousin Derek Quarles dressed in look-alike zoot suits. The evening included a three-course dinner and a live auction with items including a private dinner for 10 at the home of Lisa DeBartolo and her husband, Don Miggs, four Super Bowl tickets with first-class air fare and a Fourth of July celebration at the Candy Bar Ranch in Kalispell, Mont., with first-class air fare. Chaired by Eddie and Candy DeBartolo, the evening benefited their nonprofit foundation, which gives grants to organizations that provide assistance to residents with special needs and gives scholarships to high school students.

#### Locals get to be celebrities at Oscar Night

The Tampa Theatre rolled out the red carpet for Oscar Night America, Tampa Bay, one of its main fundraisers, on March 7. The event allowed patrons to experience the Oscars as celebrities do. About 475 guests arrived on the red carpet to be interviewed by Pat Fenda as "Roan Jivers" and accosted by screaming fans and autograph hounds before settling in to watch the 82nd Annual Academy Awards on the big screen. Billed as an "eat, drink and shop" event, the 11th annual Oscar Night was chaired by Sarah Johnson and emceed by Wendy Ryan and Brendan McLaughlin. The event included a silent auction and an opportunity to purchase a ballot to pick the evening's Oscar winners. The ballot coming closest to the actual winners took home a prize. Oscar Night is held at 50 theaters across the country for charity. Oscar Night at the Tampa Theatre is the only one in the Tampa Bay area. The evening raised \$10,000 for the theater.

#### Krewe crowns New O'Malley

Ye Loyal Krewe of Grace O'Malley crowned Tashia Diaz as the O'Malley XVIII during its 18th annual Celebration Ball on March 6 at Mainsail Tampa. The evening, for about 300 krewe members and guests, had a Tudor theme with pheasant feathers, golden leaves, fruit and banners from past krewe leaders as decorations. The event was emceed by Ken Beytin and Bill Hogan. Outgoing O'Malley Heather Wakefield gave a farewell speech and passed along the krewe scepter to Diaz, whose theme is 18 Karat Gold. Founders and former krewe presidents were introduced, followed by honored guests from other krewes. The SuperHeroes, a Tallahassee band, provided dance music. The ball was chaired by sisters Jolie Migliara and Peni Snyder.

#### Ecuadorian Club raises money for Haiti