

6 May 2021

**Rotary Club of
Punta Gorda**

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ROTARY CLUB OF PUNTA GORDA, FL
ZOOM & IN PERSON MTGS: Thursday at 12 Noon

2nd Wednesday – 10 AM Club Board Meetings
**4th Wednesday - 8 AM PG Rotary Charity &
Education Foundation Board meetings**



Now that 99 percent of the world's population lives in regions
certified polio-free, the goal of eradication is closer than ever. Endpolio.org

May 6 –Paul Blaine –RYLA Participants

May 13 – Kaley Miller- Punta Gorda Airport

May 20 – Sue Padwin – Home Flight

May 27 -NO Noon Meeting...Healing Field of Honor Weekend

**Club Goals: Support the Global Grants, Community Grants, and Stand By
Charlotte County!**

Club meetings are back in person at the Isles Yacht Club. **The number of
seating is unlimited.** But, no walk ins. Sign up in advance at the meeting or email
Darcy in advance of the meeting, so that she can give the IYC an accurate meal
count.

We welcome the six participants to this year's RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership
Awards) program.

Alyson has signs to post around town for our Healing Fields of Honor event.
Memorial Day Weekend is almost here!

You are welcome to attend both the Punta Gorda City Council meeting on
Wednesday, May 19, 2021 at 9:00 AM and the Charlotte County Board of County
Commissioners meeting in Murdock on Tuesday, May 25, 2021 at 9:00 AM.
Alyson will be receiving Proclamations from each governing body concerning our
Healing Field of Honor event.

Arnie Eastburn is back from digging seven new wells in Mozambique. We are
partnering with the Rotary Club of Beira, Mozambique. But, Beira is located 500
miles away from where the wells are being dug!

Kit Smith announced that we will be granting five college scholarships this
spring: two 'second year' scholarship recipients, and three new scholarship
recipients.

Mike Colgan announced that the Peace River Harbor Heights Rotary Club's
fundraiser is the "Bogies and Stogies Golf Tournament" on May 22 at St.
Andrews. If you are interest in forming a team, or sponsoring a hole, contact
Mike at puntagordapubcrawl@gmail.com.



The Four Way Test

of the things we think, say and do

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and
BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all
concerned?

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Worldwide. All are welcome!

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