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Rotary Club of Punta Gorda

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Club of Punta Gorda FL



BE THE INSPIRATION

Meetings: Thursday at 12 NOON
Isles Yacht Club - Marion Ave & Bal Harbour
Blvd Punta Gorda, FL

2nd Wed - 8A.M. Club Board Meetings @
Isles Yacht Club

4th Wed - Punta Gorda Rotary Charity &
Education Foundation Board

THE FOUR WAY TEST
Of the things we think, say or do -
FIRST - Is it the TRUTH?
SECOND - Is it FAIR to all concerned?
THIRD - Will it build GOODWILL and better friendships?
FOURTH - Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

UPCOMING PROGRAMS & EVENTS

March 21 – **Eric Hoffer** – The Hoffer Family Foundation

March 28 – **Arnie Eastburn**

April 4 – **Cheryl Kuba**- Our Aging Parents.

Our Foundation's grant request Committee will meet on Monday March 25. If you want to suggest that our Foundation make a donation to a particular organization, print out the grant request form from our Club's website, fill it out, get another Rotarian to co-sign it with you and email it to either lauracknutson@outlook.com, johnsdzurak@hotmail.com, or sgoettler@bex.net by 5 PM tomorrow, Friday, March 22. The Committee will make recommendations to the full Foundation Board next Wednesday.

Welcome back, Burt Wahlburg as a member of our Club!

David Smith wants to put together a team for a darts tournament at the Ice House Pub on Sunday April 7 at 2PM to benefit Charlotte Tech scholarships. Email him at smithfarms1976@gmail.com if you are interested.

The Murdock Rotary Club is having a golf tournament fundraiser at Heron Creek in North Port on Saturday, April 6. They are looking for a foursome. If you are interested call Walt Powers at 941-456-1862.

James Williams asks if anyone wants to lead a team of PG Rotarians for the Great America Cleanup on March 30.

Yes, we will work the Block Party again (ticket booth, wristbands, and pour beer) on April 27. **THIS WILL ONLY WORK IF WE GET 36 PEOPLE TO SIGN UP (3 SHIFTS OF AT LEAST 12 PEOPLE EACH. MORE IF POSSIBLE).** During daylight hours people will have to rotate their jobs because we can't have people in the hot sun putting wristbands on customers for 3 hours straight). I was asked to prepare a sign up sheet, and I start signing people up if not next week, then the following week.

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