

4 June 2020

**Rotary Club of  
Punta Gorda**



**The COG**  
Rotary Club  
of Punta Gorda FL



#4337, District 6960

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**Zoom Meetings: Thursday at 12 NOON**

2nd Wed – 10 A.M. Club Board ZOOM Meetings

4th Wed – Punta Gorda Rotary Charity & Education Foundation Board (T.B.A.)

**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?**

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Treasurer: Alice Rose

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Youth Services: Paul Blaine/Charles

Marsee

**COMMITTEES**

Public Image: Keven Knight

Rotary International Foundation:

John Dzurak

Membership: Rex Koch

Newsletter: John Dzurak

**PG ROTARY FOUNDATION**

President: Craig Esterly

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Treasurer: Laura Knutson

Secretary: Steve Goettler

Trustee: John Tiller

Trustee: Skip Mansfield

Trustee: Robin Adair

Trustee: George Miller

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**UPCOMING PROGRAMS & EVENTS**

Jun 4 – **Craig Esterly**, Punta Gorda Rotary Club Charity & Education Foundation

Jun 11 – **Bill Truex**, Charlotte County Commissioner

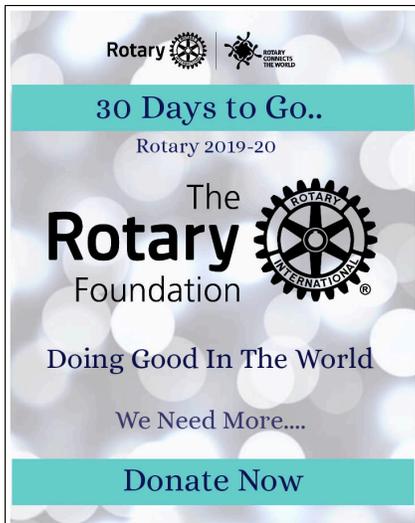
Jun 18 – **VIRTUAL CHANGE OF WATCH PARTY, 5-6 PM**

Jun 25 – **Randall Crouch**, PE, Charlotte Harbor Sunset Club.

Jul 2 – **Club Social** TBA

Jul 4 – **HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY!**

Don't forget to put your name in to serve on the Club's **Charity and Education Foundation**. Five (5) Trustee positions are open. The election will be at the in early July. Please contact Carol Knutson at [knutson\\_carol@yahoo.com](mailto:knutson_carol@yahoo.com) and Steve Goettler at [sgoettler@buckeye-express.com](mailto:sgoettler@buckeye-express.com) before June 25<sup>th</sup>.



The Rotary Foundation is finishing this Rotary year off with a donation drive. Remember that every dollar you give to TRF brings you closer to a Paul Harris Fellowship Award.

For every member who contributes to TRF, I will match your dollar donation with the same amount in points, getting you that much closer to a Paul Harris Fellowship.

If you give \$500, my match in points will get you the Paul Harris Fellowship.

So, please let me know how much you've donated this month of June!

Pres-Elect Darcy is hoping we can meet at the Isles Yacht Club on Thursday, July 9<sup>th</sup> in the large dining room with social distancing. Only 48 people can attend, so we'll have sign-ups ahead. She is to have a Zoom option for members who do not feel comfortable meeting face to face just yet.

Birthday, anniversary, happy/sad dollars, and tips for servers go to our virtual tip jar: <https://squareup.com/store/punta-gorda-rotary-club-2>.



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