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Rotary Club of Punta Gorda

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COG Rotary

Club of Punta Gorda FL



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

September 26 – **Dawn Lucas and Mourina Ragsdale** – The Compass Center

October 3 – **Sally Senitz**- Wings of Shelter International

October 10 – **District Governor Rich Kirschner**

October 17 – **Sunset Cruise. No noon meeting.**

Please consider making a donation to Bahamas Rotary District 7720 for Hurricane Dorian Relief. Our Club's Foundation will match our Members' donations up to a total of \$2,500.

District Governor Rich Kirschner will visit our Club at our October 10 meeting. Please plan to attend that day so that he sees a "full house" at our meeting.

Our October 17 meeting will be held as a sunset cruise from Fisherman's Village aboard the Charlotte Lady. Nibbles available. Cash bar. 5:15 PM to 7:30 PM. Bring your spouse, partner and potential members! See the signup sheet at the front desk. \$25 per person. **There will be no noon Club meeting that day.**

In line with next week's speaker concerning human trafficking, contact Chuck Marlowe if you are interested in joining his Human Trafficking Awareness Committee. We will work with DGE Darryl Keys and AG Sherry Penfield, representatives from C.A.R.E., TEAM Punta Gorda, local law enforcement, and trafficking safe havens. The aim is to assist with two public forums which C.A.R.E. is organizing early in 2020 as well as carry out some other ideas.

Robin has the sign up sheet for the Air Show. Five people needed Friday evening, Five people needed for each of two shifts on Saturday and Sunday. Our job at the Flight Deck Tent is by far the easiest and best job of the whole Air Show.

Invitations to the Testimonial Dinner will soon be mailed out. One of our club's two main annual fundraisers require participation by ALL of us. The dinner is November 12, 2019 at the IYC.

Win a Paul Harris Fellowship by entering the "Polio Plus Pool" for Polio Plus Day on October 24.

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Thank you!



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Punta Gorda Rotary & CHS Interact had a great turn-out for the International Coast Cleanup Day, Sept. 21st

