# PGKIMANIS

#### Newsletter



## On the Calendar

#### Thursday, April 10:

**Evan Robinson**, wrestling coach, Charlotte High School

Monday, April 15, 2025 at 5:30 Board Meeting

Thursday, April 17: Kristie Popa - 4H club

Wednesday, April 23: Crossroads dinner 5:00

Thursday, April 24 @ 7:30
Interclub with Sunrise
Kiwanis Finnegans, 1825
Tamiami Tr, PC (Books-A-Million plaza). Jim Finch will
be their speaker. Breakfast is
\$10

Wednesday, April 30: Visanni's Comedy Club

Saturday, May 3rd: Larry Taylor Golf Tournament

Monday, May 5th at 7pm: Kiwanis Foundation of Charlotte County Awards night at Event Center





### **Tammy Wilkie from CCSO**

Tammy Wilkie from CCSO spoke to us about recent scams and how to protect yourself. There are so many different scams out there, you really need to first take a step back and think clearly about what is happening. If you don't recognize a phone number, don't answer it - if it's important they will leave a message but scammers will not. Know that the police, court houses, and IRS will never call you for money, and if anyone asks for gift cards it is a scam. If you get an email claiming it is a family member in jail, check with another family member to see if it's true - it is usually a scam.

One of the things that the CCSO and PGPD offer is a parking space outside their facilities where you can exchange purchases you made online if you are not too sure about the person you are dealing with. This parking space is located in front of the building and has a 24/7 video camera to monitor everything that happens. It was a very interesting meeting.







Catch us now on social media!

Website: PuntaGorda-Kiwanis.com

Facebook: Punta Gorda Kiwanis Club

https://Facebook.com/ PuntaGordaKiwanisClub





Linda Martin's Kiwanis Bridal Shower! Save the Date! May 17 at the Life Celebration Center! The cost is \$100/ person and will include dinner



If you are interested in being in charge of finding speakers, writing the newsletter, or planning a social for June, July, August or September, please let Debbie know



#### **Easter baskets for Crossroads!**

We will be collecting items for the Nix campus Crossroads boys. Looking for fun things: deck of cards, frisbees, Rubik's cubes, nerf balls, snacks, art supplies. We will pack them at our April 17 meeting! Please bring your items to club. Thank you!





Frank drew Mike Hahn's number! Sue won \$22, but Mike was unable to win the \$111 for her. Lee Swift is patiently waiting his turn.

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