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Newsletter



On the

Calendar

Wednesday, March 26 @ 5 Crossroads dinner

Thursday, March 27 @ 12 noon social at Ice House Pub, 408 Tamiami Tr #111. Outside seating

Saturday, March 29 @ 8:30 Aquí Está road cleanup. Meet at Congregational

Meet at Congregational Church of Christ, 1201 Aqui Esta Dr

Thursday, April 3, 2025: Jen Wilson of Charlotte County Sheriff's Office

Monday, April 8, 2025 at 5:30 Board Meeting

Thursday, April 10:

Evan Robinson, wrestling coach, Charlotte High School

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





Key Club and Parrot Heads!

It was a spring break kind of club! We had 3 high schoolers, 2 elementary students and 1 preschooler! Grace spoke to us about the Charlotte High School Key Club where she is President. The club has been very busy doing special projects, volunteering at community events, and helping other students at Punta Gorda Middle School. In attendance at our meeting was Landon, Marian's grandson, also a Key Club member and Marian's granddaughter, Lauren, who is the President of the Peace River Elementary K-Kids! Our SLP's (Service Leadership Programs) were represented well. We found out that Frank Desguin was the first Key Club president at Charlotte High School!

Meredith joined us from the Charlotte Harbor Parrot Head Club to present a \$1000 check to us. Parrot Head Club supports our club's Caring For Kids in March and we always appreciate their support! Meredith spoke to us about her realization of the great need in Charlotte County and how many food banks there are in our county. Their club is now more active in donating to different food banks.



Storywalk Trail is our 100 year celebration project that we are working on to have in the community! This is 17 or 18 posts that when followed from beginning to

end allows children to read a book! We will keep you updated on its progress.



PGA National, Palm Beach Gardens.

If you are planning on going, please book your hotel room now! This is a great way to learn more about Kiwanis and meet new friends! Go to the Florida Kiwanis web site to register.

Visanni's Comedy Club

Once again, we will have a social/fundraiser at Visanni's! We need to sell 30 tickets at \$10 each. Each ticket holder is asked to spend \$15. John Carfi will be the comedian that night. Age 18 and older. Maureen will have tickets at our social on March 27 and at our club meeting on April 3rd!

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





We are ordering new shirts honoring our hundred year anniversary! They will be great to wear at functions or just out in the community! A survey will be sent for you to order your shirt! XS - XL \$20; XXL \$22; XXXL \$25. The shirt sizes seem to be right on.



Easter baskets for Crossroads!

We will be collecting items for the Nix campus Crossroads boys. Looking for fun things: deck of cards, water bottles, Axe body spray, and candy/ healthy snacks for 24 and sports balls or art supplies to total 24. We will be collecting them all April and putting them in backpacks.





Our guest, Meredith, drew the 50/50 number today which turned out to be Frank's number! Frank received \$18 but did not win the \$89 grand prize.

"Improving the world, one child, one community at a time" Kiwanis International Motto