

# **Attractions**

The Charlotte Harbor Gulf Island Coast

## LIVE PERFORMANCE VENUES

**88 Keys & Perch 360 ·** facebook.com/88KeysFlorida & facebook.com/Perch360 · 101 E. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda** 

**All-Star Sports Grill •** facebook.com/allstarsportsgrillpcfl • 2360 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

**Angela's Buffalo Inspired Eatery & Bar** • facebook.com/AngelasPuntaGorda • 258 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

**Bar 17 (formerly Cold River Saloon)** • Search by name on Facebook • 3149 Duncan Rd., Punta Gorda

**The Bean Depot Cafe** • facebook.com/TheBeanDepot • 4370 Garden Rd., **Port Charlotte** 

**Bella's Bistro** • facebook.com/bellasbistropuntagorda • 117 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

**Bert's Black Widow** • facebook.com/BlackWidowHarleyDavidson• 2224 El Jobean Rd., **Port Charlotte** 

**The Blue Turtle •** facebook.com/Blueturtlepg • 139 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

**Cass Cay Restaurant and Bar** • facebook.com/CassCay • 3200 Matecumbe Key Rd., **Punta Gorda** 

**Celtic Ray Irish Pub** • facebook.com/celticraypublichouse • 145 E. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

**Charlie's Pub** • Search by name on Facebook • 3496 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

**Dean's South of the Border** • facebook.com/Deanstexmex • 130 Tamiami Tr., **Punta Gorda** 

**Downtown Gatorz** • facebook.com/DowntownGatorz • 502 King St., **Punta Gorda** 

**D'Vines Wine Bar & Gift Emporium •** facebook.com/ Dvineswine • 701 JC Center Ct., **Port Charlotte** 

**The End Zone Sports Grille** • facebook.com/TheEndZone4 • 2440 S. McCall Rd., **Englewood** 

**Englewoods on Dearborn •** facebook.com/EODblues • 362 W. Dearborn St., **Englewood** 

**Farlow's on the Water** • facebook.com/FarlowsOnTheWater • 2080 S. McCall Rd., **Englewood** 

**Fat Point Brewery** • facebook.com/FatPointBrewing • 611 Charlotte St., Punta Gorda

**Fedora's Cigar Bar** • facebook.com/fedorascigarbarpuntagorda • 2117 Tamiami Tr., **Punta Gorda** 

**Fishermen's Village** • facebook.com/fishermensvillage • 1200 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda** 

**Gilded Grape Winery & Wine Bar** • facebook.com/gildedgrapewinery • 4069 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

**Harpoon Harry's** • facebook.com/harpoonharrys • 1200 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda** 

**Hawgz and Dawgz** • facebook.com/bestcornerbarever • 12459 Tamiami Tr., **Punta Gorda** 

**The Hive Bar** • facebook.com/OhBeeHave • 4095 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

**Hurricane Charley's** • facebook.com/HurricaneCharleysRaw-BarandGrill • 300 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda** 

**JD's Jazz Club** • facebook.com/JDsBistroandGrille/ • 1951 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

**La Fiorentina** • facebook.com/lafiorentinapg • 10361 Tamiami Tr., **Punta Gorda** 

**Leroy's Southern Kitchen & Bar** • Search by name on Facebook • 201 W. Marion Ave., Punta Gorda

**Lighthouse Grill at Stump Pass** • facebook.com/lighthouseg-rillatstumppass • 260 Maryland Ave., **Englewood** 

**Lock 'N Key ·** facebook.com/locknkeyrestaurant • 2045 N. Beach Rd., **Englewood** 

Mango Bistro • facebook.com/mangobistro • 301 W. Dearborn St., Englewood

**Military Heritage Museum** • facebook.com/MilitaryHeritage-Museum • 900 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

**Navagator Grill** • facebook.com/navagator.grill • 9700 S.W. Riverview Cir., **Lake Suzy** 

Nino's Bakery • facebook.com/ninosbakery • 3151 Cooper St., Ste. 52, Punta Gorda

**Porky's Roadhouse •** facebook.com/porkysroadhousepc • 4900 Kings Hwy., Ste. 412, **Port Charlotte** 

**Portside Tavern** • facebook.com/PortsideEvents/ • 3636 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

**Ragin' Cajun** • facebook.com/raigincajunrestaurant •. 4104 El Jobean Rd., **Port Charlotte** 

**Ricaltini's Bar & Grille •** facebook.com/RicaltinisBarAnd-Grille.• 1997 Kentucky Ave., **Englewood** 

**SandBar Tiki & Grille** • facebook.com/SandBarTikiGrille • 1975 Beach Rd., **Englewood** 

**Snook's Bayside Bar & Grill** • facebook.com/Snooksbayside-barandGrill • 779 W. Wentworth St., **Englewood** 

TT's (The Tiki) Bar · facebook.com/thetikibarpg · 33 Tamiami Tr., Punta Gorda

**Vino Loco** • Search by name on Facebook • 420 W. Dearborn St., **Englewood** 

**Visani Comedy Theater** • facebook.com/VisaniPortCharlotte • 2400 Kings Hwy., **Port Charlotte** 

White Elephant Pub • facebook.com/whiteelephantpub • 1855 Gulf Blvd., Englewood

## **GET OUT**

#### **Sea To Shore**

**Captiva Cruises** Don Pedro State Park Island Shuttle; full- and half-day excursions, sunset cruises, lunch/beach/shelling trips, dolphin watch/wildlife cruises. Search by name on Facebook. Cape Haze Marina, 6950 Placida Rd., **Cape Haze** 

**Charlotte Harbor Aquatic Preserves (CHAP)** Nature boat ecotours and snorkeling tours. Visit facebook.com/Charlotte HarborAquaticPreserves. Departs from Gasparilla Marina, 15001 Gasparilla Rd., **Placida** 

**Depthfinders Dive Center** Dive information, equipment sales/service, training, rental equipment, repair, air or Nitrox refills, training in PADI, and DAN certifications. Visit depthfinders. com. 1225 Tamiami Tr., Unit A-5, **Port Charlotte** 

**Gaea Guides** Kyak nature tours of Alligator Creek, Peace River/Hunter Creek Estuary Bird Rookery, and Shell Creek lead by professional naturalists. Visit facebook.com/gaea. guides.9. Various locations, **Punta Gorda** 

**Gasparilla Boat Tours** Visit Boca Grande, Stump Pass, Pelican Bay or Cabbage Key; and more! 10% veteran discount with proper ID; family- and differently-abled-friendly. Visit facebook.com/gasparillaboattours. 15001 Gasparilla Rd., **Placida** 

**Glass Bottom Rentals** Open seven days a week, launching from the Boca Grande Fishing Pier. Visit facebook.com/glass-bottomrentals. 5810 Gasparilla Rd., **Placida** 

**Great Lady Charters** 60' Viking yacht exploring Southwest Florida. Visit greatladycharters.com or call 941.286.8055. Fishermen's Village, 1200 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda** 

**Hooked on SUP** Stand up paddleboard, kayak, canoe adventures, wildlife, shelling, and picnic tours, snorkeling trips, SUP yoga. Visit facebook.com/HookedOnSUP. 8450 Placida Rd., in Don Pedro Island State Park, **Placida** 

**King Fisher Fleet** Deep sea/back bay fishing; eco-tours; fulland half-day, sunset, harbor, sightseeing cruises, and the home of the original Christmas Lights Canal tour. Visit facebook.com/kingfisherfleet. Fishermen's Village Marina, 1200 W. Retta Esplanade, Ste. 16A, **Punta Gorda** 

**Lemon Bay Dolphin Tours** Explore the beauty of Lemon Bay in a peaceful, relaxing and fun setting! Visit facebook.com/lemonbaydolphintours. 1450 Beach Rd., **Englewood** 

**Riding the Waves** Pilot your own Personal Power Catamaran on a fun-filled adventure along beautiful waterways with Certified Florida Naturalist guides. Visit facebook.com/RidingTheWavesFL. Skip's Marina, 1990 Placida Rd., **Englewood** 

**Selkie Adaptive Paddle** Specially-designed paddleboards, kayaks, and adaptive equipment to meet the needs of all paddlers. Visit selkieadaptivepaddle.com or search by name on Facebook • **Charlotte County** 

**Tiki Joe's Cruise** BYOB private, party, public, and sunset cruises on a fun, 6-seater floating tiki bar! Veteran owned and operated. Visit tikijoescruise.com or email tikijoescruise.com.

## **About Town**

**The Beach Guy: Beach Accessory Rentals •** thebeachguy.biz • 941.445.0467 • **Englewood Beach** 

**Charlotte County Fair Association •** the charlotte county fair. com • 2333 El Jobean Rd., **Port Charlotte** 

Englewood Drum Circle • danceenglewood.com • Note: parking fee is .75 per hour • 2100 N. Beach Rd., Englewood Beach

**History Quest: Historical Geocaching and Questing** • face-book.com/CharlotteCountyHistoricalCenter • *Ongoing* • 514 E. Grace St., **Punta Gorda** 

**Thoroughbred Golf Cart Rental** • tgcarts.com • 3301 Placida Rd., **Englewood** 

#### **Adventure**

**Babcock Ranch Eco Tours** • facebook.com/babcockranchech otour • 8000 State Rd. 31, **Punta Gorda** 

**Barrier Island Park Society (BIPS)** • facebook.com/BarrierIslandParksSociety • Various locations, **Charlotte County** 

**Branded Heart Stables** • Search by name on Facebook • 1030 Morningside Dr., Englewood

**Charlotte Harbor Environmental Center (CHEC)** • facebook. com/CHECFlorida • Various locations, **Charlotte County** 

**Lemon Bay Conservancy** • facebook.com/lemon.conservancy • Various locations, **Englewood** 

 $\textbf{Paint Ball Partyz} \cdot \textbf{paintballpartyz.com} \cdot \textbf{Charlotte County}$ 

**Parks That Teach** *First Saturdays* and *third Wednesdays* • facebook.com/parksthatteach • 1200 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda** 

Peace River Audubon Society  $\cdot$  facebook.com/PRASaudubon  $\cdot$  Various locations, Charlotte County

**Peace River Botanical & Sculpture Gardens** • facebook.com/ PeaceRiverGardens • 5800 Riverside Dr., **Punta Gorda** 

**Peace River Wildlife Center** • facebook.com/peaceriverwild-lifecenter • 3400 Ponce de Leon Pkwy., **Punta Gorda** 

## **Sporting**

**4-17 Southern Speedway & Events** • 417 southern speedway. com, facebook.com/pg/417SSE • 8655 Piper Rd., **Punta Gorda** 

Charlotte Sports Park: Tampa Bay Rays Spring Taining (Feb./Mar.) and Charlotte Stone Crabs Baseball (Apr./Sept.) • tampabayrays. com, facebook.com/Rays and stone-crabsbaseball.com, facebook.com/charlottestonecrabs • 2300 El Jobean Rd.. Port Charlotte

**Depthfinders Dive Center** • depthfinders.com • 1225 Tamiami Tr., Unit A-5, **Port Charlotte** 

**Englewood Sailing Association, Inc.** • Englewoodsailing.org, search by name on Facebook • 840 Buckskin Ct., **Englewood** 

**Fantasea Scuba** • facebook.com/FantaseaScuba • 3781 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

Florida West Coast Car Club · facebook.com/fwccc.org

**Gaspar's Dive N Board** • facebook.com/gaspars.divenboard.7 • 2961 Placida Rd., Unit 3, **Englewood** 

Gator Raiderz · gatorraiderz.com · Charlotte County

**J.E. Lee Hunting Preserve** • jeleehuntingpreserve.com • **Charlotte County** 

**PicklePlex of Punta Gorda** Brand-new state-of-the-art Pickle ball venue. Visitpickleplex.org. 26300 Airport Rd., **Punta Gorda** 

**Skydive SW Florida** • facebook.com/skydiveswfl • Shell Creek Airport, 36886 Washington Loop Rd., **Punta Gorda** 

**West Wall Casting Classes** • facebook.com/westwalloutfitters. *First Saturdays*, 9:00 am-noon • 3846 Tamiami Tr., Unit A. **Port Charlotte** 

## **ART AND CRAFT**

# **Exhibits, Galleries, Creative Classes**

Art in Public Places by Charlotte Arts · charlottearts.org

**Port Charlotte:** Arts & Humanities Council of Charlotte County • Charlotte County Administration Center • Mid-County Regional Library • Port Charlotte Library

**Punta Gorda:** Cayo Costa Dental • Charlotte Harbor Event and Conference Center • Charlotte Memorial Funeral Home • Kays-Ponger & Uselton Funeral Home • Punta Gorda Airport

**Artisans Atelier** Facebook.com/artisanatelierpuntagorda. 117 Herald Court Centre, Unit #113, **Punta Gorda** 

The Arts Alliance of Lemon Bay Search by name on Facebook. 452 W. Dearborn St., Englewood

**Charlotte Arts Gallery** Facebook.com/charlottearts. Port Charlotte Town Center Mall, 1441 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

**Englewood Art Center** Facebook.com/EnglewoodArtCenter • 350 S. McCall Rd., **Englewood** 

**The Hatch Gallery** Facebook.com/HatchGallery. 13060 Fishery Rd., **Placida** 

**Hogan's Harbor Art Gallery** Facebook.com/HogansHarbor. 175 Cedar Dr., **Englewood** 

**Old Florida Outdoor Center and Gallery** Facebook.com/old-floridaoutdoorcenter. 463 W. Dearborn St., **Englewood** 

**Peace River Botanical & Sculpture Gardens** • facebook.com/ PeaceRiverGardens • 5800 Riverside Dr., **Punta Gorda** 

**The Potter's Studio and Gallery** Facebook.com/ThePotters-Studio. 1133 Bal Harbor Blvd., Ste. 1151, **Punta Gorda** 

**The Punta Gorda Historic Mural Society** Puntagordamurals. org • Various locations, **Punta Gorda** 

**Punta Gorda Isles Civic Association** Search by name on Facebook. 2001 Shreve St., **Punta Gorda** 

**Sea Grape Gallery** Facebook.com/SeaGrapeGallery. 113 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

Stoneware Pottery by Jack Vartanian & Friends Art Gallery Facebook.com/stonewarepotterybyjack. 1080 Taylor St., Punta Gorda

**Visual Arts Center** Visualartcenter.org or search by name on Facebook • 210 Maud St.. **Punta Gorda** 

# Paint/Create Your Own Souvenir

**Bisque IT Art Studio** Facebook.com/bisqueitstudiofun; 1931 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

**Create & Paint at the Visual Arts Center** Search by name on Facebook; 210 Maud St., **Punta Gorda** 

**Down to Earth Apparel & Gifts** Facebook.com/DownToEarth-FL; 2792 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

**Eclectic Whimsy** Facebook.com/eclecticwhim, 2801 Placida Rd., **Englewood** 

**Painting with a Twist** Facebook.com/PWATPortCharlotteFL; 18700 Veterans Blvd., Ste. 8, **Port Charlotte** 

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**Port Charlotte Florist** Facebook.com/pcflorist; 900 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

**Shery'ls Shell Shop** Facebook.com/sherylsshellshop; 1185 S. McCall Rd., **Englewood** 

## **CRAFTY BREWS AND BEVERAGES**

**Alligator Bay Distillers** Craft distillery, producing quality, handcrafted, "cane-to-bottle" rum. Offers tours and tastings. Call 941.347.8419 and visit alligatorbaydistillers.com and facebook.com/alligatorbayrum for more information. 25522 Marion Ave.. **Punta Gorda** 

**Catania's Winery** Award-winning custom-blended and red and white wines, full line of equipment, gift baskets made to order, espresso and cappuccino machines, wine making classes and tastings. Visit cataniaswinery.com. 524 Paul Morris Dr., Ste. B, **Englewood** 

**Fat Point Brewing** Fresh, local, hand-crafted beers and features live music, bar bingo, open mic nights, and more. Call 800.380.7405 and visit fatpoint.com and facebook.com/Fat-PointBrewing for details. 611 Charlotte St., **Punta Gorda** 

**Gilded Grape Winery & Wine Bar** Boutique wine shop, wine cellar, wine bar. Make-your-own wine classes, craft beers, snacks, live music, tastings. Available for event rental. Call 941.235.9463 and visit gildedgrape.com and facebook.com/gildedgrapewinery for more information. 4069 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

**Peace River Beer Company** Microbrewery, entertainment venue and gathering place. Visit facebook.com/peaceriver-beercompany. 1732 Steadley Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

**Punta Gorda Brew Tours** Providing a safe and fun brewery, distillery and winery tour experience across west coast of Florida. Private bookings available. Visit facebook.com/pg/puntagordabrewtours for details. 3131 Foley Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

# FOOD, GLORIOUS FOOD

**SW Florida Walking Tours** Visit swfloridawalkingtours.com and facebook.com/swfloridawalkingtours for details, schedule, and to purchase tickets. **Punta Gorda** 

**Visit pureflorida.com/restaurants** to browse and search for great new culinary experiences! **Charlotte County** 

## **KID STUFF**

## Creativity

**Bisque IT Art Studio** • facebook.com/bisqueitstudiofun • 941.624.5955 • 1931 Tamiami Tr., #3, **Port Charlotte Painting with a Twist** • facebook.com/PWATPortCharlotteFL • 941.787.2443 • 18700 Veterans Blvd., **Port Charlotte** 

#### **Story Times**

**Story Time at Copperfish Books** Facebook.com/Copperfish-Books. RSVP: 941.205.2560 or copperfishbooks@comcast. net. *Saturdays*, 10:30–11:15 am. 103 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

#### **Exploration**

Charlotte Harbor Environmental Center (CHEC)  $\cdot$  checflorida.org  $\cdot$  941.575.5435 or 941.475.0769

Horses for a Cure • facebook.com, search "Horses for a Cure, Inc." • 941.916.5712 • 31600 Bermont Rd., Punta Gorda Military Heritage Museum • facebook.com/MilitaryHeritage-Museum • 900 W. Marion Ave., Punta Gorda Octagon Wildlife Sanctuary • octagonwildlife.org • 239.543.1130 • 41660 Horseshoe Rd., Punta Gorda Peace River Wildlife Center • peaceriverwildlifecenter.org •

941.637.3830 • 3400 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda PG Farms and Horse Boarding, Inc.** • facebook.com/pg-

farms • 941.575.2756 • 31600 Bermont Rd., Punta Gorda

#### **Pools and Parks**

Ann Dever • 7001 San Casa Dr., Englewood
Port Charlotte Beach • 4500 Harbor Blvd., Port Charlotte
South County • 670 Cooper St., Punta Gorda
Complete list of parks: charlottecountyfl.gov, "Playing," "Parks and Recreation"

#### **Playgrounds**

**Gilchrist Park\*** • 400 W. Retta Esplanade, Punta Gorda **Laishley Park Fountain\*** • 120 Laishley Ct., Punta Gorda **Kidstar Park** • kidstarpark.com • 941.235.3131 \*Details: ci.punta-gorda.fl.us/visitors

## **Library Programs**

**Charlotte County Library System** Visit facebook.com/CCLibraries for schedule of events.

- Englewood-Charlotte (Englewood) 941.681.3736 3450 N. Access Rd.
- Mid-County (Port Charlotte) 941.613.3160 2050 Forrest Nelson Blvd.
- Port Charlotte (Port Charlotte) 941.764.5562 2280
  Aaron St
- Punta Gorda (Punta Gorda) 941.833.5460 424 W. Henry St.

#### **DOG DAYS**

## **Dog-Friendly Restaurants**

Many Charlotte County restaurants allow leashed dogs on their patios and outdoor spaces. Call first: pureflorida.com/ restaurants is a good place to start!

## Shopping

Leashed, under-control dogs are welcome at notable shopping venues **Fishermen's Village** in Punta Gorda **(fishville. com)** and **West Dearborn Street** in Historic Old Englewood **(oldeenglewood.com)**, as well as at the various Farmers Markets in the area.

#### Off-Leash Parks

Edgewater Paw Park • 22410 Glass Ln., Port Charlotte Ann Dever Paw Park • 6791 San Casa Dr., Englewood Hounds of Henry Street • 557 W. Henry St. (W. Henry St. and Shreve St.), Punta Gorda

**Brohard Paw Park/Dog Beach** • 1600 Harbor Dr. S., **Venice** (Dogs are not allowed on Charlotte County Beaches)

**Leashed dogs** are welcome at most Charlotte County parks. Visit charlottecountyfl.gov/services/parksrecs for more information.

# LECTURE, LEARNING, GROWTH

**Charlotte Harbor Community Sailing Center, Inc.** Facebook. com/TheSailingCenter/ 19246 Palmdale Ct., **Port Charlotte** 

Charlotte County Cultural Center: The Learning Place Theculturalcenter.com/enrichment/classes. 2280 Aaron St., Port Charlotte

**Cultural Heritage Center of SWFL** Current programming includes cultural heritage festivals and events with much more to come. Visit facebook.com/CulturalHeritageSWFL. **Charlotte County** 

**Down to Earth Apparel & Gifts** Lectures and classes, paint parties, Meet Ups, concerts, psychic healing fairs, and more! Visit facebook.com/DownToEarthFL. 2792-B Tamiami Tr. Plaza 444, **Port Charlotte** 

Florida Gulf Coast University at the Herald Court Centre Search "FGCU Academy" on Facebook, or call 941.505.0130 for details and class times. 117 Herald Ct., Ste. 211, **Punta Gorda** 

Friends of Boca Grande Community Center Search by name on Facebook. *Note: \$6 toll to cross the bridge.* 131 First St. W., Boca Grande

**Harley-Davidson® Motorcycle Riding Academy** Blackwidowh-d.com/--learn-to-ride. Bert's Black Widow, 2224 El Jobean Rd., **Port Charlotte** 

**Military Heritage Museum** Facebook.com/MilitaryHeritage-Museum. 900 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

**Southwest Florida Vietnam Memorial Wall** Vietnamwallof-southwestflorida.org. Veteran's Park, 200 Harbor Walk Dr., **Punta Gorda** 

**Web Series:** Adventure and Wildlife Hosted by the Shark Brothers Get the inside scoop on The Charlotte Harbor Gulf Island Coast, its natural environments, outdoor recreational opportunities, its people, communities, and quality of life in this unique web series! Visit pureflorida.com/adventure-series to watch. **Charlotte County** 

## **FILM**

Classic Foreign Film Series Each film is introduced and briefly discussed. \$5 per; check or credit card only, includes refreshments. Call 941.505.0130 or stop by, Monday–Friday, 8:00 am–5:00 pm for more information or visit registerra. fgcu.edu. Tuesdays, 1:00–3:00 pm, FGCU's Renaissance Academy, 117 Herald Ct. Sq., Punta Gorda

**Regal Town Center Stadium 16**: Visit regmovies.com. Regal Town Center, 1441 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte** 

## **MARKETS**

**Worden Farm Members only** organic market: **Wednesdays**, 20 weeks, Dec. to Apr. Visit wordenfarm.com/collections/membership for details.

**Englewood Farmers Market** Fresh and organic produce, baked goods, beef, BBQ, wild salmon, olive oil, and more! Visit englewoodfarmersmarket.org for details and free healthy recipes. *Thursdays*, 9:00 am-2:00 pm, Oct.-May. Old Englewood Village, 300 Block of W. Dearborn St., **Englewood** 

**Boca Grande Farm & Fish Market** Local vendors selling fruits, veggies, bakery items, sustainable seafood, cheese, pickles, guacamole, flowers, honey, soap, smoothies, prepared meals, organics, and so much more. Visit facebook. com/BGFarmandFishMarket. *Fridays*, 9:00 am-1:00 pm. 305 Wheeler Rd., **Boca Grande** 

**Burnt Store Marina Farmers Market** Fresh produce, peanut butter, dog treats, jam/jelly, mushrooms, microgreens, and more! \$1 off every \$10 purchase. Visit Facebook.com/Burnt-StoreMarina. *Fridays*, year-round, 9:00 am-1:00 pm. Cass Cay parking lot, 3200 Matecumbe Key Rd., **Punta Gorda** 

**The Saturday Veggie Stand** Fresh organic fruits, veggies, juices, smoothies, microgreens, soups, salads, and more, in front of The Real Juice Bar. *Saturdays*, 10:00 am-4:00 pm. Visit theopenstudio.org. 310 Old Englewood Rd., **Englewood** 

**Punta Gorda Downtown Farmers Market** Voted the best small market in Florida and 15th in the US! Fruits, vegetables, pickles, German bakery goods, fresh pasta, cupcakes, beef, fresh seafood, jewelry, candles, soaps, cheese, orchids, kettle corn, exotic plants, natural facial products, and much more, plus live entertainment! EBT/SNAP accepted and the Market gives \$2 for \$1 on purchase of Florida-grown produce, citrus, or honey! Call Jerry Presseller, Manager, at 941.391.4856 for details. *Saturdays*, 8:00 am—noon. Taylor St. and Herald Ct., next to the historic courthouse, **Punta Gorda** 

**History Park Farmers Market** Guided garden tours available after the market closes; a \$5 suggested donation includes a plant to take home! *Sundays*, 9:00 am-1:00 pm; garden tours: 1:00 pm. Visit facebook.com/historyparkmarket. 501 Shreve St., **Punta Gorda** 

## **MOVEMENT**

**PicklePlex of Punta Gorda at FSW** Free daily play, 7:00–10:00 am, unless there's a tournament. Visit pickleplex.org/play for details. 26300 Airport Rd., **Punta Gorda** 

**Studio Seven** inspires students of all ages in dance, music, art, fitness, and creative movement. Visit studiosevenpg.com. 2509 Rio de Janeiro Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

**The Yoga Sanctuary** offers classes, workshops, and more. Visit facebook.com/yogasanctuary for details. 112 Sullivan St., **Punta Gorda** 

**Loving Light Yoga** *Yoga for Every Body*, 8:30–9:45 am **every** *day—holidays included*, donations appreciated. Sunset Yoga 6:00–7:00 pm *Mondays* and *Wednesdays*. *Note: parking is* .75 per hour. Visit lovinglightyoga.net. 2100 N. Beach Rd., **Englewood Beach** 

**Peace River Tai Chi** presents *Tai Chi Single Fan*, *Mondays*, 10:00 am. Visit facebook.com/peacerivertaichiqigong for full schedule. Punta Gorda Isles Civic Association, 2001 Shreve St., **Punta Gorda** 

**Monday Morning Yoga** Visit facebook.com/manasotabeachyoga for details. *Mondays*, 9:00–9:30 am. 8570 Manasota Key Rd., **Englewood** 

**Beginner Clogging Class** Visit facebook.com/solesinmotion-cloggers. *Tuesdays*, 5:30–6:30 pm. Harold Ave. Recreation Center, 23400 Harold Ave., **Port Charlotte** 

**Wednesday Night Pub Run, Walk or Stroll 3.0-ish** Call 941.347.7751 or visit facebook.com/PuntaGordaPubRun., 117 Herald Ct., Ste. 1112, **Punta Gorda** 

**Dance Etc, Englewood** Visit facebook.com/TheBeatGoesOnAndOn, call 941.270.4599, email DanceEnglewood@gmail.com, or visit danceenglewood.com. 3372 N. Access Rd., **Englewood** 

**Ballroom Dancing Education** Ballroom dancing for beginners/intermediate and experienced dancers. Social dance, *third Sundays*: Visit usadance6049.org for details. PGHS Women's Club Ballroom, 118 Sullivan St., **Punta Gorda** 

**Townie Tuesday by Acme Bicycle Shop** Bring a helmet, lights, and a friend for this no-drop, family-friendly, cruiser-style ride around Punta Gorda. After-ride festivities include either ice cream or an adult beverage! Be at the shop by 6:00 pm. Call 941.639.2263 for details. **Second and fourth Tuesdays**, 6:00–8:00 pm. 615 Cross St., **Punta Gorda** 

**Dao Yin Sheng Gong** Gentle twisting motions, breath control, acupressure point stimulation. *Wednesdays*, 10:00 am, \$8 per lesson. Richard Curtis: 407.923.8310. Register at the PGICA office or call 941.637.1655. 2001 Shreve St., **Punta Gorda** 

**Free Ride!** Find loaner bicycles at Bayfront Health's Wellness Center, Laishley Municipal Marina, Four Points by Sheraton, Fishermen's Village Marina, Isles Yacht Club Marina and The Wyvern Hotel. Details: 941.637.8326 or teampuntagorda.org. **Punta Gorda** 

**Indoor Pickleball** Ages 15 to senior. For more details call 941.681.3742. Tringali Recreation Center, 3460 N. Access Rd., Unit 4. **Englewood** 

**Peace River Riders** Regularly scheduled rides: Tuesday mornings, Wednesday evenings, Thursday–Sunday mornings. peaceriverridersbicycleclub.com **Punta Gorda** 

**Qi Gong/Tai Chi** Free workshop, come join in! *Saturdays*, rain or shine, 9:30–10:30 am. Gilchrist Park, by the statue of Ponce de Leon. 400 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda** 

**Sunday Morning Wake Up Run** No set route or pace! Arrive by 6:50 am; begin running at 7:00 am. Visit thefootlanding. com for details. Gilchrist Park Pavilion, 400 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda** 

**Tai Chi at the Open Studio** Yang Style. Free class; donations accepted. Beginners welcome. *Tuesdays*, 5:30–6:00 pm. 941.474.4060 or visit theopenstudio.org for details. 380 Old Englewood Rd., **Englewood** 

## **MUSEUMS**

**Punta Gorda Historical Society** • Puntagordahistory.com • 118 Sullivan St., **Punta Gorda** 

**The Blanchard House Museum of African American History and Culture of Charlotte County** • blanchardhousemuseum. org • 406 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., **Punta Gorda** 

**Boca Grande Historical Society and Museum** • facebook. com/BGHistoricalSociety • 170 Park Ave., **Boca Grande** 

**El Jobean Post Office and General Store** • Search by name on Facebook or call 941.766.1117 • 4370 Garden Rd., **Port Charlotte** 

**Englewood Area Historical Museum** • eahmuseum.org • 1394 Old Englewood Rd., **Englewood** 

**Port Boca Grande Lighthouse & Museum** • barrierisland-parkssociety.org • Note: \$6 toll to cross the bridge • 880 Belcher Rd., **Boca Grande** 

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**Military Heritage Museum** • militaryheritagemuseum.org • 900 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda** 

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