



# PUNTA GORDA ENGLEWOOD BEACH

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## THIS WEEK'S HAPPENINGS: WEEK OF JAN. 14–20, 2019

### FESTIVALS • DANCES • PARTIES • GATHERINGS • OUTINGS

**2018 Academy Award Best Picture Film Series: *The Shape of Water*** Visit [facebook.com/CCLibraries](https://facebook.com/CCLibraries). Jan. 14, 5:30–7:30 pm. Mid-County Regional Library, 2050 Forrest Nelson Blvd., **Port Charlotte**

#### **Florida West Coast Car Club**

- Jan 14, 4:00–7:00 pm: Culver's Monthly Cruise-In, 1140 El Jobean Rd.
- Jan. 19, 4:00–7:00 pm: Chick-fil-A Cruise-In, 1814 Tamiami Tr.

Visit [facebook.com/fwccc.org](https://facebook.com/fwccc.org). **Port Charlotte**

**TT's (The Tiki) Bar Movie on the Harbor: *Hook*** Visit [facebook.com/thetikibarpg](https://facebook.com/thetikibarpg). Jan. 15, 7:30 pm. 33 Tamiami Tr., **Punta Gorda**

#### **Chef Jeannie Roland Book Launch at Copperfish Books**

Visit [facebook.com/CopperfishBooks](https://facebook.com/CopperfishBooks) and [facebook.com/ThePerfectCaperFL](https://facebook.com/ThePerfectCaperFL). Jan. 16, 6:00–7:30 pm. 103 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda**

**Library Program: *Prehistoric Snowbirds*** Visit [facebook.com/CCLibraries](https://facebook.com/CCLibraries). Jan. 16, 11:00 am–noon. Mid-County Regional Library, 2050 Forrest Nelson Blvd., **Port Charlotte**

**Charlotte Harbor Aquatic Preserves (CHAP)** Nature boat ecotours Jan. 16 and 18, 10:00 am–noon. Visit [fchap.org](https://fchap.org). Departs from Gasparilla Marina, 15001 Gasparilla Rd., **Placida**

**Third Thursday Wine Walk (formerly Alive After Five)** Visit [facebook.com/DMAPG](https://facebook.com/DMAPG). **Third Thursdays:** Jan. 17, 5:00–8:00 pm. Downtown **Punta Gorda**

**Walking Tour of Punta Gorda Murals** Visit [facebook.com/PuntaGordaMurals](https://facebook.com/PuntaGordaMurals). Jan. 17, 9:30 am. Punta Gorda Chamber of Commerce, 252 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda**

**Chefs Night for Kids** Visit [facebook.com/bbbssun](https://facebook.com/bbbssun). Jan. 17, 6:00–9:00 pm. Port Charlotte Beach Park Complex, 4500 Harbor Blvd., **Port Charlotte**

**Peace River Audubon Society Meeting with Christmas Bird Count Results** Visit [facebook.com/PRASaudubon](https://facebook.com/PRASaudubon). Jan. 17, 6:30–9:00 pm. First Alliance Church of Port Charlotte, 250444 Midway Blvd., **Port Charlotte**

**Date Night at The Blue Turtle** Visit [facebook.com/Blueturtlepg](https://facebook.com/Blueturtlepg). Jan. 17, 5:00–9:00 pm. 139 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda**

**The Captain's Table Seafood Buffet** Visit [facebook.com/thecaptainstablepuntagorda](https://facebook.com/thecaptainstablepuntagorda). Jan. 18, 5:00–9:00 pm. 1200 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda**

**Family Movie Night at Babcock Ranch: *Mrs. Doubtfire*** Visit [facebook.com/babcockranch](https://facebook.com/babcockranch). Jan. 18, 6:15–8:45 pm. 42850 Crescent Lp., **Babcock Ranch**

**Charlotte County Pride Fest 2019** Visit [facebook.com/CharlotteCountyPride](https://facebook.com/CharlotteCountyPride). Jan. 19, noon–6:00 pm. Laishley Park, 100 Nesbit St., **Punta Gorda**

**Casting for Conservation** Raffles, fly tying demos, casting instruction, and more. Call 941.214.5448 and email [store@chapehazeoutfitters.net](mailto:store@chapehazeoutfitters.net). Jan. 19, 10:00 am–3:00 pm. Cape Haze Outfitters, 8501 Placida Rd., Unit A2, **Placida**

**Wine Dinner** Visit [facebook.com/docksidegrillpg](https://facebook.com/docksidegrillpg). Jan. 19, 6:00–9:00 pm. The Dockside Grill at The Four Points by Sheraton, 33 Tamiami Tr., **Punta Gorda**

**4-17 Southern Speedway & Events presents Winged Sprint Car 2019 Season Opener** Visit [facebook.com/417SSE](https://facebook.com/417SSE). Jan. 19, 6:00–11:30 pm. 8655 Piper Rd., **Punta Gorda**

**Flippin Flea Market of Charlotte County** Visit [facebook.com/FlippinFlea](https://facebook.com/FlippinFlea) and [facebook.com/charlottecountyfair](https://facebook.com/charlottecountyfair). Jan. 19, 10:00 am–3:00 pm. Charlotte County Fair Grounds, 2333 El Jobean Rd., **Port Charlotte**

**Port Charlotte/Punta Gorda Home and Garden Show** Visit [facebook.com/portcharlottepuntagordahomeandgarden-show](https://facebook.com/portcharlottepuntagordahomeandgarden-show). Jan. 19 and 20, 10:00 am–4:00 pm. Charlotte Harbor Event & Conference Center, 75 Taylor St., **Punta Gorda**

**Sunday Brunch** Search "Boca Royale Golf and Country Club" on Facebook. Jan. 20, 10:00 am–2:00 pm. Boca Royale Golf and Country Club, 1601 Englewood Rd., **Englewood**

**Historic Cookie House Tours** Visit [facebook.com/CharlotteCountyHistoricalCenter](https://facebook.com/CharlotteCountyHistoricalCenter). Jan. 18, 1:00 pm and Jan. 19, 10:00 am. Cedar Point Park, 2300 Placida Rd., **Englewood**

**Yoga at the Kava Bar** Visit [facebook.com/NorthPortYogaandWellness](https://facebook.com/NorthPortYogaandWellness). **Sundays**, 9:30 am. Kava Culture, 3822 Tamiami Tr. N., **Port Charlotte**

**SW Florida Walking Tours** presents Punta Gorda Food Tour, Punta Gorda Pub Tour, and Haunted History Walking Tours. Visit [swfloridawalkingtours.com](https://swfloridawalkingtours.com) and [facebook.com/swfloridawalkingtours](https://facebook.com/swfloridawalkingtours) for details, schedule, and to purchase tickets. **Punta Gorda**

**The Open Studio Open Mic at Mango Bistro** Visit [facebook.com/mangobistro](https://facebook.com/mangobistro) and [facebook.com/TheOpenStudioEnglewood](https://facebook.com/TheOpenStudioEnglewood). **Tuesdays**, 6:00 pm. 301 W. Dearborn St., **Englewood**

**Yoga at Port Charlotte Beach** Visit [facebook.com/CharlotteFLParksRec](https://facebook.com/CharlotteFLParksRec). **Wednesdays**, 6:30 pm. 4500 Harbor Blvd., **Port Charlotte**

**Shopping Sundays at The Pop Culture Antique Museum** Visit [facebook.com/thepopcultureantiquemuseum](https://facebook.com/thepopcultureantiquemuseum). **Sundays**, 11:00 am. 8315 Woodgate Ct., **Englewood**

**Sunday Funday at Harpoon Harry's** Visit [facebook.com/harpoonharrys](https://facebook.com/harpoonharrys). **Sundays**, 11:00 am–10:00 pm. 1200 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda**

**Saturday Wine Tastings at Punta Gorda Chocolate & Wine** Visit [facebook.com/pgchocolateandwine](https://facebook.com/pgchocolateandwine). **Saturdays**, 10:00 am–3:30 pm. 117 Herald Ct., Ste. 1112, **Punta Gorda**

**Regal Town Center Stadium 16:** Visit [regmovies.com](https://regmovies.com). Regal Town Center, 1441 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte**

## ON STAGE

**The Ladies Foursome by Charlotte Players** Visit [facebook.com/CharlottePlayers](https://facebook.com/CharlottePlayers). **Runs until Jan. 20**, various times. Langdon Playhouse, 1182 Market Cir., **Port Charlotte**

**The Great Mr. Swindle's Traveling Peculiarium and Drink-Ory Garden** Visit [facebook.com/Mr.SwindlesTravelingPeculiarium](https://facebook.com/Mr.SwindlesTravelingPeculiarium). **Runs until Jan. 20**, various times. 349 W. Dearborn St., **Englewood**

**Charlotte County Jazz Society Artist Series: Mike Frost Band** Visit [ccjazz.org](https://ccjazz.org). Jan. 14, 7:00 pm. Cultural Center of Charlotte County, 2280 Aaron St., **Port Charlotte**

**Cigar Box Guitar Blues at Fishermen's Village** Search "Crossroads Customs Cigar Box Guitars" on Facebook. Jan. 14, 4:00–7:00 pm. 1200 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda**

**Jimmy Farrel Solo at The Celtic Ray** Visit [facebook.com/celticrebelsband](https://facebook.com/celticrebelsband). Jan. 14, 7:00–10:00 pm. 145 E. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda**

**Charlotte Harbor Event and Conference Center presents Rumours ATL: A Fleetwood Mac Tribute** Visit [facebook.com/CHEventCenter](https://facebook.com/CHEventCenter). Jan. 14, 7:00 pm. 75 Taylor St., **Punta Gorda**

**Drag Queen Bingo by Charlotte Players** Visit [facebook.com/CharlottePlayers](https://facebook.com/CharlottePlayers). Jan. 15, 7:30–9:30 pm. Langdon Playhouse, 1182 Market Cir., **Port Charlotte**

**Austin & Zen at Dean's South of the Border** Visit [facebook.com/austinandzen](https://facebook.com/austinandzen). Jan. 15, 8:30 pm. 130 Tamiami Tr., **Punta Gorda**

**Bus Stop Band at SandBar Tiki & Grille** Visit [facebook.com/thebusstopband](https://facebook.com/thebusstopband). Jan. 15, 6:00 pm. 1975 Beach Rd., **Englewood**

**Portside Tavern presents Jimi Banks** Visit [facebook.com/PortsideEvents](https://facebook.com/PortsideEvents). Jan. 15, 5:00 pm. 3636 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte**

**La Fiorentina presents Dave Powers** Visit [facebook.com/lafiorentinapp](https://facebook.com/lafiorentinapp). Jan. 16, 6:00 pm. 10361 Tamiami Tr., **Punta Gorda**

**Mark Gorka Acoustic at Dean's South of the Border** Visit [facebook.com/markgorkaacoustic](https://facebook.com/markgorkaacoustic). Jan. 17, 2:00–6:00 pm. 130 Tamiami Tr., **Punta Gorda**

### Englewood Event Center

- Jan. 17, 6:00 pm: *For the Love of Cash*
- Jan. 18, 6:30 pm: *Absolute Elton John*

Visit [facebook.com/englewoodeventcenter](https://facebook.com/englewoodeventcenter). 3069 S. McCall Rd., **Englewood**

**Back Home Again: a Tribute to John Denver** Visit [facebook.com/CulturalCenterofCC](https://facebook.com/CulturalCenterofCC). Jan. 18, 7:00 pm. Cultural Center of Charlotte County, 2280 Aaron St., **Port Charlotte**

**The Boogiemmen Live** Visit [facebook.com/harpoonharrys](https://facebook.com/harpoonharrys). Jan. 18, 8:00 pm. Harpoon Harry's at Fishermen's Village, 1200 W. Retta Esplanade, #55, **Punta Gorda**

**Wild Carrot at Punta Gorda Isles Civic Association** Visit [facebook.com/wildcarrotmusic](https://facebook.com/wildcarrotmusic). Jan. 18, 7:00–9:00 pm. 2001 Shreve St., **Punta Gorda**

**Cory Mon at Fat Point Brewing** Visit [facebook.com/corymon](https://facebook.com/corymon). Jan. 18, 6:00–9:00 pm. 611 Charlotte St., **Punta Gorda**

**Marker 5 at Angela's Buffalu-Inspired Eatery & Bar** Visit [facebook.com/AngelasPuntaGorda](https://facebook.com/AngelasPuntaGorda). Jan. 18, 7:00–10:00 pm. 258 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda**

**Mango Bistro presents The Bird Tribe** Visit [facebook.com/mangobistro](https://facebook.com/mangobistro). Jan. 18, 6:45–9:45 pm. 301 W. Dearborn St., **Englewood**

**If Not For Music by Charlotte County Concert Band** Visit [facebook.com/charlottecountyconcertband](https://facebook.com/charlottecountyconcertband). Jan. 18, 7:30 pm. Charlotte Performing Arts Center, 701 Carmalita St., **Punta Gorda**

### Rocky Trop

- Jan. 19, 1:00 pm: Sunset & Sushi at Hurricane Charley's, 300 W. Retta Esplanade
  - Jan. 19, 7:00 pm: Shorty's Place, 306 W. Marion Ave.
- Visit [facebook.com/rockytrop](https://facebook.com/rockytrop) for complete performance schedule. **Punta Gorda**

**Maiden Cane at Charlotte County Pride Festival** Visit [facebook.com/Maidencane](https://facebook.com/Maidencane). Jan. 19, 4:30–6:00 pm. Laishley Park, 100 Nesbit St., **Punta Gorda**

**Lighthouse Grill at Stump Pass presents Uncle John's Band** Visit [facebook.com/lighthousegrillatstumpass](https://facebook.com/lighthousegrillatstumpass). Jan. 19, 6:30 pm. 260 Maryland Ave., **Englewood**

**Tin Can Tourist at Celtic Ray** Visit [facebook.com/tincantouristproductions](https://facebook.com/tincantouristproductions). Jan. 19, 9:00 pm–midnight. 145 E. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda**

**Charlie's Pub presents Bite the Bullet** Search "Charlie's Pub Port Charlotte" on Facebook. Jan. 19, 8:30 pm. 3496 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte**

**Greg Short & Friends at Bert's Black Widow Harley-Davidson®** Visit [facebook.com/GregShortMusic](https://facebook.com/GregShortMusic) and [facebook.com/BlackWidowHarleyDavidson](https://facebook.com/BlackWidowHarleyDavidson). Jan. 19, noon–4:00 pm. 2224 El Jobean Rd., **Port Charlotte**

**GO Cabaret by Gulfshore Opera** Visit [gulfshoreopera.org](https://gulfshoreopera.org). Jan. 19, 7:00–10:00 pm. Isles Yacht Club, 1780 W. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda**

**Jukebox Prophets at Dean's South of the Border** Search "Jukebox Prophets" on Facebook. Jan. 19, 8:30 pm. 130 Tamiami Tr., **Punta Gorda**

**The Charlotte Chorale presents Phil Dirt and the Dozers Benefit Concert** Visit [facebook.com/thecharlottechorale](https://facebook.com/thecharlottechorale). Jan. 20, 4:00 pm. Charlotte Harbor Event & Conference Center, 75 Taylor St., **Punta Gorda**

**Celtic Ray Public House** presents Winter, Clover's Revenge, and Never Ending Fall this week. Visit [facebook.com/celticraypublichouse](https://facebook.com/celticraypublichouse). 145 E. Marion Ave., **Punta Gorda**

**Two Brothers Hoodoo Lounge** presents Pro Blues Jam with Bryan Lee and Rusty Wright Band this week. Visit [facebook.com/2brotherscc](https://facebook.com/2brotherscc). 4300 Kings Hwy, Unit 415, **Port Charlotte**

**TT's (The Tiki) Bar** presents Paul Roush and Lee Hagen this week. Visit [facebook.com/thetikibarpj](https://facebook.com/thetikibarpj). 33 Tamiami Tr., **Punta Gorda**

**Cass Cay Restaurant and Bar** presents Capt'n Rick and Michael D'amore this week. Visit [facebook.com/CassCay](https://facebook.com/CassCay). 3200 Matecumbe Key Rd., **Punta Gorda**

**Groovin' in The Gallery** Visit [facebook.com/WhereLocalMusiciansPlay](https://facebook.com/WhereLocalMusiciansPlay). **Tuesdays**, 6:00 pm. Englewood Art Center, 350 S. McCall Rd., **Englewood**

**Englewood Opry by The Sidemen** Search "The Sidemen" on Facebook. **Thursdays**, 6:00 pm. Indian Mound Park, 210 Winson Ave., **Englewood**

**Englewoods on Dearborn** presents Smoothies, Mike Imbasciani & His Bluez Rockerz, JP Soars & The Red Hots, Biscuit Miller & The Mix, and Koko Ray Show and this week. Visit [facebook.com/EODblues](https://facebook.com/EODblues). 362 W. Dearborn St., **Englewood**

### Visual Arts Center

- Jan. 14, 8:30 am: Punta Gorda Quickdraw (visit [facebook.com/peacriverpainters](https://facebook.com/peacriverpainters) for more details)
- Jan. 16, 6:00 pm: *Anything BUT Canvas* Sip & Paint
- Jan. 18, 11:30 am: Art History Lunch & Lecture with Baila Miller

Visit [facebook.com/VACPuntaGorda](https://facebook.com/VACPuntaGorda). 210 Maud St., **Punta Gorda**

**3-Hour Jewelry Sculpting & Design Workshop at Erlenbach Modern Art Gallery & Studio** Visit [facebook.com/ErlenbachModernArtGallery](https://facebook.com/ErlenbachModernArtGallery). Jan. 16, 1:00 pm. 612 N. Indiana Ave., **Englewood**

**Alcohol Ink Class at The Painted Cabana** Visit [thepaintedcabana.com](https://thepaintedcabana.com). Jan. 17, 1:00 pm. Turtle Crossing Plaza, 16500 Burnt Store Rd, Suite 110, **Punta Gorda**

**Snook's Bayside Bar & Grill** presents Shrimp Lovers Monday with Macdaddy & The Trixie Train, B-4Hand, Smack Dab, and Doug Deming this week. Visit [facebook.com/SnooksBaysideBarandGrill](https://facebook.com/SnooksBaysideBarandGrill). 779 W. Wentworth St., **Englewood**

### The Gummy Sharks

- Jan. 16, 6:30 pm: Ricaltini's, 1997 Kentucky Ave.
  - Jan. 17, 5:30 pm: White Elephant Pub, 1856 Gulf Blvd.
- Visit
- [facebook.com/TheGummySharks](https://facebook.com/TheGummySharks)
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- Englewood**

**Les DaCosta at History Park Farmer's Market** Visit [facebook.com/LesDaCostaJr](https://facebook.com/LesDaCostaJr). **Sundays**, 9:00 am. 501 Shreve St., **Punta Gorda**

**Open Mic Nights with Dave J at Fat Point Brewing** Visit [facebook.com/FatPointBrewing](https://facebook.com/FatPointBrewing). **Tuesdays**, 6:00 pm. 611 Charlotte St., **Punta Gorda**

**Fishermen's Village** Live entertainment up to six days a week, featuring **Chris G**, **Tuesdays**, 11:00 am. Visit [Facebook.com/fishermensvillage](https://facebook.com/fishermensvillage). 1200 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda**

**The Bean Depot Cafe** Live music most nights and bluegrass jam session **Wednesdays**. **Cash only!** Visit [facebook.com/TheBeanDepot](https://facebook.com/TheBeanDepot). 4370 Garden Rd., **Port Charlotte**

**Punta Gorda Guitar Army** Visit [facebook.com/groups/PuntaGordaGuitarArmy](https://facebook.com/groups/PuntaGordaGuitarArmy). **Thursdays**, 5:30 pm. Gilchrist Park, 400 W. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda**

**88 Keys and Perch 360 at The Wyvern Hotel** Live music **Thursday, Friday**, and **Saturday** nights. Visit [facebook.com/88KeysFlorida](https://facebook.com/88KeysFlorida) and [facebook.com/Perch360](https://facebook.com/Perch360). 101 E. Retta Esplanade, **Punta Gorda**

## ART AND CRAFT

**Painting Party at Down to Earth Apparel & Gifts** Visit [facebook.com/DownToEarthFL](https://facebook.com/DownToEarthFL). Jan. 18, 1:00–4:00 pm. 2792 Tamiami Tr., **Port Charlotte**

**Big Craftin' Weekend at Craftin' Cow** Visit [facebook.com/thecraftincow](https://facebook.com/thecraftincow). Jan. 18, noon–Jan. 20, 2:00 pm. 29291 Tribune Blvd., **Punta Gorda**

**7th Annual Winter Arts & Craft Show** Visit [facebook.com/scgovParks](https://facebook.com/scgovParks). Jan. 19, 9:00 am–2:00 pm. Englewood Sport Complex, 1300 S. River Rd., **Englewood**

**22nd Annual Punta Gorda Sullivan Street Craft Festival** Visit [facebook.com/AmericanCraftEndeavors](https://facebook.com/AmericanCraftEndeavors). Jan. 19 and 20, 10:00 am–5:00 pm. 331 Sullivan St., **Punta Gorda**

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