



Hello May



May is for sunshine & smiles ☀

2025

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Welcome New Members!

GOLF

- Frank & Debra Hitchcock
- Richard & Marsha Poore

TENNIS

- Susan Kraus



Event Reservations

To ensure a smooth reservation process, please note the following:

- Reservations can be made via email (reservations@twinislesc.org). Kim will manage bookings and respond to inquiries.
- For high-demand events like Valentine's Day or Mother's Day, a hostess will ensure members are seated at their reserved time. Please choose your time carefully, as favored slots fill up quickly.
- Members will not be seated early, but may enjoy a drink in the grill room while waiting.
- No reservations will be accepted on the day of an event.

We appreciate your cooperation. Feel free to reach out with any questions!



Big Red Bus: Blood Donations

Thank you for hosting a blood drive and for sharing the incredible gift of life!

We truly value our partnership with Twin Isles Country Club and are excited to share that the recent blood drive collected **13 units of blood**. Since each donation has the potential to save up to three lives, as many as **39 patients** could benefit from the generosity of your donors—that's an incredible impact!

It's inspiring to know that the blood collected at your drive will likely be transfused into a patient within 48 to 72 hours—a powerful reminder of how quickly these donations make a difference. We're grateful for your continued support of our lifesaving mission and look forward to working together again!

Stay tuned for our next visit:

 **Wednesday, September 17th, 2025**

 **10:00 AM – 4:00 PM**

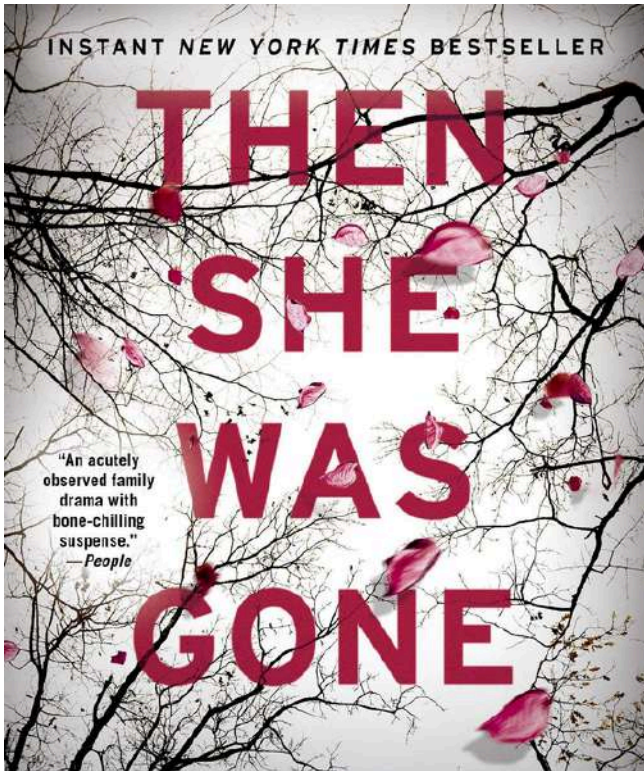
Interest Groups

Interest groups and social clubs create a great opportunity for members to learn a new skill, make new friends, or share a hobby with other members who have similar interests.

Meet fellow members with similar interests by creating or joining an *Interest Group*, such as a card club, a walking group, a Mahjong club, or perhaps a cocktail of the month club, options are endless.

Any member wishing to develop an interest group or club should contact Peggy Miller, Office Manager, to receive information and an application.





Book Club

May 28th

Wednesday at 3pm
Activity Room

Then She Was
Gone: A Novel by
Lisa Jewell

Unlock new
worlds, one
page at a time!
Join a book
club today!

For sign up or
any additional information
please email Nancy Svehla
nansvehla74@gmail.com



GET INVOLVED



CARD NIGHT
WED. MAY
7, 14, 21 & 28
6:00PM



BINGO NIGHT
WED. MAY
14 & 28
6:30PM



MAHJONG
TUES. & FRI. MAY
TUES. 6, 13, 21 & 27
FRI. 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30
11:00AM
Activity Room,
all materials included
Laura Felmore
941-661-1900



HAPPY HOUR
MONDAY-SATURDAY
3PM-6PM
1/2 PRICE WELL LIQUOR,
DRAFT BEER,
& HOUSE WINE



GUITAR JAM SESSION
EVERY MONDAY
12:30PM-2:30PM
Come and play along
with your favorite bands
as a band member!

No singing required; we sit in a semicircle in front of a large TV where the audio, along with the chords, are displayed karaoke style. All levels of experience are welcome. For beginners, we will loan you a guitar and help you learn to play!

Call or text Richard Miller for more information at 412-720-5981



**JOIN US EVERY WEDNESDAY,
THURSDAY, AND FRIDAY
FROM 3 PM TO 6 PM FOR
OUR HAPPY HOUR SMALL
BITES MENU—PERFECTLY
CRAFTED FOR GREAT TASTE
AND GOOD TIMES!**



FRI. MAY 16TH
PRIME RIB NIGHT
WITH LIVE MUSIC

To make a reservation
Please email:
reservations@twinislescc.org



**ITALIAN NIGHT WITH
LIVE MUSIC**
FRI. MAY 30TH
5PM-8PM

To make a reservation
Please email:
reservations@twinislescc.org

GET INVOLVED

Line Dancing & Yoga Classes

Due to low participation, the Line Dancing and Yoga classes will be placed on hold for the summer months. We appreciate everyone who has joined us for these sessions and hope you've enjoyed the experience. At this time, we plan to resume both classes in September or October, and we look forward to welcoming you back then. Thank you for your understanding and continued support as we work to offer activities that best serve the interests of our members.

In the meantime, if you have any suggestions or ideas for activities you'd like to see offered during the summer months, we'd love to hear from you!



Sunday Brunch

Sunday, May 18th 10am-3pm

*Join us for a delightful Sunday brunch!
Delicious surprises await!*

reservations@twinislesc.org

Power of 100 Women

Friendly reminder of our upcoming meeting!

17 Thursday, May 1st

5:30 PM - 7:00 PM

Twin Isles Country Club - Main Dining Room





Twin Isles
COUNTRY CLUB

Mothers Day
BRUNCH

\$38.95++

Let every Mother feel Special!

Sunday, May 11th 11am-2pm

TICC Salad Bar, Omelet Station, Eggs Benedict, Bacon, Sausage, Home Fries, Assorted Muffins & Danishes, New York Strip Steak Carving, Citrus Glazed Salmon, Roasted Fingerling Potatoes, Spring Vegetables & Assorted Desserts

• FOR RESERVATIONS •
PLEASE EMAIL
RESERVATIONS@TWINISLESCC.ORG
3DAY CANCELLATION POLICY APPLIES

GET INVOLVED

Prime Rib Night

FRIDAY, MAY 16TH
DINNER 5PM-7PM
LIVE MUSIC 6PM-8PM

Cost: \$38.95++

TO MAKE A RESERVATION EMAIL:
RESERVATIONS@TWINISLESCC.ORG



Salad

Choice of House Salad or Caesar Salad

Entrée

USDA Choice Prime Rib
Garlic and Herb seasoned, Slow Roasted to perfection.
Served with Au Jus, Creamy Horseradish, Baked Potato with Sour Cream, and Roasted Vegetables.

Dessert

Chocolate Mousse



Menu – Select One Entrée

All entrées are served with your choice of soup or salad.

- Chicken Parmesan
- Spaghetti Amatriciana
- Gnocchi Lenora
- Eggplant Parmesan
- Fettuccine Alfredo

Desserts

Tiramisu and Cheesecake available for an additional charge.

Italian Night

FRIDAY, MAY 30TH
DINNER 5PM-7PM
LIVE MUSIC
6PM-8PM

Menu Options Priced Individually

TO SIGN UP EMAIL:
RESERVATIONS@TWINISLESCC.ORG



2025 GOLF TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

3/31	Monday	Club Championship - Championship Flights	AM Tee Times
4/2	Wednesday	Club Championship - All Flights	AM Tee Times
4/4	Friday	Club Championship - All Flights	AM Tee Times
4/4	Friday	Championship Awards Reception	Following Last Match
4/16	Wednesday	TILGA Closing Golf & Luncheon	AM Shotgun Lunch**
4/27	Sunday	Members End of Season Scramble	PM Shotgun Dinner**
5/26	Monday	TILGA Memorial Day Scramble	AM Shotgun Lunch**
7/4	Friday	Members Independence Day Scramble	AM Shotgun Lunch**
8/24	Sunday	TILGA Tarpon 2 Man	AM Shotgun Lunch
9/1	Monday	Members Labor Day Scramble	AM Shotgun Lunch**
10/19	Sunday	Outing Polish-Italian Open	PM Shotgun Dinner
10/22	Wednesday	TILGA Opening Day Scramble	AM Shotgun Lunch**

****CARTS ARE MANDATORY**

Memorial Day Scramble

Monday, May 26th

**8:30AM Shotgun
Lunch to follow**

Lunch & Prizes: \$35 all inclusive

Lunch Only: \$22.95++

Contact Pro Shop to Sign Up



Menu

TICC Salad, Hamburgers, Italian Sausage with Peppers & Onions, Twin Isles Potato Chips, Macaroni Salad & Potato Salad

Dessert: Assorted Cookies



**2025 LADIES'S 9 HOLE
CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**

CHAMPION
ELLEN
MONTEMARANO
RUNNER UP
MARY WOOD

A FLIGHT CHAMPION
PAT MURPHY
RUNNER UP
MARY PEDALINO

B FLIGHT CHAMPION
MARY JANE FORR
RUNNER UP
JO BUELOW

**2025 LADIES'S 18 HOLE
CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**

CHAMPION
HANNA VANDERMOERE
RUNNER UP
DEBORAH LUEDTKE

A FLIGHT CHAMPION
JOY DETRA
RUNNER UP
ROZ HICKEY

B FLIGHT CHAMPION
CINDY GODNICK
RUNNER UP
KATHRYN MORRIS

**2025 MEN'S
CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**

CHAMPION
RAY DALBY
RUNNER UP
MIKE MCMAHON

A FLIGHT CHAMPION
BOBBY LIPPNER
RUNNER UP
CHARLES GEORGE

B FLIGHT CHAMPION
ARLAND BREYER
RUNNERS UP
MIKE SMITH

C FLIGHT CHAMPION
KEVIN BARRETT
RUNNER UP
DAVE LUCEY



TWIN ISLES LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION (TILGA)

Twin Isles Country Club has a ladies golf association (TILGA) which is open to all TICC women golf members. Golfers of all levels are welcome and encouraged to join this fun group of ladies. There are both 18-hole and 9-hole groups and play is on Wednesday mornings throughout the year. The 18 "holers" typically tee off around 9am and the 9 "holers" tee off immediately following the last 18-hole group. The Golf Pro pairs golfers and assigns tee times based on who has signed up to play each week. Weekly signup sheets are posted on the pro-shop bulletin board.

Our regular season ended on April 16th with our closing scramble and luncheon themed "Happy Trails to You, Until we Golf Again". So fitting as we say farewell and safe travels to our snowbirds. For those here all year or hanging around a bit longer, join in our summer session events. The list of summer events and the weekly signup sheets will be posted in the Pro Shop.

Everyone watch your email over the summer for updates regarding next season. In the meantime, mark your calendar for the 2025/2026 season opener on October 22, 2025. It has been a pleasure to serve as your TILGA President for the 2024/2025 season. I have left you in good hands as Angela Hurd takes over as President for 2025/2026!

If you are interested in learning more about TILGA, talk to any of the members, or contact one of the officers listed below. Being a part of TILGA is a great way to meet many of the TICC women golfers, to play golf each week, to improve your game, to see new and old friends, to have fun and maybe win some prizes!

For more information, please contact:

Agnes O'Connor (President) 262-442-8311 or adoconnor@sbcglobal.net
Mary Wood (Treasurer/Membership) 832-381-6567 or mawood1@comcast.net



TENNIS



Peace River Senior Men's League End of 24-25 Season Final Standings

B2	Points Won
YMCA Lighting	37
Maple Leaf Hawks	30
Twin Isles CC Eagles	22
Burnt Store Marina Red Barons	22
Isles Yacht Club Fighting Ibis	9
B4	Points Won
Seminole Lakes Greyhawks	40
LaCasa Bobcats	37
Maple Leaf Menace	36
Isles Yacht Club Racqueteers	31
Emerald Pointe Drop Shots	24
Twin Isles CC Buccaneers	12
B75+	Points Won
Burnt Store Marina Green Hornets	53
Maple Leaf Seasoned Geezers	46
Lakeside Plantation DNR's	12
Twin Isles CC Specular Seniors	10



*We'd tell you a good tennis joke,
but it might cause a racquet!*





TENNIS

SUMMER MIXER SERIES

10:00AM-12:00PM

COST: \$10

LUNCH to Follow



A FUN FAST-PACED TENNIS MIXER WITH PLAYERS FROM TWIN ISLES AND OTHER LOCAL CLUBS COMPETING. AFTER PLAY IS FINISHED A COMPLIMENTARY \$10.00 TICKET WILL BE ISSUED TO EACH PLAYER (**GOOD FOR THAT DAY ONLY**) TO REDEEM IN THE RESTAURANT FOR FOOD AND DRINK. (**MUST PURCHASE FOOD**) AFTER YOU HAVE FINISHED BEATING THEM UP ON THE COURT, GO RUB IT IN AT THE TWIN ISLES GRILL ROOM!



WOMEN'S

WEDNESDAY 05/28
WEDNESDAY 06/25
WEDNESDAY 07/23
WEDNESDAY 08/27



MEN'S

THURSDAY 05/29
THURSDAY 06/26
THURSDAY 07/24
THURSDAY 08/28

To Sign up contact Bob at
941-467-4951 or
bobblazekovic@gmail.com





Aperol Coconut Margarita

INGREDIENTS

- 2 oz tequila 🍷
- 1 oz lime juice 🍋
- 1/2 oz cream of coconut 🥥
- 1 oz Aperol 🍷

For the rim:

- Orange zest 🍊
- Lime zest & sugar 🍋

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. In a cocktail shaker add all ingredients, add ice, and shake!
2. Rim glass with lime juice then orange zest, lime zest & sugar mixture.
3. Add ice and strain into glass.
4. Garnish & enjoy!



Tequila Mockingbird

INGREDIENTS

- 1 slice jalapeño
- 3 watermelon cubes (1 inch cubes)
- 2 ounces tequila blanco
- ¾ ounce lime juice, freshly squeezed
- ¾ ounce agave syrup

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Muddle watermelon and jalapeño slice in a cocktail shaker.
2. Add in tequila, lime juice, agave syrup and ice, shake 15-20 seconds.
3. Strain through mesh strainer and pour over ice in cocktail glass.
4. Serve and enjoy.
5. Cheers!



Rice Pudding Brulee with Caramel Bananas

INGREDIENTS:

- 25g unsalted butter
- 120g pudding rice
- 600ml whole milk
- 600ml double cream
- 160g caster sugar
- 1 tbsp vanilla bean paste

For the bananas:

- 20g unsalted butter
- 2 bananas, cut diagonally into 1cm slices
- 20g caster sugar
- 20g golden syrup
- Splash dark rum (optional)

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Melt the butter in a heavy-based pan over a medium heat. Once sizzling, tip in the rice and stir well, then cook for 3-4 minutes. Don't worry if the butter browns a little – that's all good flavor.
2. Add the milk, 420ml of the double cream, 110g of the sugar, the vanilla and a pinch of salt. Stir well, bring to a gentle simmer, then turn the heat down and let it cook, stirring regularly, for 30 minutes.
3. Heat the oven to 140°C/ 120°C fan/gas 1. Pour the contents of the pan into a heatproof dish, cover tightly with foil and transfer to the oven. Bake for 45-50 minutes, stirring every 10 minutes or so. Once the rice is cooked, stir in the remaining double cream, then leave to cool completely before decanting into 6 serving glasses or bowls (make sure they're strong enough to cope with the kitchen blowtorch later). Chill in the fridge.
4. Carefully sprinkle the chilled rice puddings with half the remaining 50g sugar. Use a blowtorch to caramelize the sugar; you may notice some rice browning too but that's fine, it's all flavor! Once that layer of sugar has been bruléed, add another and repeat – this ensures a good crack. Leave to cool for at least 10 minutes or so.
5. For the bananas, melt the butter in a saucepan over a medium heat. Add the bananas, let them brown gently in the butter, then add the sugar, syrup and a splash of rum (if you like). Keep cooking and watch as the sugar dissolves and caramelises in the butter. You can cook the bananas up to 30 minutes before you serve and keep them warm in the pan until needed. Serve the rice pudding topped with the warm caramel bananas.



Spring Vegetable Train Display

INGREDIENTS:

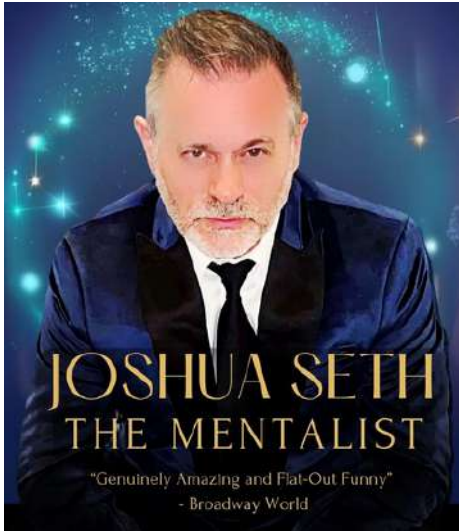
- 4-5 Peppers
- 1 Cucumber
- 1 Carrot
- Celery
- Toothpicks

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. To make this vegetable train you need between 4-5 capsicums or peppers. They have different names depending on which country you're from so for the purpose of this post I'll call them peppers.
2. You simply slice off the top of the peppers and scoop out the insides. Make sure you leave the pepper stalks on the outside as they can come in handy for connecting the trains together.
3. Once the carriages have wheels, you simply need to stand them in a row to create a train of carriages. Then add the pepper sticks, celery, carrots and cucumber into the carriages for the finishing touch.
4. You can even pour ranch dipping in one pepper! This is perfect for any party! It is a fun and easy way to display your veggie tray!

PAST EVENTS

Joshua Seth: The Mentalist



We were thrilled to welcome **award-winning mentalist Joshua Seth** to Twin Isles, drawing an incredible crowd of **100 members**—one of our most attended events of the 2024–2025 season! Members were absolutely mind blown, with comments like *"Please have him back!"*, *"He was fabulous and hilarious!"*, *"We really enjoyed the entire night!"*, and *"I just can't believe it—I'm still shocked, how did he do that?!"* The evening ended with a roaring crowd and a standing ovation, a true testament to his unforgettable performance. To top it all off, our Skirt Steak and Swordfish entrées received rave reviews—guests couldn't stop talking about how delicious everything was!

Want more events like this? Please feel free to reach out—we'd love to hear your ideas and feedback!



Sassy Apron's Cooking Class



Pittsburgh Open





Annual Hibiscus Festival of Punta Gorda

Gilchrist Park, 400 W. Retta Esplanade - Punta Gorda

May 2nd - 4th, 2025

Friday 9am-10pm

Saturday 9am-4pm

Sunday 10am-3pm

FREE ADMISSION

The Annual Hibiscus Festival is three days of celebrating and sharing the unique history and character of Punta Gorda and its connection to the hibiscus, as well as to one of the world's most renowned hybridizers, Harry R. Goulding. Punta Gorda is historically known as the City of Hibiscus. The festival features sweet and savory food vendors, live music, flowers and plants, arts and crafts, and most of all: fun! Head on over to listen to the music, eat great food, shop treasures of all kinds, the Vintage Motor Car Club Car Show, and enjoy the atmosphere and the Lil' Miss Hibiscus Pageant.

Journeyman — A Tribute to Eric Clapton

Performing Arts Center, Hinman Auditorium
10150 Bonita Beach Road, Bonita Springs

Friday, May 16, 2025 at 7:30 pm

Ticket Prices Vary

Purchase Online



Shaun Hague, a prodigy named "The Best Young Blues Guitarist" by The House of Blues at just 17, brings his incredible talent to the stage in a breathtaking tribute to his biggest musical influence, Eric Clapton. By 21, Hague was already playing guitar for blues sensation Kenny Wayne Shepherd and has since shared the stage with Amos Lee, John Waite, Terra Naomi, performed on Jay Leno, and even jammed with John Fogerty. Now, Hague's "Journeyman: A Tribute to Eric Clapton" is celebrated as the #1 selling tribute to Eric Clapton in North America. Don't miss this electrifying performance at Arts Bonita, where you'll be transported through Clapton's legendary hits, masterfully brought to life by Hague's exceptional guitar prowess. Tickets: \$64 Tier 1 / \$59 Tier 2 / \$54 Tier 3



Comedian Ron White

Barbara B Mann Performing Arts Hall
8099 College Parkway Sw, Fort Myers, United States

Friday, May 23, 2025 at 8pm

Purchase Tickets Online

Price Range \$75-\$400

Also Playing at Seminole Hard Rock Casino in Tampa on May 21st!

Embark on an extraordinary journey with Ron White, where every moment promises to be unforgettable! This carefully curated event combines the finest elements of entertainment, innovation, and community spirit. Whether you're an adventure seeker, culture enthusiast, or someone looking for unique experiences, this event offers something special for everyone. Don't miss this chance to be part of something extraordinary! Tickets start at \$74!

A LOOK AHEAD



Golf Course & Restaurant Closure
June 2nd-4th



Bingo Nights
June 11th & 25th



Pub Menu
June 11th, 18th & 25th



Backyard BBQ with Live Music
June 27th



Twin  Isles
COUNTRY CLUB

