

CROSSROADS HOPE ACADEMY  
&  
WESTCHESTER GOLD AND DIAMONDS

PRESENT:

**The Duck Race at Fishermen's Village**  
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28<sup>TH</sup>, 2018 12:00 Noon-4:00 pm

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

Save the Date to be part of the the Inaugural Rubber Duck Race to be held at Fishermen's Village in Punta Gorda FL, Sunday, October 28, 2018, 12 noon-4 pm!

The event will feature multiple, fun activities for children and families. Food vendors, demos of products, kids face painting, kids duck coloring contest and, of course, the anticipation of the Rubber Duck Race! **ADMISSION AND PARKING ARE FREE!**

5,000 numbered rubber ducks will float a course ending at the new dry beach at Fishermen's Village. The first 5 ducks across the finish line will be awarded big cash prizes.

Tickets to purchase a rubber duck to be entered into the race are \$10 each and are on sale now at Westchester Gold and Diamonds, The Hive, Charlie's Pub, Danny Nix and Associates, or can be purchased online at [www.crossroadspg.org](http://www.crossroadspg.org).

Sponsorships and booth space are still available for those interested. Contact [janie.duke@hotmail.com](mailto:janie.duke@hotmail.com) for sponsorship information.



# **CROSSROADS HOPE ACADEMY**

**DUCK RACE 2018**

**DUCK TICKETS \$ 10 EACH**

## **WIN:**

1ST PLACE - \$2,500

2ND PLACE - \$1,000

3RD PLACE - \$ 750

4TH PLACE - \$ 500

5TH PLACE - \$ 250

**BUY YOUR DUCK FOR THE RACE TODAY.**

**WINNER NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN. RACE TO TAKE PLACE  
OCTOBER 28TH, 2018 AT FISHERMEN'S VILLAGE PUNTA GORDA  
GO TO [CROSSROADSPG.ORG](http://CROSSROADSPG.ORG) FOR TICKETS AND RACE RESULTS!**

Crossroads Hope Academy is a non-profit 501.C3 home and Charlotte County charter school for foster boys ages 12 -18 who have had multiple failed placements in the Florida foster care system.

Making the transition from family life, even dysfunctional family life, to foster child is an unimaginable proposition. No child ever asks to be a foster child. Their esteem suffers, they fall behind or drop out of school, many end up homeless.

Caring, positive role models at Crossroads Hope Academy provide youth the tools they need to transition into a successful home placement or an independent living program. Working together with biological families, foster families, adoptive families and community resources.

To achieve these goals, Crossroads Hope Academy offers:

Comprehensive Mental Health Services:

- Anger Replacement Training
- Substance Abuse Counseling
- Trauma Focused CBT (Cognitive Behavioral Therapy)
- Gender specific Treatment
- Individual Cognitive Behavioral Therapy

Individualized Academics – Students receive a high school diploma when graduating, not just a GED.

Vocational and Employability Skills Development

To find out more about Crossroads Hope Academy please visit our website: [Crossroadspg.org](http://Crossroadspg.org)

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