

## Punta Gorda History Center News

Preserving our Past...Inspiring our Future
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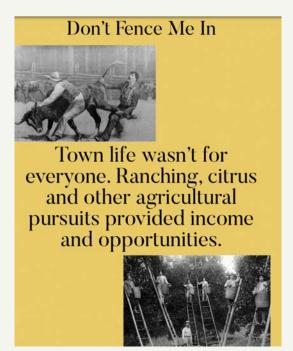
The Center is now open Tuesday through Thursday 10:30 through 3 p.m. until April 16 then 12:30 to 3 and by appointment.

All programs are free and open to the public. Call <u>941-916-8800</u> for more information

## **History Center April Programs**

Tuesday, April 5, 1 p.m.

"Once upon a Time in Punta Gorda." Theresa Murtha, Center Director, will share stories of characters - including some animals - who were part of the early days of the town including "Big Six" and some other intriguing residents. At the center, free.



Wednesday
April 12, 1 p.m.

"Don't Fence Me In ." Continuing the current series in conjunction with our exhibit "Working in Punta Gorda" Marge Hall, curator provides a presentation about the cattle ranches, citrus and pineapple farms and timber and turpentine businesses that were prevalent and an important part of early Punta Gorda's entrepreneurial economy. At the center, free.

For more information call the Center at 1-941-8800.

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