



New Resident Club of Cape Coral

AUGUST 2019

NRC Dinner Dance

August 24th

at the Yacht Club

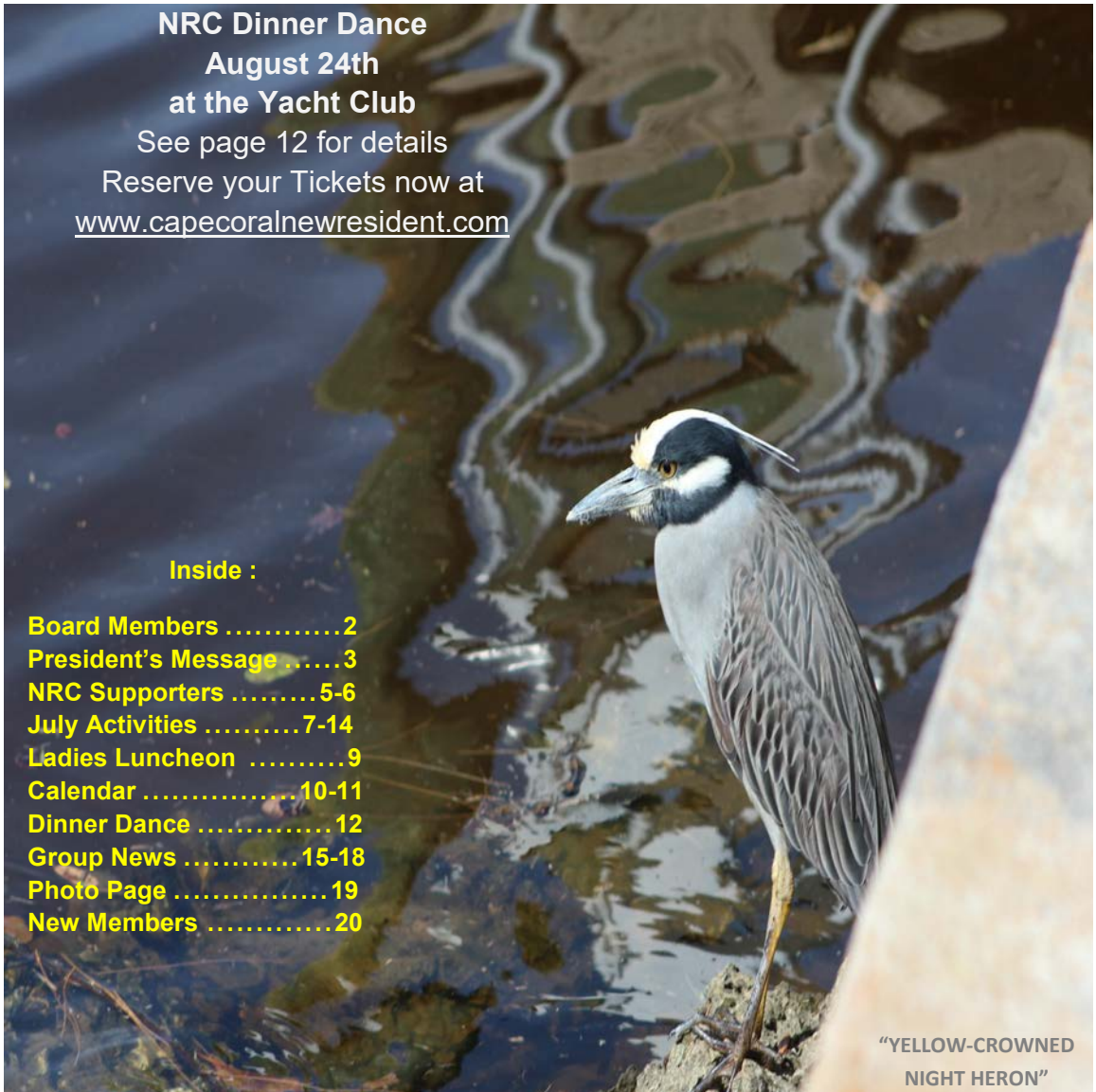
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August 6, 2019

GREETINGS TO ALL NRC AND GOLD MEMBERS

When Board 104 took office in May of 2019, we were told by some of our predecessors that the summer months are taken at a much slower pace. This was based solely on the fact that the "Snowbird" population was away from "Paradise" for a few months. Well, I think that due to the very progressive and forward thinking of the Officers and Directors of Board 104, we have proven that, at least for this summer, it couldn't be further from the truth. In the month of July, which incidentally has 31 days, The NRC had 20 days of events scheduled, which does not include Pot-Lucks, or activities from specific groups. Many of us attended "SEX PLEASE, WE'RE 60" at the Broadway Palms. We were fortunate enough to share in the 50th Anniversary of the First Moon Landing with the Gulf Coast Symphony Orchestra at the Barbara B. Mann Theater and for the Cowboys and Cowgirls in the Club, we attended the Professional Bull Riding event at Hertz arena. The July 4th on July 26th event was a rousing success. For an event that the NRC never had before, 210 of you showed up and were entertained by the band Live Wire and a BBQ cooked on the premises! Now I ask you, is that enough variation in one month? I would say so!

August promises to be as busy as July. Along with our regular faire of the Men's Breakfast and the Ladies Luncheon, we have once again set up an evening at the Barbara B. Mann Theater for "Give My Regards to Broadway" on August 17th. We'll hear many favorites from the tremendous catalogue of show tunes from the Broadway Stage. The next night, on August 18th we will have a Comedy night at Anthony's on the Blvd. Of course, Cocktails on the Cape will be held at Point 57 this month on August 21st. In addition, on August 21st, the Bi-Monthly Cape Coral Blood Drive will be held at the Yacht Club to benefit all that have the need in the Cape Coral area. Saturday, August 24th is "Summertime at the Beach" for our Dinner / Dance, also at the Cape Coral Yacht Club. Can we top the 210 members that attended in July? I don't know, but we're going to try!

In closing, I mentioned earlier that Board 104 has been very progressive and forward thinking for this entire term. With that being said, the Board has proposed and passed some changes to The NRC Constitution which will be discussed with the membership at today's meeting. Within a few days of the meeting, I will be sending out to every member the parts of the Constitution we are planning to amend and the wording it will take to amend them. It will give our membership time to digest the changes before it comes to a vote in September. Our Club has been in existence for some fifty plus years and we feel in order to keep growing, some things should change with the times. It will be up to you to decide that when the time comes, but until that vote in September, let's have a busy August filled with lots of Fun times, Good food and Wonderful friends.

On Behalf of all the members of Board 104, thank you for the honor of letting us serve you.

Jeff Pollack
President, Board 104

General Membership Meeting July 2, 2019

Jeff Pollack, President of Board 104, called the meeting to order at 9:18 a.m.

The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance and was led by Carl Cannady from the Cape Coral Police Department. Carl said it was great to see so many people involved in the club. He said to feel free to contact the CCPD for information, or to take a tour of facility. And he reminded everyone to lock their cars, and if they had a gun – to take it out of the car.

Jeff thanked Cindy Wasilak for the breakfast set up.

Jeff thanked everyone for participating in the survey, there will be a dinner/dance on July 26th. Friends and neighbors are welcome.

Jeff welcomed the new members and asked that they go to the fountain after the meeting for pictures.

Jeff reminded everyone that signup sheets for group events are at the back of the room.

Secretary's Report: Traci Chepeus, presented the minutes. The minutes were accepted as presented.

Treasurer's Report: Rick Robison provided the financials, they were accepted.

Jeff welcomed and introduced guest speaker, Jim Farrell, Chief Meteorologist and Weatherman for Wink-TV. Jim joined Wink in 1992, and can be seen M-F at 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, and 11:00.

Jim asked for a show of hands for members who were here for their first hurricane season, 1/3 of the audience raised their hands. Jim mentioned that he has lived in Cape Coral for 37 years. Jim stated:

Hurricane season goes from June 1 – November 30, and the season starts slow. Hurricanes generally start in the Gulf of Mexico, with the most major ones occurring in August and September. And the largest number of hurricanes occur in September.

Records go back to the late 1800's, and on average, a hurricane comes to SW Florida about once every 8 ½ years. Major hurricanes include Donna in 1960, Charley in 2004, Wilma in 2005, and Irma in 2017.

There are three things to consider during a hurricane:

Wind: Hurricanes always move in a counterclockwise direction; thus, they will push water to the west coast of Florida. Having shutters and the right garage door are important. If a window gets breached (i.e. by a coconut smashing through it) the wind will come in and create pressure, greater than the outside pressure, that could blow your roof off. We have the best hurricane codes in the nation (1995-current).

Rain: Will bring flooding. For example, a slow-moving tropical depression can drop more water (20 inches), than a fast-moving hurricane.

Storm Surge: As Cape Coral is a peninsula, bordered on three sides by water, we are very vulnerable to storm surge. A hurricane 10 miles off the west coast means a storm surge can occur.

We were lucky that Irma was 20 miles inland, otherwise we could have had a 15-foot storm surge.

Charley was forecasted to hit Tampa, but just 6½ hours prior to hitting, Jim forecasted it was going to hit Lee and Charlotte Counties instead.

Evacuation orders are issued to save lives, and they over evacuate to be safe.

Be aware – more people get injured or die after the hurricane hits, trying to clean-up or coming in contact with downed electrical lines.

Have A Plan! – Know where to go. It doesn't have to be far, just go somewhere that hasn't been evacuated. Travel light, taking the least amount as possible – plan to be away for one night. Remember, you don't need to evacuate to France! Consider a shelter if needed, you will get a small space assigned (about the size of a sleeping bag). Shelters are life boats, not love boats.

What do weather forecasters look for when assessing for hurricanes?

Clouds – these are the seedlings for a hurricane. Tropical waves, off Africa coast.

80-degree water temperature, and a 150-foot depth of water (warm water is necessary). Remember to pick up

your Wink Hurricane Guide at Publix. It contains important information, as well as a check list.

Activities: Daniela Fergen presented activities for the month, which included Professional Bull Riding, and an evening with the Gulf Coast Symphony. The boat cruise in June was rained out, but will be rescheduled. See website for further details.

Ladies Luncheon: Sherri Vivone gave details for the Ladies Luncheon at Tasty Cultures. See website for further details.

Dance: Steve Andresen stated that the dance is July 26, with a red, white, and blue theme. Shore Patrol is the entertainment and Mel's Diner is catering the meal.

1st VP Don Vuncannon stated that 14 new members joined today. Don Vuncannon introduced the new members. New members were reminded to meet out front for photos.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:20 a.m. and was followed by the raffles.

Guest Speakers for Upcoming Meetings

Aug 6 - NRC Members Patrick M. Wood & Wally Hartlauer. Dr. Andrew M. Kurtz, G.C.S.O. Music & Exec. Director

Elite Supporters

These local businesses have been most generous in their contributions to the New Resident Club. Please patronize them and let them know we appreciate their support. To ensure their continued support, please redeem gift certificates or coupons promptly.

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1303 Del Prado Blvd
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Ariani Ristorante Italian

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239-400-0099

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42 Mid Cape Terrace
239-772-1661

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810 Cape Coral Pkwy E.
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2301 Del Prado Blvd. Unit 690
239-574-3784

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1009 Del Prado Blvd S.
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239-541-7900

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2350 McGregor Blvd, Fort Myers
239-334-7419

Fins Seafood & Dive Bar

3422 Del Prado Blvd
239-984-5449

George's Complete Auto Repair

4804 Coronado Pkwy
239-552-1588

GP Plumbing & Air Conditioning

jeremya@gppcorp.com
239-945-0126

Gulf Coast Symphony

6314 Corporate Ct, #100, Fort Myers
<https://gulfcoastsymphony.org/>

Hair Look Salon by Monica

4720 SE 15th Ave
(South Cape Plaza)
239-541-9951

Hooked Island Grill

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Matlacha 239-540-3463

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756 SW Pine Island Rd
239-800-3141

Jasmine Marshall Hair Stylist

231 Del Prado Blvd
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Madd Hatter

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239-242-0410

Maria's Italian Restaurant

1224 SE 46th Lane
(239)945-6006

Mel's Diner

1331 NE Pine Island Rd
(239) 242-0218

Metro Diner

1625 Cape Coral Pkwy East
239-288-0057

Point 57

3522 Del Prado Blvd S.
239-471-7785

Orangetheory

2311 Santa Barbara Blvd.

Palmetto Pine

1940 SW Cape Coral Ct.

Quality Marine Repair

info@qualitymarinerepair.com
(239) 214-2803

Red Headed Witches

1910 Del Prado Blvd S.
239-573-6566

RumRunners

5848 Cape Harbor Dr
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Rusty's Raw Bar & Grill

4631 SE 10th Pl
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239-205-6835

The Dek

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239-542-3745

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Zulika Torres Nails

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10 Twenty-Five

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239-829-0407

Anne's Restaurant

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239-945-3133

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239-573-6555

BackStreets Sports Bar & Pizzeria

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239-945-7555

BAM German Bakery

1507 SE 47th St.

239-549-5984

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4597 Pine Island Rd.

Cape Coral Historical Society

544 Cultural Park Blvd

(239) 214-2803

Charlie Viera

Author of My Fathers War

Duffy's Sports Bar

627 Cape Coral Pkwy.

Duval's

4742 Vincennes Blvd.

239-542-0185

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622 SE 47th Ter.

Farmers Market – Cape Coral

SE 47th Terrace & SE 10th PI

Saturdays 8am-1pm

Ginger Bistro

2366 Surfside Blvd

(239) 558-8865

Hair by Ronda

861 SE 47th Terrace

(239) 994-3183

Hands on Painting

1625 SE 47th Ter.

LA Nails

2708 Santa Barbara Blvd

239-541-8609

Lenny's Grill & Subs

2301 Del Prado Blvd

239-574-3360

Lobster Lady

1715 Cape Coral Pkwy

(239) 471-0136

Oyster Bar & Grill

5785 Cape Harbor Dr.

239-599-2947

Overtime Pizzeria & Sports Bar

1708 Cape Coral Pkwy

239-541-3367

Pam Maciejewski, LMT

4706 SE 9th PI

239-549-4094

Pet People

2311 Santa Barbara Blvd.

Shoot Center

1122 S. Del Prado Blvd.

Slate's

4820 Candid St.

239-540-6800

Su Casa Furniture Boutique

4635 Coronado Pkwy

(239) 945-0606

Wild About Popcorn

1311 Del Prado Blvd.

230-829-0527

NRC FAQ

What are some of the more common events that the New Resident Club hosts? Some of the main events are the monthly Cocktails on the Cape, held at various locations within town, the New Resident Club Dance held the 4th Saturday of the month & activities like bocce, pickleball, golf, etc. Members are encouraged to organize events they are interested in.

What time are the majority of the events held? To insure consistency, the monthly Member meeting is held on the first Tuesday of the month at 9:15 a.m. in the Yacht Club building. There are the monthly Men's breakfast (held in the morning) and the Ladies Luncheon (held during the noon lunch time), but the majority of events start between 5:00 and 6:00 p.m. in the evening and are held on various nights during the week or weekend.



Dinner & Comedy Hour with Frank Del Pizzo
at



1303 S. Del Prado Blvd
Cape Coral, FL 33990

Sunday, August 18th, 2019

Dinner at 5:30 pm

Show at 7:00 pm

\$30 per person

Only 100 seats are available so sign up soon

Sign up ends August 13th at 5pm

The *Dinner & Comedy Hour with Frank Del Pizzo* will have wonderful food followed by really funny comedians. Frank has entertained a wide variety of diverse crowds, as opening act for legendary comedians from Sam Kinison to Rita Rudner, and has thoroughly pleased every audience he encounters. Likeable and friendly, this New Jersey Native is able to take an audience on a journey that makes them feel like they have just taken a wild ride in the back seat of his car. Frank Del Pizzo came from the real world to the comedy stage. Ten years as an auto mechanic left Frank ready to let the people know what he was thinking.

Choice of Prime Rib, Chicken Marsala or a Vegetarian option with a side salad, rolls/butter, veggie & baked potato with a choice of one domestic bottle beer, well drink, or house wine.

Sign up: In person at the monthly NRC Meeting or;

Online at www.capecoralnewresident.com/events, Click on the "Dinner and Comedy" event, then all the information will come up and keep scrolling down and it will show "Tickets", select the Qty and add to cart.

QUESTIONS? Contact Daniela Fergen at activities@capecoralnewresident.com or call 701-212-8047 (cell)



Pickleball

Come out and join us for pickleball, one of America's fastest growing sports. Whether you are a novice or an experienced player, you'll have a blast and meet some new friends.

Make sure to come early as lots of folks want to play during season!

For more information, contact Susan Jackson suejml@yahoo.com

BOCCE



Wednesdays

1pm - 3pm and 3pm - 5pm

at Veterans Park:

4140 Coronado Pkwy.

Open to all NRC members & single players are always welcome

For more info contact Robin at 336-575-2229
fabartz@yahoo.com

For the new NRC members who joined in July... YOU'RE INVITED!



New Members' Social Monday, August 12th

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Join us at the home of JoAnn Craig for refreshments, while meeting other new members and some NRC board members.

Please RSVP to JoAnn Craig at 913-220-6872, or email joacraig1@gmail.com or RSVP through the Punchbowl Invitation you will be receiving after the monthly meeting.

Singles Social
Single Mingle
Hosted by Sheila Nutter
Let's celebrate your hometown
Thursday August 15th 5:30pm



Bring a favorite dish from home
RSVP Gina Yebba@gmail.com

Men's Breakfast

Start your day by loading up on some protein...well, carbs too for that matter. Come to the Men's Breakfast at the House of Omelets, 900 SW Pine Island Road at 9am every second Tuesday of the month and start your day with some serious grub. Join us for good food, good companionship, and good conversation.

Men's Breakfast is a long standing tradition of the NRC and provides an opportunity for a hearty meal among friends. We have a seat reserved for you. Contact your host Chris Weeks at 239-339-7015 or cjweeks1234@gmail.com

NRC Ladies Luncheon

Thursday: August 15, 2019 at 11:45 AM

Please do not arrive before 11:15

1423 SE 10th Street

Near the Corner of Viscaya Pkwy and Del Prado Blvd S



Café YOU is an Australian style cafe that serves simple, natural food – including Vegan and Gluten Free options – accompanied by authentic espresso coffee. Most coffee shops in the United States don't do much with food and most restaurants don't worry about coffee. The Australian café is a hybrid combining a strong coffee culture and a robust food culture under one roof in a welcoming, cozy and comfortable neighborhood café.

**They will not begin to seat us until 11:15am.* Please respect their breakfast business as it continues until 11:00am. They are closing the restaurant for our luncheon. Parking is limited so please carpool.

Family Style Luncheon. Each Table will have a selection of the following:

- ★ **Avocado Crostini:** Avocado smashed together w/ feta, tahini and a touch of lemon juice. Served on artisan toast, topped w/ chili flakes, cherry tomatoes and evoo. (V/GF)
- ★ **Baked Butternut Red Onion Salad:** Served cold and topped with tahini sauce, roasted pine nuts&parsley (V)
- ★ **Quinoa & Spinach Salad:** w/ cranberries, sliced almonds and Dijon dressing (V/GF)
- ★ **Mini Chicken Salad Wrap:** w/ romaine, onions, celery, mayo, sour cream & raisins
- ★ **Mini Bella Wrap:** Portobello mushrooms, goat's cheese, bell peppers, tomato, caramelized onions & spinach.
- ★ **Marinara Meatballs with Penne:** Penne with beef meatballs cooked in a marinara sauce and topped w/ parmesan & fresh basil

★ **Dessert:** One Blueberry Almond Cake Bite (V/GF) and One Brownie Bite per person

Iced Tea, Lemonade and Sparkling Water Included

Craft Coffee and Soda NOT INCLUDED

Cost: \$20; Includes Gratuity

Limited Seating of 49, so Sign up Early!!

Deadline to sign up, or cancel with a refund is August 9, 2019

SIGN UP: In Person at the monthly NRC Meeting (cash or check payable to NRC and put "Ladies Luncheon" in the memo)

Online at www.capecoralnewresident.com/events, Click on the "Ladies Luncheon" event, then all the information will come up and keep scrolling down and it will show "Tickets", select the Qty and add to cart."

No need to select entrée since it's family style

Questions?.....Call, text or email Colleen Carty: Cell 703-864-5758

ladiesluncheon@capecoralnewresident.com

Win Fun Raffle Prizes and Perhaps Cash with the 50/50 Opportunity!!

August 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 <p>AUGUST</p>				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Golf Outing @ 12:00pm Cape Royal Golf Club	General Membership Meeting 9:15am @ Yacht Club	Bocce @ Veterans Park 1-3pm & 3-5pm	Bowling at Bowland/ Nemo's @ 9:00am		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	New Member Social 6 to 8 pm Golf Outing @ 12:00 Cape Royal Golf Club	Men's Breakfast 9am House of Omelets	Bocce @ Veterans Park 1-3pm & 3-5pm	LADIES LUNCHEON AT CAFÉ YOU @ 11:45am Singles SOCIAL @ 5:30PM Bowling at Bowland/ Nemo's @ 9:00am		"Give My Regards to Broadway" Doors Open6:00pm Theatre Open.....6:30pm
Anthony's on the Blvd on the 18thCOMEDY/DINNER SHOW Dinner at 5:30pm/Show at 7	19	20	21	22	23	24
	Golf Outing @ 12:00 Cape Royal Golf Club		Cocktails on the Cape@ Point 57 5-8pm Bocce @ Veterans Park 1-3pm & 3-5pm	Bowling at Bowland/ Nemo's @ 9:00am		Summertime Luau at the Beach on the 24th Doors Open@ 5:00pm Bar Opens @ 5:30pm Luau starts @ 6:00pm
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	Golf Outing @ 12:00 Cape Royal Golf Club		Bocce @ Veterans Park 1-3pm & 3-5pm	Bowling at Bowland/ Nemo's @ 9:00am		



Summertime Luau at the Beach

Saturday, August 24, 2019

Cape Coral Yacht Club

\$24 per Person

Doors Open at 5:00

Bar Opens at 5:30

Dinner starts at 6:00

Catering by Mel's Diner

Roasted Pork with a Pineapple Sauce and
Sweet and Sour Chicken

Vegetarian option: Vegetable Skewers

Hawaiian rice

Hawaiian coleslaw

Grilled mixed veggies

Payment is due in advance, via one of the following:
Cash or check, or credit card (\$24) at the General Meeting
Online at www.capecoralnewresident.com/events: Select "NRC
Dinner Dance"

Contact Susan Aten if you have questions:
dance@capecoralnewresident.com or 410-303-6402

Music by
Rusty Trumpet



Cocktails on the Cape

Wednesday, August 21, 2019 - 5-8 PM
Only 85 seats are available so sign up soon
Sign up ends August 16th at 5pm

POINT 57 @ 3522 Del Prado Blvd. S.



Point 57 is a Contemporary American Restaurant with Southern Coastal Cuisine. Their focus is on Casually Sophisticated small plates. Their steaks, and seafood are paired with interesting fresh local ingredients. They pride themselves on their extensive craft drink selection with infused flavors made from scratch.

Sign up: In person at the monthly NRC Meeting or;

Online at www.capecoralnewresident.com/events, Click on the "Cocktails on the Cape" event, then all the information will come up and keep scrolling down and it will show "Tickets", select the Qty and add to cart.

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The New Resident Club

5815 Driftwood Pkwy. Cape Coral, FL 33904

Wed. Aug. 21st 7:30am-1:30pm

Please Help Us Make Our Goal of 20+ Units.

***Reserve a donation time
with Barbara Walter at
(239)541-9000***

Change a life.
Donate blood.

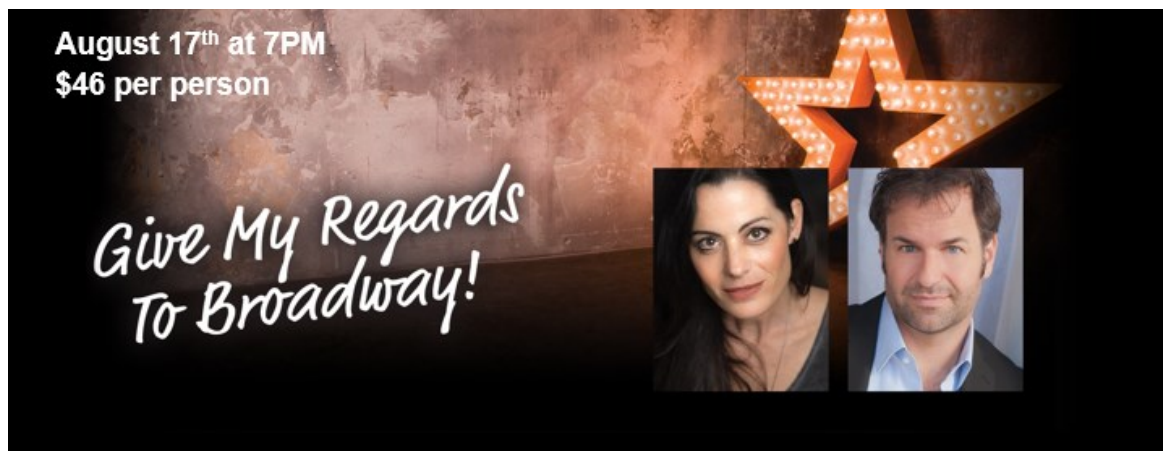
Spend a few minutes of your time and save the life of another person. Your donation through the Lee Health Blood Center will stay in Lee County and benefit local residents and visitors in need.

All donors will receive a **thank you gift and wellness checkup** including blood pressure, temperature, iron count and cholesterol screening. **For more information or schedule a bloodmobile visit, call 239-343-2333.**



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Gulf Coast Symphony presents: *Give My Regards To Broadway*



Join the NRC at Barbara B Mann Theater listening to an evening of Broadway favorites on August 17th at 7:00 pm. Tickets are \$46.00. The final day to purchase will be August 11th at 5:00. This will also be the last day you can request a refund.

Mark Sanders and Carolann Sanita join the Gulf Coast Symphony for a delightful program of Broadway favorites. From toe-tapping tunes, to memorable ballads, these two Southwest Florida favorites will bring their charm and talents to some of Broadway's best songs.

Doors Open: Lobby Doors at 6:00PM - Theatre Doors at 6:30PM

Barbara B. Mann Performing Arts Hall

13350 FSW Parkway

Fort Myers, FL 33919

SIGN UP: In person at the monthly NRC Meeting or;

Online at www.capecoralnewresident.com/events. Click on the "Give My Regards" event, then all the information will come up and keep scrolling down and it will show "Tickets", select the Qty and add to cart.

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NRC Group News

Bad Buoy & Nauti Gulls-Aug 2016

Gene Kadela/No Report

Twisted Turtles-September 2016

Sharon Victor/No Report

The Happy Owls-October 2016

Sue Ford/No Report

GetGoes

November 2016

Pamela Neubert

On June 27th Larry & Pamela went to Annapolis, Maryland to celebrate her birthday with their son Philip with a dozen HUGE STEAMED CRABS, Maryland Style with lots of OLD BAY!!! They also attended her Goddaughter Hannah's wedding to Justin on the 28th. And on the 29th visited her brother & family for some more STEAMED CRABS of course. She was back on the road on the 30th to get back in time for the NRC Meeting on July 2nd to hand out her newsletters to all who attended. A big thank to Sondra Johnson for filling in for me while I was gone.

On July 4th, Larry & Pamela went see the fireworks at the RED, WHITE & BOOM Celebration held every year at the Cape Coral Bridge. The news reported the fireworks were the Biggest & Best Ever and they did not disappoint. On July 5th, Bunco was at Mary Morgan's home. And on the 10th, bookclub was at Barbara Carroll's home to discuss "Where the Crawdad's Sing" by Delia Owens. GetGoes Marti planned our luncheon at Duffy's Sports Bar & Grill on the 15th and had a table full of fun ladies. Thank you Mary, Barbara & Marti for a great time.

After seeing cobwebs on their boat, Pamela & Larry went out on Tuesday, July 16th to explore and ended up going all the way to the Matlacha Bridge. On the way back they anchored on the beach at Picnic Island & had lunch. About 30 minutes after arriving home, big thunderstorm came. Perfect timing equals A perfect day.

Pamela went to Tasty Cultures for the NRC Ladies Luncheon on July 18th. A big thank you to Colleen for introducing me to great Polish Food, can't wait to return with my hubby. Lots of ladies won raffle prizes, but not The Pamela, a bit sad about it, but maybe it was time for me to win the 50/50, but not thinking it would actually HAPPEN!! Well, to my Surprise my numbers were called & I WON \$60.00, HOW KOOL is that, The Pamela won the 50/50, wow, yeah, you go girl!

GetGoes couples Mary & Bill, Pamela & Larry look forward to the dance on Friday the 26th called "July 4th on July 26th", awesomeness....I get to wear my red, white & blue again. And on Saturday the 27th, Larry & Pamela are off to see the PBR Touring Pro Division with Bull Riding with lots of rough & tough cowboys riding those mean & angry bulls. YeeHaw!!!!

Happy August Birthdays to Maurie on the 2nd & GP on the 7th. Hope you celebrate with family & friends.

Sunsetters

December 2016

Chris Danley

Wow! Summer is flying by! Many of our Sunsetters are getting together up north while the true Floridians are socializing in our temporary smaller group. Thank you Bob and Diane Nelson for hosting our July potluck. Bob (chef extraordinaire) served up some excellent barbecue ribs. Jello Shot Sandi served her yummy Jello shot of the month. The evening concluded with a fun game of bingo.

Happy August birthday to Gary Mitchell, Mike Crawford, Bob Nelson, John Stevens, and Connie Posi. Anniversary wishes to Doris and Gary Mitchell on August 31st. Fifty-one years together. Must be true love.

Joe is still doing great after his hip replacement. Jeff will be starting therapy on his shoulder July 29th. We hear Mike is shrinking on his weight loss program. Wishing Diane a speedy recovery after

her recent fall. Hello to all our NRC friends! We hope you are having a great summer!

Pelican Briefs-January 2017

Cheryl Perine/No Report

Dancing Dolphins

May/June 2017

Corinne Rinaldi

Ann and Cliff enjoying great memories of ten days in Rome. The Roberts vacationing this month. Cori to Broadway Palm with NRC Perri, Kathy, Ann, Marianne, Jaque and Diana. Enjoyed lunch together at Crisp Creperie. Jaque planning August luncheon at Cork Soakers. Most of us are vacationing. Cheers to Summer!

Cape Corruptibles

July/August 2017

Ruth Locke

Seas the Days-Sept/Oct 2017

Nancy Finnegan

The July potluck was at the home of Sandy and Wayne Brown. The theme was "All American Potluck" there were many of our group in attendance and everyone there had a great time.

Nancy and Frank were traveling up in New York, PA and MD and could not make this one! A lot of others and traveling up north to see family and friends.

Pamela Cox is hosting the August potluck.

Galloping Geckos

November 2017

Bunny McGee

Although it was held on the hottest day in the summer thus far, the Ryder Cup putt-putt competition was a huge success. Reports are that it was fun and FUNNY! The Blazing Blue Bombers, with a team score of 370, won over the Red Hot Chili Peppers with a score of

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379. Best individual scorer was Cindy Wasilak with a score of 43, and Colleen Carty had the most holes in one. Special recognition for Best Dressed Golfer went to Bob Arnholt..

Geckos celebrated July 4th on July 7th at the Peltolas' home. Thank you, Gil and Karen, for once again opening your home to our group. It was a relaxing day in and around your pool with good food and conversation. Later in the month, the ladies attended the NRC luncheon held at Tasty Cultures Restaurant and enjoyed the "tasty" buffet of Polish food. Delish. Thank you Colleen Carty for another great afternoon. We have new converts on board the Family Feud train, (isn't that right, Peter Rieser?) and Marilee Conroy is planning a monthly competition.

Our summer travelers have returned home from travels near and far...very far: Mary Juza and Terrell Ott from Kenya and a fabulous safari; Bill and Colleen Carty from Seattle; Karen Peltola from Georgia and Massachusetts; and my husband Joe, and I from Alaska. Marilee and Bob Conroy attended the second "Marilee" meeting which was held this year in Seattle with a side trip to Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

Happy birthday wishes to Bob and Carol Arnholt, Mary Juza, and Kathy Roy.

Latitude Adjustment

December 2017

Grace Veliz

First we want to thank Karen Arvay for being our group reporter and co-chair from day one. Her emails and invites keep the Latitude Adjusters informed and together. And, of course, thanks to dancing Dale Arvay for leading us as chairman.

(FYI. Linda Whalen came up our neat nickname.... Latitude Adjusters.)

The Arvays are hosting our July potluck. Looking forward to seeing all their beautiful renovations to their home. And, of course, playing games. We're just a bunch of kids at

heart.

Celebrating July birthdays: Dale Arvay, Marie Barrett, and Larry North. June: Don McCarter and Jan Bell.

Jan celebrated by getting knee replacement surgery on her birthday! Get well wishes and this year she'll be running around soon. She's gonna dance like Jagger at his August concert in Miami! Rich will be retiring in November, they're counting the days.

Grace & Luis Veliz will celebrate their 7/20 anniversary on vacation. Luis and some of our group are Pickled Crazy about Pickleball. This was Dale's fault introducing him to the game. And thanks to Joe Takacs for getting our winter group organized. Luis & I went to the Championships in Naples and then to the Pickleplex in Punta Gorda with our full time Pickleball players. OMG it is so beautiful... our group loves it. Wish Cape Coral had courts like that. Can't wait till our snowbirds are back.

Knee replacements R Us: Our quilting queen, Teresa English, is up north and next in line for knee replacement. She's planning on getting back her strength for Pickleball and our group trip to Mexico.

Us full timers did go on a lovely Naples trip / sunset cruise. Walking the pier and having dinner. It really was surprising how many mansions there are and how different it looks from the water view. The upper 1% REALLY do live out of the stratosphere lives. We got through 3/4 of the trip when we got a rain storm. It didn't ruin the trip. We were sheltered on the return and even got a credit for another trip of our choice! Pretty good deal for our adventurous group.

Marie Barrett aka Martha Stewart is busy scheduling our next ladies luncheon too. Marie & Mike very active doing good for others by volunteering in the hospital and nursing homes.

Kay Stanton is considering planning a mystery train trip for the group.

To our delightful surprise, we have an experienced gardener, Karen Brown, who volunteers at the Annual Hibiscus Flower Show in Fort Myers. So many beautiful flowers and Karen is so knowledgeable about Hibiscus. Now we have our own dainty gardener. Karen shares some of her favorite flowers with us by decorating a cake or plate at our potlucks.

SNOWBIRD REPORTS:

Mary and Larry Bauer are having a new home built here in SW Cape Coral. Its looking good. They're coming down in July to check progress and party at NRC dance.

The adventurous Wendy and Russ Leistikio are camping in South Dakota riding the trails in their new UTV 4 Wheeler.

Linda and Scott Whalen send greetings from the thumb of Michigan and Lake Huron.

Joe Takacs is busy running fishing charters up north and Joan helping the Restore.

Donna and Paul Pfaeffle are enjoying living aboard their yacht in Pasadena Maryland. They're planning a leisurely half circle trip to bring it down to Cape Coral.

Don and Diane McCarter relax on Cape Cod MA in the summer. She is our real estate tycoon making deals. Gotta thank Don for all his research on Solar electric systems. Ours gets installed in July. Save the planet, money too.

Joyce and Larry North also celebrated their anniversary. It's the same day as his birthday. He tells everyone Joyce is the best present he ever got. Smart man!

Sure do miss our chefs Laurel & Scott Wheeler and their dear mother Claire. We're still talking about the best chicken Alfredo ever. Laurel makes delicious food for potluck.

Mary Beth & Robert Hill are the Paul and Mary singers of our group; serenading us on their guitars. So talented they also

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act at local community theaters up north.

Many of us taking vacations to places near and far.

Attended the July NRC meeting. Meteorologist Jim Farrow gave a very informative discussion about hurricanes in southwest Florida. September is supposed to be the worst month. Jim said he has lived here many years and even with hurricanes it is worth it.

Independence Day reminds us how we enjoy our freedom in this great country. Amazingly got this article finished.

Coastal Boomers

January 2018

Barb DiFazio

Mixed Nuts-February 2018

JoAnn Craig/No Report

Sandy Bottoms

March/April 2018

Billie Jean Hubert

4th of July fireworks sparked fun all month long for Sandy Bottoms.

A big thanks to Diana Wallach and Sadie Mains for hosting a wonderful card game and the tacos and pulled pork slider sandwich's were awesome!

Thank you to Don and Mary Vuncannon for putting on a wonderful potluck dinner for 3 NRC groups. A nice crowd enjoyed many delicious foods and desserts.

Finally, a spectacular end to July- red white and blue cupcakes, sizzling burgers, a great band, and dancing like it was 1999! It was truly July 4th on July 26th! Thanks to Susan Aten, Linda Stevens, the Marshall's, Jeff Pollack and all who put the dance together.

This writer also thanks Sandy Shearhod Zaper for her posts which help write this column while I'm up in NY for the summer!

Until next month-keep your bottoms sandy!

Lost in Paradise

May 2018

Susan Campbell

Don and Mary Vuncannon hosted a potluck for the combined groups of Mixed Nuts, Sandy Bottoms and Lost in Paradise what a crowd. The food was fabulous, plenty of time and room to chat with the extended group. We miss our Snow Birds, but know they will be back in the fold soon!

Makin Waves-June/July 2018

Deb Williams/No Report

Five O'Clock Somewhere

Aug/Sept/Oct 2018

Sondra Johnson

Been a super fun & busy summer so far! Our Five O's had a great potluck at the Cape Coral Military Museum thanks to Charley & Cheryl! A few of the ladies even dressed up Rosie the Riveter. So much fun!

S Cape Ease

November 2018

Pat Bachand

The S Cape Ease are escaping to their swimming pools in July. What better way to keep cool! Jim and Leona keep busy going to the Miracles Games at Jet Blue Park. At last count they have attended 52 games. Happy Birthday to Jim who will be celebrating on the 27th. We continue to get together for the ladies luncheon, cocktails and the dinner/dances. Thanks to Cathy Dunn for organizing dinner at Kumo's Japanese Steak House in lieu of a pot luck this month. A great dinner and then after dinner drinks at Woody's Surfside. Tom and Charisse moved down to the cape on June 11th and have already had their son, daughter-in-law and granddaughters visit. Those of us here are meeting up for breakfast, dinners, and even a wine tasting. The fun never ends.

Crazy Capers/Dec.2018

Patti Cahill/No Report

Men & Mermaids

January 2019

Denise Stevens

Joan and Bruce Warren allowed us to invade their home for the July M&M Potluck. We had 15 people in attendance. You know it's a great time when the food, the conversations, and the laughs lingered past the usual 2 hour potluck window. It was around 9:40 when we all started to make our exit. We also had 16 people in attendance for our July Happy Hour at Hooked Island Grill. Lorna celebrated the first anniversary of Hands On Art Gallery with food, drinks, and rock painting. A few of our crew also attended the Red White and Blue dance. Our next Potluck will be on August 22 at Denise & Steve Cozza's home. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

Giggling Gators/Feb.2019

Lori Everson

Like other groups our members are down as our snowbirds are gone. We expect them to start trickling back beginning in September. Out of the 20 or so Giggling Gators remaining we also had 6-8 of our permanent members away visiting parents and grandchildren. Even with all that the Giggling Gators maintained a reasonable 12-member attendance at the general meeting. The guest speaker was Jim Ferrell, Chief Meteorologist for Wink News. He spoke about hurricane awareness. The most important homework given was for all of us to find out where our Cape Coral homes are in relationship to mean sea level. How many feet above mean sea level is your home? Know your elevation.

During this summer season we have been holding our pot luck dinners at local restaurants. The in home pot lucks will resume in September!

The Giggling Gators really enjoy the monthly dances! We were very happy there was one held in July and showed it by supporting it with as many members that were in town.

Lots of activities here in paradise...Our members are meeting up to go boating, going to the beach, cocktails, painting and cooking classes. Maybe those taking

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the cooking classes will make what they learned for

Bikinis & Martinis/Mar.2019

Taffie Iwanicki/No Report

Pickled Pelican

April/May 2019

Marilyn Dirkmaat

The Pickled Pelicans had a terrific July potluck pool party hosted by the gracious Marie K and Richie Horstman. Those two are true entertainers. Rocky the dog was a hit, especially with those of us missing 4 legged companionship. Our next potluck is at Ralph Greco's. One thing we were pleased about was the fact we recognized one another and remembered names without name tags outside of our functions. We Pelicans are ready to brave out the summer.

Tropical Transplants

June/July 2019

Sherry Belcher

Tropical Transplants have arrived! June & July new members held our initial potluck July 19th at the home of Kathy & Jeff Smith.

We have about 30 enthusiastic members who look forward to more fun & friend making with Cape Coral NRC.

Singles Group

Donna Milbee

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Single? Come join us! Our group is a network of singles from all NRC groups and gold members. We are for singles interested in meeting other singles for fun and various shenanigans. For a list of activities and other fun stuff please visit our Facebook page at: NRC Single mingle or email to ginayebba@gmail.com

Ohio Buckeyes

Traci Chepeus, Linda Nusser, Susan Oliver

NRC MEMBER? Ever live in the state of OHIO? Come join us for a social activity while meeting new friends, and who knows, an old friend who all have the state of Ohio in common. GO TO ccohi-

obuckeyes@gmail.com to sign up or gather more information.

The Ohio Buckeyes hosted the Minnesota Loon-a-Ticks for a fun afternoon at Over-time Pizzeria & Grille. Eighteen of us gathered to watch the ball game on the big screen and enjoy drinks, food, and great conversation. Final score: Cleveland Indians 4, Minnesota Twins 3.

The Golfers

Bev Cramer

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On Mondays at 12:00, a group of us get together for a round of golf and a couple of cold ones at the 19th hole. We play at Cape Royal Golf Club in Cape Coral. Bev Cramer organizes our Monday outing. This would be good for beginners as well as those who only play nine holes. If interested, contact Bev.

CC Ryders

Tony Matusicky

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The CC Ryders planning /pot luck monthly meetings are always held at a members home on the 2nd wed of each month, Call Rick Wise at 207-772-1800 for details We are always interested in YOU, if you are interested in us, call or email Rick Wise Today at 207-772- 1800 or RickW@insds.com. Always Ride Safe..... and we ask that if you don't ride please be aware of us, as you drive around South West Florida!!! "Watch out for Motorcycles" Our lives depend on it. You can also check us out on Facebook at CC Ryders, its a closed group but enter your email and we'll get you hooked up.

Loon-a-Ticks

Reporter—Linda Jessen

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Are you from Minnesota? Come join us to meet new friends and maybe former neighbors. We've even had sports events with the Ohio Buckeyes. We're working on getting a FB page operational. In the meantime, contact Linda Jessen at lajessen@yahoo.com for more information.

Pickleball Group

Reporter - Sue Jackson sue-jnml@yahoo.com

We will play Monday through Friday mornings at 8:00am at Stonis Park. Please keep in mind that this is an NRC event. These are scheduled times for those who want to play together, however, there is no guarantee how many people will show up, especially in the season. There are no lessons and people are at different levels of play. I personally learned from watching YouTube videos. If any questions, please contact Sue Jackson.

NRC Photography Club

Reporter—Susan Oliver

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If you are interested in joining the NRC Photography Club, please email Susan Oliver

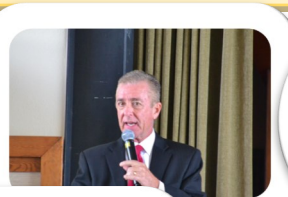
at nrcphotographyclub@gmail.com.

On July 22 the NRC Photography Club will be going to Sanibel/Captiva to photograph waves, have dinner at the Green Flash and then photograph sunsets on the beach at Mucky Duck. We are photographing waves to show the importance of shutter speed when taking a picture. We also are going to focus on how to do family beach photos since so many of us have visitors throughout the year.

We have not set our outing date in August yet, but we will be going to Ding Darling to photograph wildlife. Ding Darling has their annual amateur photography contest in October, so we are hoping to get some good representation from the NRC Photography Club in their entrants.

Future events in the upcoming months will include taking a boat tour to visit the dome homes at Cape Romano, photographing the night sky at Big Cypress Park and getting ready for the holidays. We will be also squeezing a visit to botanical gardens also to photograph flowers.

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Welcoming Newcomers for over 50 Years

Welcome to Cape Coral, your own Slice of Paradise!

In 1967 the New Resident Club of Cape Coral was established by Helen Peck as a way to give newcomers the opportunity to exchange ideas and form friendships. The tradition continues today in this, our 52nd year.

The three-year membership fee is \$60 per person and \$120 per couple.

Everyone joining will be members of a group made up of those start-

ing that month. Commonly, the groups number two to three dozen. Each group holds its own activities and participates in events held by the NRC as a whole.

After three years, you will become a non-voting lifetime member of NRC. You are strongly encouraged to continue attending NRC meetings, dances, activities and participating in your group potlucks.

The NRC holds a general meeting at 9:15 a.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Yacht Club

Please join us at the general meeting for coffee and a light snack and get acquainted with the most dynamic social group in the Cape.

We welcome you!

For additional information, visit the NRC website at:

Or join the NRC Facebook page:

"Members Only New Resident Club of Cape Coral, Florida"

Or contact any of the NRC Officers or Directors listed on the inside front cover of this newsletter.

Refer a friend to the NRC.

Our members are the best recruiters of great new candidates.



Welcome to our new members for July