



New Resident Club of Cape Coral March 2021



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President's Letter



March 2021

Welcome to Spring in SW Florida! What a beautiful feeling to be living our lives in paradise.

If you are new to Cape Coral, this is the perfect time to be moving and joining our community. There are many activities and events out and about the Cape Coral area with all of our beautiful parks and waterways. Not to forget the restaurants and shopping areas. If you have not picked up your Cape Coral visitors guide from the welcome center, please do so. Even if you have been in the area for a few years, there are lots of new and interesting activities listed that I am sure you haven't done yet.

It is the time of year again when we are actively seeking our next board. There is a 6 month term and we are two months away from changing guard so to speak. Please open your heart and mind to fulfilling one of the open positions for the May-October term. Our wonderful club cannot survive without the board and the time spent is extremely fulfilling. Plus, 6 months flies by so quickly. I have met so many fantastic people thru my terms on the board and it has made my life better than I could have imagined. I challenge you to accept a position and promise you won't regret one moment. These are the positions we have yet to have volunteers: 2nd Vice President, Treasurer, Hospitality, PM Refreshments, Publicity, Newsletter, and Activities. Feel free to ask myself or any board member what these positions entail.

There are many activities open for March. Make sure to sign up on line at Capecoralnewresidentclub.com and reserve your space. Many activities are limited in number so don't delay. All activities open on the 1st of every month on line for your convenience . You can also sign up at the monthly meetings at the activities tables.

Happy Spring! We look forward to a wonderful March.

JoAnn Craig
President, Board 107

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.

Anthony's on the Boulevard

1303 Del Prado Blvd
239-257-2446

Ariani Ristorante Italian

1529 SE 15th Terr
239-772-8000

BackStreets Sports Bar & Pizzeria

915 SE 47th Terr.
239-945-7555

BB's Unique Cupcake

Boutique and Custom Cakes
239-400-0099

Bowland

42 Mid Cape Terrace
239-772-1661

Cape Cleaners

810 Cape Coral Pkwy E.
239-549-1740

Cape Coral Edible Arrangements

2301 Del Prado Blvd. Unit 690
239-574-3784

Creative Computer Solutions

4709 Coronado Pkwy
239-541-5441

Downtowner Car Wash

1009 Del Prado Blvd S.
239-772-2277

Dixie Roadhouse

1023 SE 47th Terrace
239-541-7900

Edison & Ford Winter Estates

2350 McGregor Blvd, Fort Myers
239-334-7419

Fins Seafood & Dive Bar

3422 Del Prado Blvd
239-984-5449

Freedom Boat Club

5828 Cape Harbour Drive
941-800-1144

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 (So. Cape Plaza)
239-541-9951

Hooked Island Grill

4200 Pine Island Road NW
Matlacha 239-540-3463

Hurricanes Grill and Wings

756 SW Pine Island Rd
239-800-3141

Jasmine Marshall Hair Stylist

231 Del Prado Blvd
239-745-2983

Madd Hatter

730 SW 4th Street
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.
239-218-4644

Palmetto Pine Country Club

1940 SW Cape Coral Ct.
239-574-2141

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
239-542-0200

Rusty's Raw Bar & Grill

4631 SE 10th Pl
239-360-8154

Simply Screen & Handyman Services

John & Kimmie Stern
239-841-9508

Sunshine Jewelers

1924 Del Prado Blvd S.
239-424-8176

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Medical Massage Therapist
239-634-4494

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3013 Del Prado Blvd. S.
239-205-6835

The Dek

4704 SE 15th Avenue
239-542-3745

The Twisted Lobster

1341 Del Prado Blvd #1
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239-829-0407

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239-945-3133

Asia Buffet
1706 Del Prado Blvd.
239-573-6555

BAM German Bakery
1507 SE 47th St.
239-549-5984

Big Blue Brewery
4721 SE 10TH Pl.
239-471-2777

Blue Dog Bar & Grill
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239-558-4970

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.
239-205-6771

Duval's
4742 Vincennes Blvd.
239-542-0185

Family Hardware
622 SE 47th Ter.
239-542-6365

Farmers Market – Cape Coral
SE 47th Terrace & SE 10th Pl
Saturdays 8am-1pm

Ginger Bistro
2366 Surfside Blvd
239-558-8865

Hair 2 Dye 4
130 Del Prado Blvd S, # 5
239-673-8214

Hair by Ronda
861 SE 47th Terrace
239-994-3183

Hands on Painting
1625 SE 47th Ter.
239-233-5662

IceSssscreamin'
520 Cape Coral Pkwy E
239-541-9100

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 Pl
239-549-4094

Pet People
2311 Santa Barbara Blvd.
239-471-0724

Shoot Center
1122 S. Del Prado Blvd.
239-500-0556

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.
239-829-0527

NRC FAQ

What are some of the more common events that the New Resident Club hosts? Some of the main events are the monthly Ladies Luncheon and Cocktails on the Cape, both held at various locations within town, the New Resident Club Dance held the 4th Saturday of the month & activities like bocce, pickleball, cornhole, 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.

General Membership Meeting February 2nd, 2021

JoAnn Craig, President Board #107, called the meeting to order at 9:15 AM. The pledge of allegiance was led as a group.

President JoAnn welcomed NRC Members, Past Presidents, Graduates and New Members. New members were asked to go to the fountain in front of the Yacht Club directly following this meeting for a group photo. All volunteers that prepared the Yacht Club for the meeting were thanked. It was announced that Sunset Celebration is tomorrow. There will be a Yard sale Feb 27th for Angel Wings and donations will be accepted, let JoAnn know and she will pick up if necessary.

Lori Everson, Secretary, presented the minutes via the newsletter distributed for approval. A motion was made to accept the minutes by George MacDonald and seconded by Letitia Schnobrich.

Wayne Nystrom, Treasurer reported the financial information with a note that we are breaking even during this pandemic recovery. A motion to accept the report as given was made by Pam Ask and seconded by Marianne Kamminga.

President JoAnn introduced the speaker for the meeting - Donna Germain with the Cape Coral Chamber of Commerce.

JoAnn reminded all about the blood drive on the 17th in the parking lot of the Yacht Club marina. She announced the speaker for next month will be the Lee County Sheriffs Dept. JoAnn announced that the Cardboard Regatta was moved to Oct. Members were instructed to contact her if anyone would like a T-shirt. JoAnn advocated that it is time to consider running for a position on board 108 and for current board members to consider reupping your board position to board 108.

Tom Rich complimented George MacDonald on the newsletter communicating all the events so nicely. Tom announced they will be going to the Dek after the sunset celebration on the 3rd and feel free to join them. He made special note that the cocktails on the cape will have a small charge at sign up due to a buffet style and needing a firm commitment for a private room.

All new members introduced themselves. Mary Vuncannon reported 8 new members joined including 10 who did so online or by mail.

Pat Bachand reported the Ladies Luncheon will be at Big Storm.

Pam Ask - Dinner Dance is February 27th. The theme is Mardi Gras and entertainment is Storm Warning. The doors open at 5PM.

Judy Bare reminded there is an open bar including the usual beer, wine, and a variety of the now popular hard seltzers. The food will be Italian.

Letitia proceeded with raffle and 50/50 Prize Drawings.

Meeting was adjourned



Donna Germain

Group News

Welcome our newest group to the NRC—Tropical Daze!!

Tropical Daze—Theresa Bollard, Reporter

Tropical Daze has set sail! For the last three months, we have found safe harbor with the many NRC activities: cocktails and karaoke, Cabaret with Manilow, Diamond, and Joel (a cameo with Streisand) and Fleetwood Mac, as well as dancing, lunching, taste-testing, breakfasting, shooting, bocce-ing, cornholing. We are excited to anchor our own group to continue to meet new Cape friends and to join in the fun!

Tropical Transplants—Cheryl Griffiths, Reporter

What a beautiful month! The Tropical Transplants planned an outdoor event at Bokeelia. Many of our members attended bringing their own drinks, snacks, or take out which was available at a local restaurant. Looking forward to more get-togethers!

Pickled Pelicans—Marilyn Dirkmaat, Reporter We have continued to suspend in person activities, while we enjoy our weekly Zoom meetings. It has been a salve to our souls to catch up and enjoy some levity. The great news is many of the group have received the Covid vaccine, so the end of isolation may be in sight. Luckily, all in the group are healthy.

Sol Mates—Judy Bare, Reporter

February; days of Wine & roses, valentines& Mardi Gras! Our monthly dances continue to be a source of fun for all. We Sol Mates especially like to command the dance floor

....& BUNCO! The 12 or “Sol” ladies playing bunco each month have settled down to a low ROAR, right George?

....& POKER! George got his Sol Men together to play poker at his house!

....& Potluck! Dennis & Miriam's for February—uninterrupted since we organized!

Some of our Sol Mates continue to show up at every event Tom organizes for us. We love you Tom and thank you!

BOARD POSITIONS SOON TO BE OPEN!!!

Love the NRC?

Consider taking a board position for Board 108: May-Oct 2021

Contact Lori Everson for job descriptions: loriever19@outlook.com

Contact Mary Vuncannon to volunteer: nrcvp1mary@gmail.com

President	1st Vice President	2nd Vice President
Secretary	Treasurer	Activities
Dance Reservations	AM Refreshments	PM Refreshments
Ladies Luncheon	Newsletter	Hospitality
Photo Historian	Raffles	

Save the Date

Mark your calendars for the following upcoming events in April:

6 — General Membership Meeting @ Yacht Club—9:15 am

8— Cocktails on the Cape—TBD—date subject to change

12 — New Member Social @ the Vuncannon's—6 pm

15—Men's Breakfast @ House of Omelets—9 am

15—Ladies Luncheon @ Palmetto Pines CC

21—Blood Drive @ Yacht Club

24—Dinner Dance @ Yacht Club—Doors open 5 pm

NRC March Dinner-Dance



*“Let the Shenanigans
Begin”*

\$30 per person limited to 200 people

@ The Yacht Club



Saturday March 27, 2021



Sign up ends Mar 20th

Doors Open 5:00 Bar Open 5:30 Dinner 6:00

Catered by *Mel's Diner*



**Buffet Style: Shepherd's Pie, Vegetarian Shephard's Pie,
Corned Beef & Cabbage, Potato Skins, Irish Soda Bread,
Irish Coffee, and Shortbread for Dessert.**

Music by *Electric Lipstick*



**Sign up online at www.capecoralnewresident.com/events, click on “Dinner Dance”
event and make your selections from there.**

March 2021



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 General Membership Meeting 9:15 am @ Yacht Club	3 Bocce @ Veterans Park 1-3 & 3-5 pm Sunset Celebration @ The Yacht Club Beach 4:30 pm	4 Cornhole @ Veterans Park 5pm	5	6 "Evita" @ Barbara B. Mann Performing Arts Hall 7 pm
7	8 New Member Social Sherri Vivone Host @ Don & Mary Vuncannon's Home 6-8pm	9	10 Bocce @ Veterans Park 1-3 & 3-5 pm	11 Cornhole @ Veterans Park 5pm	12 Florida Everblades Hockey Game @ Hertz Arena 7 pm	13
14	15 Singles Gathering St Patty's Day BYO Picnic—5 pm	16 Cocktails on the Cape @ Woody's Island Rum & Grille 5-8 pm	17  Bocce @ Veterans Park 1-3 & 3-5 pm	18 Men's Breakfast - 9am @ The House of Omelets Ladies Luncheon 12:15 pm @ Duval Street Doors Open 11:30 Cornhole @ Veterans Park 5pm	19	20
21	22	23 Craft Event—Make Your Own Lazy Susan—6:30 pm @ Karma and Coconuts	24 Bocce @ Veterans Park 1-3 & 3-5 pm	25 Cornhole @ Veterans Park 5pm	26	27 "Let the Shenanigans Begin" Dinner Dance @ The Yacht Club Doors Open 5:00 Bar Open 5:30 Dinner 6:00
28	29	30	31 Bocce @ Veterans Park 1-3 & 3-5 pm			

Cocktails on the Cape

Woody's Island Rum & Grille

Tuesday, March 16th, 2021

5pm-8pm

2408 Surfside Blvd

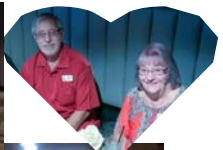


Only 50 seats are available...so sign up soon!!!

Sign up ends March 13th!

Sign up: 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.

**Cocktails on the Cape
February 2021**



NRC Ladies Luncheon

Please note Time Change this Month

Thursday, March 18, 2021 at 12:15

Doors open at 11:30 with outdoor seating

Duval Street

4721 Vincennes BLVD

Cape Coral, FL 33904



Limited seating of 60 so sign up early

Price \$22.00 Includes Choice of Entree, soft drink, dessert, and gratuity

Cash Bar Available

CHOICE OF ONE:

Crunchy Grouper Sandwich

Served on a Brioche Bun with Mango Mayo and French Fries

Pulled Pork Sandwich

Topped with Barbecue Sauce and Cole Slaw served with a side of French Fries

Caesar Salad with Grilled Chicken

Romaine hearts, Croutons, Shaved Parmesan tossed in a Caesar dressing

Cobb Salad with Grilled Chicken

Mixed Baby Greens, Bacon, Cheese, Tomatoes

DEADLINE to sign up or cancel with a refund is March 11, 2021

Sign up online at www.capecoralnewresident.com/events, Click on the "Ladies Luncheon" event, then all the information will come up. Scroll down and it will show "Tickets". Select the qty and add to cart. Make your entree selection. **QUESTIONS??** Call, Text, or Email Pat Bachand 815-735-5813

ladiesluncheon@capecoralnewresident.com

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



Ladies Luncheon February 2021



Men's Breakfast— February 2021 At House of Omelets





**B Y O Picnic
St. Patty's Day
Singles Gathering**

**Monday March 15th
5pm**

**RSVP and more details:
Ginayebba@
Gmail.com**

Craft Event

Karma and Coconuts Art Studio



1112 SE 47th Terrace Unit E, Cape Coral

March 23rd @ 6:30 pm

Price: \$45

MAKE YOUR OWN 13" MICA AND RESIN LAZY SUSAN

(If you wish to make a 16", bring an extra \$10 to the class.)

Bring snacks and beverages!

Sign-up ends March 16th

Only 12 seats available for the class...so sign up soon!!



Sign up online at www.capecoralnewresident.com/events, Click on the "Craft" event, then all the information will come up. Scroll down and it will show "Tickets". Select the qty and add to cart.

QUESTIONS?? Call, Text, or Email JoAnn Craig 913-220-6872 nrcpres@gmail.com



Barbara B. Mann Performing Arts Hall

13350 FSW Pkwy, Fort Myers

March 6th—7 pm

Price is \$27—Located in the Balcony Area

20 Seats Available (Need 20 to sign-up to guarantee seating and price)

Cut-off for sign-up is March 4th

Sign up online at www.capecoralnewresident.com/events, Click on the “Evita” event, then all the information will come up. Scroll down and it will show “Tickets”. Select the qty and add to cart.



Florida Everblades Hockey Game

Hertz Arena

11000 Everblades Pkwy, Estero

March 12th—7 pm

Price is \$22

30 Tickets Available (Need a minimum of 10 to sign up. Contact Tom Rich if all seats sell for possible additional tickets)

Cut-off for sign-up is March 10th

Sign up online at www.capecoralnewresident.com/events, Click on the “Hockey Game” event, then all the information will come up. Scroll down and it will show “Tickets”. Select the qty and add to cart.

FARMERS MARKET BOOTH

The NRC is at the Farmer's Market on Saturdays from 8 am to 2 pm. Publicity Director, Valerie Carter, could use some **volunteers to help** set up, greet prospective members, and/or take down the booth. Show your club support, meet some new friends, and volunteer to help out at the booth!

Contact Valerie at nrcpublicitydirector.valerie@gmail.com for more information and/or to volunteer.



Welcome "New Members"! The New Member Social for February was hosted by Dir. Sherri Vivone in the home of Mary & Don Vuncannon. Officers 1st VP Mary Vuncannon and Pres. JoAnn Craig gave a little history of the club & Dir. Tom Rich told about upcoming activities. The group officially formed in January from members from November - January. Look forward to hearing the group name they come up with.



New Member Social

February 2021



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 54th year.

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

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

starting that month. Commonly, the groups number two to three dozen. Each group holds its own activities, as well as 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 activities.

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

Newcomers are welcome 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: <https://www.capecoralnewresident.com/>

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 NEW MEMBERS!

