

NEW RESIDENT CLUB OF CAPE CORAL www.capecoralnewresident.com

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NRC PRESENTS APRIL IN PARIS DINNER DANCE SATURDAY, APRIL 25,2015

Deadline to sign-up is 12 noon April 20, 2015

Entertainment by: Greg Miller Band Catered by: Catering Extraordinaire

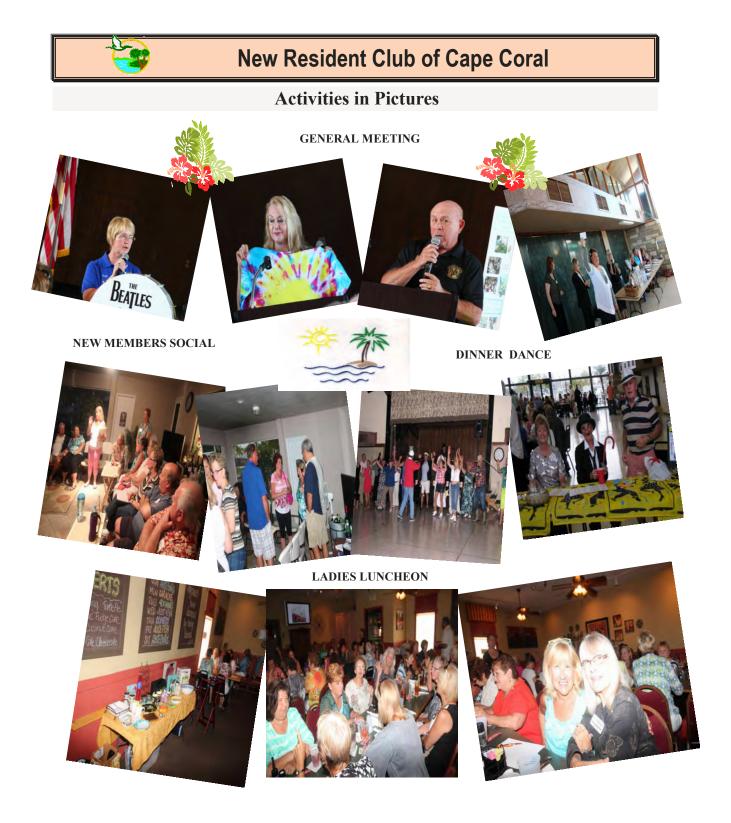
Sign up and pay at theGeneralMeeting or by credit card on our website. <u>capecoralnewresident.com</u> You may also pay by check at the Cape Coral Yacht Club; Crystal's Hallmark, Coralwood Mall; Razzle Dazzle, 1335 Cape Coral Pky.

For details Contact : Donna Milbee, <u>milbeed@ymail.com</u> Beer, wine, and soda will be served while it lasts.....so feel free to BYOB \$25 for members

\$30 for guest

EIFFEL TOWER DELUXE BUFFET MENU

CHOICE OF: Smoked Pit Ham w/Honey-Raisin sauce Sautéd Chicken Breast in white wine sauce with wild mushrooms Louvre Vegetable Pasta Au Gratin Scalloped Potatoes Fresh Green beans amandine <u>DESSERTS:</u> Midnight Triple Tier Fudge Cake Coffee Service provided





NRC UPCOMING EVENTS

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Wednesday,	APRIL 1:	4:00pm: Sunset Celebration, the first Wednesday of every month at the Yacht Club. Music on the beach plus lots of vendors. Bring lawn chairs and enjoy our famous sunsets. For info on becoming a vendor, please call the Yacht Club at 574-0806.
Tuesday,	APRIL 7:	9:00am: Monthly Membership Meeting at the Cape Coral Yacht Club.
Wednesday,	APRIL 8:	7:00pm: Dixie Roadhouse 1023 SE 47th Terrace; 2 nd Wednesday of each month at 7pm; Ladies Drink FREE till Midnight. Learn some line dancing or just watch and wonder! (see page 13 for details)
Monday,	APRIL 13:	7:00-9:00pm: New Members' Social at the home of Diana Flemming. This social serves as a welcome and orientation to new members each month. Sign up at the general meeting or RSVP to Diana Fleming, 856.364.0736, or diana4340@verizon.net
Tuesday,	APRIL 14:	9:00am: Men's Breakfast: Bob Evans 2414 Del Prado Blvd South second Tuesday of every month. Host: Pat Wood, please sign up with Pat at Patw601@comcast.net or call him at (315)250-1052.
Wednesday,	APRIL 15:	6:00 pm, Game Night at Nemos at Bowland,6pm 42 Mid Cape Terrace next to Sun Splash off Santa Barbara. Bring some games, have some fun. Happy Hour rates till 7pm. Please sign up by March 16th. This is not a standing event. Contact: Chris Weeks, 239.339.7015 or capeactivities@gmail.com.
Thursday,	APRIL 16:	2:00 pmLadies Luncheon, "STEVIE TOMATOES (See details on page 11) lease RSVP by April 13—Jeanne Geribo, 617.642.5894, jgeribo@yahoo.com
Friday/Sat,	April 17/18	3 Cardboard Boat Regetta– FREEDOM PARK (See page 10)
Sunday,	APRIL 19:	2-5pm Waterside Wine Club , back by popular demand. Price \$15 at the door . located at Cape Harbour, 5703 Cape Harbour Dr. Chiquita South of Cape Coral Pkwy. There will be great hors d'oeuvres and 6 wines to sample!. Reserve with Chris Weeks at capeactivities@gmail.com, text or call (239)339-7015.
Wednesday ,	APRIL 22:	9:00 a.mPunta Gorda Muscle car Museum. We will meet in the middle of the parking lot at the shops at Surfside. <u>We will leave at 9:15am</u> , admission is \$12.50 \$11.00 if we have 15 sign up. Organizing through Pat Woods at patw601@comcast,.net or call him at (315)250-1052
Saturday,	APRIL 25	5:30PM NRC Dance at Yacht club "APRIL IN PARIS" (see page 1)
Reminder: Please sign up for events as early as possible so the chairperson can plan accordingly. Find- ing a space for this huge, fun-filled club is not an easy task and we don't want anyone left out. <u>Impor-</u> <u>tant</u> : If you sign up for an event but cannot atten-d, please cancel with the appropriate chairperson, as restaurants and venues plan their staffing according to the number of guests attending.		

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NRC NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

Welcome to Paradise. In 1967 the New Resident Club was established by Helen Peck as a way to give newcomers the opportunity to exchange ideas and friendship. The tradition continues today. Membership is open to anyone who has resided in Cape Coral for three years or less. The two year membership fee is \$45 per person.

September is open membership to all residents, regardless of length of residency. **Our general meeting is held at 9.15am on the first Tuesday of each month at the Yacht Club.** Please join us for coffee and a light snack at the general meeting, or contact : Page Flournoy at 203.913.922 or pagedf53@gmail.com

NRC Graduates

After two years of being an NRC member, you "graduate" to become a graduate member. At this stage you have the option to join the Cape Coral Social Club.

You are strongly encouraged to continue to attend all NRC meetings, activities and events, and your group activities with other Club members. As a graduate, you will continue to receive email updates on all the NRC happenings. You may opt out of receiving these emails by updating your preferences at our website: info@capecoralnewresident.com.

More information about graduates joining the Cape Coral Social Club can be found at

www.capecoralsocialclub.org



Just joined this month? YOUR INVITED!

New Member's Social on April 13, 2015 at 7pm

Meet at the home of Diana Flemming (Hospitality) to enjoy a snack and refreshment, while meeting other new members and some board members.

This is a fun way to get to know the group you will be joining, and to get any questions that you may have answered.

Be sure to RSVP to Diana by April 10, Diana Fleming diana4340@verizon.net 856.364.0736



BOCCE BALL SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAYS(3-5pm) Wed April 01 Wed April 08 Wed April 15 Wed April 22 Wed April 29

NRC supports programs such as the Cape Caring Center and Onesight

Just a reminder that the New Resident Club has a continuous giving program, which collects canned goods and non-perishables for the **Cape Coral Caring Center** for distribution to those in need. Please drop your donations in the box at the Yacht Club.

Also, please bring used eyeglasses to the NRC monthly meeting - a Gift of Sight box is provided on the activities table for your donation.

All donations will be taken to the respective centers for distribution.



APRIL NRC DINNER DANCE

"APRIL IN PARIS" April 25, 2015

Arranged by Joyce Girard

BUFFET MENU

Payment by PayPal can be made at capecoralnewresident.com

Or make reservations offsite (checks only) at Yacht Club, Hallmark at Coralwood, (239-574-2255) or Razzle Dazzle, 1335 Cape Coral Pkwy E. (239-945-7549).

Indicate table seating preferences and entrée choice when making reservations. NRC members \$25ea. Guests \$30 (see page 1)



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WATERSIDE WINE CLUB WINE TASTING **APRIL 19TH AT 2-5PM**

\$15 PER PERSON PAY AT THE EVENT 5703 Cape Harbour Dr

This includes six wines to sample and light hors d'oeuvres

Event location is at Cape Harbour..

Must reserve with Chris Weeks at 239.339.7015 or capeactivities@gmail.com

COCKTAILS ON THE CAPE April 30, 2015, 5pm **"STEVIE TOMATOES"** 814 SW Pine Island Rd. **Cape Coral**

There will be some light snack specials and happy hour drink specials. Sign up with Chris Weeks so we can have a good estimate for the restaurant. Cape activites@gmail.com or (239) 339-7015





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For your convenience, we have added PayPal to our website. You will now be able to use your credit/debit/PayPal accounts for all events or membership fees. Just visit the website and you'll find the link on the right hand side. www.capecoralnewresident.com

Please indicate which activity you're paying for. When paying for the dinner dance, please indicate your food choice and group or table preference. Please direct any questions to: Info@capecoralnewresident.com



Men's Breakfast

Why should the women be the only ones to have fun? APRIL 14. 2015

The men's breakfast is held monthly, every 2ndTuesday, 9am.



Bob Evans, 2414 Del Prado Blvd S.

Host: Pat Wood. Reserve with Pat at Patw601@comcast.net or call him at (315) 250.1052

PUNTA GORDA MUSCLE CAR MUSEUM Date: April 22, 2015 Time: 9AM

We will meet in the middle of the parking lot at the shops at Surfside at 9 a.m. We will leave at 9:15 a.m. Admission is \$12.50, or \$11.00 if we have 15 people to

sign up. Organizing through Pat Woods at Patw601@comcast.net or call him at (315) 250-1052





THANK YOU TO OUR SUPPORTERS

The New Resident Club gives special thanks to the local businesses below for their various contributions and support. To ensure their continued support of our club, please redeem gift certificates or coupons promptly

Patronize these businesses and let them know we appreciate their support. Thank you!

AAE Glass Studio 1228 Lafayette 239.471.7724

ABC Wine and Spirits 2220 Del Prado Blvd 239.458.9204

Annie's Restaurant 814 SE 47th St 239.945.3133

Anthony's on the Blvd. 1303 Del Prado Blvd. S. 239.772.5900

Anytime Fitness 3 locations, 239.549.3488 Anytimefitness.com

Applebee's Restaurant 2228 Del Prado Blvd. S 239.458.5155

Ariani's Ristorante Italiano 1529 SE 15th Terrace 239.772.8000

Awakening Bliss Salon 2708 Santa Barbara Blvd, #145 239.673.8274

Back Streets Sports Bar & Pizzeria 915 SE 47th Terr.,239.945.7555

B&B Fish N Chips and Seafood 303 NE 3rd and Pine Island 239.574.3474

Banana Bay Tour Company 5781 Cape Habour Drive 239.728.8687

Bert's Bar & Grill 4271 Pine Island Rd., Matlacha 239.282.3232

Blaze Bistro Restaurant 2612 Santa Barbara Blvd 239.800.2517 Bowland 42 Mid Cape Terrace 239.772.1661

Bubba's Roadhouse & Saloon 2121 SW Pine Island Rd. 239.282.5520

Cactus Jack's SW Bar & Grill 3448 Marina Town N. Fort Myers 239.652.5787

Cape Barber Shop Capri Center, 4711 Coronado 239.257.2082

Cape Coral Floral Designs 2126 Del Prado Blvd. 239.772.3377

Carmine Street NY Pizza & Mussels 3422 Del Prado, 239.573.0888

Carrabbas Italian Grille 762 Pine Island Road 239.574.2797

Chicago Pizza 1341 SE 47th Terr. 239.945.2262

Coconuts Neighborhood Bar & Eatery 850 Lafayette St. 239.541.3221

Country Club Exhaust 928 Country Club Blvd. 239.574.3999

Danny Yates Landscape 425 SW Pine Island Rd 239.772.1595

Dogs Day Delight 1318 Lafette St 239.471.0414 **Dolphin Express Car Wash** 3826 Chiquita Blvd. South 239.541.9274

Domino's Pizza Any of 4 Cape locations

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Edgar Mid Cape Garage 1244 Viscaya Parkway Unit B 239.772.7443

El Rio Golf club 1801 skyline Dr North Fort Myers 239.995.2204

First Round Draft Bar & Grille 1217 Del Prado Blvd. S. 239.673.9010

Five Guys 2612 Santa Barabara Blvd 239.242.6602

Fosters Grille 728 SW Pine Island Rd, #1 239.573.4454

Fish Tale Grill 1229 SE 47th Terrace 239.257.3167

George's Complete Auto Repair 4804 Coronado Pkwy. 239.542.1588

Golden Corral Buffet & Grill 410 Andalusia Blvd. 239.673.6829

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House of Omelets 900 SW Pine Island Rd 239.458.7545

Il Primo Pizza 2209 Santa Barbara Blvd. 239.573.3435

Italian/American Club 4725 Vincennes Blvd. 239.542.6515

Jeffrey James Salon 4706 Chiquita Blvd. 239.471.0041

J. P. Auto Care 915 Country Club 239.242.8414

Karma & Coconuts 1021 B Cape Coral Pkwy 940.442.0134

Lobster Lady 1715 Cape Coral Pkwy. W. 239.471.0136

Madd Hatter Men's Hair Salon 730 SW 4th St. (behind Foster's Grille) 239.242.0410

Maria's Italian Restaurant 1224 SE 46th Lane 239.945.6006

Massage Therapy Pam Maciejewski LMT 4706 SE 9th Pl. 239.549.4094

Merrick Seafood 1229 SE 47th Terr. 239.542.8080 Miceli's Restaurant 3930 Pine Island Rd. NW 239.282.8233

Moira O'Regan Photography 239.257.3370

The Café 2301 Del Prado Blvd 239.574.7554

The "O" Bar 304 Del Prado Blvd. S. 239.673.9003

Outback Steakhouse 1642 Pine Island Rd. 239.772.5454

Palmetto Pine Country Club 1940SW 9th Court 239.574.7262

Paradise Deli 2378 Surfside Blvd 239.282.2378

Paradise Pizza 841 Lafayette St. 239.945.1555

Patrick Dwyer Art by Dwyer 239.424.8597

Perico's Grill 2401 Hancock Bridge Pkwy 239.829.0606

Personal Touch Catering 2620 SW 46th St. Cape Coral 239.945.2456

Pignoli on the Harbour 5785 Cape Harbour Drive 239.541.0800

Premier Auto Service 3916 Chiquita Blvd. S. 239.471.7049

Ralph's Place 1305 Cape Coral Pkwy 239.549.2040 **Regal Tire & Car Care** 2112 Del Prado Blvd. S. 239.574.2121

Royal Tee Golf Club 11460 Royal Tee Circle 239.283.5522

Ruby Tuesdays 2514 Santa Barbara Blvd. 239.242.2131

Rumrunners 5848 Cape Harbour Drive 239.542.0200

Select Technology Services LLC Sandro Grima 239.214.8222

Sip & Send 2221 Santa Barbara Blvd. 239.772.1076

Slate's Restaurant 4820 Candia Str 239.540.6800

Starlight Diner 1141 SW Pine Island Rd. Cape Coral 239.800.2267

Stevie Tomato's Sports Bar 814 SW Pine Island Rd. 239.573.7877

Su Casa 1232 Cape Coral Pkwy 239.945.0606

Swift Lube 1415 NE Pine Island Rd 239.458.0291

Synergetic Health/Healing Center 4637 Vincennes 239.218.0322

The Dek 4704 SE 15th Ave 239.542.3745

The Dog Bar & Grill 3522 Del Prado Blvd. 239.541.8304



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The Cape Hair Care 2924 Del Prado Blvd 239.542.2777

The Mane Event 1502 NW 17th Street 239.242.1066

The Paint Escape 808 SE 47th St 239.945.2006 **The Painted Conch Art Studio** 1242 SW Pine Island Rd. #17 239.673.6660

Tire Kingdom 4503 Del Prado Blvd. S. 239.945.0031

Thirsty's 4835 Vincennes St 239.549.6661

Venture Out Charters 5828 Cape Harbour Dr 239.945.2031 **Vogue Hair Studio** 1219 Cape Coral Pkwy E. 239.945-6717

Wellness Center of Lee Memorial 609 SE 13th CT 239.573.4800

Wicked Dolphin Rum 131 SW 3rd PL 239.242.5244

Yuppy Puppy 405 Del Prado Blvd. N. 239.673.8277



April 2015



Sign at meeting or **RSVP** by **April 10**, with menu choice to JeanneGeribo, 617.642.5894 or jgeribo@yahoo.com

Please give Jeanne your phone number, your group name, and your menu choice. Bring Extra Raffle Money!

Remember to bring canned goods to donate to the Caring Center.

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AREA CLUBS

CAPE ACTIVITIES

ANTIQUE CAR CLUB 239-574-8041, or hotchilirods@aol.com

BOATING CLUBS



THE CAPE CORAL CRUISE CLUB

Contact cpahrens@centurylink.net or Larry Mitchell 239-560-2823

SHORE LEAVE CRUISE CLUB Contact Randy or Lisa Benlon 913-515-3330 Tom Irlbeck <u>bearintheair01@gmail.com</u>

CAPE CORAL POWER SQUADRON Boating, safety courses, social activities Contact John: 239-549-9754

NBS BOATING CLUB Contact Jean VanHouse 239-542-3965

CAPE CORAL SAILING CLUB Contact Rose Ann Hoffman 239-540-1911

SOUTHWEST FLORIDA YACHT CLUB Contact 239-549-0787, lzych10377@aol.com

SW FLORIDA SEARAY OWNERS CLUB Contact Barbara Pancoast 269-625-7250

Bridge players wanted

We are organized and playing! The more players, the more fun! If interested, contact Katie Balaban at

CAPE CORAL HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

Contact: Donna Bradish, Director, or Janine Barnes, Manager, 574-0206 or visit Leememorial.org/volunteer.

CITY OF CAPE CORAL NEEDS VOLUNTEERS For programs such as burrowing owl nest monitoring, canal watch, police department volunteers, park maintenance etc. For more information, go to www.capecoral.net and search for volunteer.

DOMINOES CLUB

Th Call for information and schedule. Contact Susan Zanni, 239- 945-7484

GARDEN CLUB OF CAPE CORAL

Contact: Kathy Woodlock 239-242-6303

KIWANIS CLUB OF HARNEY POINT

Meets every Wed, 11:45am at The Dog, 3522 Del Prado Blvd. S. New members welcome. For more information, contact Zelma Slusser 542-1741 or slusser@comcast.net

EXERCISE-All types of water programs...

Shallow and deep water aerobics, arthritis and

fibromyalgia water exercises. For pricing and information contact: the Yacht Club 542-3903

FISHING CLUBS

THE REEL ANGLER'S FISHING CLUB Contact: www.rafc.us



Meet second Wednesday of every month at the clubhouse of Palmetto Pines Country Club, off Skyline.

TARPON HUNTERS FISHING CLUB www.CapeCoralTarponHunters.com

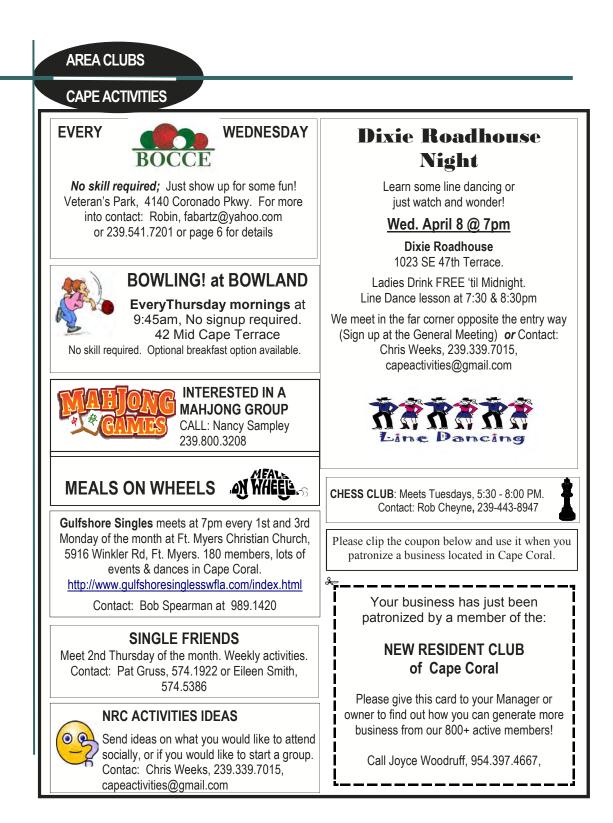
SINGERS WANTED-Soprano, bass, tenor, alto?

Do you love to sing and have chorus or choir experience? Sounds of Florida practices Tues 6.30-8.30 pm, First Methodist Church on Coronado Pkwy. Working on Christmas concerts and the music is really fun. Would love to meet you. For more info call Dick Knapick Cell 239-672-0064 or home 239-542-0459



Do you like reading books and discussing with a group?

Try the Book Club! Meet every first Friday of each month 9:00am, at Origins Coffee Shop, 1021 Cape Coral Pkwy. The group picks a book to read and discuss. For more information, contact Karen Solgard, 612-242-5639, Karen@solgard.com.





June/July 2013: Knotty Nauticals Reporter: Evelyn Ferguson

The Knotty Nauticals have had a lot going on this month! As the long, cold, icy, snowy winter months drag on elsewhere, the Corey's the Girard's and the Ferguson's have all welcomed close friends and family to Paradise. The most exciting welcome of all, however, was Tundi's new found sister, Lynda and her husband Jack. Around town, several new faces have been spotted at Bocce. Steve Corey and Mike and Connie Ehret have quickly become experts at the game. The Knotty ladies have picked up a new bowlers. Joyce W has improved her score enough to push Evelyn into dead last scorewise. Oh well! It's a social thing isn't it? Out of town escapades include the Fleming's in Clearwater for "spring training" with their New Jersey friends and the Dugener's in Michigan for six days of work responsibilities. In addition, what would motivate a bunch of retired women to be up, dressed and on the road to Tampa by 7A.M? SHOPPING

Exciting news of the month include: the Ehret's grandson, Jordan, making the swim team. Yes! Grandma is proud! Knotty Nautical Chuck, has adapted well to his new condo, and is now becoming a golfer.

Birthday Congratulations to Steve F, Joyce G and Cathy C. Rumor has it Cathy will be celebrating in South Beach.

The Bouncing Back Quick award goes to Phil Girard for his speedy recovery from knee surgery. Under the Weather wishes to Gurdrun and Charlie. Nothing but positive thoughts go out to them. Hugh Thanks to Joyce and Danny for hosting a Brunch this month and to Connie for continuing to arrange Knotty Night Out. We haven't been to the same restaurant twice in almost two years. Finally, to Diana for filling in at the Ladies Luncheon so Jeanne could go on vacation. What a great bunch of people those Knotty's are!



August/Sept. 2013: SURFSIDE SOCIALITES Reporter: Cheryl Rhine

As the end of March rolled to a close, the weather in Florida started to look more recognizable for the coming of spring. What better way to realize and embrace SW Florida sunshine than the company of a Sunday Springtime brunch at the Shunk's household. Judi and Rusty outdid themselves by providing all the spectacular brunch entrees and accompaniments in the beautiful newly remodeled kitchen. Baked French toast, breakfast burritos, baked ham and decadent chocolate indulgence pie among many other scrumptious brunch entrees and desserts. I exploited my appetite with one too many delectable, but not to say I regretted doing so despite the bloating and fullness too much food brought. Yummy! It was a delicious extravaganza. Thanks a million! Several of us gathered at Rum Runners on March 12th for our monthly social. We exploited the \$5.00 lite bites at Rum Runners as we paired them up to make an enjoyable 2 course meal to enhance our tropical beverages. Once we settled from a festive St. Patty's day, the "Lady Socialites" joined together for a waterside brunch at Micelli's in Matlacha. It was a beautiful day out on the deck with good friends and good food. Many thanks to Maureen Connor for putting this day together.



October 2013: Partying Pirates Reporter: Fran Orphal

Pirates started the month off with a group attending the "Taste of the Cape" at Four Freedom Park. Food was good, music great. Our March Potluck was held at the beautiful home of Sandro and Liz Grima, thank you for a fun filled night. In mid March pirates got together for Drinks and Dinner at the Tennessee Still Co. in Cape Coral. All ways fun to try new restaurants. Pirates attended the "Shrimp Festival" at Ft Myers Beach. More fun to come in April.



November 2013: Tropical Transplants Reporter: Wendy O'Brien

Happy St. Patrick's Day! I'm sure that our friends up north are "green with envy" that we are here and they are not. As usual the Transplants have kept ourselves busy with many fun activities. On February 27th, some of our group went to Paint Escape in Cape Coral and painted some lovely ceramic pieces ~ stepping stones, plates, candle holders, cups, and even an alligator. It was great get together! On March 4, several of us attended a lunch and fashion show at Santhino's in Punta Gorda. Shopping afterwards was very successful. Anthony's on the Boulevard was the setting for our March Ladies Luncheon ~ a good time was had by all! On the 26th, baseball aficionados went to a spring training game ~ Rays vs Yankees.(Go Yankees!) On the 28th, our very own Janet Anderson taught another card making class at Inspiration Studio in Punta Gorda. What a fun time creating cards! We are hoping to plan a wine tasting trip in April as well as some other get togethers. What a wonderful group we have!



December 2013: Suns of Beaches Reporter: Linda Halliburton

We had one day of rain last month and that was the day Andree & Pierre planned the kayak trip. Our Pot Luck last month was hosted by Linda in her new home with a Mardi Gras theme. Karolyn had green, purple and gold hair; she looked smashing as usual. Ray & Nancy brought a ton of beads from a Cape Coral garage sale. The hurricane drinks were interesting right Lana? Estelle & Fernand brought a French Canadian friend. Ray & Wally are getting lot of great fishing & boating tips from the Men's Breakfast. Ron & Ruth had a four day boat trip with their boat club. They said the Tween Water area was nice. Three of us went to the dinner dance. That was fun & good exercise. We are fortunate three SOB's will be on Board 96. Ray. Shirley & Linda will try hard to make our (continued)

group proud. After our snow birds fly away (boo hoo) Ray & Gabe from Tropical Transplants thought it would be nice to blend our groups since our numbers will be few. Hard as we have tried we have not convenience our northern brothers & sisters to stay year around. We have all had tons of guests this year. While it has been fun we are a little exhausted. Wally & Shirley are off in Utah with ski groups. Dorothy & Bill are busy helping Dorothy's mother due to ill health. we sure do miss them. Estelle & Andree are so busy with photographing the beautiful SW Florida birds. They start before 7 AM, no wonder the photos are award winning. Let's not forget the Cardboard Boat Race in April.



MARCH/APRIL 2014 PARADISE FOUND Reporter: Page Flournoy

The February Ladies Lunch was

attended by some very lucky ladies (and me!) Lynn won the raffle twice, Patti won the raffle twice, Sherri won the raffle, and I had fun eating at Carraba's with them! Sherry and Tom graciously hosted our February Pot Luck Party. Bonnie & Mac, Linda & Jim, Wally Powell, Wally & Shirley, Page & Bruce all were there. Thank you for the yummy homemade lasagna and killer peanut butter pie! The Millers also play trivia with Bruce and Page, Shirley and Wally. Ginny and Bob joined us once as well, and Tom, Bruce and Page work on the Cardboard Boat.It's going to be AMAZING!

Ginny and Bob have been back and forth this winter when his sister passed away. We are all sorry for your loss. They joined us at the March meeting along with Lynn F. and Peter H. (welcome back!) Nita and Fred went to Charlotte and came home with the flu. Doing better now, they've gotten together with us, Bobbie and Mac, Ginny and Bob. Bruce and Page get together with graduates, Current members Newbies alike. I will truly miss being the 1st VP! We've seen Cathy H, attended the dance with Wally and Shirley. When we can, we play bocce ball. We've had lots of out of town guests. Ione and Chuck have a new granddaughter! We love seeing pictures of her, and them playing tourists in Florida.

Michelle, we miss you and hope to see you at Cocktails on the Cape!

Paradise Pelicans



July/Aug 2014: Paradise Pelicans Reporter: Virena McElheney

There are so many things going on in the Cape that it's hard to keep up. March 1st about 20 of the Pelicans enjoyed an evening out at Four Freedom Park for the "Taste of the Cape" with the Gulf Coast Symphony Orchestra. Great evening with lots of food and music, watching the beautiful sunset. With so many of the Pelicans having boats in their back yard on a canal there has been lots of boat outings. Large groups of Pelicans have been spotted in and on the warm waters of the river and gulf.



What would March be without St. Patrick's Day celebration? So as usual the Pelicans were out in full colors. After much celebrating, everyone cooled off with a splash in the pool.



SEPT 2014 CAPE ESCAPES Reporter: Pati Smith

March came in beautiful with a hint of rain for the Taste of the Cape at Four Freedom Park. The Kenney's and Brown's found each other, tasted the foods and enjoyed the Sunset Concert by the Gulf Coast Symphony. Then the first Tuesday we attended the NRC's general meeting. We had 12 in attendance (Theresa Beringer & John MacLean, Andrea Casti, Leonard Brown, Mary Chapman, Janet Dayton, Diane & Herb Kenney, Carl Limmer & Dolores Walters and Nettie & John Warner. Of our 12, we had two winners of door prizes. Wednesday Dolores & Carl and Herb & Diane also went to the Sunset Celebration at the Yacht Club beach. Food, crafts, music and a gorgeous sunset! We had our own Cape Escape Ladies Lunch at the 3 Fisherman Seafood Restaurant in North Ft Myers. Lynn Kaden was our hostess and organizer. Brenda Serbonich, Linda Fairley, Teresa Beringer, Karen Rozum and Diane Kenney were there. We had as our special guests two dolphins putting on a show just a few feet away. I guess they received our email invitation. We also made an appearance at the NRC's Ladies Lunch at Anthony's on the Boulevard, Cocktails on the Cape, Game Night and Bocce Ball. A group got together to go to hear Nu-Blu (bluegrass and country music) at Foulds Theater at Lee County Alliance for the Arts. We end the month with our Pot Luck at Nettie & John Warner's. Several of our group have left for vacations elsewhere and also others have been entertaining friends and family who are jealous of our weather. I'm sure more will be visiting! Birthdays celebrated in March: Terri Dordon (3/8) and John Warner (3/24). Upcoming birthdays: Linda Fairley (4/11), Some of our group have not admitted their birthdays. Maybe they don't want to age. Can't send wishes without knowing......Happy Birthday to ALL!



October 2014 LAUGHING GULLS Reporter: Vickie Sullivan

Wow have the Gulls been

busy. We had six lovely ladies at the Ladies Luncheon at Carrabas. Ann, LuAnne, Sandy and Vickie were lucky and won door prizes. LuAnne walked away with two. A group of Gulls put on their woolies and braved the cold to attend Cocktails on the Cape at Fathoms. Gordon, Pam, Bob, Tina, Jill, John, Sandy, Peter, Janis, John, Vickie, Sully, Ann & Tish attended the Hollywood Nights Dinner/Dance. We also celebrated Tish's birthday. We had 22 Gulls attend the 3 Mar board meeting. A big thank you to Pam and Jill for taking orders for the Tie Dyed T-shirts for the boat regatta. Ed and Nancy hosted some Gulls for dinner at their home. Gulls were seen at the Irish Festival, Gartenfest at the German-American Club, Sunset Celebration, & Bocce Ball. We have some Gulls that have joined the Moose Lodge. If you would like to join us on Friday night for dinner, come on down. Pam, Page, Sandy, Lori & Vickie spent a day supporting the local economy shopping at Miromar Outlets and Coconut Point. We had a wonderful time. John, Peter, Mike, Bob, Rick & Sully went out on a charter fishing trip. They caught Grouper and Snapper. On 16 March, we had a Tie Dye party at Pam & Gordon's garage. A big thank you to everyone who came out to help get the t-shirts done. Also thanks to Pam as her car had to sit outside several nights while the work on the t-shirts was done. Sandy, LuAnne, Margriet, Susanne, Janis, Loretta, & Vickie attended the Ladies Luncheon at Anthony's. Sandy, Margriet, Susanne & Janis won door prizes. Margriet got two door prizes. We had our March pot luck at Jill and John's house also co-hosted by Janis, John, Lori & Bob. John fried a couple of turkeys. We have now voted him as the official turkey preparer. Thanks to all who attended and brought the wonderful food that we ate. Thanks Jill & John for having us at your lovely home. A big Happy Birthday to our March folks: Sandy, Steve, and Larry. Hope to see everyone at Cocktails on the Cape and the Black & White Dinner Dance.



NOV/DEC 2014 BEACH BRATZ Reporter: Babz Maxwell

Everywhere else in the country

people are excited that Spring has officially arrived. Actually, they are just relieved to have some decent weather so we will finally SHUT UP about Paradise. (As in: SPRING...It's what's for WINTER!) What did we do this month? A good number of us attended the monthly meeting where it was announced that several in our group will be on the 2015 NRC board! The coup, er, uh, I mean, the transition takes place in May. We had a lovely evening of music and gossip at Sunset Celebration. If you were not there, we talked about you. Keep in mind I now know your names, and I have a highly creative mind. And LOTS of time on my hands. Consider yourself warned.

Dave and Robyn are FINALLY in their beautiful new home! And so far, nothing they've had to say about their builders has landed them in jail. (There is that sticky little detail about the bumper stickers, and possible litigation, but so far, it's just rumors.) Our book club members attended a Reading Festival and heard several authors speak. Sounds scholarly, but we know it was just an excuse to shop, eat, and swill down cocktails. The rest of us are NOT fooled by your high brow literary endeavors. But for those of you interested in this sort of pretentious drift, the April 14th selection will feature "Girl on a Train. Speaking of trains, several of our couples attended the Mystery Dinner at the Yacht Club and had a blast trying to figure out "who dunnit". Hopefully, it was none of us. Or that if it was, we don't get caught. (You know what the true meaning of "friend" is? Someone, who, when you call and say you REALLY need a favor, will be ready with large, heavy duty contractor bags, plenty of lye, a shovel, and (NO QUESTIONS). We had a great group at the monthly potluck given by the hostess with the most-ess, Frank and Connie! Thanks so much for opening your home once again! AND we have BADGES! (I KNOW what's going through your mind... "We don't NEED no stinking badges! (continued)

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New Resident Club of Cape Coral

Trivia question; What movie was that famous line from?? Come on! You saw the movie. You laughed your butts off. Anyway, thanks to the gals who made this possible. We've all been here long enough to realize this is a whole different world. And as such, we are compiling a "You may be from Cape Coral if" list that shows just how different it is. Here are a few suggestions from the group:

You may be from Cape Coral if:

You wake up to the melody of mockingbirds and (lawn)mowers in the neighborhood. In FEBRUARY. (and promptly hop on FB to brag about it to the "northerners").

You go out for the evening and still make it home in time to be in bed by 10. (They don't call us Cape Coma for nothing!)

You can conceivably furnish a second house solely on the contents of your garage. (You KNOW it's true. Most of us could have an impromptu garage sale just by raising the door)

You think getting crabs at the beach is a GOOD thing!

It seems time goes by much faster here. (Actually it doesn't). Time here is normal. But it C R A W L S up north during winter.

Your heating bill for the entire winter season costs less than a trip to Bubba's Steakhouse.

Okay, folks, this is all I've got for now. It's a lovely night and the hot-tub awaits. Until next month, BE FAB U LOUS! Babz



JANUARY 2015 CORKSCREWERS Reporter: Gail Brown for Leslie Vaughan

The Corkscrewer's have been out and about enjoying all the wonderful NRC activities. After enjoying last month's Hollywood Nights Dinner/Dance, many of our group enjoyed the Taste of the Cape Celebration at Four Freedoms Park. The Sunset Celebration with its fun and shopping delights featured a perfect sunset with great new friends. It's no surprise that the Corkscrewer's were well represented at the Wicked Dolphin Rum tour with dinner at Bubbas later. All the ladies in our group attended the Ladies Luncheon. Everyone that bought raffle tickets went home with a prize! On the 22nd we had a wonderful potluck at the home of Dobie & Laine Simpson with Irish food and drinks galore. We selected a group logo and hope to have shirts/pins soon. Can't wait for the next month of fun to start!





NRC MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

APRIL 2015 Kathy O'Boyle President, Board 95



Dear Friends:

April is here! It is officially Spring, but feels a lot like Summer! SO much to do this month. The Cardboard Boat Regatta will be one of the highlights. Make sure you do not miss this one. Come out and see your friends race in the most magnificently engineered and designed seaworthy vessels. Yes, this year there are TWO boats that will win the races and be judged the best in our class. Keep April 17 and 18 reserved for this fun annual event!

Our dinner dance will take us to Paris this month and Cocktails on the Cape, the Ladies Luncheon and the Men's Breakfast will keep us busy in between, Bocce Ball, Bowling, Pot Lucks, boating, fishing, sunning, swimming....so much to do, so little time.

Our time as Board 95 is coming to an end. April is our last month serving as your Board. Through the efforts of many great people the last six month as been phenomenal. It has been great fun and a privilege to serve as your President with these amazing Board members:

Page Flournoy Joyce Girard Ellen Clifford	did a fantastic job welcoming all the newcomers and keeping the database up to date. was a wonder woman with the themes and décor for the dances with an amazingly small budget! speedily typed up the minutes and kept our historical record accurate.
Suzanne Richardson	kept our treasury secure, records accurate and the IRS happy!
Marshall Ferguson	provided us with the best Continental Breakfast that looked so professional and was so yummy.
Phil Girard	fed us the best food and never ran out of beer and wine at our dances.
Linda Glass	kept us in front of the Public at the Farmers Markets and Sunset Celebration recruiting many.
Joyce Woodruff	brought us outstanding Raffle items and gifts. Her determination brought us many new supporters.
Chris Weeks	imagination and effort brought us lots of fun activities and new venues for Cocktails on the Cape.
Fran Orphal	updated the Newsletter and worked diligently to gather the news and always made the deadline!
Diana Fleming	graciously hosted our newcomers in her beautiful home each month. Her warmth and kindness
	greeted so many new faces to the NRC and made everyone feel right at home.
Donna Milbee	worked very hard making sure all the dance reservations were in on time and that everyone got
	to sit where they wanted to. This was not an easy job but she did it beautifully each month.
Kathy Munster and	
Ed Sampley	took great and memorable photo shots of some of us at our greatest moments.
Jeanne Geribo	bought the best gifts for the Ladies Luncheon and made that event more and more fun each month.

I also wish to thank our past board advisors, **Cathy Corey** and **Gina Yebba** for their support, ideas and energy! And of course, thank you to our **Spouses** and **Friends** who helped us along the way. Let's make this April even better than March! Warm and sunny wishes,

Kathy Kathy O'Boyle President - Board 95



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