CAPE CORALS VENICE WITH PALM TREES

New Resident Club

August 2018

of Cape Coral

NRC Dinner Dance Saturday, August 25 at the Yacht Club See Page 12 for details

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### August 1, 2018

### Greetings to All NRC Members and Graduates,

Well it's August and Board 102 is midway thru our term of service. Those first three months are only a blur as Board 102 has worked hard to keep NRC hitting on all cylinders. The nominating committee has begun their task of finding those willing to serve on Board 103. If you are interested in finding out more, contact me or Nancy Harmon who leads the nominating committee. While being on the board does require a certain level of work, I can honestly say that it has been tons of fun and I have made many new friends.

Our speakers for the next two months will help us prepare for life in Cape Coral. This month, Dr. Jesse Spearo, Fire Emergency Management Division Manager, City of Cape Coral Fire Department will talk to us about hurricane preparedness. The following month, Robin Griffin will discuss how to cope with the challenges of making a move to Florida. I'm sure you won't want to miss out on these informative presentations.

The initiatives I outlined last month are moving forward. The video for the kiosks at the MVD are now on-line. Look for our ads if you have the "opportunity" to spend time at the motor vehicle office. Our website upgrade is also moving forward. We hope to go live with the new and improved website in the next few weeks

We do continue to have one problem. AOL thinks my emails to you are spam and will not deliver them to you. The only way we know to prevent this is to have you add <u>info@capecoralnewresident.com</u> to your contact list in AOL. If you have an AOL account, please make this change so we can continue to communicate with you by email.

As always, I encourage you to get involved with all the activities of the NRC. The Club offers a wide variety of fun events to the members as well as opportunities to learn about the community.

I look forward to meeting you personally as we move ahead making the NRC the best it can be.

Mike Jones

President Board 102



June 2018 Financial Summary	Activities Income Dance Income Dues Sales	\$ 1,765 \$ 3,969 \$ 1,215 \$ 576	Activities Expenses Dance Expense New Member Social Newsletter Expense Meeting Expense Admin and Misc. Sales Expense	\$ 1,959 \$ 6,606 \$ 416 \$ 328 \$ 696 \$ 123 \$ 37
	Total Income	\$ 7,524	Total Expenses	\$10,165
	Net Change Balance:	: -\$ 2,641 \$ 11,476		

# **General Membership Meeting July 3, 2018**



Mike Jones President of Board 102 called the meeting to order at 09:21 a.m.

The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance and the new member table was welcomed and reminded to stay after the meeting for a photo.

The president announced that our speaker, Jim Ferrell was running late and will present later in the program.

Activities: Steve Andresen (Activities Chair) gave an update on the following activities

- Wicked Dolphin Distillery Tour July 11
- Rhythm in Motion Rhumba Class July 11 and July 25
- Sunset Cruise July 22
- Cocktails on the Cape July 24 at Misto. This event will be more than cocktails, Misto will be serving a sitdown dinner.

Upcoming events-more information next month

- Piano Men August 10, tribute to Elton John and Billy Joel
- Paint Party August 11

<u>Ladies Luncheon</u>: Nora Hoover reminded everyone that the Ladies Luncheon is the third Thursday of the month. This month the luncheon is at the Caloosa Club on July 19th at noon. This is a pre-pay event.

<u>Dinner Dance:</u> Judy Noe invited membership to attend the dance sponsored by the Social Club on July 21<sup>st</sup>. There will be a display from the Historical Museum as well as a representative from the Historical Society. Music by Richie C.

<u>Secretary Report:</u> JoEllen Jones asked membership to review June minutes. Minutes were accepted without correction.

<u>Treasurers Report</u>: John Stevens presented the June financial report. The report was accepted. See financial report in newsletter.

Mike Jones explained that the raffles are the major contributor to our treasury. He encouraged everyone to participate.

Nancy Harmon introduced the new members.

Mike Jones introduced our speaker, Jim Ferrell, the Chief Meteorologist of WINK News. Jim explained how Cape Coral is affected by hurricanes and gave insight into the history of hurricanes in Southwest Florida. Jim explained how storm surge is the most dangerous aspect of a hurricane and what a major storm surge would mean to the community. Jim encouraged everyone to head the direction of the officials when evacuation notices are made. Jim and his staff provided Hurricane Preparedness handouts for the members.

The raffle was held after which the meeting was adjourned at 10:17am.

#### **Guest Speakers for Upcoming Membership Meetings**

August 7, 2018 - Dr. Jesse Spearo, CEM, FPEM, Fire Emergency Management Division Manager City of Cape Coral Fire Department

**September 4, 2018** - Robin Griffiths - Making the best of your move to Florida, especially if it also involves retirement.

#### August 2018

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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GP Plumbing & Air Conditioning jeremya@gppcorp.com 239-945-0126

Hair Look Salon by Monica South Cape Plaza 4720 SE 15th Ave 239-541-9951

Hooked Island Grill 4200 Pine Island Road NW Matlacha 239-540-3463

Ice Sssscreamin' 520 Cape Coral Pkwy E. 239-541-9100

Karma and Coconuts 1112 SE 47th Terrace, Init E 239-542-0424 Lumpy's Golf Store 11120 S Cleveland Ave Ft. Myers 239-939-5235 Lady Cakes 2924 Del Prado S 239-549-CAKE (2253)

The Madd Hatter 730 SW 4th Street 239-242-0410

Metro Diner 1625 Cape Coral Pkwy East 239-288-0057

Perk & Brew 1021 A Cape Coral Pkwy E 239-542-6080

Point 57 3522 Del Prado Blvd S. 239-471-7785

Red Headed Witches 1910 Del Prado Blvd S. 239-573-6566

Sunshine Jewelers 1924 Del Prado Blvd S. 239-424-8176

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The Dek 4704 SE 15th Avenue 239-542-3745

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# NRC FAQ

Does the New Resident Club have a Facebook Page? Yes we have a Facebook Page dedicated to the New Resident Club. It is "Members Only New Resident Club of Cape Coral, Florida" There is another Facebook Page, "Cape Coral New Resident Club (NRC)" but it is not affiliated with the New Resident Club.

Does the New Resident Club have activities for singles? While the majority of members of the New Resident Club are married or couples, there is a group within the club that has single only potluck dinners, nights out and other activities that are organized by the lead of the singles group. Our goal is to make all members, single, couples or married, welcome at all events.

# Lee Health Needs Your Help!



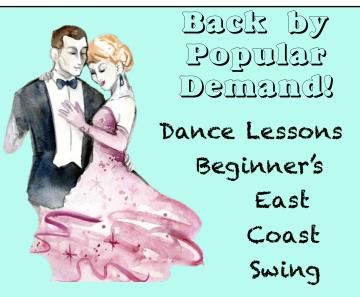
Your blood donation to our local Blood Center SAVES LIVES right here...in our community!

You can make a huge difference in someone's life.

Then next NRC Blood Drive will be Wednesday, August 15th, from 7:30am to 1:30pm at the Yacht Club.

Please reserve a donation time by calling Barbara Walter at 239-541-9000

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Here's your chance to learn some new dancing skills and get some good low-impact exercise to boot, all in a friendly, non-judgmental atmosphere. Astonish your friends at the next NRC dinner dance as you display your newfound terpsichorean skills. NRC members who took the class in July reported having a great time so don't miss your chance to give it a try!

Wednesday, August 15th and August 29th, 5pm - 6pm at *Rhythm in Motion* 912 Del Prado Blvd S. **\$10 per person**  Laugh-In Comedy Cafe Presents: Tim the Dairy Farmer



Winner of the Comedian's Ball Comedy Test, Tim Moffett has cracked up audiences all over the US and Canada with his off-kilter perspective on farm and family life. Tim has been doing comedy for 15 years and farming his whole life. Don't miss your chance to find out just how funny agriculture can be.

Admission waived for NRC members if you spend \$10 or more on food & drink. Doors open at 6pm, show starts at 7:30

Thursday, August 23rd at Laugh In Comedy Cafe 8595 College Parkway #270 Fort Myers FL 33919

### 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.

For info, contact Sue Jackson <a href="mailto:suejnml@yahoo.com">suejnml@yahoo.com</a>





Wednesdays 1pm - 3pm & 3pm - 5pm at Veterans Park: 4140 Coronado

No experience required! Play for free! The NRC has paid the court fees!

Open to all NRC members, Single players are always welcome

For more info contact Robin at 239-541-7201 fabartz@yahoo.com



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

# Singles Social Pizza Party

Tuesday, August 28th, 5:30pm



#### BYOB and \$ to Pay for Pizza RSVP <u>maria.vodola@yahoo.com</u> or <u>milbeed@ymail.com</u> for information and location



# Men's breakfast

The US has 2.5 billion pounds of excess meat. That's a lot of bacon and sausage. You can help remedy that situation. 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 16, 2018 (11:45 A.M.) WE'RE GOING TO THE BEACH!!







It's August and it's hot—hot—hot!! Come join us for some fun at Fins Seafood & Dive Bar and savor the tastes of Southwest Florida. This is a great venue to kick back and meet other NRC members at one of the NRC's Elite Supporters.

Entrée Selections:

- Island Cobb: Choose fresh grilled chicken breast or grilled Gulf Shrimp with avocado, grape tomatoes, cucumbers, blue cheese crumbles and apple wood smoked bacon on top of fresh spring mix served with southern Louie dressing on the side.
- Bimini Wrap: Blackened grilled chicken, tossed with fresh mozzarella cheese, confetti lettuce, Pico de Gallo and ranch dressing, all wrapped then pressed in a 12" grilled tortilla, Served with choice Fries or Mango Pineapple Jalapeño Cole Slaw
- Smoked Pulled Pork Sandwich: A sweet Brioche bun piled high with our house smoked pulled pork topped with onion tanglers and served with a side of orange BBQ Sauce, Served with choice of Fries or Mango Pineapple Jalapeño Cole Slaw.
- Portabella Sandwich: For the Veggie lover: Portabella Mushroom, tomato, roasted red pepper, grilled squash, zucchini planks, and smoked provolone on a brioche bun with a lime cilantro aioli.

COST: \$20 (\$2 additional surcharge for credit card) <u>Includes gratuity</u>, <u>drinks (soft drinks and tea)</u> and chef's choice of dessert.

MUST BE PREPAID: Deadline to sign-up or cancel with a refund is 5 PM, <u>Friday, August 10<sup>th</sup></u>! All checks payable to the NRC. If paying at the Yacht Club or through PayPal, please send e-mail to nshoover1@comcast.net to arrange for food selection.

Sign up:

- At current luncheon (check or cash);
- In person at the Cape Coral Yacht Club (check only);
- In person at the monthly NRC Meeting (cash, check, credit); or
- Online at <u>www.capecoralnewresident.com</u>; <u>Select "pay for activities"</u>

QUESTIONS? Call, text or e-mail Nora Hoover: (Home) 239-257-1078 or (Cell) 217-638-5019; nshoover1@comcast.net

# August 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<sup>1</sup> Nat'l Girlfriend Day	2	3	<sup>4</sup> Int'l Hangover Day
			Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park	Pickleball - 8:30 @ Camelot Park	Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park	
5	<sup>6</sup> Golf Outing 10am <u>bvcramer@yahoo.com</u>	7 Gen'l Membership Mtg 9:15 @ Yacht Club	8 Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park Bocce @ Veterans Park	9 Bowling 9:45am @ Bowland	10	11
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12	13 Golf Outing 10am bvcramer@yahoo.com	9am @ House of Omelets	15 Blood Drive @ Yacht Club 7:30am-1:30pm	16 Bowling 9:45am @ Bowland	17	18
	Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park	Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park	Bocce @ Veterans Park 1-3pm & 3-5pm	Ladies Luncheon 1 1:45am @ Fins	Wine Tasting 5:00pm @ Waterside	
	New Members Social 6-8pm @ Pesch Home	Shooting 5pm-6pm @ Shoot Center	Pance Lessons - 5pm @ Rhythm in Motion	Pickleball - 8:30 @ Camelot Park	Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park	
<sup>19</sup> National Potato Pay	20 Golf Outing 10am bvcramer@yahoo.com	21 Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park	22 Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park	23 Bowling 9:45am @ Bowland	24 Vesuvius Pay	25
	Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park		Bocce @ Veterans Park 1-3pm & 3-5pm	Pickleball - 8:30 @ Camelot Park		
		Cocktails on the Cape 5pm-7pm @ Overtime		Comedy Night - 6pm @ Laugh-In Comedy Cafe	Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park	Dinner Dance 5:30pm @ Yacht Club
26	27 Golf Outing 10am bvcramer@yahoo.com		29 Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park	30	31	
	Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park	Singles Pizza Party				
		5:30pm RSVP <u>milbeed@ymail.com</u> or	Pance Lessons - 5pm @ Rhythm in Motion	Pickleball - 8:30 @ Camelot Park	Pickleball - 7:30 @ Camelot Park	

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# NRC August Dinner Dance CAPE CORAL: VENICE WITH PALM TREES

NRC Hosts the Cape Coral Social Club Saturday, August 25th Doors Open at 5:30pm Dinner at 6:00pm Dancing from 6:30pm to 10:00pm

Classic Rock and Blues Music Provided by Riverside

<u>Italian-Theme Menu</u> Chicken Parmesan Vegetarian Lasagna Rollups (limited qty) Broccoli Garlic Toast Tiramisu Beer, Wine, and Soda While They Last Catering by: Personal Touch

> Sign up at the Yacht Club or online at <u>capecoralnewresident.com</u> or by email to Cherie Perine at <u>cmperine@comcast.net</u> (Please indicate if you want the veggie entree so we can get a good count for the caterer)

# NRC PRIVATE WINE TASTING



Join your NRC friends for an evening of wine appreciation and good conversation. This event will feature a selection of seven different wines representing an international theme and will include a presentation as well as some time for mixing and mingling. Cost is \$15/ person. Wines will be available for sale at the event.

> Friday, August 17th, 5:00pm Waterside Wine Club 5785 Cape Harbour Drive, Suite 203 Cape Coral, Florida Sign up at the monthly membership meeting or contact Steve Andresen @ bleedblkngold@yahoo.com

**Po You Like to Shoot?** Well Shoot...Who Doesn't?



The NRC has 6 lanes reserved at Shoot Center Tuesday August 14th, 5:00pm - 6:00pm, Come out and give it a shot! BYOB (Bring Your Own Beretta), or rent a gun at the range \$10 per person, limit 18 persons (ammo must be purchased on-site)

#### **Shoot Center**

1122 Del Prado Blvd, Cape Coral, FL 33990

Interested? Contact Steve Andresen at bleedblkngold@yahoo.com

# Cocktails on the Cape

This month Cocktails on the Cape is retuning to one of Cape Coral's biggest and best sports bars. Join your NRC friends for drinks, conversation, and a great dining experience.

*Tuesday, August 21st 5pm - 7pm Overtime Pizzeria & Sports Pub 1708 Cape Coral Pkwy W, Cape Coral* 

Happy Hour until 7pm: \$3 well drinks, \$3 wines, \$2.25 domestic drafts, \$1 off craft/import drafts



#### Menu

#### <u>Wings:</u>

• Naked and oven roasted. Fried in your choice of sauce: mild, medium, hot, BBQ, or teriyaki

#### <u>Calamari</u>:

• Lightly breaded and fried, served with Fra Diablo sauce

#### Bacon Cheese Fries:

• Home-made quest and fresh bacon, served with a side of ranch dressing

#### Chicken Quesadilla:

• <u>C</u>aramelized onions and peppers in a flour tortilla with chicken, cheddar jack cheese, fresh pico de Gallo and quacamole

#### Sampler Platter:

• Mozzarella sticks, chicken tenders, pepperoni rolls, seasoned fries and calamari

#### Blue Crab Dip:

Served with tortilla chips

#### <u>Nachos</u>

• Queso, chili, pico de Gallo, & sour cream, available with chicken

#### Crab Nachos

 Queso, diced tomatoes, green onions & lump blue crab

#### Onion Rings

• Bourbon battered and deep fried with bourbon cajun remoulade

# **Boating Clubs**



Cape Coral Power Squadron Boating Safety Courses And Activities Contact John: 239-549-9754 Sea Drifters Power Boat Club Contact Bob Godsea 239-728-8300 bgodsea@comcast.net

Cape Coral Sailing Club Contact Rose Ann Hoffman 239-540-1911 NBS Boating Club Contact Jean VanHouse 239-7542-3965 rjvanhouse@hotmail.com



Shore Leave Cruise Club Contact Tom Irlbeck bearintheair01@gmail.com

The Cape Coral Cruise Club Contact Philip Kryger 239-541-0236 www.c-c-c-c.org

**Paradise Parrots** July 2016 Reporter - Bridgette Bonatsos

The Parrots would have become graduates this month but now get to spend an extra year as regular members and not graduates yet.

This month a group of Parrots spent the 4th of July on a boat to see fireworks. A group went to Stone Crab cruise with NRC and on a Sunset Cruise out of Ft. Myers. Bridgette has been spending time taking pictures at NRC gatherings. Check out NRC Shutterfly to get a look at pictures.

More to come next month so stand by.



Bad Buoys and Nauti Gulls August 2016 Reporter - Gene Kadele

Sadly, we bid farewell to two dear friends who were charter BBNG members. Michele and Harry have returned to New Hampshire to be closer to family. Michele provided daily facebook updates and "selfies" from the back seat of their car as they made the trip back. Many thanks to Regina and Don who hosted a get together to say goodbye to them. A great time was had by all.

Hearty congratulations to Anne!! She completed the Tri Fort De Soto International and Sprint Series which is a half mile swim, 20 mile bike ride, and a 10 k run. Further, she took 1<sup>st</sup> place in her division. Congratulations as well to Jennifer who also completed the series taking 2<sup>nd</sup> place in her division.

Ten of our group enjoyed a sunset cruise on Angelo's birthday. Saw LOTS of dolphins and manatees. And speaking of dolphins, Regina, Don, Chuck, Jane, their son and daughter-in-law and four grandkids just returned from the Everglades where they all did an airboat ride seeing dolphins, raccoons and alligators. A highlight was having the grandchildren hold a baby 'gator. Of course everyone lunched on burgers and 'gator bites. (Does it really taste like chicken?)



**Iwisted Iurtles** September 2016 Reporter - Sharon Victor

Everyone has been busy back in Turtle Land AKA Cape Coral. This month's birthday bash was held at Farm to Fork in Fort Myers Beach. The water was clear, the food and company were great. August venue is being discussed.

Bocci ball is on hold for now until it's a little cooler outside.

Turtle women continue to enjoy the NRC ladies luncheon and the men enjoy the men's breakfast.

We look forward to everyone returning to the Cape from summer vacations so we can all reunite. Twisted Turtles turtle tracks out.



**The Happy Owls** October 2016 Reporter - Sue Ford

Another month under our belt and life is good in Paradise.

Many of our Owl friends are still away, dodging the heat, either traveling or spending time at their summer homes. Hopefully they're getting their fill of visiting family and friends because we want then back!

There is no doubt about it, it has been another hot, hot, hot summer. That's okay. Putting up with this steamy weather will be just a memory when winter rolls around and we are still in shorts, tees and flip-flops but our Northern friends are shoveling all that white stuff and we're not talking about the snow white sand we get to enjoy

Word is one of our Owl friends spent a bit of time in Key West. From the pictures we saw, he certainly enjoyed himself. And while the few Owls that didn't escape to the North continue to meet for bocce, bowling, trivia and game nights, we are all looking forward to our full flock returning!



**The Getgoes** November 2016 Reporters - Pamela Neubert, Sheila Nutter

No report this month.



Sunsetters

December 2016 Reporter - Judy Lofton

July started out with a lot of Family get together's on the 4th. Diane hosted a Salad Supper for the Mah Jong group and Nancy also had an afternoon get together with snacks and drinks. Everyone had a nice time.

Instead of a Pot Luck we got together at Rusty's Raw Bar for Drinks, Dinner and Dancing. Nancy, Terry & John enjoy playing Pickle Ball and Bob & Diane enjoyed the Sunset Boat Cruise with the NRC.

Nancy had a nice time at the Ladies Luncheon and Bryan & Judy had a nice Lobster Dinner and visit with Doris & Gary. Terry went on an Alaska Cruise. Nancy is enjoying a vacation with her Sister's at the Lake in Michigan and Sandi and Jim are visiting family in Michigan. Judy & Allen celebrated his Birthday at Bone Fish Grill. We are looking forward to more Fun in August.



Pelican Briefs January 2017 **Reporter - Cheryl Perine** 

Susan Oliver and Skip share a birthday on July 28. Edward Deles spent two weeks in Chicago visiting family in the heat. Tish and Tony Maceri were here closing on their lovely new house and then went back north.

Doug and Linda Millinger stopped by Sturgis, ND to visit fellow Pelican Briefs Dan and Wendy Smith!

Judy Morris is off to Amsterdam to visit family.

Traci Chepeus is helping out Cherie Perine by selling tickets for the dance at the monthly meeting. Cherie is going to visit 3 of her and Brad's children and then meeting Brad in PA to attend a family reunion.



Rock The Boat March/April 2017 Reporter - Scott Cruzen

As promised in last month's report, several more Rock-the-Boaters did try out the dancing lessons at Rhythm in Motion where we attempted to learn to tango. It was a lot of fun but a couple of us learned that we actually have Don't know THREE left feet. where that third foot has been hiding all these years, but it kept popping out at random unexpected times in the middle of the dance and nearly sending us to the floor in a heap. Maybe we'll have better luck in August with the East Coast Swing (yeah, right!)

A group of us got together for a house party to watch the Red, White, and Boom fireworks and, despite the early downpour, were able to see a pretty good show and enjoy a great dinner. A couple of Rock-the-Boat couples took a boat ride up to Cabbage Key for lunch, but got ejected because apparently the restaurant there is not fido friendly, so the captain, being a dog, elected to go elsewhere. We've also been filling in our time enjoying diverse activities such as cocktail parties, dinners, movies, and jewelry-making parties.



**Pancing Polphins** May/June 2017 Reporter - Corinne Rinaldi

Fun times for some of the Dolphins. The Ladies again had their own luncheon for this month as always had a good turn out lot's of laughs, drinks and some yummy food.

Smitty & Bruce had some extensive CPR training with C.E.R.T which was verv Informative for all of the participants.

We have Birthday months and this month Ms. Cori decided that she was having the birthday dinner party in her lovely home for 14 of us. Her brother Joe cooked chili which everyone said it was the best they had ever tasted, plus a delicious chicken pasta dish. Cori had many appetizers and two full bars to choose your drink of No one was lacking choice. something to drink it was fabulous!! For dessert we had a beautiful white cake with a cannoli filling . for the July birthdays. (Gary and GiGi)

What a really fun great time we all had at Cori's, thank you from all of us and for cooking, Joe.



Cape Corruptibles July/August 2017 Reporter - Ruth Locke

Sarah and Bill hosted the One of our monthly potluck.

members celebrated their one-year anniversary in the New Resident Club. Nora will be hosting the next potluck.



Seas the Days

September/October 2017 Reporter - Nancy Finnegan

Well we were able to get our clubs and golf balls but the weather did not hold up and the course was full of water. So we went to Uncle Angelos for dinner. We had a great time. My sister, Barb Byrnes is here from Baltimore and joined us with her friend Patricia Kelly Rome. Mary Jane and Bruce Bertel. Linda Hus Manes, Linda and Bob Marchione and Vicki Polster Bowe and Roger were here at the restaurant. Frank Ohl suggest the Eggplant Parmesan and it did not disappoint. Everyone enjoyed their dinners!



Galloping Geckos November 2017 Reporter - Bunny McGee

Welcome back home to Mary Juza and Terrell Ott from their month-long "sponge tour." Karen Peltola admirably kept the group' s activities running during Mary's absence. In lieu of a pot luck dinner at a member' s home, we met at Fathom's for dinner. Former NRC members Kelly and Kevin joined us for a very pleasant evening. We had a great luncheon at Nervous Nellie's on Fort Myers Beach and several members enjoyed the Dolphin/Sunset Cruise and the tour of the Wicked Dolphin distillery.

Members Mike and Cindy Wasilak will be returning to the Cape soon and will make it their vear-round home. We look forward to seeing them again and our other members who will be returning in the next few months.



Latitude Adjustment December 2017

Reporter - Dale Arvay

Our group had its potluck at the Arvay residence on 7/12/18. We are planning a dominoes night near month end. This may be future themed nights.

Dale and Robert Pruiett have been kayaking on recent Saturday mornings. The algae problem is forcing us to look at other fresh water canal locations.

Pickle ball is moving indoors this week. We have been meeting on Monday and Thursday mornings. Most of our members are gone for the summer or are traveling so our attendance has been minimal.



**Coastal Boomers** January 2018 Reporter - Barb DiFazio

No report this month.



**Mixed Nuts** February 2018 Reporter - JoAnn Craig

No report this month.



**Sandy Bottoms** March/April 2018 Reporter - Billie Jean Hubert

No report this month.



**Lost in Paradise** May 2018 Reporter - Susan Campbell

Greg and Sue are still trying to negotiate the dance floor to learn the rumba. The ladies lunch gathered five of our group to laugh and eat. Mary scored a raffle prize and Jean's sister won the 50/50! Had a small group to enjoy the potluck at Mary and Don's, but what a wonderful pork roast they served. Cheryl passed out our name badges and they really turned out great. Some of the board members came and we managed to sign up Don for 2VP, Sherri For Ladies Lunch and Sue for Activities. Nancy Harmon was especially persuasive and we couldn't resist!



**Singles Group** Reporter - Donna Milbee milbeed@ymail.com

Our group is a network of singles from all of the current NRC Groups as well as Graduates. Our primary purpose is to be an avenue for single men and women in the NRC to meet other singles with similar interests. At our monthly Singles' Social we gather with friends, greet new faces and make plans.

There were two dozen folks at Kathy McAdam's pot luck but she provided so much wonderful food we could have fed an army!! One dozen gathered at JC Park for one of their Thursday Jam Sessions. And speaking of food, 9 of our group ate and drank our way across Key West last week. Doggy dinners are still wellattended and scheduled the last Friday of every month at the Big Blue Brewery at 5:30.

We Singles also like to play dominos, euchre, pickleball, bocce, bowl and dance! Here are some upcoming activities this month: NRC Dance! Request Singles as your seating preference and join the fun! Several of us are taking dance lessons on Wednesdays at 7 pm at Four Freedoms Park. Everyone is welcome. Email me for more details. Other fun activities are in the works so watch the private Singles Facebook page = "NRC Single Mingle". The Facebook Group is a great source of activities to join throughout the month. If you would like to be invited into the Facebook group or have any questions regarding our activities please email milbeed@ymail.com or NRC@tomrobert.com



**The Golfers** Reporter - Bev Cramer bvcramer@yahoo.com

There is an NRC golf outing every Monday at 10:00am that is organized by Bev Cramer. This would be good for the beginners as well as those who only want to play nine holes. Her email address is <u>bvcramer@yahoo.com</u>



#### Scooter Group

Reporter - Dennis Appel appelden@yahoo.com

Come join us! We explore area neighborhoods, parks, and beaches, with breaks for food and refreshments. Join us for a slower-paced journey through SWFL on two wheels. Contact me at 734-476-8856, or email appelden@yahoo.com.



#### **CC Ryders**

Reporter - Tony Matusicky anthemauction@att.net

**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 <u>RickW@insds.com</u>.

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



**Pickleball Group** Reporters - Sue Jackson, Susan Corrigan <u>suejnml@yahoo.com</u> susancorrigan81@gmail.com

Our Pickleball group is "shrinking" due mainly to the snowbirds that have left town, but also due to the hot weather. We do still try to play when we can. Our best suggestion is to use the Pickleball email list (please contact me if you'd like me to put your name and contact information on it or if you need another copy) and use it to schedule individual games at times that suit those who want to play.



Kayak Group Reporter - Robert Pruiett rjpruiett.nrc@gmail.com

Dale Arvay and I went kayaking at Bimini Basin and near 4 Mile Cove over a couple of weekends. There was lots of algae. Not so much fun. I did check out Serenia Vista park this week and it seemed algae free.

Here are a couple of places to rent Kayaks that people in the group have used.

- C a r m e n's K a y a k s 239-333-7332. Carmen will drop it off and pick it up at the site. Carmen said that she drops them off at several places and even does guided tours.
- Gulf Coast Kayak on Pine Island Rd. They have done

some event for the NRC in the past.

An updated Kayak Group email list for August has been sent out. If you want to have your information added to the mailing list, contact Robert Pruiett at <u>ripruiett.nrc@gmail.com</u>. As always, I am just the keeper of the list. If you want to go out kayaking, use this list and invite people. We all love to kayak so just ask.



Book Club Reporter - Kathy Fannon fannonjk157@gmail.com

Almost everyone enjoyed reading "Caroline: Little House Revisited." There was plenty to talk about!

When we met, several said they were having trouble getting through the selection for next month: THINKING FAST AND SLOW by Daniel Kahneman

So our leader, Karen Solgard, came up with a capital idea each of us choose one chapter to read! Put the chapter you've chosen on our Facebook page. So whether you read the whole book, one chapter, or none of it, I hope you'll come to the meeting anyway. We're guessing the discussion will go well beyond the literal content of the book.

So hope to see you on August 10 at the 1221 Executive Bldg, 1221 SE 47th Street at 9 AM.



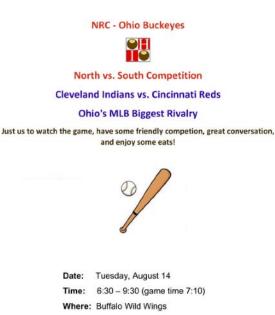
**Ohio Buckeyes** Reporter - Traci Chapeus, Linda Nusser, Susan Oliver <u>coolbuckeyes@gmail.com</u>

WHO ARE WE? A group of people who are living or have lived in the Buckeye state. We gather at different times of the year for social activities. Join us as you never know what old friend you will meet again! Go to <u>ccohiobuckeyes@gmail.com</u> to join. For more info contact Linda at <u>rcnlen@yahoo.com</u>.

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# **NRC Members Enjoying Paradise**



### Welcoming Newcomers for 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 new-comers the opportunity to exchange ideas and form friendships. The tradition continues today in this, our 51st year.

Membership is open to anyone who has resided in Cape Coral for three years or less. If you've been here longer than that, you can still join the NRC, since each year there is an opportunity for "open enrollment" for all residents, regard-less of length of residency. The three-year membership fee is \$45 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 and participates in events held by the NRC as a whole.

After three years of NRC membership, you will "matriculate" with your group to become a graduate member. You are still in the NRC and, as graduates, strongly encouraged to continue to attend all NRC meetings, activities, and events, as well as continuing your group activities with other Club members.

#### The NRC holds a general meeting at 9:15am 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:

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 to our new members for July 2018!