



NEW RESIDENT CLUB OF CAPE CORAL

www.capecoralnewresident.com

NRC

"BLACK & WHITE"
DINNER DANCE

SATURDAY,

March 28, 2015, 5:30 to 10:00pm

Deadline to sign-up is 12 noon

March 23, 2015

Entertainment by:

Larry D & the BOYZ

Catered by: Bubba's

Sign up and pay at the General Meeting
or by credit card on our website.

capecoralnewresident.com

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,
milbeed@ymail.com

Beer, wine, and soda will be served
while it lasts.....so feel free to BYOB

\$25 for members/\$30 for guest



BUFFET MENU

CHOICE OF:

Beef Brisket

Shrimp Scampi over Linguini

Duchess Potatoes

Vegetable Medley

DESSERTS:

Red Velvet Cake

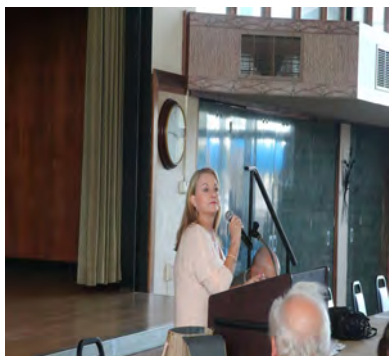
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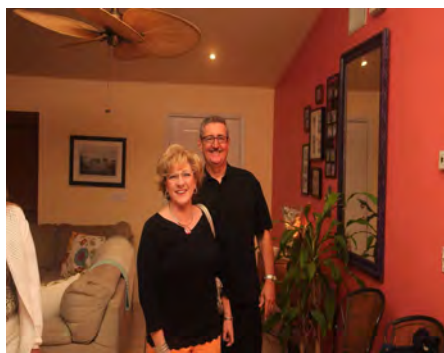
New Resident Club of Cape Coral

Activities in Pictures

FEBRUARY GENERAL MEETING



NEW MEMBERS SOCIAL



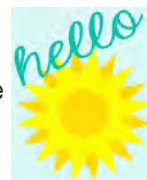
FEBRUARY DANCE





NRC UPCOMING EVENTS


- Tuesday, Mar 3:** 9:00am: **Monthly Membership Meeting** at the Cape Coral Yacht Club.
- Wednesday, Mar 4:** 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.
- Monday, Mar 9:** 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, Mar 10:** 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, Mar 11:** 7:00pm: **Dixie Roadhouse** 1023 SE 47th Terrace; 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7pm; Ladies Drink FREE till Midnight. (see page 13 for details)
- Thursday, Mar 12:** 3pm: **Wicked Dolphin Distillery Tour**, 131 SW 3rd Pl, Cape Coral. (See page 7)
- Wednesday, Mar 18:** 6:00pm **Game Night at Nemos** at Bowland, 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, Mar 19:** 12pm: **Ladies Luncheon, "Woody's Island Grille"** (See details on page 11) Please RSVP by March 13—Jeanne Geribo, 617.642.5894, jgeribo@yahoo.com
- Thursday, Mar 25:** 5:00pm: **Cocktails on the Cape** at Anthony's on the Blvd. (See page 7)
- Saturday, Mar 28:** 5:30pm: **BLACK AND WHITE** NRC Dance at Yacht club (see page 1)



Reminder: Please sign up for events as early as possible so the chairperson can plan accordingly. Finding a space for this huge, fun-filled club is not an easy task and we don't want anyone left out. **Important:** If you sign up for an event but cannot attend, please cancel with the appropriate chairperson, as restaurants and venues plan their staffing according to the number of guests attending.



New Resident Club MARCH 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 9 am, NRC General Meeting Yacht Club	4 Bocce Ball 3-5 pm 4pm Sunset Celebration	5 Bowling 9:45am Bowland	6	7
8	9 New Member Social, 7-9pm	10 9:00 am Men's Breakfast	11 Bocce Ball 3-5 pm 7pm, Dixie Roadhouse	12 Bowling 9:45am Bowland Wicked Dolphin Distillery tour 3pm	13	14
15	16	17 	18 Bocce Ball 3-5 pm Game Night 6pm	19 Bowling 9:45am Ladies Luncheon 12pm	20	21
22	23	24	25 Bocce Ball 3-5 pm Cocktail on the Cape 5pm	26 Bowling 9:45am Bowland	27	28 Dinner Dance, 5:30pm Yacht Club
29	30	31				



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NRC NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

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 eye-glasses 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.

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 March 9, 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
March 6, Diana Fleming
diana4340@verizon.net
856.364.0736



MARCH NRC DINNER DANCE

BLACK AND WHITE DINNER DANCE

March 28, 2015 @5:30pm
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)

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 enrollment 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 pagedf53@gmail.com or 203.913.9422

BOCCE BALL

SCHEDULE (3-5pm)



(see pg 13)

Wed Mar 04
Wed Mar 11
Wed Mar 18
Wed Mar 25

SAVE THE DATE APRIL 18, 2015

Cape Coral
Annual Card-
board Boat Re-
gatta





NRC NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



WICKED DOLPHIN DISTILLERY TOUR

MARCH 12, 2015 @ 3PM
131 SW 3RD PLACE, CAPE CORAL

Free samples....early dinner and libations afterwards at Bubba's Road House. **Only 28 spaces available!** Must reserve at general meeting with Chris Weeks or email at capeactivities@gmail.com. Emails preferred. Include your email address, all names on reservation and a contact phone number. Thank you.



Pay for all your events in the comfort of your own home.

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

COCKTAILS ON THE CAPE

March 25, 2015

5pm



ANTHONY'S ON THE BLVD.

1303 Del Prado Blvd, Cape Coral

Appetizer's will be provided at \$5 per person, pay at the door. Drink specials \$1 drafts, \$3 Wells and Wines.

Please make reservations no later than **March 18th.**
Call or email Chris Weeks at capeactivities@gmail.com or call 239.339.7015



Men's Breakfast

Why should the women be the only ones to have fun?

MARCH 10

The men's breakfast is held monthly,
every 2nd Tuesday, 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



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

A Touch of Class Grooming
1207 Cape Coral Pkwy
239.549.2211

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 Harbour Drive
239.728.8687

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

Bowland
42 Mid Cape Terrace
239.772.1661

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

Buon Appetito Café
2384 Surfside Blvd. Unit 113-A
239.558.5711

Cape Barber Shop
Capri Center, 4711 Coronado
239.257.2082

**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

Downtowner Car Wash
1009 Del Prado Blvd. S.
239.772.2277

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 Barbara Blvd
239.242.6602

Fletchers
627 Cape Coral Parkway
239.542.7878

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

Hair Gallery Salon & Day Spa
3006 Del Prado Blvd. S.
239.549.3120



THANK YOU TO OUR SUPPORTERS

Hair to be Different

1110 Del Prado S.
239.242.1110

Head Pinz Bowling Alley

1889 Del Prado Blvd. S
239.574.3611

Health and Strength Gym

1722 Del Prado
239.772.7111

House of Omelets

900 SW Pine Island Rd
239.458.7545

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

Misto Bar & Grill

231 Del Prado Blvd., S
239.673.9799

Moira O'Regan

Photography
239.257.3370

The Café

2301 Del Prado Blvd
239.574.7554

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

Tarpon Lodge

13771 Waterfront Dr
239.283.2456

The Cape Hair Care

2924 Del Prado Blvd
239.542.2777



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The Mane Event
1502 NW 17th Street
239.242.1066

Thirsty's
4835 Vincennes St
239.549.6661

Wicked Dolphin Rum
131 SW 3rd PL
239.242.5244

The Paint Escape
808 SE 47th St
239.945.2006

Venture Out Charters
5828 Cape Harbour Dr
239.945.2031

Woody's Surfside Island Grille
2408 Surfside Blvd.
239.282.9166

The Painted Conch Art Studio
1242 SW Pine Island Rd. #17
239.673.6660

Vogue Hair Studio
1219 Cape Coral Pkwy E.
239.945-6717

Yuppy Puppy
405 Del Prado Blvd. N.
239.673.8277

Tire Kingdom
4503 Del Prado Blvd. S.
239.945.0031

Wellness Center of Lee Memorial
609 SE 13th CT
239.573.4800

Zak's Jeweler
1314 Cape Coral Pkwy
239.542.7766

LAST MONTH THE FLAMINGOS GONE WILD GRADUATED

Sorry to say, their news report got lost in space last month, so below is their report for February.

Flamingos Gone Wild
Reporter: Karen Corlett



As we graduate from the NRC, as we did from grade school, high school, and college we are grateful for the experiences and relationships we came away with. We are lucky to have such an organization to be part of. Spread the word!!!! We hope all who have joined, find the experience as rewarding as "Flamingos Gone Wild". We have dwindled in number, but friendships remained strong, we even dubbed ourselves "Renegade Flamingos" fitting name for the remainder of the group. December was a whirl wind of parties(see pic) and friendships shared. We are preparing for our final "official event" (but never the last) which will be hosted by Barbara Sacher and Debbi Daily. We thank all who have shared their homes for these events, and are sure tradition will continue.





WOODY'S ISLAND GRILL

2408 Surfside Blvd
Cape Coral

Thursday, March 19, 2015
noon



Sign at meeting or **RSVP** by **March 13**, with menu choice to Jeanne Geribo,
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.

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 beartintheair01@gmail.com

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

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.

AREA CLUBS

CAPE ACTIVITIES

EVERY



WEDNESDAY

No skill required; Just show up for some fun!
Veteran's Park, 4140 Coronado Pkwy. For more
into contact: Robin, fabartz@yahoo.com
or 239.541.7201 or page 6 for details



BOWLING! at BOWLAND

Every Thursday mornings at
9:45am, No signup required.
42 Mid Cape Terrace
No skill required. Optional breakfast option available.



INTERESTED IN A
MAHJONG GROUP
CALL: Nancy Sampley
239.800.3208

MEALS ON WHEELS



Gulfshore Singles meets at 7pm every 1st and 3rd
Monday of the month at Ft. Myers Christian Church,
5916 Winkler Rd, Ft. Myers. 180 members, lots of
events & dances in Cape Coral.

<http://www.gulfshoresingleswfla.com/index.html>

Contact: Bob Spearman at 989.1420

SINGLE FRIENDS

Meet 2nd Thursday of the month. Weekly activities.
Contact: Pat Gruss, 574.1922 or Eileen Smith,
574.5386



NRC ACTIVITIES IDEAS

Send ideas on what you would like to attend
socially, or if you would like to start a group.
Contact: Chris Weeks, 239.339.7015,
capeactivities@gmail.com

Dixie Roadhouse Night

Learn some line dancing or
just watch and wonder!

Wed. March 11 @ 7pm

Dixie Roadhouse

1023 SE 47th Terrace.

Ladies Drink FREE 'til Midnight.

Line Dance lesson at 7:30 & 8:30pm

We meet in the far corner opposite the entry way

(Sign up at the General Meeting)

Contact: Chris Weeks, 239.339.7015,
capeactivities@gmail.com



CHESS CLUB: Meets Tuesdays, 5:30 - 8:00 PM.
Contact: Rob Cheyne, 239-443-8947



Please clip the coupon below and use it when
you patronize a business located in Cape Coral.

Your business has just been
patronized by a member of the:

NEW RESIDENT CLUB of Cape Coral

Please give this card to your Manager or
owner to find out how you can generate more
business from our 800+ active members!

Call Joyce Woodruff, 954.397.4667,

NRC Group News



June/July 2013:

Knotty Nauticals

Reporter: Evelyn Ferguson

Those Knotty Nauticals are such wonderful people! When it was time for our good friend Chuck to move to his new condo, several Knottys stepped up to the plate. Kudo's to the Corey's, Louis Schonek and Elaine Carmack for their help at both ends of the move. Kudo's also to Joyce and Phil Girard and Diana and Steve Fleming for their help with AM Continental Breakfast preparations for the meeting.

Knottys about town this month included: eight at Leone's for Friday night pizza, three exploring copper wire and beach glass at Inspirations Studio in Punta Gorda, six exploring the Fort Myers Art Fest and finally a record fifteen at Knotty Night Out at Cactus Jack in North Fort Myers.

Cocktails on the Cape was held at one of our favorite restaurants, Miceli's. Eleven Knottys sat outside in the chilly air and then warmed up inside at the home of the Ehret's. Seven Knottys are seen regularly at Nemo's on Thursday for bowling. Some of the seven are steadily improving, despite the fact that it has probably been forty years since they bowled last. Several of us - oh well, it's still fun!

Out of town Knotty this month was Diana Fleming. She enjoyed a week of one-on-one with her grandson Dillon.

A HUGH thanks to Tundi for her "above and beyond" efforts. We had a fabulous Valentine Pot Luck at her home. We even went through Valentine photo mementos.

Happy Birthday to Danny Woodruff. February 5th was his special day.



August/Sept. 2013: SURFSIDE SOCIALITES

Reporter: Cheryl Rhine

It was a clear starry evening in late January as many of us gathered at Bubba's Roadhouse for our monthly dinner. It was a real rugged experience as we shared food and friendship. It was fitting that the staff sat us at a really long table on the patio where we could be separated from the busyness inside. Our server was on top of her game doing an outstanding job caring for our dining needs. Thanks to Sheri and Tom Webber for arranging this event...I think the men were hankering for a "meaty" meal and the smell of crushed peanut shells.

The Surfside Socialites celebrated the romance of Valentine's Day as many made special plans for the celebration. There were just so many wonderful dining options available, my wishes that everyone, couples and singles alike, had something extraordinary on their agenda. Many of us started early to avoid the rush. We'll have to compare notes at our next event, to find who had the best "sweetheart" experience.

What could we do to follow-up chocolate and roses then to share a lovely Sunday Brunch with Judi and Rusty Shunk on February 22nd. Details of our early afternoon affair will be reported in the next newsletter.



NRC Group News



October 2013:
Partying Pirates
Reporter: Fran Orphal

The Partying Pirates had another fun month. The Pirates started off with Cocktails and dinner at the Hurricane Grill and Wings. Valentine day had breakfast at Paradise Deli, then on to the Pine Island 43rd Annual Art Show. To celebrate Valentine day, Fran Orphal attended a Downton Abbey High Tea at the Wisteria Tea Room with a friend. The Pirate monthly pot luck was held at the home of Faye and Mike Smith. On the 23rd Pirates enjoyed Margaritas and Dinner at Iguana Mia for a fun evening. The 26th the Partying Pirate ladies had a luncheon at the Starlight Diner, and the evening of the 26th Game night was great fun at the home of Sherie and Dave West. Pirate trivia: A Small Pirate Ship is Called a Thug-boat. Some pirates were thugs, some were aristocrats, some were ladies, and some were all three!



November 2013:
Tropical Transplants
Reporter: Wendy O'Brien

Happy Groundhog's/Valentine's/Lincoln, Washington's Birthday Days! The Tropical Transplants have all blown back into town by now and we are enjoying each other's company. On January 25th, Rick and April Cannon hosted an Italian themed potluck at their beautiful waterfront home. It was magnifico and very well attended. Thank you to the Cannons for a lovely setting and a fun time. On the 27th some of our group went to the Naples Botanical Gardens and enjoyed a lovely afternoon exploring the pretty plantings amid the various gardens. On Super Bowl Sunday one of our own, Janet Anderson, taught a card making class at Inspiration Studio in Punta Gorda. She did an awesome job and everyone went home with some cards that they had made ~ and hopefully will be sent to special friends and family. (Continued)

On February 10th some of the Transplants walked the Calusa Heritage Trail in Punta Gorda ~ good exercise and a little bit of history. On February 21st Cheryl Bullerman invited ALL of the Transplants to a birthday party for her husband Don! What a great celebration for a super man! Some of our group continues to golf weekly at a few of the local courses ~ another fun (and frustrating) activity). March will be upon us soon and we look forward to longer days of sunshine and more beautiful sunsets to enjoy together.



December 2013:
Suns of Beaches
Reporter: Linda Halliburton

Ron & Ruth recently went on a four day boat trip with several boats. The last night they anchored at Cayo Costa which Ruth said was so nice. Pierre & Andree tried the kayak experience. They really take advantage of life outside.

Sunset Celebration was down to five of us. It did look like rain and the temp was way down to about 60! We are sure spoiled here in SWF and we all love that. Our last Pot Luck was with Pierre & Andree and their son Jim. The Chinese food was excellent and a nice change. Estell, her husband & a friend joined us from Canada. It was good to see them after a year up north.

Ray & Nancy have such a good time working with Pat Wood on the cardboard boat. We need to put that race on our schedule and give them some support.

A few folks from the Tropical Transplants went on a hiking trip to the Calusa Heritage Trail on Pine Island. The history is interesting. The NRC had a wine tasting at Cape Harbor. Great way to meet more new people and learn about wines.

Dave & Lana have had several guests visit so we haven't been able to enjoy them much. Don't intend to be selfish but they will head back to Nebraska soon. I think we could talk Dave into staying but Lana misses her grandchildren. See you at Cocktails on the Cape, Ladies Luncheon, Dance, etc.

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JANUARY 2014 PIRATES IN PARADISE Reporter: Chris Weeks

The Paradise Pirates had a small get-together at the Wicked Dolphin Distillery and then had a nice lunch at Woody's. Only eight of us, but we are keeping the ball rolling. Was great seeing some of our snow birds back in town! Looking forward to another get-together in March!



MARCH/APRIL 2014 PARADISE FOUND Reporter: Page Flournoy

Our table at the January Ladies Lunch included Ginny, Patty, Sherry, Lois and Page. It was exciting to see Patty, Lois and Ginny (two times over!) win prizes! Shirley Hartlauer also attended. Page and Bruce have enjoyed bocce ball, boat building and trivia. We are sometime joined by Tom & Sherry. The Denim and Diamonds dance was lots of fun! We had quite a few Paradise Found friends attending: including Jim and Linda, Shirley and Wally, her brother and sister-in-law, Patti and Wally, Fred, Bonnie and Craig, and Page and Bruce. Bonnie took home the 50/50!!

The next night we enjoyed an "International Dairy Free" Pot Luck at Cathy Harper's lovely home! Fred, Page and Bruce, Lynn, Ione and Chuck, Margaret, Linda and Jim, Michelle, Bonnie and Craig, Tom and Sherry, Marci, and Shirley and Wally attended. Thank you Cathy for a fun evening! You showed us that there are many wonderful food choices without cheese!

Nita returned from 2 weeks in Connecticut the day Page and Bruce left for South America.

A Happy Ground Hog's Day, Valentine's Day, and President's Day to all...minus the snow!



MAY/JUNE 2014 WAVE RUNNERS Reporter: Linda Glass

The amazing group called the WAVERUNNERS continues to be a fun loving group. Pot lucks still going strong. We have enjoyed the wicked dolphin tour, the eco reserve, kayaking, manatee park, bocce ball, and the dinner dances. Thanks to Joyce and Phil the themes and decorations have been fantastic. I'm sure we are all making lifetime friends. So come on along people and get with your groups and have the time of your life!

Paradise Pelicans



July/Aug 2014: Paradise Pelicans Reporter: Virena McElheney

There's no stopping the Paradise Pelican even after the holiday season is long gone. As most of us are big football fans, with various teams represented, Super Bowl was very spirited and exciting. Ten of us went to Verleen and Bob's home to watch the big game and eat and drink the night away. Having both teams well represented, it was a good night for everyone. At other times during the month many Pelicans have been spotted in various restaurants throughout the Cape. Twenty of us celebrated Kevin's birthday at Miceli's in Matlache. Many others love to go to Fletcher's for the Jimmy Buffet, Beatles, and Cher tribute performances. The monthly Ladies Luncheon are always well attended and some of the ladies, Sharon, seem to always win on the raffles...others, not so much. At least the fun, food and friendships are always gifts to us all. Our January Potluck was amazing at Alger and Colleen's beautiful home. Most of us learned that Alger is quite the bartender with his new invention of "Love Potion #9".

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Even with this new addition to our libations, I don't think it will overtake our very favorite, Fireballs!

Yes, its official, our favorite potluck drink is Fireballs. At our February potluck in Denise and Larry's fabulous home, we all enjoyed lots of Valentine's goodies, celebrated Bob and Peter's birthdays, and played "sexiest legs contest" with Peter being the winner. Strut those legs Peter!



SEPT 2014
CAPE CORAL ESCAPES
Reporter: Pati Smith

This February everyone is glad to have *Escaped to the Cape!* We feel sorry for our friends and family who have to live in the cold and snow, but...they can move here too! Now maybe they will.

Time to go boating and to enjoy Florida's sunshine! Theresa Beringer & John MacLean and Karen & Jim Rozum are going on full day boat trip out in the Gulf of Mexico. Wish we all could go. Maybe it is time to buy a boat. Lynn Kaden, Karen Rozum and Diane Kenney are going to the NRC's Ladies Luncheon at Carrabbas. We hope to see more of the Cape Escapes there. You'll be able to find us also at Pappy Mellon's Roadshow at the Cape Harbor Clubhouse on February 23rd. Then on February 24th, we are having our Pot Luck at Fletcher's. Wonder what I will bring... hmm! Nothing! It'll be nice not to cook! Dolores Walters and Carl Limmer are our hosts.

Then the rest of the month is going to the dogs. We are starting a group to meet at Cape Coral's dog park at Rotary Park. Our pups are going to have their own New Resident's Club. We can visit and walk while the dogs have a meet and greet (or is that sniff and smell?). Maybe we will take them out to lunch. There are a lot of dog friendly restaurants you can go to. We are following this up with the Humane Society of Cape Coral's HAPPY HOUR at Cape Harbor. This is held from 6-8 pm on the last Saturday of each month. The owners and pups will have drinks and dinner at Fathom's after perusing the booths.

Hope the dogs don't order any cocktails! Marianne & Bob Cyr are meeting Diane & Herb Kenney and Shadow there.

We also are trying to be more organized or to share the responsibility by having an Activity Committee. We started brainstorming for fun activities at our CE's luncheon last month. Got a lot of fun ideas! We will do it at each of our luncheons. So far our committee (not just luncheon guests) consists of Leonard Brown, Lynn Kaden, Diane Kenney and Nettie & John Warner. Our January birthday celebrants are Karen Rozum (1/8), Bob Cyr (1/9), Gene Smith (1/21) and Jim Rozum (1/24). Celebrating in February was Elena Patke (2/8). Upcoming birthdays in March are Terri Dordon (3/8) and John Warner (3/24). Some of our group have not admitted their birthdays. Can't send wishes without knowing. Happy Birthday to ALL!



October 2014
LAUGHING GULLS
Reporter: Vickie Sullivan

What a great time the Gulls are having. We had eight Gulls that attended the Denim & Diamonds Dinner Dance at the end of January. Everyone looked so good in their denim. Mike, LuAnne, Sandy, Peter, Mike, Barb, Pam, Gordon, Jill, John, Sully and Vickie got together on January 31, for dinner at Senor Tequilas, a big thanks to Pam for setting it up. The Gulls kicked off February with 25 attending the February 2 general meeting. Lori, Bob, Sandy, Peter, Pam, Gordon, Vickie and Sully got together at the German-American Club for Gartenfest. The music was fun and Gordon had a good time dancing. On Valentine's Day approximately 30 Gulls got together for dinner at the Asian Buffet, lots of lobster was on the menu. Thanks to Mike and Barb for recommending the buffet and Pam for making the reservations. Our February potluck was co-hosted by Sandy and Peter and Ed and Nancy. (Continued on next page)



New Resident Club of Cape Coral

What a fun afternoon we had, starting at Sandy and Peter's house for appetizers then everyone car pooled to Burnt Store Marina where we boarded the Calusa Queen for a sunset cruise, the sunset was beautiful. Afterwards we all returned to Sandy and Peter's for dessert. Thanks Sandy for making the reservations for the cruise and having us all at your home. From Bocce Ball, boat building, attending the Ft Myers Art Fest and many other activities, our Gulls are living large and enjoying every minute here in the sunshine state. Looking forward to seeing Gulls at the Ladies Luncheon, Cocktails on the Cape and the NRC Dinner Dance. Party On!!!



NOV/DEC 2014 BEACH BRATZ

Reporter: Babz Maxwell

WoW! How did we get to March already?? Well February is a short month. Especially for us down here in Paradise. But considering the weather, I imagine our northern friends and family would BEG to differ! What did we do with ourselves in February? We now have our very own Beach Bratz Face Book site, where we can keep up with the comings and goings of our group. IF you do FB and have NOT been contacted by me about the page, it's because we don't have your e-mail right. Contact me (Babz) as I am the gateway to all things fun and Face Book! And FAB U LOUS!

Several of the Bratz have had to return to the frigid north for various reasons, but the Avellinos had the adventure of too much snow on the roof, which created a whole new scenic waterfall inside the house. The photos just looked like SOOO much fun! NOT! They are hoping they have the problem taken care of. Oh, the joys of winter. A nice group of us showed up for the monthly breakfast, where we visited, and discussed shirts/lanyards. We had some prototypes, and several of our gals are working on more. We were joined by our mascot, Bubba, who enjoyed himself and milled about greeting some new faces.

We were joined by our mascot, Bubba, who enjoyed himself and milled about greeting some new faces. Bubba was also spotted at the Hair Gallery on Del Prado, getting a manicure and tentacle trim, as well as a much needed barnacle peel. Some of us went to Sunset on the Beach, and Jay and Leslie Schmitt had a great time at Dixie Roadhouse. They would love to see more of us there. . Gail Blaesing and Corrine Larsen stepped up to the plate and opened their condo to all of us for our February potluck, which was lovely, and a great time for all. Thanks much! Frank and Connie Catanese take this month's prize for hospitality, opening their home to a Superbowl and Daytona 500 party, AND a book club! Way to go, you two! And the Mowry's will soon be in their new home! Let's approach March roaring like a lion, and see what kind of wonderful mischief we can get ourselves into! Whatever it is, it will be FAB U LOUS! Go Bratz!!



JANUARY 2015 CORKSCREWERS

Reporter: Leslie Vaughan

The Corkscrewers are delighted to be part of the NRC, and have hit the ground running! It's easy to see why The Cape is the #2 spot in the US to retire! We have a wonderfully interesting group that hails from far and wide. We enjoyed a fun evening at Cocktails on the Cape last month at Miceli's. The live music was great, as was the food and drink! Quite a few of us attended the Denim and Diamonds Dinner Dance. Man. We can really bust a move up in here!!! You just have to witness our dance moves to believe it! If you've never been to one of the dances - you're missing out on lots of fun! Truth? No one is going to give Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers a run for their money, but what we lack in dancing prowess, we make up for in enthusiasm. Several of us met at the Yacht Club Beach for the Sunset Celebration. As it got dark, we all sat around listening to the live 50's and 60's music performed by Kim Jenkins. This weekend we had our first pot luck dinner at Aimee and Mitch Wallick's lovely home. One thing is certain. No group in this club has better cooks than we do!



NRC MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



MARCH 2015

Kathy O'Boyle

President, Board 95

Dear Friends:

Welcome to the New Residents Club of Cape Coral! This Club was started nearly 50 years ago by Helen Peck. The purpose then was the same as now - to help new residents connect and make new friends through monthly meetings, dinner dances, luncheons, pot lucks and other activities like bowling, golf, bocce ball and game night. The genius and commitment of our founding members, early members and members today make the NRC the most successful club in SWFL.

The club is structured to give newcomers a chance to meet people who just like themselves, left family and friends behind to create a new life in the Paradise we call Cape Coral. All of us struggled with discovering the basics when we moved here. Where is a good grocery store, doctor, hair salon, lawn and pool service, etc? But with the Club and our new friends, we cut the size of these tasks down to a manageable bump instead of a seemingly insurmountable mountain.

This is your club. It belongs to the New Residents. So don't stand on the side lines! Get involved! Jump in with both feet! Go to as many activities as you possibly can. Unpacking, cleaning and painting can wait. Find your new friends in your new group and in the activities you enjoy. If there is an activity you don't see on our calendar, we will be happy to help you start a group to fit your needs. You will meet people from all over the United States and other parts of the World. But perhaps more than anything, you will find so much more in common with people than you ever believed possible.

Thank you for joining YOUR club. We all look forward to meeting you and becoming friends!

Kathy

Kathy O'Boyle
President - Board 95



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