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Year round and part time visitors are welcome. No residency or term restrictions. Anyone can join at any time. If interested in membership, you are invited to attend one of our monthly meetings every fourth Thursday of the month at the German American Social Club at 9:30 am, or contact Nancy Montange, at 734-368-6499 / membershipCCSC@gmail.com or check out our website: capecoralsocialclub.org for details and more information.

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*Meetings are held every fourth Thursday of the month (except **November & December** when we will meet on the third Thursday of the month) at the German American Social Club on Pine Island Rd. Doors open at 9:15 am for coffee and pastries, opportunity to socialize and to sign up for the dance and activities. The meeting starts at 10:00 am Nonmembers are always welcome to attend our meetings so please feel free to invite relatives, friends, and neighbors.*

Thursday, July 23rd – 9:30 am – The speaker for July is Tracey Thornton with Lee Health Trauma Center – who will be discussing how to avoid falls.

Thursday, August 27th – 9:30 am – The speaker for August is Chris Jenner and Paula Fernando from the Lee County Genealogy Center.

The Club does not buy pastries, donuts, cookies, etc. for the monthly meetings. Instead, we depend on donations from our generous members. Your food

donations are appreciated and quickly consumed by members.



Monthly Dinner Dances

We host dinner dances every first Saturday of the month (with exceptions for July & September) at the German American Social Club on Pine Island Rd., Cape Coral.

Please do not take home the dinner dance table decorations. There will be occasions when we will announce that the table decorations may be taken home. If not sure, just ask one of the board members. Thank you.

Dinner Service Start Time

Reminder.... The caterers will begin serving dinner salads at 5:30 pm. This will allow the musicians to begin playing dance music 30 minutes earlier.

Saturday, August 1st – 5:00 pm – music will be provided by Jay Smith. Our theme will be “Hot, Hot, Hot.” See page 12.

Saturday, September 12th – 5:00 pm – music will be provided by “A Moment in Time”. Our theme will be “50’s Sock Hop”.

*****Note:** *The September dance will be the **SECOND** Saturday in September.*

The 2026 dance schedule is available on our website, or you can pick up a printed schedule at a meeting or a dance.

Activities

Note: Please take note to whom you RSVP for each activity as various members of the Activities Committee are collecting RSVPs.

Friday, July 24th - Broadway Palm, Murder on Broadway – 5PM – 1380 Colonial Blvd, Fort



Myers. \$76 pp MUST PAY IN ADVANCE by June 25th. It's

opening night of a brand-new musical, and one perfect performance could make everyone stars. With fame, love, and money on the line, what could possibly go wrong? Plenty—when mysterious deaths turn a Broadway debut into a hilarious murder mystery. Join us for an evening of intrigue, delicious dining, and nonstop laughter! ****Sign up and pay by June 25th**** with Cathy Fano call/text 239-691-1507 or email cathycapesocialclub@aol.com.



Tuesday July 28th - House of Omelets - 9:30 AM – 900 Pine Island Rd, Cape Coral - Breakfast at the House of

Omelets. They answer everyone's favorite question. "What's for breakfast or lunch?" House of Omelets believes in fresh food, and that anytime is breakfast time! ****Sign up by July 21st **** with Cathy Fano at cathycapesocialclub@aol.com or call/text 239-691-1507

Wednesday, August 5th – Phuzzy's Boat Shack – 5 PM – 3051 Stringfellow Rd, St James City. Where laid-back dining meets waterfront views. Enjoy fresh seafood, vibrant cocktails, and lively ambiance with live music—all perfect for casual lunches or sunset dinners. ****Sign up by July 29th**** with Colleen Hinz at cc252.hinz@yahoo.com or call/text 810-664-6590.



Friday, August 7th - Mind Cap – 10 AM - 4751 Justinwood Rd, Fort Myers. Explore the

family-owned mushroom farm in Fort Myers. They offer a diverse selection of organic, fresh, freeze-dried, and medicinal mushrooms sourced from local Florida mushroom farms, including Fort Myers Mushrooms. And then join us for lunch at Buckingham Farms where fresh flavors, rustic charm & memorable moments come together. More than just a farm, they are a farm-to-table restaurant, a local market & a one-of-a-kind event venue. ****Sign up by July 31st **** with Karen Karkoska at kkark24@att.net or call/text 630-309-9442.



Tuesday, August 11th – The Gallery Independent Living Tour – 11 AM – 2307 Chiquita Blvd S, Cape Coral. A Place Where You Belong. Independent Living – Assisted Living – Memory Care. They create environments that cultivate curiosity and connections. Their focus is to enhance the residents' well-being and way of life. It is

focused on holistic wellness, with pools, fitness classes, and more, to support a vibrant lifestyle. You'll discover an appreciation for the arts, with interesting, individualized and group programs. Their highly trained team is there to support you, prioritizing your well-being and happiness. ****Sign up by August 4th**** with Cathy Fano, at cathycapesocialclub@aol.com or call/text 239-691-1507.

Thursday, August 20th - High Tide Social House – 11:30 AM – 6095 Silver King Blvd, Cape Coral. Limited to the first 25 to sign up.



Beautiful restaurant with gorgeous Tarpon Point Marina views. The food has received compliments for its diverse fresh dishes, from savory seafood to delightful pizza. ****Sign up by August 13th**** with Karen Karkoska at kkark24@att.net or call/text 630-309-9442.



Tuesday, August 25th – Military Heritage Museum – 10 AM – 900 W. Marion Ave, Punta Gorda. \$14 pp PAY IN ADVANCE – The Military Heritage Museum is more than a museum. It is a living tribute to those who have served and a place where history, education, and community come together in meaningful ways. Let us know if you are interested in doing the flight simulator. Time slots will be assigned. ****Sign up and PAY IN ADVANCE by August 18th**** with Nancy Montagne at ron.ccsc@gmail.com or call/text 734-368-6499.



Tuesday September 15th - Lee Health Cooking Class – 11 AM – \$15 pp PAY in ADVANCE - 23450 Via Coconut Point, Estero – Hands on cooking class workshop with a Lee Health Dietician at the Healthy Life Center at Coconut Point Mall. Limited to the first 10 that sign up and pay. ****Sign up and PAY IN ADVANCE by September 4th**** with Nancy Montagne at ron.ccsc@gmail.com or call/text 734-368-6499.

Thursday September 17th – Oak & Stone – Lunch 11:30 AM – 4720 SE 9th PL, Cape Coral. Come try one of the new restaurants with us in downtown Cape Coral. We have heard great reviews. Handcrafted food. A fully loaded Tap Wall. And a vibe that'll make you feel right at home. Your favorite place to make pour decisions. ****Sign up by September 10th**** with Nancy Montagne at ron.ccsc@gmail.com or call/text 734-368-6499.



Wednesday September 23rd – Cape Coral Technical College – 10:15 AM – 360 Santa Barbara Blvd N, Cape Coral. Join us for a tour of program classes, e.g., barbering, cosmetology, medical assisting, nursing assistance for long-term care, digital design, HVAC/R, electrical, veterinary assisting, culinary arts, hospitality, and many more. The tour will be followed by lunch, prepared by Culinary Arts students (\$5 - \$10 donation) The tour will take about 2 hours. It will include a lot of walking and stairs. Elevators will be available. The mission



of Cape Coral Technical College is to prepare students for employment by providing quality, technology-oriented education delivered by a professional, caring staff in a positive learning environment. ****Sign up by September 16th**** with Gloria Mazzagatti at glorz8719@gmail.com or call/text 610-585-8719.



Tuesday September 29th – El Tarasco Mexican Restaurant – 5 PM - 728 SW Pine Island Rd, Cape Coral. Family-owned restaurant. Time-honored, family traditional recipes. El Tarasco will satisfy your appetite in a casual dining environment. Smoke free with a patient, friendly, & helpful staff. ****Sign up by September 22nd **** with Colleen Hinz at cc252.hinz@yahoo.com or call/text 810-664-6590.

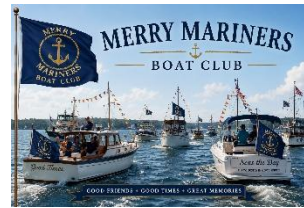
October 15 - Backyard Social – 3 pm - 16371



Corporate Commerce Way, Ft Myers. Brewery Tour & Bar Games - Bowling, Cornhole, darts. Not just a meal, it's a culinary adventure, a communal celebration of diverse flavors that bring people together. Come hungry, leave happy. 6 unique food truck options. ****Sign up by October 8th **** with Nancy Montagne at ron.ccsc@gmail.com or call/text 734-368-6499.



Community items are events of interest to members, organized by club individuals rather than the CCSC.



**Discover Fun,
Friendship, and
Adventure with the
Merry Mariners Boat
Club**

Looking for a fun way to meet people, enjoy Southwest Florida's beautiful waterways, and become part of an active social community? The Merry Mariners Boat Club welcomes new members from all walks of life — whether you own a boat or simply love being around the water.

Founded in 1991, the Merry Mariners Boat Club has built a reputation as one of the friendliest boating and social clubs in the Cape Coral area. The club is centered around four core values: Fun, Friendship, Outreach, and Knowledge.

What makes Merry Mariners unique is that membership is open to both boat owners and non-owners alike. Boat owners often invite non-owner members aboard as crew during group outings, making it easy for everyone to participate and enjoy the boating lifestyle.

Club activities include:

- Group boating trips to waterfront restaurants and destinations throughout Southwest Florida
- Social gatherings and potluck dinners
- Holiday celebrations and dinner dances

- Special land-based activities and events
- Educational opportunities focused on boating safety and seamanship

The club's boating outings are organized as flotillas, creating a safe and supportive environment for experienced boaters and newcomers alike. Members share knowledge, help each other navigate local waters, and build lasting friendships along the way.

Even if you've never owned a boat, the Merry Mariners offers a wonderful opportunity to learn more about boating while becoming part of an active and welcoming social group. Many boating clubs today recognize that some of the best members are those who simply enjoy the boating lifestyle, camaraderie, and community spirit.

Whether you are an experienced captain, a seasonal resident, recently retired, or simply looking to expand your social circle, the Merry Mariners Boat Club offers an enjoyable way to connect with others who share a love for fun on and off the water.

Come aboard and see why so many members say the Merry Mariners is more than a boating club — it's a family.

For membership information and upcoming activities, visit merrymariners.org or contact Patty Zeiler at 571-237-6176 or pattyzeiler76@gmail.com.



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The Hobby Club meets every Monday 9am-11am at Lake Kennedy Center. Contact Hilary on 301-502-2026 or Toni on 239-225-8093.



Cape Coral for the Children's Men & Women Lunch Bunch
- If you are not on the email list for the

Lunch Bunch, please contact Julie Lombardi at 239-823-8288 or at capecoralforthechildren@gmail.org. Cape Coral for Children is a 501(c) (3) charity working to provide scholarships to Cape Coral students.

September 9, 2026 – Indian Breeze, 1414 Cape Coral Parkway, Cape Coral, 11:30 AM Lunch will be off the menu with individual checks. Please RSVP to Julie Lombardi at capecoralforthechildren@gmail.org or 239-823-8288 by September 4th so that we can provide the restaurant with a head count for table set up.

Saturday, October 24, 2026 – Annual Charity Fashion Show – Palmetto Pine Country Club. Details are coming soon.

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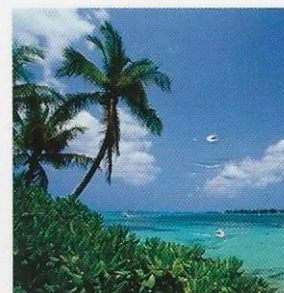


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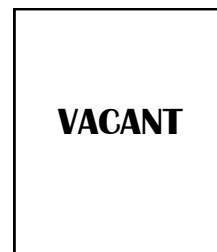
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“FEELIN’ HOT, HOT, HOT” Dinner Dance

Cape Coral Social Club—Open to the Public

Saturday, August 1, 2026

5:00 pm — 9:00 pm

German American Social Club

2101 SW Pine Island Rd., Cape Coral

Music by: Jay Smith

Menu: Choice of one - Herb Roasted Chicken, OR, Crab & Cheese Stuffed Whitefish, OR Large Baked Potato Stuffed with Loads of Vegetables. All served with:

***Rolls & Butter**

***Bowtie Pasta Salad**

***Saffron Rice Pilaf**

***Squash Medley**

***Chocolate Brownie with Chocolate Sauce & Cherry**

NO BYOB—Cash Bar Available

**Soft drinks, coffee & water
provided**

Note: *Salads are served at 5:30

****PAYMENT REQUIRED BY NOON, JULY 28th****

\$35* members/\$40* guests (cash or check) —NOTE: \$38 or \$43 when using a credit card. Payment taken at the general meeting, Lake Kennedy Center, Farmer Joe’s, Family Hardware on SE 47th Ter., on web at www.capecoralsocialclub.org or contact Judy at 239-699-0123. Indicate entrée choice & table seating preference. No refunds for cancellations or no shows.