

Nauti Parrot Cruise

March 9 was the day for our monthly Town & River Cruise Club (T&R CC) luncheon. It was a beautiful day, but because of high winds on the river, we all decided to drive to our destination.

The Nauti Parrot was an ideal location to accommodate our 40 members who attended. We filled the restaurant with our chit chat and laughter and they filled our stomachs with delicious food and delectable spirits.

It was wonderful to have such a large turnout as we, finally, are seeing people able to be out and about again!

We look forward to seeing everyone at our Annual Picnic on April 9.



Marge hands Liz her prize from the 50/50.



Liz is thrilled to have a winning ticket.



Marita, Liz and Ed make a great "blue eyed" team.



"Pick a winner!" exclaimed Mike Marra, our host.



Over 40 members and guests had a terrific lunch at the Nauti Parrot.



Barb Barrell, a new member, won second prize.



Fred and Ken welcome Jim and Barb to the club.



The Nauti Parrot provides a beautiful view of Hurricane Bay.

Town & River Lake Report

Inspection Date: February 23, 2022

Inspected For:

Algae	OK
Aquatic Weeds	Treated
Undesirable Shoreline Vegetation	OK
Water Quality	OK

Technician's Comments: Submersed treated on lake.



The T&R CC held its member meeting at the Nauti Parrot on Fort Myers Beach.

**All are encouraged to attend
our next Board meeting on May 12!**

The Board meets on the second Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m.

**South Pointe South Clubhouse
9734 Foxglove Circle, Fort Myers.**

**Check out our new website
www.townandriverfl.com.**

Why Cost Basis Gain Or Loss Doesn't Equal Investment Performance

Presented by Jacqueline Lambros, Registered Principle



When reviewing investment performance, there's a common misconception that unrealized and realized capital gain or loss is a measurement of performance. It's important to understand that unrealized capital gain or loss merely shows what must be reported to the IRS if the investment was sold, which is different from the gain or loss that resulted from the change in value (market appreciation or depreciation plus income) since the time of purchase. For this reason, cost basis should be used to calculate capital gains or losses for tax filing purposes only—not to measure investment performance.

Hypothetical Example

An identical \$10,000 investment is made in two mutual funds (Mutual Fund A and Mutual Fund B) on the same day. The \$10,000 investment is the original cost basis for each fund.

Original Cost Basis

	Mutual Fund A	Mutual Fund B
Initial investment	\$10,000	\$10,000
Price paid per share	\$10	\$10
Shares	1,000	1,000
Original cost basis	\$10,000	\$10,000

During the year, the value of Mutual Fund A increases \$1,000 because of market appreciation, but the fund pays no dividends. Mutual Fund A ends the year with a market value of \$11,000.

Mutual Fund B experiences no market gains but earns \$1,000 in dividends, which are reinvested at a net asset value of \$10. The total year-end market value, however, is \$11,000, the same as Mutual Fund A.

Account Activity	Mutual Fund A	Mutual Fund B
Initial investment	\$10,000	\$10,000
Increase from market appreciation	\$1,000	\$0
Dividends paid and reinvested	\$0	\$1,000
Price per share for reinvested dividends	N/A	\$10
Shares purchased with reinvested dividends	N/A	100
Year-end account value	\$11,000	\$11,000

Here's where cost basis and investment performance start to differ.

When the price of Mutual Fund A went up, the value of the account increased to \$11,000—but the cost basis remained steady at \$10,000. The additional \$1,000 is considered unrealized capital gain, which is commonly misinterpreted as investment performance.

When the dividends for Mutual Fund B were reinvested, the cost basis increased to \$11,000 because the dividends were used to buy more shares and treated like any other investment in the fund.

Year-End Cost Basis

	Mutual Fund A	Mutual Fund B
Year-end account value	\$11,000	\$11,000
Shares	1,000	1,100
Price per share	\$11	\$10
Year-end cost basis	\$10,000	\$11,000
Unrealized capital gain/loss	\$1,000	\$0

	Starting Value	Ending Value	Investment Performance Return	Unrealized Capital Gain/Loss
Mutual Fund A	\$10,000	\$11,000	10%	10%
Mutual Fund B	\$10,000	\$11,000	10%	0%

In this scenario, both investments reflect the same year-end account value and investment performance return but have an unequal unrealized capital gain. This is because the dividend was used to buy more shares, which increased the cost basis of the Mutual Fund B investment. The unrealized capital gain or loss considers only the difference between the market value of the investment and the associated cost basis. It does not capture the dividends, interest, or capital gains the fund distributes to the investor. Whether you reinvest distributions or take them in cash, they should be considered part of your return. When a stock pays a dividend or a bond generates interest, it represents earned money you didn't have before.

Using The Right Metrics

Use performance metrics such as the time-weighted return and internal rate of return—rather than unrealized capital gain or loss—to accurately measure investment performance. Cost basis won't tell you how much money you have made, but it will give you the information you need to file your taxes.

This material has been provided for general informational purposes only and does not constitute either tax or legal advice. Although we go to great lengths to make sure our information is accurate and useful, we recommend you consult a tax preparer, professional tax advisor, or lawyer.

Town & River Civic Association Inc. Balance Sheet As of March 31, 2022

	Mar 31, 22
Assets	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
First Citizens Bank 2580	4,242.38
First Citizens Bank - MMS	90,893.68
PayPal Account	6,390.41
Total Checking/Savings	101,526.47
Accounts Receivable	
Accounts Receivable	687.73
Total Accounts Receivable	687.73
Other Current Assets	
Prepaid, Lake Expense	2,183.36
Prepaid, Insurance	4,984.48
Total Other Current Assets	7,167.84
Total Current Assets	109,382.04
Total Assets	<u>109,382.04</u>
Liabilities & Equity	
Equity	
Prior Year Fund Balance	56,180.89
Retained Earnings	28,083.14
Net Income	25,118.01
Total Equity	109,382.04
Total Liabilities & Equity	<u>109,382.04</u>

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Please contact the Director responsible for your street regarding any issues related to Town & River.

Owner Contact Information Request

Town & River Civic Association Inc.
 P.O. Box 07073
 Fort Myers, FL 33919

For improved communications,
 Please update your contact information.

Name(s): _____

Town & River Address: _____

Full Time Resident: ____ Seasonal Resident: ____ My Property is Leased ____

If not full-time, other address, including zip: _____

Telephone Number(s): _____

Email Address: _____

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Otherwise, the information submitted is for board use only.

If you agree to have your contact information included in a Town & River Directory, accessible by a password, please initial either: ____ YES or ____ NO

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Catch The Action

May On The Water

By Capt. Bill Russell

This month we get our first dose of summer Florida weather as days are becoming hot and sticky. With the warm weather the month of May offers great fishing possibilities.

This is the best time to hook into a tarpon, as they move into Southwest Florida waters by the thousands. Look for them a short distance off the beaches, around the Gulf passes and bridges, plus throughout the inshore waters. Tarpon eat a wide variety of bait, however at times they will not eat anything you offer. Live baits including crabs, Atlantic thread herring, pinfish, and large shrimp are top choices while a variety of cut bait including mullet, ladyfish, and catfish tails hook more than their share. Tarpon are a challenge as many times you can fish around hundreds of fish using all the best baits and never get a strike. When hooked a big tarpon may take a couple of hours with angler applying hard pressure to wear them down and get them boat side. Make sure you are physically up to the challenge before attempting to battle one.



Sharks large and small are roaming the inshore waters, around the Gulf passes, and offshore around schooling baitfish and reefs. Large hammerhead and bull sharks follow tarpon schools awaiting their next meal. Spinner and blacktip sharks are almost identical in appearance, and both offer an incredibly hard fight, often with a great aerial show. If you are fishing an area and hooking ladyfish or mackerel, you can be assured sharks are nearby. A chunk of ladyfish is sure to get attention, use a minimum of a foot or two of wire leader to prevent cutoffs.

Spanish mackerel is an underrated fish that gives an excellent fight as they are super-fast and strong. If iced down when caught and eaten fresh, they are very good on the table. Good numbers of schooling mackerel frequent areas just outside or inside the Gulf passes, around bridges, and artificial reefs within sight of land. Either trolling or casting silver spoons with a fast retrieve is the top method for consistently hooking mackerel.

Mangrove snapper may be our tastiest fish and at times the most abundant. As our waters warm, snapper in the Gulf of Mexico move closer to shore, plus many relocate to our inshore waters. What snapper lack in size they make up for in tenacity and food value, plus they may be the easiest fish to target. Many anglers catch their fair share from land while targeting bridges, docks, and piers. Live shrimp is the top bait, a small hook and light leader is often necessary to fool their keen eyesight.

This spring has given us good snook fishing and the bite will continue through the month of May. Many are on the move, as they head to areas in and near the passes for their upcoming summer spawn. Snook may range in size from little guys barely over a foot long to big girls over 40 inches. Snook will pounce on a variety of lures plus live oily baitfish, including scaled sardines or pilchards, Atlantic thread herring, pinfish and pigfish

or grunts. Redfish are caught from many of the same areas as snook and with the same baits.

Sea trout are plentiful across the inshore grass flats and will eat a wide variety of lures and live baits. Trout are primarily a sight feeder, so your best success comes from fishing areas with clear water. They often run in schools, if you catch one there should be more nearby.

For a variety of fish, nearshore artificial or man-made reefs are a great place to look. Here you may hook into about anything from smaller fish like snapper to huge goliath grouper and everything in between. An assortment of tackle from light to heavy, a variety of bait, and an open mind is the key to taking advantage of what these areas offer on any given day. Reefs are a great place to experiment and try different things while keeping your eyes open for unexpected visitors. Permit should make their way to many of the reefs this month. While they will eat a live shrimp, they seldom pass on a small live crab.

May will give us consistent days of great weather with blue skies and light wind. Our summer afternoon thunderstorm pattern will kick in so always keep an eye on the sky to stay ahead of an approaching storm. Warm weather and the potential for great fishing, what's not to like about the month! Hope to see ya on the water.

Make sure and keep up to date with fishing rules and seasons in the area you fish, as they change often. You can visit www.myfwc.com for all current state and federal regulations.

For charter information, please contact us at Gulf Coast Guide Service and "Catch the Action" with Capt. Bill Russell, call or text (239) 410-8576, website: www.fishpineisland.com, email: gcl2fish@live.com.

Capt. Bill Russell is a native and lifelong resident of Pine Island who has spent his entire life fishing the waters surrounding Pine Island and Southwest Florida. For the past 26 years Bill has been a professional fishing guide who takes pride in customizing each trip to ensure everyone on board has a great time and will return again. Come join us and "Catch the Action."



Town & River Cruise Club Membership Application

Name: _____
 Spouse: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone: _____
 Email: _____

BOAT INFORMATION

Boat Name: _____
 Boat Type and Size: _____
 Boat example – Name: Only in America
 Boat Type and Size: Power 30', Beam 10' 6"

MEMBERSHIP DUES

Dues	\$45 / household
Initiation Fee	\$50 / household (included burgee and name tags)
New Members Prorated Dues	
Joining between	
April 1 to September 30	\$45
October to December 31	\$30
January 1 to March 30	\$20

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American classic, a play of ideas, hilarious comedies, and two unique musicals that each celebrate iconic American singers.

Show titles include: *Lady Day at Emerson's Bar and Grill*, *Incident at Our Lady of Perpetual Help*, Agatha Christie's *And Then There Were None*, *Freud's Last Session*, *Ripcord*, *The Importance of Being Earnest*, *On Golden Pond*, *Ring of Fire: The Music of Johnny Cash*, and *Lobby Hero*.

Subscriptions are on sale now; single tickets go on sale in July 2022. For details visit www.floridarep.org or call the box office at (239) 332-4488.

The 2022/23 season was meticulously crafted and includes a world classic, one of the most famous murder mysteries ever written, a hot new play making the rounds at regional stages across the country, a modern

Grampy's Charities

What: Second Annual Grampy's Sporting Clays Charity Tournament Benefitting Ronald McDonald House Charities® SWFL

When: Friday, May 13 (Registration begins at 8:30 a.m.)

Where: Sarasota Trap, Skeet & Clays, 3445 Rustic Road, Nokomis, FL 34275

A Day Of Fun To Remember

Clays tournaments have become very popular in Florida! Whether an avid enthusiast or never heard of the sport, our tournament is the one for you. Using clay targets only, participants enjoy a sporting activity on a beautifully designed course. No gun experience needed, as a short training will occur upon arrival and shooters with know-how will be on hand to provide support.

Participation Opportunities

Looking to have a fun morning with friends? A leadership or staff team building activity? Novice to the sport and want to try it out for a good cause? Experienced in the sport? A first responder interested in practicing your shooting skills? Our tournament is the one for you!

A Beautiful Setting

Sarasota Trap, Skeet & Clays just north of Fort Myers and south of Sarasota boasts a beautifully designed and maintained course. www.sarasotatrapskeetandclays.com

Activities

Arrive at 8:30 a.m. for registration, breakfast, socializing, and an important training orientation. Then, let the tournament start! Lunch, bluegrass music, raffle, and auction will follow the tournament's completion. All attendees will leave with Grampy's Charities Famous Ditty Bag which includes an event shirt, hat, pocketknife, tumbler, and more!

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Premature birth, illness, injury, dental care: A child's hospital stay, or outpatient treatment can last days, months and sometimes years. Many Southwest Florida children do not receive regular dental care. Funded nearly 100 percent through philanthropy, Ronald McDonald House Charities of Southwest Florida provides free-of-charge programs and services through our Ronald McDonald House® in Fort Myers, Ronald McDonald Family Room® at Golisano Children's Hospital, and Ronald McDonald Care Mobile® program, consisting of two "dental offices on wheels."

Agenda

- 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.: Registration and breakfast
- 9:30 to 10 a.m.: Mandatory safety meeting for all participants
- 10 a.m.: Shotgun start
- 12:30 p.m.: Lunch, raffle, auction and awards

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Town & River Civic Association Inc. Profit And Loss March 2022

	Mar 22 Jan - Mar 22	
Ordinary Income/Expense		
Income		
Income		
Income - Mandatory	0.00	10,920.00
Income - Voluntary	<u>2,280.00</u>	<u>24,120.00</u>
Total Income	2,280.00	35,040.00
Interest Income	11.09	12.24
PayPal Cash Bank Bonus	<u>0.00</u>	<u>8.13</u>
Total Income	2,291.09	35,060.37
Expense		
Accounting Fees	315.00	1,515.00
Bank Fees	35.00	105.00
Corp Insurance	80.34	1,110.94
Email Service	0.00	243.00
Legal Expense	0.00	3,960.28
Meeting Rooms	0.00	125.00
Newspaper Postage	146.09	432.13
Office Expense	0.00	74.97
PayPal Fees	14.04	235.80
Postage & Delivery	0.00	574.80
Printing & Reproduction	0.00	737.72
State Fee	0.00	61.25
Secretary Expense	0.00	262.50
Storage Expense	119.79	359.37
Utilities	49.51	144.60
Total Expense	<u>759.77</u>	<u>9,942.36</u>
Net Ordinary Income	<u>1,531.32</u>	<u>25,118.01</u>
Net Income	<u>1,531.32</u>	<u>25,118.01</u>

From The Desk Of Sheriff Carmine Marceno

Aggressive Driving: Road Rage On The Rise

The growth of the population and the increased traffic that accompanies such growth appears to generate a rise in patterns of driver frustration. Sprinkle in the additional stressors of a pandemic, inflation and other tensions that most of us experience and you have a recipe for "road rage."



Some drivers engage in aggressive, careless and unsafe operation of their vehicle. Behaviors such as speeding, tailgating, weaving through traffic, horn honking and abrupt lane changing prompt "high-anger drivers" to react poorly to this manner of driving.

- Many of these incidents can be avoided. Consider:
- Changing lanes when being tailgated. While tailgating is unsafe and a ticketable offense, you need not allow it to escalate into an incident.
 - Allowing others to pass.
 - If another driver uses inappropriate finger gestures, ignore them.
 - Avoid eye contact. Many reports indicate that eye contact escalates these "ragers."

• Attempt to remain **behind** angry drivers. You are far less likely to be injured if you do so.

- Never exit your vehicle to confront another driver.
- Pull off of the road, if necessary. When doing so, utilize well-lit, populated areas. Create space between your vehicle and theirs by allowing them to leave the scene.

• Contact the Lee County Sheriff's Office or local law enforcement should you feel threatened or unsafe.

These incidents will continue to occur. A simple driving error may prompt anger and violence. However, calm and nonantagonistic behavior can usually deescalate an incident. Be courteous, nonconfrontational and mature while operating your vehicle.

Board Of Directors Meeting Minutes [Unapproved]

Thursday, March 10, 2022

Call To Order – President Mark Generales called the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M.

Board Of Directors

A quorum was established. Directors Present: Marge Byrne, Kay Gloris, John Kristobak, Capt. Craig O'Donnell, Gary Hudson &



Martha Smith. Officers Present: Vice President Rick Chubb, Secretary Renee Notes & Treasurer Marge Byrne. Executive Secretary Sally Stigler was also present. Absent: Directors Ann Marie Aeschliman, Roy Benton, Myriam Lentz.

Approval Of Minutes – February 10, 2022 minutes were approved by motion.

Treasurer's Report – Gary Hudson, Treasurer Emeritus

- Gary emailed February financial reports to the board earlier in the week.
- He presented the 2022 budget which was approved by motion. He also noted many owners are using Pay Pal on the T&R website to pay annual dues.
- With no questions presented, the treasurer's report was approved by motion.

Committee Reports

Lake Status – Renee Notes

Renee reported the lake is in good condition.

Deeds Of Restriction/Architectural Review Committee – Rick Chubb

- Permit reports have been received from the county, & Rick has assumed the responsibility of Chair of the Architectural Review Committee.
- Mark suggested forming a committee to oversee updating the DOR & collaborating with the attorney prior to the final re-write & vote by the entire community.

Special Meetings of Units 6 & 11 Owners

Additional meetings were held at South Pointe South

Clubhouse prior to the board meeting this evening to ensure all owners who wish to vote have another opportunity to do so. Units 6 & 11 did not positively vote to join the ARCHDOR. Unit 6 was a few votes short of number necessary to adopt ARCDOR. Unit 11 was split evenly between "yes" and "no" votes, but it also fell short of approval.

Light at Deep Lagoon Lane Monument

Martha obtained a quote for bringing electricity to, & lighting the Deep Lagoon Monument sign. Because there is no transformer close by, the trenching & conduit costs made it too high to even be considered. As an alternative, commercial solar lighting is being investigated.

Complaints

Several board members have reported a few owners have complained that "the board does nothing for us, so why should we pay dues". Mark will address & respond to this uninformed sentiment in a future newsletter.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:05 P.M. The next regularly scheduled Board Meeting will convene 6:30pm Thursday, April 14, 2022, at South Pointe South Clubhouse, 9734 Foxglove Circle, Ft. Myers.

*Respectfully submitted,
Sally Stigler
Executive Secretary*



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Alliance For The Arts

LunaFest (Virtual And In-Person)

LunaFest celebrates a powerful and diverse set of women filmmakers and helps expose their short films to a national platform. LunaFest has empowered and shared the work of more than 170 women filmmakers giving them the opportunity to tell their stories and opening the door for filmmakers who might not otherwise be given the chance to show their art.



There are two options for this event, benefiting Alliance for the Arts.

In-Person: May 13 at 6 and 8:30 p.m. Tickets are \$25 per person in advance, \$30 at the door.

Virtual: May 13 at 12 p.m. through May 15 at 12 p.m. (48 hours to start viewing, and 48 hours to finish viewing once you begin.) Tickets are \$25 per person.

About The Films

How To Be At Home

By Andrea Dorfman

This is an animated poem about coping with isolation during the COVID-19 pandemic. Andrea Dorfman is a

Halifax-based screenwriter and film director who creates experimental short films and feature films, as well as mini-documentaries. She directed the Emmy Award-winning films *Flawed* (2010) and *Big Mouth* (2012).

Close Ties To Home Country

By Akanksha Cruczynski

This short film is about an immigrant dog walker who finds connection in the hearts of the wealthy pets she cares for. Akanksha Cruczynski, is an Indian writer and filmmaker who studied comedy at the Annoyance Theater in Chicago. In addition to being shown at several other Academy Award-qualifying film festivals, Akanksha is passionate about telling stories from underserved communities and using humor to guide them.

Generation Impact: The Coder

By Samantha Knowles

A 13-year-old girl designs and builds a mobile app to help kids stay connected to their incarcerated parents by sending photos and letters. Samantha Knowles is a Dartmouth College graduate and Brooklyn-based documentary filmmaker. Her work has been showcased at various film festivals like the 2020 Tribeca Film Festival and, among other publications, was featured in the *New York Daily News*, *USA Today*, *Jet Magazine*, the *Huffington Post*, *theGrio*, and *BET.com*.

Proof Of Loss

By Katherine Fisher

When a fire takes their home, a father and daughter must find a way to salvage what remains: each other.

Proof of Loss is Katherine Fisher's directorial debut. She is an Emmy-nominated producer with 15 years of experience in narrative and documentary filmmaking. Her work has been screened at several festivals including Sundance Film Festival.

When You Clean A Stranger's Home

By Sharon Arteaga

A first-generation high school student describes what she and her mom learn about people when cleaning their homes. Sharon Arteaga is a first-generation Mexican-American filmmaker from Corpus Christi, Texas. Arteaga's work playfully incorporates themes of generational, linguistic, and cultural differences between people. She has won numerous short film competitions for her films *When I Grow Up*, *Plane Pretend*, and *When You Clean a Stranger's Home*.

Between The Lines: Liz At Large

By Abi Cole

Frustrated with the lack of character diversity in *The New Yorker's* cartoons, an artist submits her own illustrations, becoming the first Black woman cartoonist in the magazine's near-century run. Director and producer Abi Cole recently graduated from George Washington University with a bachelor's degree in journalism. Her work has been published in the *Guardian*, *Outdoor Life*, and *Popular Science*.

Wearable Tracy

By Emily McAllister

A Bronx woman's accidental social experiment connects her with fellow New Yorkers who might otherwise forever remain strangers. Emily McAllister is an independent filmmaker and freelancer known for *Maidentrip* (2013), *Mateo* (2014), *The Diplomat* (2015), and most recently, *Wearable Tracy* (2021).

To The Future, With Love

By Shaleece Haas and Hunter "Pixel" Jimenez

An animated self-portrait of a nonbinary trans teen caught between the expectations of his Guatemalan immigrant family and his dreams of living happily ever after with his long-distance boyfriend. Shaleece has been an Impact Partners Documentary Producing Fellow, Film Independent Documentary Lab Fellow, and Working Films Fellow.

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Continental Women's Club

The Continental Women's Club will hold its Fundraising Game Day on Tuesday, May 10 at 10 a.m. at The Hideaway Country Club. All proceeds will benefit our scholarship fund for high school senior girls.

All ladies are welcome to attend – choose a game – bridge, dominoes, Mah Jongg, Scrabble, euchre, hand and foot, etc. – choose your friends – tables of four or more. To make a reservation, or for more information, please contact Carol Dee Hamilton, (239) 768-3787.

Cost is \$24 per person, which includes a donation to the scholarship fund and lunch – baked potato soup, half sandwich (turkey or ham), assorted cookies, coffee, and iced tea. We will also have a couple of raffles for you to win.

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