

SMART Buccaneers/Gold Coasters Joint Mini-Muster: *Life on the River*

29 June – 3 July 2025

W.P. Franklin Corp of Engineer Campground on the Caloosahatchee River, Alva, FL 33920

Host: Steve & Rita Bourque

Sunday, 29 June	
1200-1600	Arrival – Check-in with office
1600-1830	Muster begins – Social Hour, bring heavy hors d’oeuvres to share* at Site #2
1900-2200	Games at Site #TBD
Monday, 30 June	
0800-1600	Local Site Seeing/Attractions (see list below)
1600-1700	Social Hour at Site #2
1700-1830	Dinner on your own
1900-2200	Games at Site #30
Tuesday, 1 July	
0900-1030	Breakfast at Alva Country Diner , 21200 Palm Beach Boulevard, Alva, FL 33920 (10 minute drive) (pay as you go) CASH ONLY!
1100-1230	Bean Bag/Ring Toss Baseball at Site #30
1230-1400	Siesta!
1400-1500	Buccaneers Chapter Meeting at Site #2
1500-1600	Gold Coasters Chapter Meeting at Site #2
1600-1700	World Famous “Rita’s Roadhouse” Happy Hour at Site #2
1700-1830	Grilled Hamburgers/Smashburgers and Bratwurst, with buns and condiments, provided by Chapter, bring a side dish*, at Site #2
1900-2200	Games at Site #30
Wednesday, 2 July	
0800-1600	Local Site Seeing/Attractions (see list below)
1600-1700	Social Hour at Site #2
1730-1900	Dinner at The Boat House Tiki Bar & Grill , 17101 State Road 31, Fort Myers, FL 33905 (pay as you go) (15 minute drive)
1900-2200	Games at Site #30
Thursday, 3 July	
0800-1100	Departure – “See Ya Later” in the street

* Please bring your own plates, utensils, and drinks

Local Attractions

- Fishing off the lock (at campground)
- Roosters Produce Stand at Rt 80 (daily 0900-1800) (15 min drive) [Roosters](#)
- Caloosahatchee River Eco Tour via pontoon boat (adv online reservations **Wed 2 Jul only** from 0900-1100) (12 min drive) [Manatee and Eco River Tours](#)
- Fort Myers – Calusa Nature Center and Planetarium (**Tues-Sat only** 1000-1600) (25 min drive) [Calusa Nature Center & Planetarium | Fort Myers, FL](#)
- Fort Myers – Edison and Ford Houses (daily 0900-1730) (30 min drive) [Ft. Myers Historic Home, Edison & Ford Home | Edison Ford Winter Estate](#)