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Returned Peace Corps Volunteers of South Florida is *your* group—please join us for fun get-togethers, community service activities, job/life networking, great events, stimulating conversation, and much more. Read on and get involved!



Newsletter

July 2018

Happy 4th of July!

RPCVSF wishes you and yours a wonderful Independence Day holiday!



Happy Hour @ Boteco

Check out these happy RPCVs at happy hour! We had 15 people come out. Great

to see you. Thanks for joining us!



Upcoming Events

Out to the Ballgame

Saturday, July 28



We all know it's 1, 2, 3 strikes you're out at the old ballgame. But at the Marlins vs. Nationals game on July 28th, it's also giveaway day at Marlins Park, so you can score a **Marlins pullover** (while supplies last). There will also be **post-game fireworks**. And the best part? RPCVSF will be there! The



game starts at 7:10 pm. Tickets are \$25 each for Baseline Reserved B seating. Join us before the game in the parking lot for **tailgating**. BYOB. See you there!

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Partnership Dinner - Broward

Sunday, August 5

Please join RPCVSF as we explore **great restaurants in Broward County**, starting with [Krakatoa Indonesian Cuisine](#) in Hollywood. For just \$25 per person, you'll have a choice of entree (including vegetarian options), plus a side dish, a soft drink, and more! Children are welcome, too.



This is a **Partnership Dinner** where we will collect an additional \$10 to support a project of a currently serving PCV.

Everyone attending will **vote** to choose which one should receive the funds we raise, and that amount will be matched by RPCVSF. Each year, your membership dues help RPCVSF send **more than \$1,000 in matching donations** to the Peace Corps Partnership Program.

Please RSVP today. Good food and a good cause. Hope to see you there.

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Partnership Dinner - Miami

Saturday, August 11

If you're in more of a **Miami-Dade state of mind**, perhaps our **Argentinian** Partnership Dinner is for you. Join us at 5 p.m. for a meal at the delicious [Mi Buenos Aires Querido](#). We'll eat, drink, chat, and **vote for a PCV project**. The cost is \$35, which covers the meal and the donation. Partnership Dinner **donations will be matched** by RPCVSF for maximum impact. This event is family-friendly. Support a worthy PCV project and enjoy a great meal, too! The restaurant is located at [3458 SW 8th Street, Miami, FL 33135](#). We hope you can join us for one, or both, of our Partnership events.

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Annual Retreat in Key Largo

Friday to Sunday, September 7th-9th



Please join us for our **annual RPCVSF membership retreat** September 7th to 9th in Key Largo at the lovely [Amoray Resort](http://www.amoray.com/).

While Hurricane Irma caused us to cancel last year's retreat, in past years we have had more than 70 RPCVs and their families and friends **join us for a great weekend together**. We hope you'll be with us this year.

Amoray is a waterfront resort with a small beach. Kayaking, sailing, snorkeling, and SCUBA diving are all available. Reservations for Friday and Saturday night can be made directly with the resort: (305) 451-3595 or <http://www.amoray.com/>.

Be sure to tell them you are with the Peace Corps Volunteers group for a **20% discount off the room rate**. If you want to share a room, please let us know and we'll try to match you with a roommate for the weekend. Kids are very welcome! For the **full weekend itinerary**, please see our website. We look forward to seeing you in the Keys!

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Welcome Home!

We've had a few **recent returnees** reach out to us about relocating or coming home **to the Miami area**. If you have any advice, words of wisdom, job opportunities, or anything else to share, please see the [Members Only](#) section of our website for how to reach out.

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Grant Opportunity

The ecoTech Grant Program

For more than 25 years, the [Captain Planet Foundation](#) has supported educators and their work to facilitate **youth-led projects** that result in **positive impacts to the environment** of a school or community. The [ecoTech Grant program](#) is no different. This



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initiative supports projects that motivate children through STEM, while challenging them to **re-imagine the world** to make it better for all. The award is \$2,500 and the

them to re-imagine the event to make it better for all. The award is \$2,000, and the deadline is July 15, 2018, so apply today!

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