



MATLACHA HOOKERS
2025 November General Meeting Agenda
DATE: December 8, 2025
6:30pm @ St James City Civic Center

Please turn cell phones off or put on silence. Please be respectful of those who are speaking and refrain from sidebar conversations. (These requests came from Members and they suggested a \$5 Penalty after one warning!)

Call to Order by Madam Linda Bohacek
Pledge of Allegiance led by Madam Linda Bohacek
Invocation by Anna Van Kirk

BOARD REPORTS

- 1) 50/50- Wreaths for Warriors/ Friends of Pine Island Library
- 2) Fundraising & Event Brainstorming/ Social Media Meeting & Updates; Next meeting December 18th @ Salty Girls 6p-7pm
- 3) Hooker Mixer - Bioidentical Hormone Replacement therapy - January 14th 6:30 pm Beacon of Hope Center for Excellence
- 4) Lucky Hook Up update and deadlines- Kimmy

Upcoming Events and Volunteers needed

- 1) Barhopping Christmas Caroling- December 5,6,7 & 12,13,14- Joanne
- 2) Matlacha Art Walk December 12th; Caroling tent and raising money for FISH- Christmas Brigade
- 3) Meat Raffles: all proceeds go to Hooked on Education; Burnt Store Tavern
Meat Raffle- Saturday December 13th 2-4pm -Elsie
- 4) Island Luau Meeting December 15th 6-7p Salty Girls; solicitation letters ready to send has begun- Linda 5) Island Market @ Fishers of Men December 27th 9-2pm; Volunteers needed; last merchandise event of the year
- 6) Cape Coral Art Fest Saturday & Sunday January 10th 10-5 & 11th 10-4pm; Volunteers needed

Past Events and Fundraisers

Quarter Queen Auction

Cape Coral Farmers Market Nov. 22nd- Linda

Matlacha Art Walk Fri. Nov. 12th- Caroling and membership drive- DJ

Pine Island Santa Con & Rudolf Run Nov. 29th- Tracy

Island Market Fisher of Men Nov. 29th -Linda

Ft Myers River District Alliance Holiday Artisans Market December 5th- Lorie

Tarpon Lodge Holiday House of Hope Sunday December 5,6 & 7; Hookers will be helping with kids crafts on 12/7 - Anna

Vice Madam Carolyn Ryzanych, Membership

- 1) Membership Report: members ; new
- 2) Meeting Attendance
- 3) Call Girls
- 4) Birthday Celebration

Secretary, Rachel Branch

- 1) Review and approval of November general meeting minutes
- 2) mail: Thank you notes

Treasurer, Deb Syring

- 1) Review and approval of November financial reports will be available for review January's General Meeting
- 2) Merchandise report - November- Linda

Chaplain, Anna Van Kirk

- a) Outreach requests
- b) Pine Island Cares

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES:

1. Community Support

- a) Pine Island Food Pantry needs to continue to be posted in the Hooker Herald
- b) Food Pantry Volunteers needed; see application info in Herald
- c) Greater Pine Island Chamber of Commerce Volunteer Appreciation Party December 10th @ Cositas Gourmet 10731 Stringfellow Rd, Bokeela, 5:30- 7pm
- d) December Market & Melodies December 13th 10-4p @ SJCCA put on by the SJCCA

e) Food Pantry Woodstock 2 @ SJCCA January 11th 1-4pm; conflict with Cape Coral Art Fest -Hopeful to have a membership drive tent and possibly some merchandise depending on volunteers.

2. Raffle Results

a) Tonight's donation to Food Pantry:

b) 50/50 results collected:

Tonight's Attendance Winner:

Volunteer of the month winner:

3. Membership approval of appointed 2026 Board members post election

4. Installation of 2026 Board of Directors

Other: Next Board Meeting: Monday January 5, 2026, 6:00 p.m. Location: Salty Girl Island Cafe

Next General Meeting: Monday January 12, 2026, at 6:30 p.m., American Legion Post 136
St James City FL 33956

Adjournment: