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Our Signature Project activity is ongoing. Pictured above is Muni, from Ethiopia, on the upper left, a Refugee, who was resettled by Catholic Charities, one of our partners. This meal for 20 individuals, mostly those with little experience with the Refugee Community was held, in April, at Jan Miller's home. Two other dinners are scheduled for the Fall. We will update you as they are completed. To see our Signature Project Goals [CLICK HERE](#) .Please let us know if you want to be a host.

Reflections on Peace Corps Connect

Peace Corps Connect 2018 (PCC) was a huge success. Missed the fun? Don't worry. David & Bernadette Miron, Colombia, along with Tom & Beatriz Potter, Philippines & Colombia were there and will tell you all about it. *If you ever get a chance please attend, it is like joining a family you never knew you had .*

Read reflections from a [first-time attendee](#) who has a challenge for our community, another attendee who talks about the [transition home](#) from Peace Corps and how PCC helps, and a long time attendee who is already [excited for next year](#). The NPCA also announced new Board members. Congratulations to Maricarmen Smith-Martinez, Costa Rica & Jacksonville Beach, who has lowered the average age on the NPCA Board by an estimated 20 years!



From the left, Beatriz, Renee, Bernadette, David & Tom at PC Connect, Shawnee on the Delaware, Pennsylvania.



NPCA Board-elected President (current term ends 2021) *Costa Rica 2006-2008* Maricarmen Smith-Martinez is a program manager at Bixal, a digital communications, design, and technology, company co-owned by an RPCV. Maricarmen is a frequent attendee at our FCRPCV events when she is in Jax to visit family.

We have two events coming up. Happy Hour at City Bistro, in St. Augustine, Tuesday, October 23 at 5:00 pm. We hope to make it easier for all RPCVs south of Jax to attend. [RSVP](#)

Our 11th Annual General Meeting will be on Sunday, November 4, from 2:00-5:00 pm at Hampton Glen, a centrally located Clubhouse, no gate, off 295 at Baymeadows. We hope this great venue, will make it very convenient for all of you in St. Augustine, and points, West, North & East of downtown Jax. [RSVP](#)



The award winning International Calendar is available at our 11th AGM. Peace Corps countries featured in the 2019 calendar: [Mali](#), [Indonesia](#), [Ghana](#), [Senegal](#), [Philippines](#), [Nicaragua](#), [Colombia](#), [Nepal](#), [Haiti](#), [Mongolia](#), [Argentina](#), and [Turkey](#). The 2019 cover photo was taken

[Shirley](#), and [Turney](#). The 2019 cover photo was taken at the renowned Pushkar Mela livestock fair in Rajasthan, India. This \$13.95 calendar is yours when you join as a \$30.00 supporter, \$100.00 Sustainers get two Calendars.



You will see all of us, at the HH, & or AGM, wearing our FCRPCV Tees. Don't have one? Order one to wear. Pick it up at the event. The women's Tees fit snugly, so you might want to order a size larger than usual.

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