



Orientation session and General Meeting

On May 2nd at Monty's in the Grove took place the first orientation session and general meeting of the month. The members were very excited about the upcoming events and wanted to get involved in the different activities the chapter is planning to develop. The orientation gave more the attendees insight into the organization and showed them how they can make an impact within the organization.

Habitat for Humanity®

On May 19th was held another great community event partnering with Habitat for Humanity. Habitat for Humanity is a nonprofit, ecumenical Christian housing ministry. HFHI seeks to eliminate poverty housing and homelessness from the world, and to make decent shelter a matter of conscience and action. Habitat invites people of all backgrounds, races and religions to build houses together in partnership with families in need.

Through volunteer labor and donations of money and materials, Habitat builds and rehabilitates simple, decent houses with the help of the homeowner (partner) families. Habitat houses are sold to partner families at no profit and financed with affordable loans. The homeowners' monthly mortgage payments are used to build still more Habitat houses. Thanks to Jane Decker, Community VP and Marc Blatchley, Project Manager who arranged the project to let the Jaycees could contribute in this great cause.

Congratulations to all who helped to change a life: Marc, Jane, Yvette, Robin, Emery, Hilda, Luz, Leo, Mike, Jonathan, Lisa, Amanda, Cornelia and our new H4H and HOM friends, Kevin, Benny, Nate, and Marco. Good job guys!

Coconut Grove Jaycees

Miami (FL) JCI Chapter



During the first week of May, the International VP Hernando Gomez, on behalf of JCI Coconut Grove, met the members of the Chapters from New York: the JCI Hispanic headed by the State Regional Member Luz Amanda Giraldo, the JCI Philippine-New York led by President Gary Abasolo and the JCI Korean-American headed by Paul Song, the chapter's President. It was a time to know each other; to share experiences and JCI projects, but overall, to build a new relationship and fellowship between the chapters. Thank you guys for your great hospitality and kindness.

Foster Child Visit

On May 17th it was the time to visit our foster children at MacLamore House (by Jackson Memorial Hospital). The spring season came and with it all the energy to brighten the kids of MacLamore. Paper flowers, crafts, and painted pots were brought by the Jaycees to celebrate with the kids.

Thanks to Jane Decker, Community VP and to Isaac, the Project Manager, for that wonderful activity.



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Definitely the JCI chapters from NYC rock!