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Record-Breaking Swordfish Reeled In

Chris Chen and his "Best Medicine" crew claim the new Ocean Reef Club record with this massive 553-pound swordfish caught earlier this month, effectively surpassing the former record of 462 pounds held since January 2022 by **Bud Copeland!**





Chris Chen (pictured left) with friends, Captain Zane Albury and Best Medicine crew surrounding the remarkable catch.

AROUND THE REEF

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Summer Camps Begin June 5!

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Jody Steele spotlights an Academy shining star, **pg. 19.**

Over 5,000 years of Associate Service is celebrated, **pg. 20.**

An Unforgettable Reef Summer Ahead

It's here! Another anticipated summer on The Reef with an extraordinary lineup of beloved traditions, new and exciting experiences, and endless summer fun for all.

With so much awaiting at your Club this summer, our Summer Happenings brochure will act as your ultimate guide so you don't miss a moment. If you haven't already,



check your email from last week for a direct link to the Summer Happenings, or

you can visit oceanreef.com/ SummerHappenings to view the online brochure. Stay tuned for your printed copy to arrive in the mail in the coming week. Get ready to create unforgettable memories, embark on adventures, and experience the best summer has to offer at The Reef!

UPDATE YOUR MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Here on The Reef? Now is a great time to check in with Membership to make sure they have your current contact information and up-to-date photos of your children. If your mailing address is changing for summer, you can also update it yourself by visiting and selecting "Update Profile".

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OR "See"



Can you spot the little surprise Ruth Stoky found in her bromeliad?!

What have you discovered on your walk, biking or on a daily golf cart ride that you never noticed before?

Email orp@oceanreef.com and share your discoveries.

Gotta Question?

I'm packing up to leave The Reef for the summer and I have some clothing items I'd like to donate. Where is the clothing donation bin located now?

Following the completion of the new Chapel & Fellowship Center, the Chapel Clothing Bin was relocated to a new, permanent home. The donation bin is now located on the east side of the Chapel off Island Drive (see photo).

The Chapel would like to remind Members that the donation bin does not accept any food or household items. Instead, please only donate gently used, bagged clothing and shoes, which will then be distributed to those in need.

EDITOR'S NOTE: If you





would like to submit a question, email the Ocean Reef Press at orp@oceanreef.com.



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Dolphin Course Re-Grass

Ocean Reef's Golf Course Maintenance Team has been hard at work on the Dolphin Course re-grass project this summer. In the years since its last re-grassing in 2011, the Dolphin Course has endured several storms, including Hurricane Irma, that left many holes underwater for extended periods of time, resulting in significant crosscontamination of the grass. Through this summer's re-grassing project, the Golf Course Maintenance Team is diligently working to combat this cross-contamination in an effort to uphold the worldclass standards of our golf courses at Ocean Reef and have the course in optimal playing condition by fall 2023. As demonstrated by the photos of Hole #6, the Team thus far has applied a nonselective herbicide application to the course to kill the grass,



Re-grassing progress on Dolphin Course Hole #6, photographed April 28, 2023



May 12, 2023

began removing one inch of turf and thatch from around fairways, greens and irrigation heads, and are in the process of incorporating one inch of new soil to all areas and



May 5, 2023



May 19, 2023

finishing the prep work for the first grassing application.

As the transformation continues, you can stay up-to-date with photos of the

progress by visiting <u>oceanreef</u>. <u>com/DolphinRegrass</u>, and look for more updates in future editions of the Ocean Reef Press.

Marina Seawall Enhancement

Earlier this month, the first stage of the Marina seawall enhancement project began. The project, which entails replacing 1,100 feet of seawall from the Marina Fuel Dock to H Dock, will improve and greatly extend the life of the seawall for use by our Members and their families for many more years to come. Thus far, D Dock and the Fuel Dock have been disabled, construction has begun, and the Dock Office Team has moved to a temporary location in the Marina Fitness Center lobby. Fuel is available for purchase at MarineMax and a diesel fuel truck is stationed at a temporary G Dock facility from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily.

Completion of the Marina seawall enhancement project is slated for November 2023.



Progress on the Marina seawall enhancement project, photographed May 1, 2023



May 19, 2023

Follow along with progress photos by visiting oceanreef. com/MarinaSeawall and look

for more updates in the Ocean Reef Press.



May 5, 2023



May 23, 2023

ORCA NEWS

NKLUC to Conduct June Smoke Testing

From June 12 through 30, Members may notice CHA Consulting employees, on behalf of the North Kev Largo Utility Corporation (NKLUC) and ORCA Public Works, evaluating Ocean Reef's public sanitary sewers via a method called smoke testing. The crew performing the testing does not need to enter your home. This smoke testing is a safe and necessary procedure to detect whether there are any leaks in the sewer system that would allow unwanted rainwater, groundwater and stormwater to enter the sewer. This proactive testing aids in preventing or fixing any leaks before they have the chance

to result in costly damage to the Club's sewer system.

Smoke testing for the western half of the community west of Ocean Reef Drive, which includes the Front Gate, South Harbor Area, Marina Village, Harbor Green, Fairway Lakes, etc., will be from June 12-24.

Smoke testing for the eastern half of the community, east of Ocean Reef Drive, which includes Sunrise Cay, Angelfish Cay, Pumpkin Cay Channel Cay, Cannon Point, etc., will be from June 19-30.

Informative door hangers will be handed out a few days prior to the start of smoke testing in your area.

If you have any additional questions, contact Adrianna at ORCA Public Works at 305-367-7338. Stay tuned for more details from ORCA.

CALL US DIRECT!

Ocean Reef Club's PBX team are experts at transferring your call to wherever you need quickly and efficiently, but did you know the following frequently-contacted departments actually have their own direct lines? That means you can enter the below numbers directly into your phone without going through PBX first.

Direct Lines:

-Lodging Reservations 305-367-5923

-Dining Reservations 305-367-5931

-Front Gate 305-367-4992

-Medical Center 305-367-2600

-Membership 305-367-5921

-Member Services/Concierge 305-367-6516

-Public Safety 305-367-2222

-Front Desk 305-367-5897

-Golf Shop 305-367-5912

-Spa & Salon 305-367-6506

-Bellstand 305-367-5985

-Tennis & Games Center 305-367-6583

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FATHER'S DAY WEEKEND JUNE 16 - 18

FRIDAY, JUNE 16

EVERGLADES ALLIGATOR FARM TOUR

8:45am • Meet at Nature Center Head to the 'glades for educational alligator and snake shows and an exhilarating ride through the legendary "River of Grass." Registration: 305-367-6516



FATHER'S DAY SPA SPECIAL

9:00am- 5:00pm • The Spa
Dads receive a complimentary massage upgrade at The Spa!
Reservations: 305-367-6506

KNOCK OUT BASKETBALL

3:30pm · Basketball Courts

33RD ANNUAL FATHER'S DAY DOLPHIN TOURNAMENT – ANGLERS' MEETING

5:30pm · Burgee Bar

Learn the tournament rules and mingle with fellow anglers over complimentary appetizers and your favorite Burgee cocktail.

Details & Entry: 305-367-5874

FAMILY NIGHT! GLOW MINI GOLF

8:00pm · Mini Golf Course

SATURDAY, JUNE 17

33RD ANNUAL FATHER'S DAY DOLPHIN TOURNAMENT

8:00am Lines In • 3pm Lines Out 3:30-4:30pm Weigh-in • RCK Seawall 5:30pm Awards • Burgee Bar Details & entry: 305-367-5874

GUIDED ECO-KAYAK TOUR

10:00am · Meet at Pool Desk

Experience our unique Keys environment first-hand. Drinking water provided. Water shoes recommended. \$65++ per person.
Reservations: 305-367-6516

FATHER'S DAY IN THE FISHING VILLAGE

11:00am – 2:00pm • Fishing Village Come by the Fishing Village for in-store specials, shopping deals and more!

NATURE CENTER

Friday - Sunday • 2pm-5pm Details: 305-367-2611 ext. 2473

REEF CLUB KIDS

For Ages 5-10.

Day Program Saturday & Sunday • 9am - 1pm

Night Program
Friday & Saturday • 6pm - 10pm
Reservations: 305-367-6516

REEF REC ROOM

Friday • 4pm – 10pm Saturday & Sunday • 2pm – 10pm Details: 305-367-2611 ext. 2003 SUNDAY, JUNE 18

FATHER'S DAY GOLF TOURNAMENT

8:00am - 2:00pm Tee Times • Hammock Course

Teams can be made up of fathers or grandfathers and their children or grandchildren. One best ball net of the twosome in a 9-hole tournament. Entry: 305-367-5912

BEGINNERS SAILING CLINIC

9:30am • Buccaneer Island \$35++ per person. Reservations: 305-367-6516

GUIDED ECO-KAYAK TOUR WITH DAD

10:00am • Meet at Pool Desk Complimentary for Dads! \$65++ per person. Reservations: 305-367-6516

KIDS FISHING TOURNAMENT

11:00am · Reef Club Kids Seawall

GUIDED STANDUP PADDLEBOARD TOUR

1:00pm • Meet at the Pool Desk Take a unique tour around The Reef's waterways!

Reservations: 305-367-6516

EGG TOSS WITH DAD

3:30pm · Buccaneer Island

FAMILY NIGHT! WALKING SCAVENGER HUNT

8:00pm · Buccaneer Island

ORC MEMBERS - NEWS VIEWS & TIDBITS

Memberabilia Ocean Reef **Dress Code**



by Joan Birsh

Featured here: Essentials of the ORC Dress Code. Some of the pictures indicate what to wear. Others, marked with an X, show what is a "NO NO" at Ocean Reef Club.

COLLARED SHIRTS

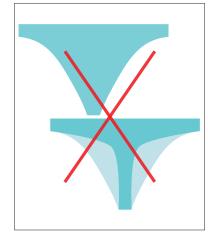


After 5 p.m., men are required to wear collared shirts at most OR restaurants (exceptions - Burgee Bar and Raw Bar). You will also need one for breakfast in the Ocean Room. On the golf courses or the practice range, a "tucked in" collared shirt is the mandatory uniform.



For golf, you will need long pants or walking length shorts. And don't dream of wearing your cargo pants on the course.

SWIMSUIT #1



The Ocean Reef Dress Code states that Thong style swimsuits are prohibited. Be aware that by ignoring this rule, not only will you be offending your fellow OR members but you will be asked to leave Buccaneer.

HATS



At ORC we are into "decapitation". So remove your cap when you enter a restaurant or other OR facility. (Exceptions – Raw Bar, Burgee Bar, Grill Room for lunch and Fitness Centers.) Don't ever wear your golf cap backwards.

SHORT SHORTS



Even if you are young and beautiful, don't wear your Short, Short Shorts anywhere on The Reef.

SWIMSUIT #2



The attractive pink Swimsuit #2 is acceptable under the Dress Code, since (unlike Swimsuit #1) the bikini bottom provides "appropriate coverage."

SLEEVELESS SHIRTS AND TANKS



Sleeveless tops are fine for jogging or for Buccaneer Island. But make sure they are manufactured for athletic wear. If a shirt looks like an undershirt or has some dopey saying on it, then it's a NO NO at ORC.

JEANS



According to the Dress Code, short or long jeans are OK, but please only nice classics. No cut-offs, cutouts, rips or tatters.

COVER-UPS



When is a cover-up a good thing? The Dress Code requires Bathing Suit Cover-ups, as well as footwear, be worn in all areas away from Buccaneer Island's beach and pools.

TENNIS, PICKLEBALL, **CROQUET**



Both men and women should wear appropriate tennis clothing and footwear. (No swim trunks or non-tennis tees.) For Pickleball, fitness attire and footwear are OK. For Croquet, wear all white.

CELL PHONES



It's everybody's most important accessory. But that said, do not talk on your cell in OR restaurants. Same goes for the Fitness Centers.

Don't just look for a place. Discover a home.



32 Bay Ridge Road | Central Location | 3 BD, 3 BA | \$5,375,000 | 2498 Marcy Aultman | 305.522.0582 | marcy@oceanreefclubsir.com



36 West Snapper Point | Canal Front 6 BD, 6F/4H BA | Price Upon Request | 2521

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19 Sunrise Cay Drive | Ocean Front 31,021 Sq. Ft. Lot | 50' Dock | \$13,975,000 | 2335

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15 Harbor Island | Canal Front 5 BD, 5.5 BA | \$11,800,000 | 2511

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PC Garden Home 74 | Canal Front 3 BD, 3.5 BA | \$8,500,000 | 2502

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Plaza Building | Commercial Established Tenants | \$32,000,000 | 2180

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24 Card Sound Road | Golf Course 5 BD, 3.5 BA | \$5,950,000 | 2472

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Pumpkin Cay 7B | Canal Front 3 BD, 3 BA | \$5,850,000 | 2513

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1 Osprey Lane | Ocean Front 4 BD, 5.5 BA | \$25,900,000 | 2256

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42 Island Drive | Canal Front 4 BD, 4.5 BA | \$18,750,000 | 2499

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31 Angelfish Cay Drive | Ocean Front Vacant Homesite | \$14,975,000 | 2487

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24 Tamarind Lane | Lake Front 5 BD, 6.5 BA | \$6,900,000 | 2495

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30 Halfway Road | Golf Course 3 BD, 3.5 BA | \$6,500,000 | 2479

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Pumpkin Cay 43A | Canal Front 3 BD, 3 BA | \$6,475,000 | 2524

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11 Perky Road | Central Location 3 BD, 3.5 BA | \$5,850,000 | 2447

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12 Ocean Reef Drive | Centrally Located 3 BD, 2 BA | \$5,849,000 | 2478

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Angelfish Cay 28A | Canal Front 2 BD, 2 BA | \$2,395,000 | 2531

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16 Sunrise Cay Drive | Ocean Front 5 BD, 6.5 BA | \$22,850,000 | 2541

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Angelfish Cay 27B | Canal Front 2 BD, 2 BA | \$3,895,000 | 2539

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6 Bay Ridge Road | Central Location

2 BD, 2 BA | \$13,900,000 | 2528 Listed by:

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121 Marina 105 | Canal Front

4 BD, 4.5 BA | \$10,250,000 | 2540

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Angelfish Cay 14B | Canal Front 1BD, 1BA | \$2,800,000 | 2534

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Residence Club 119 | New Construction 1 BD, 2 BA | \$2,795,000 | 2536

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NEW CONSTRUCTION HOMES FOR SALE



40 Cardinal Lane | Ocean View 40cardinallane.com

5 BD, 6.5 BA | \$21,900,000 | 2308 Russell Post

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3 Ocean Reef Drive

7 BD, 7F/3H BA | \$11,995,000 | 2434

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44 Cardinal Lane | Ocean View

4 BD, 4.5 BA | \$11,839,900 | 2309

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29 Baker Road | Water Front

4 BD, 5 BA | \$6,695,000 | 2332

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3 Mahogany Lane

5 BD, 5.5 BA | \$5,100,000 | 2377

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MARINA SLIPS FOR SALE

HS-8 | Floating Dock

200 AMP | 21'9" Beam | \$2,825,000 | 2367 DS-28 | 80' Dock

Floating Dock | 230 AMPS | \$3,525,000 | 2471

DS-19 | 80' Dockage

Floating Dock | 22'7" Beam | \$3,775,000 | 2401 **Russell Post** | 305.451.8199 | russell@oceanreefclubsir.com Molly Taylor | 508.524.4633 | molly@oceanreefclubsir.com

ES-30 | Floating Dock CONTINGENT

70' x 20.5' Beam | \$2,250,000 | 2432

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HS-5 | Floating Dock

80' Dockage | 21.17' Beam | \$2,750,000 | 2505

FS-34 | Floating Dock

70' Dockage | 18.78' Beam | \$2,100,000 | 2419

ES-21 | Floating Dock

70' x 21'8" Dockage | \$2,575,000 | 2422

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ES-31 | Floating Dock NEW

70' x 21.5' Beam | \$2,350,000 | 2535 Denise Haney | 305.394.6838 | denise@oceanreefclubsir.com Rick Haney | 305.394.4645| rick@oceanreefclubsir.com

DS-11 | South Side

90' Floating Dock | \$3,850,000 | 2438

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AS-3 | Gatehouse Dock PENDING

60' Dock | \$1,650,000 | 2477

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DS-12 | Floating Dockage | PENDING

90' x 21'8" Dockage | \$3,250,000 | 2427

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As You Enjoy Your Summer Adventures, Please Keep **All Charities** Weekend in Mind



by Sarah A. Cart

A favor, while you're out and about this summer: Please consider what you can donate **NOW** to ensure the success of the Silent and Live Auctions to be held All Charities Weekend (ACW), Feb. 2 - 4, 2024. (Yes, that's earlier than the event has ever been).

What are you up to today? This week? This month? Are you having fun? Might it be "auction worthy"?

Be creative.

Let your imagination run wild. Open your mind and heart to innovative ideas and offerings.

Then, when inspiration strikes, don't wait: Call the All Charities office at 305-367-5996; the staff is there to help breathe life into your brainchild.

Through the years, wonderful items and unique Membercurated experiences have helped the Ocean Reef Community Foundation (ORCF) foster miracles. Please consider how you can help keep the miracles coming.

As a Member of the Ocean Reef community, each of us has the power to positively impact the lives of our neighbors in Key Largo, Homestead and Florida City as well as support and strengthen the non-profit entities vital to our "unique way of life" here on The Reef: The Medical Center, Cultural Center, Academy, Art League, ORCAT



Cynthia Weglarz donated a four-night stay in her beautiful Lake Michigan

and Conservation Association. ACW is a chance for us to come together and make a difference, and every contribution - no matter how large or small – can help us achieve our goals.

Why is it so important to donate now, long before the deadline? This season's auction catalog will go to press earlier than ever before. Your contributing over the summer will enable ORCF to leverage other contributions and build momentum toward our fundraising goals. It's a powerful and inspiring message to (and example for) others that you believe in the importance of All Charities and that you're willing to take action to support it.

Plus it's a gracious and generous way to allow the All Charities team the breathing room they need to best present and maximize everyone's contributions for the greater good.

Also, please note, your donation doesn't need physically to arrive in the All Charities office over the summer, just a complete description and an estimate of when the office can expect it.

Results matter. All Charities has raised over \$63 million since 2008, enabling ORCF to provide financial grants with an emphasis on youth, education, community, and health and family services. Your donations make a real difference. Additionally, ACW's Preferred Partners provide steadfast support through their cash and auction item donations to ensure that the monies raised at the Silent and Live Auctions enable ORCF to give 100 percent of the donations made by Club

Members to non-profits.

And your participation brings the joy and satisfaction of knowing that you're contributing to something meaningful. So dream.

Brainstorm.

Imagine possibilities.

Make a difference.

Act now

Call the All Charities office (305-367-5996) to share your ideas. Let's have fun by doing good, and let's get after it before the deadline looms (details on items to be included in the



Jan and Jim Loomis hosted 60 guests in April for the Duck Dinner, prepared by Chef Scott Drewno with duck donated by the Jurgielewicz

print catalog will be due before Thanksgiving).

To learn more, visit oceanreefcommunity foundation.org.

Your support of the All Charities Weekend strengthens entities that enhance Ocean Reef Club's Unique Way of Life and enables the Ocean Reef Community Foundation to provide for thousands in Key Largo, Homestead and Florida City. Call 305-367-5996 to learn more.



A Different 'Twofer'



by Rev. Dr. Bob Henley

Usually, the slang term *twofer*, indicates some kind of bargain. It's the old 'buy one – get one free.' My favorites are when it refers to either pizzas or golf balls. If you've seen me play golf, you'll know why!

But I'm using it in a different way. I'm referring to two events that occur on the same weekend this year. The two events are our national observance of Memorial Day and the significant event in church history known as Pentecost.

If you've read my columns, you've probably surmised by now that I'm what sociologists

label a *boomer*, shorthand for *baby boomer*. It refers to those of us born between 1946 and 1965. My life began in that first year.

For those of us so fortunate, it also means that we are the children of the men and women who fought and worked during the second world war. My dad was 23 years old when the war ended. He had served for four years in the United States Navy. He was a radarman on a destroyer – the USS Mullany (DD-528). In fact, he was a 'plank holder,' meaning he was on the shakedown cruise out of San Francisco when the ship was launched.

One day in 1944, just off Okinawa, he had left the bridge when a kamikaze took out the forward gun turret on the ship. He survived – barely. When the order was given to abandon ship, he and other shipmates donned their life preservers and jumped into the waters. Did I mention, he didn't swim? He was on the verge of drowning when one of the men grabbed the back

of his life jacket and pulled him onboard the minesweeper that rescued them.

My dad and all the other young men who lived and returned home were my heroes. They came home and married, built businesses, played sports, and had families. Their names and faces are etched into my memory.

Etched into their memory were the friends who didn't make it. That's why there was a solemnity on their faces on Memorial Day – a solemnity that I couldn't understand.

Now in my seventies, there is a common thread that runs through the other generations that sociologists have labeled since my birth. That thread is the experience of sons and daughters, husbands and wives, moms and dads, who have seen their loved ones go off to war. The names of the places are different – Korea, Viet Nam, The Gulf War, Afghanistan, Iraq, Somalia, Libya, Syria. The outcome is still the same. Many have come home – many have not.

This weekend has been set aside by our nation to honor those who have died while serving in the armed forces of the United States. It will be observed on Monday, May 29th this year. We will make it a focus in our worship in the chapel this Sunday.

The cost that has been paid is not a bargain – it is a sacrifice that must never be forgotten. Please be sure to set aside time to express your gratitude, to recognize the debt we owe each

of them, and their families who have suffered loss.

The other event we recognize this Sunday is called Pentecost. It's not as familiar to many as is Memorial Day. But it is an event of enormous significance, affecting countless lives during the past two millennia, whether it is recognized or not.

Pentecost recalls the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on a roomful of people in Jerusalem, 50 days following the resurrection of Jesus. It marks the completion of the three events that changed the course of history. They are the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus of Nazareth, followed by the day of Pentecost.

The roots of Pentecost run deep in the Hebrew Scriptures of the First Testament, and on every page of the New Testament. Despite this, there is perhaps no aspect of a life of faith more misunderstood, caricatured, or ignored than the person and work of God the Holy Spirit.

Pastors spend a lot of time trying to come up with catchy titles for their sermons. Based on my experience, we're often the only ones who pay any attention to them. But in case you're interested, my sermon title this Pentecost Sunday will be 'A Missing Person Report!' Catchy, huh?

We'll be observing both Memorial Day and Pentecost in our worship at 10 a.m. in the Ocean Reef Chapel & Fellowship Center this Sunday. We'll save a seat for you! Come and join us.





We Mourn the Loss

Peter "Chip" Vandenberg

Pat Vandenberg and Lauren Manley would like to share with the Ocean Reef Community the passing of Peter "Chip" Vandenberg on May 19 after a brief battle with cancer.

He was smart, kind, humble, generous. Truly an inspiration, Chip began working two jobs at the age of 13 and kept the same work ethic his whole life. Loval and dedicated to his best friend and wife for 53+ years -Pat Vandenberg. He was a very proud father and father-in-law and adored his grandchildren. Many of his favorite times with family were spent in Ocean Reef. His CPA career included Deloitte, KPMG (Peat Marwick), and an amazing 36 years in private equity at Trivest Partners.



Chip showed a deep love for our community, which was evident through the many non-profits he served – including the American Cancer Society, Orange Bowl Committee, 18 years as Board Director, sitting on the Treasurer and Finance and Audit Committees at Camillus House, Association for Corporate Growth, MCVI Board, Zoo Miami Foundation, and All Secure Foundation.

This 6'7" gentle giant will be dearly missed by all who know him. There will be a private celebration of life this summer.

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FRIDAY, MAY 26

AA Meeting

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SATURDAY, MAY 27

Catholic Mass

4 p.m., Chapel Sanctuary, Fr. Hilley, Celebrant

SUNDAY, MAY 28

Community Worship Service

10 a.m., Chapel Sanctuary, Rev. Dr. Bob Henley

Kids Matter Worship Service (4yrs

& Up)

10 a.m., Chapel Children's Room

MONDAY, MAY 29

Al-Anon Meeting

9 a.m., Chapel Fellowship Hall

AA Meeting

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TUESDAY, MAY 30

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10:30 a.m., Chapel Fellowship Hall

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AA Meeting

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TUESDAY, JUNE 6

A Journey through the Bible:

Teaching Series

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7

Intercessory Prayer

8 a.m., Chapel Board Room

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

AA Meeting

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SUNDAY, JUNE 11

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Online Worship Service

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MONDAY, JUNE 12

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AA Meeting

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AA Meeting

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TUESDAY, JUNE 20

A Journey through the Bible: Teaching Series

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NEWS FROM THE MEDICAL CENTER

Summertime Precautions

Hydration is important any time of the year but becomes more critical during the summer months. You become at risk for dehydration once the body loses water content and essential body salts, such as sodium and potassium. Drinking fluids before starting outside activities is important so you're sufficiently hydrated. Once you feel thirsty you are already behind in hydration levels. Remember your hat, sunglasses, sunblock and lip sunscreen and try to limit strenuous activities to the morning hours.

In cases of mild dehydration, simple rehydration is recommended by drinking fluids. Many sports drinks on the market effectively restore body fluids, electrolytes, and salt. Dehydration can cause blood



pressure fluctuations and also affect your heart.

Any case of serious dehydration should be treated as a medical emergency and immediate action should be taken.

Heatstroke is a condition caused by your body overheating, usually as a result of prolonged exposure to or physical exertion in high temperatures. The most serious form of heatstroke can occur if your body temperature rises to 104 F (40 C) or higher. Heatstroke requires emergency treatment. Untreated heatstroke can quickly damage your brain,

heart, kidneys and muscles. The damage worsens the longer treatment is delayed, increasing your risk of serious complications or death.

There are some immediate firstaid measures you can take while waiting for emergency help to arrive and include the following:

- Get the person to a shaded area and slightly elevate their feet.
- Remove or open clothing and gently apply cooling water to the skin followed by fanning.
- Apply ice packs to the groin and armpit area if possible.

Hurricane Preparedness

If you are staying at Ocean Reef this summer, be sure to have hurricane supplies and a plan in place. Keep a reminder list of items you need to take with you in the event of an evacuation order. Evacuation for a storm is stressful and it's easy to forget important papers, medicine or other needed items. Consider taking any valuables you don't

want to have lost or damaged in a storm.

If you have health conditions that warrant help during an evacuation, please let Public Safety know you are planning on being in residence this summer. Monroe County also maintains a special needs registry for those that meet the criteria. Visit the Monroe County website at www. monroecounty-fl.gov under the Hurricane preparedness and special needs section for further information and registry.

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All Roads Lead Back to Ocean Reef

By Felicia M. Koretsky Member Since 2010

In 1974, **Michael T. Fay's** family had to give up their coveted Ocean Reef Club membership. It would take 30 years before he became a member again.

His father, the late Peter Thorp Fay, a federal judge with the United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit, had back then found himself in a precarious position.

As one of 14 limited partner owners of the Miami Dolphins, the group faced hefty fines by the IRS for back taxes owed due to accelerated depreciation taken on the players. This coincided with heightened scrutiny on federal judges belonging to clubs across the country with limited diversity. This left the judge with no choice, but to pay his portion, a \$700K fine, and resign all private club memberships.

"It was a difficult time for us. It nearly wiped us out financially," said Fay, who at the time was attending the McGlannan School in Miami for his dyslexia. Despite their struggles, Fay's parents kept their oldest son in the private school to receive specialized academic learning. "I remember so many nights when the only thing we had for dinner was tuna casserole."

The Miami-based family's ties to football and politics began years earlier.

The elder Fay, once a prominent corporate-political attorney, counted among his clients, businessman Joseph "Joe" Robbie. In 1968, along with a group of investors, including Harper Sibley, Jr., Peter Fay was courted to invest in an expansion football team, the Miami Dolphins. The next year, Sibley and Miami developer Morris Burke, bought The Ocean Reef Club. They invited their Dolphins partners to become members. Soon, the Fays were spending weekends at ORC,



Paula Stierheim Fay (right) pictured with her family dining at Ocean Reef in the 1980's.

shaping the then-six-year-old Michael's childhood memories.

"Seeing successful people and the development of beautiful properties sparked my early interest in real estate," said Fay, now principal owner of a successful global commercial real estate firm and investment company.

Judge Fay was also a longtime friend of former President Richard Nixon and his confidant Charles "Bebe" Rebozo, who owned a villa at The Reef. The Fays would take their boat from Miami to Nixon's "Winter Whitehouse" on Key Biscayne, where they would be greeted by the secret service. Often joining the group were Nixon's White House Chief of Staff Harry Robbins (H.R.) "Bob" Haldeman, Assistant for Domestic Affairs John Ehrlichman, and White House Counsel John Dean, who became infamous for their connection to the Watergate scandal.

The younger Fay remembers joining Nixon on Rebozo's boat, the Coco Lobo III, for an afternoon ride from Key Biscayne to ORC. Nixon's December 2, 1972 official daily diary confirms The President docking at Ocean Reef and staying 3 ½ hours. The day's itinerary details Nixon watching a USC vs. Notre Dame game on TV at Rebozo's house, followed by dinner, and a brief long-distance call to his national security advisor, Henry Kissinger. The President appreciated The Reef's privacy and security, not to mention the tasty cocktails served at Buccaneer Island, he said.

As a teenager, Michael Fay continued joining his family on trips to The Reef, where they were guests for legal



Paula and Michael Fay with Michael's parents, Pat and the late Judge Peter Fay.

conferences. Fay said his father, a scratch golfer, loved playing with the Club's first Director of Golf Bob Toski, whose golf balls would sit on extra-tall tees, each inscribed with the initials "LTFF" (translation: Let The F—s Fly).

The Miamian also recalls sneaking away with friends on his boat to The Reef without parental supervision. While they had a lot of fun, he admits spending most of their time devising ways to dodge security head Sonny Vasquez.

Also visiting The Reef during her high school years, was **Paula Stierheim**, the youngest daughter of legendary Miami County Manager and public administrator, Merrett Stierheim. While the two didn't cross paths at ORC, they would later be introduced by their parents and swap their memorable Reef tales. The couple have been married 33 years and are parents to **Merrett**, 25, and **Marla**, 21.

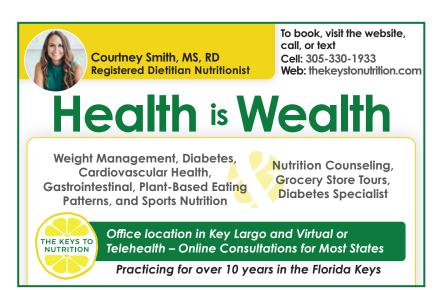
In 2004, with his wife Paula, Michael Fay fulfilled a childhood goal of becoming a Social Member. A decade later, they cemented their ties to ORC by becoming Equity Members and renewing their wedding vows at the Chapel. Fay also brought back his proud parents, who adopted him and two other siblings as infants from separate families through Catholic Charities Adoption Services.

"My greatest blessing was being adopted," the 59-year-old said.

Fay's father passed away in 2021, at the age of 92. The original fine that cost him his first Club membership was repaid with interest in the 1980s, when the Dolphins won their tax case. Peter Fay was one of only a couple dozen people to date to serve as a federal judge for at least 50 years.

"We love living the wonderful Reef lifestyle, while being fully involved in the community," said Fay, who currently serves as a board member with ORCA and the Medical Center at Ocean Reef. "We enjoy each season at ORC and have made so many great friends. In the summers, we often run into a lot of people we know from Miami."

"The Reef is a very special place for our family," he said. "It means so much to us".







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Slam Dunk Binges

By Felicia M. Koretsky Member Since 2010

My teenage son prefers speaking basketball at home. Fifteen minutes before tipoff, he delivers his pre-game strategy. I wonder. Maybe he should get a consulting job with the NBA to support his foura-day Prime Hydration drink habit. But I try my best to be conversant. I shake my head when a referee makes a bad call, scream at The Heat's Duncan Robinson for missing an easy three-pointer, and to really impress him, I like bringing up obscure facts.

Did you know Stephen A. Smith has a side gig on *General Hospital?*

He laughs at me. Calls me a bandwagoner. It's true. It's just not that exciting until it's the playoffs. Improve your basketball I.Q. and analyze some footage, my baller insists. Here are some recent basketball-themed picks. Just not the films he probably meant for me to study.



Air Amazon Prime Video; 1 hour, 54 minutes

Just when you think you've had enough Matt Damon/Ben Affleck team-ups, you come up for Air. Based on a true story, Damon plays Sonny Vaccaro, a 1980s executive in Nike Inc.'s basketball division, which is struggling to compete against sneaker darling, Adidas. Vaccaro is hyper-focused on getting Nike boss Phil Knight (played by Ben Affleck) to invest his

entire basketball budget into then-rookie and Adidas-minded Michael Jordan.

But the real story unfolds when Vaccaro courts MJ's business-savvy mother. Deloris Jordan (played by Viola Davis). The partnership ultimately transforms the sports apparel industry and gives way to sports celebrity endorsements and revenue sharing. While the premise of the movie may not sound that rousing, with only seconds of actual hoop playing, it emotes feelings similar to attending a live game. You'll find yourself rooting for the underdog, hating the opposition, and celebrating when your team wins.

While we don't get to hear or see much from Michael himself, we do get a courtside view of the birth of *Air Jordan*. What started out as an improbable joint venture is now in its 39th year with billions in annual sales.

38 At the Garden HBO Max; 38 minutes

It's been 11 years since basketball fans everywhere went Lin-sane. Former NBA player Jeremy Lin reminisces about his unlikely and spectacular rise to fame as a New York Nicks point guard. The Harvard grad looks back at the pinnacle of his on-court success: Scoring 38 points against the LA Lakers and the late Kobe Bryant at Madison Square Garden in 2012.

Joining Lin, 34, in telling his story are other famous Asian American personalities, including comedians Hasan Minhaj, Jenny Yang, and Ronny Chieng and journalist Lisa Ling. You hear a perspective you may have never considered. The entertaining short also touches on more serious topics, such as the rise of Asian hate crime with the onset of Covid-19.

Lin is currently playing for the Kaohsiung 17Live Steelers in Kaohsiung, Taiwan. But his future as a player is not clear. He's currently recovering from a head injury he sustained during a game earlier this month. **Bill Russell: Legend** Netflix; 2 episodes, Total 3 hours, 20 minutes Nearly a year ago, Boston lost its most celebrated basketball player in Celtics history, Bill Russell, who died at the age of 88

Netflix's two-part documentary, Bill Russell: Legend, which debuted a few months back, explores Russell's early life, superstar college career at the University of San Francisco, and 11 championships with the Celtics under legendary coach Red Auerbach.

The documentary also focuses on the trailblazer's significant off-court activism and outspokenness for civil rights and social justice. Featured, along with a host of hall of famers, are Bill Russell's daughter, Karen, widow and fourth wife, Jeannine, and Randy and Nancy Auerbach, Red's daughters.

Overtime

We encourage you to dust off your playbook and consider some other good prospects you may have missed:

For a taste of true fascinating basketball scandals, check out *Untold: Operation Flagrant Foul*, where former NBA referee Tim Donaghy shares his role in a lucrative betting scheme that cost him his career, now on Netflix. Also, take a second look at ESPN's *30 for 30: Playing for The Mob*, a documentary that retells the story of a point-shaving scheme during Boston College's 1978-79 season.

For feel-good fiction, watch Netflix's *Hustle*, starring Adam Sandler. Sandler plays a hasbeen basketball scout for the Philadelphia 76ers who finds a potential phenom (played by Juancho Hernangomez) hustling pickup games on the streets of Spain. If you missed it, give it a shot.

Finally, for the win. Anyone having any luck scoring ice-pop flavored Prime sports drink? Basketball Moms everywhere are on the hunt for a victory.



Academy Alumni Spotlight Gabby Gleason



by Jody Steele

Four years ago, I had the pleasure of meeting Gabrielle Gleason right before her graduation from the Academy at Ocean Reef. She had just been awarded a prestigious merit scholarship to Gulliver Schools in Coral Gables. It was an enormous move from the Academy, where she had been since third grade, to a large campus where she knew



Gabby Gleason

no one.

Gabby is now graduating cum laude from Gulliver Prep, where she has been an International Baccalaureate student and has studied Biomedical Engineering for her entire four years of high school.

She has excelled in a multitude of other ways and

has enjoyed it all. Gabby credits her Academy teachers with personalizing her education, engaging her in active learning experiences, and preparing her for a rigorous curriculum. She expressed the transfer to high school as "I fit right in and was ready to take on the challenges".

The awards kept coming... Gabby was a cheerleader all four years and just completed her senior year as Cheer Captain.

With 350 hours of community service, Gabby concentrated on becoming a Zoo Miami Conservationist and on other special projects with the study of endangered species.

Selected as a member of the National Spanish Society, the National English Society, and other academic awards, Gabby has quite a record of success in high school. Combining her interest in biomedical science and research, Gabby and a fellow student designed a therapeutic sensory bracelet. It won second place in the County HOSA (Health Occupation Students of America) competition and second place in the State of Florida. They are now competing at the National Division in Dallas in a few weeks.

Gabby recalls her years at the Academy as a time she learned to be inquisitive and love learning. She feels she gained confidence in herself in the smaller environment that enabled her to manage the years ahead.

Congratulations to Gabby as she celebrates a wonderful high school record and enters college to study biology in August. It sure is grand to check in with you again! Time does fly!



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Awarding Years of Dedicated Associate Service

By Holly Houser, Ocean Reef Press

On May 16, Club Associates came together in Town Hall for the annual celebration of the Ocean Reef Service Awards, which acknowledges and thanks those Associates who have spent year after dedicated year at Ocean Reef Club.

On this day, all full-time Associates who have been at the Club for five or more years were invited to attend the Ocean Reef-catered luncheon, with those celebrating a milestone year – 5, 10, 15, and beyond – specially recognized by their department head, Club President Alex Tonarelli, and ORC Chairman of the Board **Charlie Johnston.**

As Tonarelli opened the celebration, he remarked on how amazing it was to have so many long-tenured Associates in one room together. In fact, he shared the incredible statistics that of the 700 Club Associates, 450 of them have been at Ocean Reef for five or more years. Of those 450 associates with five or more years of service, 250 of them have been here for 10 years or more, and 125 have been here for 20 years plus. This long-held tenure, Tonarelli said, is what truly sets Ocean Reef apart from any other Club.

"If it weren't for the dedication to Ocean Reef that is clearly demonstrated by everyone in this room," Tonarelli said, "there is no way we would have been able to build the meaningful relationship between Member and Associate that we all enjoy. I think that is perhaps the biggest differentiator between us and other organizations. Our Associates have been able to get to know and create great experiences for not only one member of the family, but in



Chairman Charlie Johnston (left) and President Alex Tonarelli pictured with Suzanne Baker, Accounting, 20 years



Alricka Jefferson (Ocean Room, 20 years), Diana Dardio (IT, 28 years), Donna Bryce (Ocean Room, 11 years), and Hilary Whittaker (Raw Bar, 25 years)



Service Station's Joel Gabriel, 10 years, Audley Benjamin, 18 years, and Carmelino Mazariegos, 5 years.



Torie Allen, Beach Bar, 5 years



Ana Trano, Banquets, 10 years



The Golf Course Maintenance Team celebrating a combined 511 years

some cases the parent, the child, a grandchild, a great-grandchild, and that's special. I want to personally thank you for your loyalty, and for everything you do day in and day out for Ocean Reef Club."

Next, Tonarelli introduced Chairman Charlie Johnston, who also commended the special Member-Associate relationship.

"It's really an honor for me to be here today on behalf of not just myself, but the entire Board of Directors," Johnston said as he addressed the room. "As a Board, nothing pleases us more than to have a Member regale us with a story about an interaction with one of our Associates. It may be that you always remember their favorite drink, or maybe you greet them and even their children by their first names. Whatever it is, it's always done with a smile and a genuinely gracious attitude towards our Members. That is what makes this an incredibly special place."

As the luncheon progressed, department leaders took the stage to acknowledge their individual Associates who achieved a milestone year. Remarkably, the 2022-2023 Service Awards celebrated a

combined total of 5,333 years of service, with honorees hailing from all areas of the Club. Equally as impressive was seeing the number of years some individuals have devoted to this Club. Members won't be surprised to hear that Director of Safety & Security Sonny Vasquez is the longesttenured Associate at 53 years, but those who follow are as exceptional: Paul Jones of Golf Course Maintenance with 44 years, Norcilia Alteme of Housekeeping with 42 years, and Barry Reed, Raw Bar Director, with 36 years.

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Awarding Years of Dedicated **Associate** Service

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"Recognizing the unwavering commitment of our Associates that play such a significant role in Ocean Reef Club's unique way of life makes me proud," said Johnston. "Throughout my time on the Board, Members have asked me many times, 'What do you think is the secret?' The answer is you – our Associates. I can't thank you enough for the job that you do, but also for your loyalty and length of service. You continue to be our secret sauce."

In honor of those Associates who, this year, reached a milestone in their careers at Ocean Reef Club, cheers to you and another five, 10, 15 years!



Club Chairman Charlie Johnston addresses the room of tenured Associates



Golf Shop's Sam Kirkland, 7 years, and Rosa Bahr, 5 years



Retail's Vanessa Castillo, 5 years



Micah Winecoff, Port O'Call, 10 years



Enrique Alberto, Luis Bracamonte, Casey Culp and Kristine Ingold, Member Fitness, celebrating a combined 35 years



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Ocean Reef Family Wellness Retreat Committee Members (left to right) Tim and Mary Sullivan, Carole and Kevin Chase, Erin and Jim Seale, Rich and Nikki Beyer, Chuck and Shelia Wagner, Ann and Pete Liashek. (Not Shown: Mike Berman, Bill and Lisa Slater, Nick and Suellen Paleologos, and Ray Larkin)

benefit from Ocean Reef Club.

In early April, Yellow Ribbon Fund organized its fourth 5-day wellness retreat at Ocean Reef Club, where 11 deserving military families had the opportunity to bond, relax, and have fun. Despite starting the week as strangers, they quickly formed strong connections based on their shared experiences of service and sacrifice. As someone who has seen the positive effects of this retreat firsthand, Gina Harrow understands its importance for military families.

Yellow Ribbon Fund recognizes that maintaining mental and physical wellbeing is crucial for families, and the retreat provided an opportunity for families to reconnect in a stress-free environment. Families enjoyed quality time together, building lasting memories and strengthening their relationships, without having to worry about doctor's visits or daily stress.

Ocean Reef Club provided a unique blend of physical activities and respite, promoting the long-term physical and emotional wellbeing of the families. The experience had a profound impact, fostering coping mechanisms, building peer support networks, and promoting overall family wellbeing

Military families, who have often spent extended periods apart, benefitted from the quality time spent together and the opportunity to connect with others who share similar circumstances.

"This trip meant the world to us and our children. It gave us muchneeded family time away from our daily lives. The everyday adventures and the ability to meet the other families was an experience we will never forget." – YRF Caregiver

For the families involved, the retreat was a transformative experience, with children making new friends and experiencing new things, while parents were able to relax and enjoy time with their loved ones.

"Being able to take my mom on

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Yellow Ribbon **Fund**

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her first fishing trip was amazing, just to see the look on her face and experience being on the open water was magical." - Disabled Veteran

Yellow Ribbon Fund is incredibly grateful for the ongoing partnership with Ocean Reef Club and the Ocean Reef Club Committee members, whose support was instrumental in making the retreat a reality. The retreat's impact is immeasurable, and it is a testament to the power of family-centered care in promoting positive outcomes for military families.









Wounded, ill and injured service members and their families spent a five-day retreat at Ocean Reef last month, thanks to the generosity of Members and the Yellow Ribbon Fund.

FRIDAY, MAY 26

EVERGLADES ALLIGATOR FARM TOUR

8:45am • Meet at Nature Center Registration: 305-367-6516



3:00 - 6:00pm · Inn Lobby

Come learn about the event happenings during Memorial Day Weekend, enjoy complimentary cocktails and delicious treats!

RAW BAR LOBSTER BAKE

5:00 - 9:00pm

Reservations: 305-367-5818



ANGLERS' MEETING 5:30pm · Burgee Bar

Learn the tournament rules and mingle with fellow anglers over your favorite Burgee cocktails and appetizers. Details & Entry: 305-367-5874

TEENS ONLY! BEACH BONFIRE

8:00pm · Buccaneer Island Details: 305-367-5962



GOLF SHOP SALE

Saturday, May 27 – Monday, May 29 30% off Red, White and Blue apparel

SATURDAY, MAY 27

DOLPHIN FISHING TOURNAMENT

8am Lines In • 3pm Lines Out 3:30 - 4:30pm Weigh-in • RCK Seawall 5:30pm Awards Presentation at the Burgee Bar. Details & Entry: 305-367-5874

MEMORIAL DAY SALE

10:00am - 5:00pm · Fishing Village

GUIDED ECO-KAYAK TOUR

10:00am · Meet at Pool Desk Reservations: 305-367-6516

KICK OFF TO SUMMER BEACH BASH

7:00 - 10:00pm · Buccaneer Island Complimentary live music and activities. Details: 305-367-5874

TEENS ONLY! AFTER HOURS AT THE REEF **REC ROOM**

10:00pm - Midnight Details: 305-367-2611 x 2003

NATURE CENTER

MAY 26, 27, & 28 2:00 - 5:00pm

REEF REC ROOM Friday, May 26 5:00 - 10:00pm

May 27 & 28 2:00 - 10:00pm

REEF CLUB KIDS

MAY 26, 27 & 28 9:00am - 1:00pm • 6:00 - 10:00pm

MONDAY, MAY 29 9:00am-1:00pm



SUNDAY, MAY 28

KID'S FISHING TOURNAMENT 11:00am · Reef Club Kids Seawall

THE AMAZING REEF RELAY

2:00 - 4:00pm · Meet at Business Center Assemble your team and complete the challenges... The most points win! Complimentary. Details: 305-367-5874

FAMILY NIGHT! DODGEBALL AT FOUR CORNERS

7:00pm • Field at Four Corners



LUAU DINNER

Sunday, May 28 6:00 & 8:00pm Seatings • Palm Court

Savor the sights, sounds & flavors of the Pacific Islands right here on The Reef! Reservations: 305-367-5931

MONDAY, MAY 29

MEMORIAL DAY GOLF TOURNAMENT 8:00am - 1:00pm · Hammock Course

Choose your tee to play from in this 1 Best Ball Net tournament. Entry: 305-367-5912





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MEMBER NEWS









Top & Bottom Left: In a heartwarming gesture, friends surprised Patty and George Lucas with a joyous brunch, commemorating their 65th Wedding Anniversary, a testament to their enduring love since April 19, 1958.

Top Right: The Metzman family recently celebrated their middle son Eric's graduation from Indiana School of Medicine. Eric is joined by his three siblings, Andy, Jake and Melanie, along with his proud parents, Louis and Kathleen Metzman, to celebrate the Metzman family's newest medical doctor.

Bottom Right: Kathleen Metzman is pictured with her three sons, Jake, Andy and Eric. Two days before Eric's graduation, the four ran the Indianapolis Mini Marathon (Louis joined in the pre-race prep). The three boys ran in under 1:45, while Kathleen pulled up the rear with a time of 2:02 for the half-marathon.



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MEMBER NEWS



Happy 100th birthday Claire Bear McCann!

The Ocean Reef Press wishes a very happy birthday to Claire McCann, who is turning 100 this year on Tuesday, June 6. Affectionately known around The Reef as Claire Bear, she began visiting Ocean Reef with her late husband Laurence in the 60s and has loved Ocean Reef ever since. In fact, Claire Bear's daughters remember that her first home at Ocean Reef was an "original cinder block charmer on the ocean." Here, she's pictured at the Bag Room Open, in which she's happily attended year after year in support of the Club's Golf Professionals.





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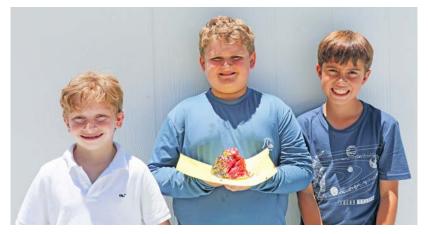
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Unique Camps

By Jody Steele

The Summer Camp Program at Ocean Reef offers over 20 types of camps. Some of them are the traditional choices in areas such as golf, tennis, sailing and the ever-popular Reef Club Kids. However, our camp staff also continues to offer other more "unique" camps to provide variety and cater to special interests. Two of these camps are Brain Teasers and the new Field & Fitness.

Brain Teasers is designed for the creative campers who may someday be an architect or engineer. The camp runs from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., allowing campers to engage in project design, focus on science and technology challenges, and still have time for swimming at Buccaneer. The camp is scheduled for June 11-16 and August 7-11, making it the





Returning for a second year, the Brain Teasers Camp gives kids the chance to experiment with fun projects like building volcanoes, pictured here.

perfect combination for your camper.

The new **Field & Fitness Camp** is tailored for children aged 8-14 who are active and enthusiastic about playing various sports. The camp takes place from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on June 12-16 and August 7-11. Campers will have the opportunity to participate in basketball, soccer, golf, croquet, and swim. Developing athletic skills along with fostering teamwork and

sportsmanship is the goal for these campers.

So make sure to check out these unique camps offered during two different weeks for your family camper who is ready for summer fun at Ocean Reef Club.

Registration

To register, call 305-367-6516, email <u>summercamps@oceanreef.com</u>, or visit <u>oceanreef.com/SummerCamps</u>.



In the brand new Field & Fitness Camp, children ages 8-14 will get active with activities like soccer, basketball, croquet, and more.



Let's Talk Summer!





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Reef Club Kids

Reef Discovery

Nature Exploration

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Kids' Pickleball

Tween Pickleball

Quickstart Tennis

Tween Tennis

Tournament Tough Tennis

Kids Croquet And Pickle

Marine Lab

ORC Golf Camp

Safe Boating Camp

Sailing Camp

Rising Star Theater Camp

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Advanced Chef For A Week

ADULT CAMPS

Moms Only Tennis

Adult Pickleball

Adult Tennis

New!

NEW THIS SEASON

Field & Fitness Camp

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Navigating Rising Costs

Ocean Reef Chamber Businesses' Unwavering Commitment to Excellence

By Brad Copeland, Ocean Reef **Chamber President**

As the President of the Ocean Reef Chamber, serving my third term, I want to take a moment to address this issue of the rising cost of services and assure you that our businesses' commitment to excellence remains unwavering.

From the moment I joined the Chamber in 2012, I quickly realized that our organization stands apart from the typical social clubs, B2B networking groups, and tourism associations found in other Chambers of Commerce. While we do offer some of those benefits to our esteemed members,

our mission extends beyond that. Our primary focus is on nurturing businesses that deliver services aligned with the highest quality standards set by Ocean Reef Club.

At the Ocean Reef Chamber of Commerce, we hold our members to the Ocean Reef level of quality standards. Each applicant undergoes a thorough vetting process conducted by our dedicated Board. Our members genuinely care about delivering exceptional service and continually strive to do so, even in the face of constant cost increases that characterize today's challenging business environment.

As many of you know, I own and operate Going Aire. Just the other day, while reviewing a current job for one of my valued customers, I came across a similar job performed for another customer back in December 2020. It involved a straightforward installation of a standard air conditioning system, much like the one I was evaluating at that moment. What surprised me was

the notable difference in pricing, the cost of the equipment alone now surpasses the total cost of the installation.

I am well aware that the HVAC industry, like many others, has encountered supply chain disruptions and soaring material costs. Additionally, the new EPA standards implemented in 2023 have altered the minimum requirements for equipment, thereby influencing prices.

Cost Challenges Prevalent

Seeking a comprehensive understanding of the situation, I reached out to two esteemed Board members to discuss their experiences within our current economy. They shared similar challenges and shed light on additional factors affecting costs.

Ken Reda, the General Manager of MarineMax, illuminated the obstacles his company faces as Ocean Reef's premier marine service provider. This year alone, MarineMax has invested over \$1,000,000 in equipment

replacements while grappling with payroll costs that have surged by over 40%. These costs are driven by market dynamics and the unique nature of our location (think fuel, tolls, and even lunch).

John Forrer, owner of ProTech E2, faces a combination of the aforementioned challenges, along with rising costs associated with maintaining his own fleet of trucks. The electrical business has, perhaps, been hit hardest by the supply chain disruptions, with parts and even simple meters experiencing exponential price increases. Switches alone have surged by over 50%, and generator switches have witnessed a 30% rise in the last three months. To compound these challenges, the trades are grappling with a shortage of skilled labor.

Despite these hurdles, each of our companies has proudly served the Ocean Reef community for many years. We, along with all the dedicated Chamber members, want our cherished customers-

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Navigating Rising Costs

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the very individuals who provide us with our livelihoods—to know that we remain unwavering in our commitment to delivering quality service. However, we must also acknowledge that delivering on this commitment comes at a price. Rest assured, this price is fair and derived from the competitive marketplace. The dramatic increase in prices at Ocean Reef mirrors the prevailing economic climate affecting businesses everywhere.

The Ocean Reef Chamber of Commerce continues to work diligently within the community to ensure that the quality component of the value proposition remains intact. We understand the importance of maintaining the trust and satisfaction of our customers. Together with our dedicated

"The dedicated Chamber members want our cherished customers—the very individuals who provide us with our livelihoods—to know that we remain unwavering in our commitment to delivering quality service."

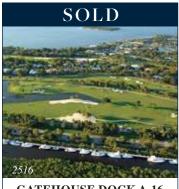
members, we will navigate these challenging times, adapt to the evolving business landscape, and ensure that the businesses of Ocean Reef continue to thrive while providing exceptional services to our community.



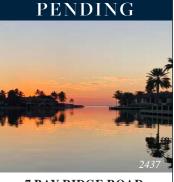
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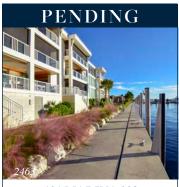




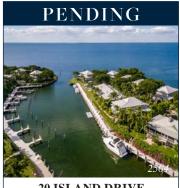
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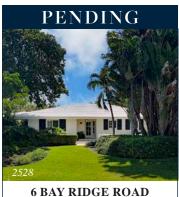
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WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

26 FRIDAY

AA Meeting 7:30am • Chapel Board Room Call 305-390-4983 for additional AA Meetings

Strength & Cycle Class 8am • Member Fitness Center

Pickleball Open Play 8:30am • Tennis & Games Center

Everglades Alligator Farm Tour 8:45am • Meet at Nature Center

Cardio Tennis Clinic 9am • Tennis & Games Center

Lexi Jewelry Trunk Show 9am-5pm • Burgee Shop

Gameio Tennis Clinic 10am • Tennis & Games Center

Zoe's Empire Trunk Show 10am-4pm • Burgee Shop

Stretch & Mobility Class 3pm • Member Fitness Center

Holiday Happenings 3-6pm • Inn Lobby

"Polite Society" (PG13) 4:30 & 7:30pm • Cultural Center

Cocktails 5–8pm • The Point (Members

Only)

Raw Bar Lobster Bake 5-9pm • Raw Bar

Dolphin Fishing Tournament Anglers' Meeting 5:30pm • Burgee Bar

Teens Only! Beach Bonfire 8pm • Buccaneer Island

27 SATURDAY

Danish & Coffee

7-10am • The Point (Members Only)

Cardio Boxing Class 8am • Member Fitness Center

Golf Shop Sale 7:30am-5:30pm • Golf Shop

Dolphin Fishing Tournament 8am Lines In • 3pm Lines Out RCK Seawall

Sweat Class 8am • Member Fitness Center

Beach Yoga Class 8am • Member Fitness Center

Cardio Tennis Clinic 8am • Tennis & Games Center

Lexi Jewelry Trunk Show

9am-5pm • Burgee Shop **Memorial Day Sale**

10am-5pm • Fishing Village Maui Jim & Block UV Trunk Show

11am-4pm • Buccaneer Island

Kick Off to Summer Beach Bash 7-10pm • Buccaneer Island

9pm • Burgee Bar

Teens Only! After Hours at the Reef Rec Room

10pm-12am • Buccaneer Island

28 SUNDAY

Danish & Coffee

7-10am • The Point (Members Only)

Golf Shop Sale 7:30am-5:30pm • Golf Shop

Cardio Tennis Clinic 8am • Tennis & Games Center

Reformer Pilates Class 9am • Member Fitness Center

Lexi Jewelry Trunk Show 9am-5pm • Burgee Shop

Beginners Sailing Clinic 9:30am • Meet at the Pool Desk

Kids Fishing Tournament 11am • Meet at Reef Club Kids Seawall

Maui Jim Trunk Show 11am-4pm • Buccaneer Island

Inflatable Excitement 2-4pm • Buccaneer Island

The Amazing Reef Relay 2-4pm • Business Center

Luau Dinner

6 & 8pm Seatings • Palm Court

Family Night! Dodgeball at Four **Corners**

7pm • Field at Four Corners

Live Band at Burgee Bar 9pm-1am • Burgee Bar

29 MONDAY

Golf Shop Sale

7:30am-5:30pm • Golf Shop

Memorial Day Golf Tournament 8am-1pm • Hammock Course

Pickleball Open Play 8:30am • Tennis & Games Center

Cardio Tennis Clinic 9am • Tennis & Games Center

Lexi Jewelry Trunk Show 9am-5pm • Burgee Shop

Barre Sculpt & Restore Special Memorial Day Edition

10am • Member Fitness Center

Gameio Tennis Clinic 10am • Tennis & Games Center

30 TUESDAY

Master Swim Class

8am • Member Fitness Pool

Sweat Class

8am • Member Fitness Center

Pickleball Open Play

8:30am • Tennis & Games Center

Vinyasa Yoga Class

9am • Member Fitness Center

Cardio Tennis Clinic

9am • Tennis & Games Center

Gameio Tennis Clinic

10am • Tennis & Games Center

Dancing Through the Decades 10am • Member Fitness Center

Aqua Cardio Class

11am • Member Fitness Pool

FIT Camp 12pm • Member Fitness Center

31 WEDNESDAY

Intercessory Prayer

8am • Chapel Living Room

Pickleball Open Play

8:30am • Tennis & Games Center

Cardio Tennis Clinic

9am • Tennis & Games Center

Strength & Cycle Class

8am • Member Fitness Center

Mat Pilates w/Spine Corrector 9am • Member Fitness Center

Cultural Center Museum Open

9am-4pm • Cultural Center

Funky Fun Flow Yoga 10am • Member Fitness Center

Pickleball Clinic 11am • Tennis & Games Center

Aqua Cardio Class

11am • Member Fitness Pool

TRX (Outdoor Gym)

11am • Member Fitness Center

1 THURSDAY

Master Swim Class

8am • Member Fitness Pool

Sweat Class

8am • Member Fitness Center

Pickleball Open Play

8:30am • Tennis & Games Center

Cardio Tennis Clinic

9am • Tennis & Games Center

Vinyasa Yoga Class

9am • Member Fitness Center

Cultural Center Museum Open 9am-4pm • Cultural Center

Gameio Tennis Clinic

10am • Tennis & Games Center

10am-12pm • Cultural Center

FIT Camp

12pm • Member Fitness Center

Mah Jongg & Canasta Lessons 12:30-2pm • Card & Games Center

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"Polite Society" (PG13)

Fri., May 26 • 4:30pm & 7:30pm Wed., May 31 • 7:30pm Runtime: 1hr 44min Director: Nida Manzoor Genre: Comedy, Action Stars: Priya Kansara, Ritu Arya, Renu Brindle

Premise: Ria Khan believes she must save her older sister Lena from her impending marriage. After enlisting her friends help, she attempts to pull off the most ambitious of all wedding heists in the name of independence and sisterhood.

"John Wick: Chapter 4" (R)

Fri., June 2 • 4:30pm & 7:30pm Wed., June 7 • 4:30pm & 7:30pm Runtime: 2hr 49min Director: Chad Stahelski Genre: Action, Crime, Thriller Stars: Keanu Reeves, Laurence Fishburne, George Georgiou Premise: John Wick uncovers a path to defeating The High Table. But before he can earn his freedom, Wick must face off against a new enemy with powerful alliances across the globe and forces that turn old friends into foes.

The Met: Live in HD

Die Zauberflote by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart Sat., June 3 • 12:55pm Runtime: 3hr 30min Tickets: \$25 at the Door One of opera's most beloved works receives its first new Met staging in 19 years—a daring vision by renowned English director Simon McBurney.

Your support of the All Charities Weekend strengthens entities, like the Cultural Center, that enhance Ocean Reef Club's Unique Way of Life and enables the Ocean Reef Community Foundation to provide for thousands in Key Largo, Homestead and Florida City. Call 305-367-5996 to learn more.

Cultural Center Museum

Daily 9am-4pm • Open During Movies

Library Hours

Monday & Thursday • 10am-12pm

CLUB SHOPPING

Joan the Shopper

Memorable Shopping Memorial Day Weekend (May 26 through 29) offers an unequaled opportunity for shopping at Ocean Reef.... There are trunk shows that feature some of our favorite vendors; attractive merchandise on sale in many OR stores; and an outdoor street fair with racks and counters filled with great finds, frequently at bargain prices.... To make sure that all of you dedicated shoppers don't miss anything, here is a brief outline of the weekend schedule – FRIDAY May 26: The Burgee Shop in the Fishing Village is featuring **Zoe's Empire** Trunk Show. This Miami-based line of dresses, conceived by Sylvia Njeri, is among the Burgee Shop's best sellers. Sylvia, who immigrated from Kenya, incorporates the bright colors and interesting designs from her home country into the ultra-feminine loosefitting dresses (long and short) that are currently all the rage. Pictured here is an example.... Also at Burgee, there's a trunk show for Lexi Jewelry (5/26 to 5/29). This line of handcrafted jewelry is made in small batches in the Lexi studio in Miami. Their mantra is "Made with your everyday lifestyle in mind." I like that... SATURDAY (5/27) the Fishing Village will be the scene of a sidewalk sale. Most of the FV stores will have outside displays with more bargains



from Zoe's Empire

is the huge J. McLaughlin sale, which runs from Friday through Monday with 50% off many items (some are 70%) Also represented in this one-day souk will be the **OR Golf Shop**; Island Garden; Sandpiper; Angie Chemla Purses and Lauri Afri kids.... And all of you regular customers at the Farmer's Market will be delighted to hear that Kool Treats, Gemita's Kitchen and Lomelo's Wagyu Steaks will also be on hand on Saturday at the Fishing Village....The good news for the future is that many of these Memorial Weekend sales don't end with Memorial Day – e.g., Tennis Shop; Spa; Fitness Boutique; and Sandpiper. (At Sandpiper's Barracuda Lane location, the sales will continue with most everything in the store discounted.) Last **Word:** Nothing haunts us like the things we didn't buy.

by Joan Birsh

OCEAN REEF STORE HOURS

Peter Millar

available inside. Top of my list

Closed for Summer

The Burgee Shop

Mon., Tues., & Thurs.-Sun. 9am – 5pm (Closed Wed. May 31) 305-367-2611, ext. 5515

Golf Shop

Mon., May 29 • 7am − 5pm Tues.-Sun. 7am-4pm 305-367-5912

Tennis Pro Shop

Daily • 8am – 5:30pm 305-367-6583

Port O' Call Wine & Spirits

Mon.-Thurs. & Sun. 11am-6pm Fri. & Sat. ● 11am – 9pm 305-367-5999

Ocean Reef Gift Shop

Daily 7am – 5pm 305-367-2611, ext. 7139

Member Fitness Center

Mon. • 6am – 7pm Tues.-Fri. • 7am-6pm Sat. & Sun. • 7am – 4pm 305-367-5820

WINING & DINING

MONDAY, MAY 29 - SUNDAY, JUNE 4

Palm Court

Lunch Daily 11:30am-3:30pm (Serving inside the Islander)

Palm Court Nights Cantina

Dinner closed for summer

Beach Bar & Grill

Beverages Daily 11am-8pm Food Mon.-Thurs.11:30am-4pm • Fri.-Sun. 11:30am-5pm

Islander & Sushi Bar*

Mon.-Thurs. & Sun. 6-9pm Fri. & Sat. 6-10pm

The Ocean Room

Breakfast Mon.-Sat. 7-11am Buffet Sun. 7am-12pm Dinner closed for summer

Gianni Ristorante*

Dinner Mon.-Thurs. & Sun. 6-9pm Fri. & Sat. 6-10pm G the Bar opens 30 min. before dinner

Raw Bar

Lunch Daily 11am-4pm • Dinner Closed for Summer

Port O' Call Wine & Spirits

Mon.-Thurs. & Sun. 11am-6pm • Fri. & Sat. 11am-9pm

Reef Treats

Mon.-Thurs. & Sun. 7am-9pm • Fri. & Sat. 7am-10pm

Reef Hut

Lunch Mon.-Fri. 11am-4pm Dinner closed for summer

Reef Eats

Breakfast closed for summer
Dinner Mon & Sun. 4-10pm • Tues.-Thurs. 5-10pm • Fri.-Sat. 4-11pm
305- 367-5898

Fitness Café

Mon.-Fri. 7am-3pm • Sat. & Sun. 7am-2pm

The Point (Members Only)

Coffee Sat. & Sun. 7-10am • Cocktails Fri.-Sun. 5-8pm

Burgee Bar

Dinner Daily 5-10pm Cocktails Mon.-Thurs. & Sun. 5pm-12am • Fri. & Sat. 5pm-1am

Reef Lounge

Small Plates Tues.-Sun. 5-10pm Cocktails Tues.-Thurs. 5-11pm Fri.-Sun. 5pm-12am

CH Prime (Members Only)*

Closed for Summer

CH Lounge (Members Only)*

Closed for Summer

Toski's

Snack Bar closed for summer

Town Hall Waterside

Dinner closed for summer

Grill Room (Members Only)

Lunch Mon., Thurs.- Sun. 11am-4pm Dinner Closed for Summer

Rum Runner

Open Daily 9am-4pm

Visit oceanreef.com/Dining for menus and weekly specials. For dining reservations, call 305-367-5931. *Reservations required.

Weather or Not!



'Dot.calm" by Jane Silverman Berman

Throughout history, man has tried to predict the weather; for instance, according to The Farmer's Almanac for centuries people have accurately used dried twigs of balsam fir hung outside: the stick curls upward for good weather and downwards when bad weather is coming.

My grandmother taught me that rain was coming if the wind blew the leaves on the trees and flipped their undersides up. Other rain-forecasting oddities in nature include cats will clean their ears (and/or sneeze), spiders come down from their webs, cows lie down in a field,



Dr. George Merryweather's 19thcentury Tempest Prognosticator used leeches to predict rain.

and some flower petals will close to protect their pollen.

One of the oddest uses of nature to predict bad weather was a device created by the aptly named Dr. George Merryweather in the 19th century. The almost accurate (which was pretty good back



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then) Tempest Prognosticator https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ Tempest prognosticator was an ornate barometric apparatus that used leeches. The device stood over three feet tall with 12 pint-sized glass bottles in a circle around its base. At the mouth of each bottle was a tiny whalebone pin attached to a wire with a small hammer which was connected to a bell. Each bottle contained a leech in a few inches of water. In nature, leeches remain lower in water unless it is rainy when they rise to the top. Like mercury rising in a thermometer, the leeches would rise in the bottles as a storm approached, jiggering the pin and triggering the bell repeatedly, thus ringing in the rain. Really.

Pocket Prognosticator:

I check the weather as soon as I wake up, before I make a plan during the week, and before I go to sleep at night. I regularly compare my weather apps for detailed hourly and daily forecasts, radar maps, severe weather alerts, and more, bouncing between The Weather Channel-Radar, Accuweather: Weather Alerts, Yahoo Weather (stunning photos!), and

MyRadar Weather Radar.

Whether you are a weatherobsessed person or not, why not brighten your day with these fun – dare I say odd? -- weather apps:

Not Boring Weather (iPhone/iPad)

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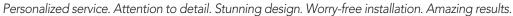
Bottom: Molle Pope living the Ocean Reef way of life, thanks to mom Patti Pope.

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by Susan Bohan

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novel which brings her to
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Baldacci – psychological thriller
pitting two very different women
in a game of cat and mouse with
a mysterious ending

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"Homecoming" by Kate Morton – the importance of family and the secrets they keep set in South Australia in this intricate tale

"Hello Beautiful" by Ann Napolitano – a moving portrait of enduring love complicated



by circumstances of a new love's past

"Hang the Moon" by Jeannette Walls – a feisty heroine fights for what is rightly hers in a family and a town full of secret factions and reckless characters

"City of Dreams" by Don Winslow – second in the trilogy of Danny Ryan, which began with "City on Fire," about a man and his family on the run from both the government and crime families who must risk their lives to return to a peaceful life again

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'Spa Notes" by Jillian Barron, The Spa Director

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SPORTS

INSIDE THIS ISSUE

The Treasure of Fisherman's Cove



by Robert Broton, Flotilla Commander, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary-Ocean Reef

A combination of natural water flow and man-made dredging created one of the most iconic areas of Ocean Reef. These acres of water are surrounded by 88 residences with docks, all overlooking the cove and its inner island. The key to its success is easy access by water to Pumpkin Creek, Angelfish Creek, Card



Proof that waves erode the coral walls, causing boulders to fall into the cove.

Sound Intercoastal and the reefs of Key Largo. It is a fragile balance of nature with man. This balance is being corrupted by unaware boaters.

Cove balance requires NO WAKE. The unnecessary wave action disturbs the coral walls and erodes them from the underside resulting in boulders tumbling into the cove, destroying the shoreline.

Safety is also concern. When leaving the cove by



Blast horn 20 feet past the sign.

boat, send someone forward to listen first. To prevent collision, a sign is posted, "Narrow passage. Blow horn two long blasts. Slow speed." Sound these blasts for two to five seconds and 20 feet PAST the sign to project the sound outward into the creek - otherwise it is not heard. Sounding too early disturbs the community and is ineffective. When entering

from Pumpkin Creek, listen first, then **one loud blast two to five seconds** directed into the channel before entering. If you hear another boat after entering, use 5 short blasts as a warning. Be sure your horn is loud enough to be heard.

Fisherman's Cove is a treasure - let's keep it that way.

Tennis

Players of the Week

Sarah Grace and Benny Rein



Where is your favorite place to spend time at Ocean Reef besides the Tennis & Games Center? Benny: Reef Rec Room Sarah Grace: Buccaneer

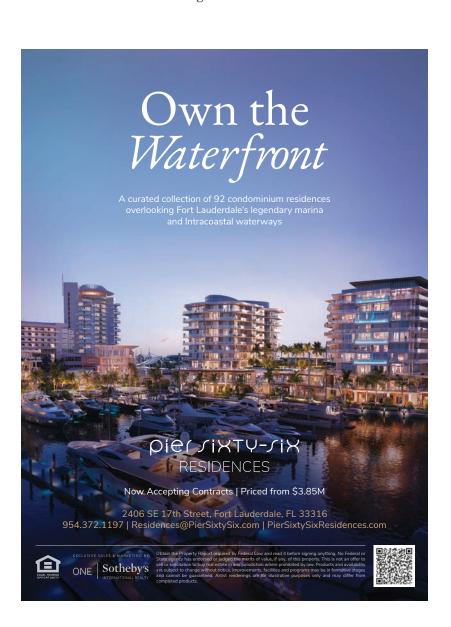
What is your favorite tennis game?

Island

Benny: 21 Sarah Grace: Fruit Salad

What is your favorite ice cream at Reef Treats?

Benny: Cookie Dough Sarah Grace: Cookies and Crème



Summer Camps Galore!



by Hannah Fleckenstein, Head Tennis Professional

Man, oh man! Can you believe this is Memorial Weekend? It seems like just yesterday I was planning the Harvest Moon Opening Round Robin. What a fabulous winter season we had this year thanks to all of you! Justin, myself and the rest of the Tennis & Games Staff are so thankful for the support that we received from the membership this year, especially as both Justin and I took on new and exciting roles here at Ocean Reef.

With all of that being said, we are ready and gearing up

for a jam-packed summer full of sunshine, smiles and summer camps! Our staff this summer will consist of many familiar faces that include myself, Justin and our beloved pickleball pro, Kevin Girard. A few newcomers will also be joining us to wrangle the campers that we are excitedly anticipating! Anyone that has been at the Tennis & Games Center this past week has met our newest arrival, Jose Vacabustamante. Hailing originally from Santa Cruz, Bolivia, Vacabustamante has coached all over the world in places such as New Zealand, Alaska and the Maldives, but most recently he was in Naples, Florida! We are excited to have him aboard and we can't wait for him to meet all of you. Next time you are at the Tennis & Games Center, please come say hello to Jose, our newest Assistant Tennis Professional.

Speaking of campers, we

are excited to offer a wide variety of camps again this summer, including fan favorites Quickstart Tennis, Tournament Tough Tennis Camp, Moms Only Tennis Camp, Adult Pickleball, Tween Pickleball, and Kids Pickleball

We are excited to expand our offerings to include the croquet lawn this summer. From June 26th to the 30th, we will be running Kids Croquet and Pickleball Camp which will introduce campers to the rules of Golf Croquet, our croquet game of choice here at Ocean Reef! Once the campers master the art of blocking, clearing and jumping balls through the wickets, they will take their talents to the pickleball courts where they will learn to drive, drop and dink their way to success. This camp is certainly the training ground for dual sport club champions to come. For the adults that are kids at heart, we did not forget about you! From July 24th to the 28th we will be offering Adult TPC Camp (tennis, pickleball & croquet) for our triathlete members. Similar to that of the Kids Croquet and Pickleball Camp, campers will learn the necessary rules and skills on the croquet lawn and pickleball courts, with the added bonus of time on the tennis court to sharpen their groundstrokes, volleys and everyone's favorite - the overhead.

We are excited about all that is to come this summer and we look forward to seeing you on the courts and the lawn when you are not on the water!

Summer Camp Schedule: Week of June 26-30

9 a.m.-12 p.m. Moms Only Tennis 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Kids Croquet & Pickle Quickstart Tennis 1:30-4:30 p.m. Tween Pickleball

Week of July 3-7

9 a.m.-12 p.m. Adult Pickleball 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Kids Pickleball Quickstart Tennis 1:30-4:30 p.m. Tournament Tough

Week of July 10-14

9 a.m.-1 p.m. Quickstart Tennis 1:30-4:30 pm Tween Pickleball Tween Tennis

Week of July 17-21

9 a.m.-1 p.m. Quickstart Tennis Kids Pickleball 1:30-4:30 p.m. Tournament Tough

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Gameio Tennis Clinic Daily 10-11 a.m.

Pickleball Open Play Mondays-Saturdays 8:30-10 a m

Men's Night Tennis League Mondays 5:30-7 p.m.

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Beginner Pickleball Clinic Sundays 11 a.m.-12 p.m.

TENNIS RESULTS

MEN'S "B" NIGHT TENNIS LEAGUE

Monday, May 22

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Introducing Assistant Tennis Professional Jose Vacabustamante

The Tennis & Games Center welcomes their newest Assistant Tennis Professional, Jose Vacabustamante, to the courts. Here's a little bit about Jose!

Where are you from?

I was born and raised in Santa Cruz, Bolivia until I was 17 years old.

Where did you play college tennis?

I played and attended Emporia State University (NCAA D2) in Emporia, Kansas.



Jose Vacabustamante

Where have you worked in the past as a Tennis Professional?

I have worked as an assistant college coach as well as in tennis clubs, tennis academies and resorts.

- Tennis clubs: Genesis Health Club-Kansas City, Emporia Country Club – Emporia, KS
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• Resorts: Casa de Campo, Dominican Republic - Tennis Director, One and Only, Maldives - Tennis Professional and Recreation, Ritz Carlton Fari Islands, Maldives - Tennis Professional and Recreation Supervisor

What other positions have you worked and where?

I worked as a Recreation Manager at Chena Hot Springs Resort in Fairbanks Alaska, Sports Coordinator in Seward, Alaska, Executive Airport Lineman in San Francisco, CA, and at Executive Homestead Airport, and a Fitness Director for Workout Anytime Gyms.

What is your favorite thing about teaching tennis and teaching people in general?

I love teaching tennis because I can share my knowledge for the sport and thus spread the

passion for tennis! I also love watching people get better!

What are you looking forward to this summer at Ocean Reef?

I am looking forward to meeting the Members and guests, especially the ones that love playing tennis and other sports. I am also excited to be immersed in the Ocean Reef culture and the Keys way of living!

What is your favorite thing to do when you are not on the court?

I love kitesurfing and going out to the ocean. I love fishing, camping, watersports, soccer, disc golf, pickleball, basically sports in general and being outside doing fun things.

You are currently in flight school! What excites you about flying?

I love flying because when I fly, I feel free, and love sightseeing nature from above and in the air.





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Communicating **During Doubles** Play



by Jose Vacabustamante, **Assistant Tennis Professional**

For this tennis tip of the week, I wanted to emphasize the importance of communication when playing doubles. When you are playing doubles there's always confusion between you and your partner in specific areas of the court. The most common one is when the ball goes between you and your partner. My tip is when that happens, always make sure the priority to hit that ball goes to the dominant side of the player. For example, if we are both right-handed and my position

on the court is on the add side, I have priority to hit the ball if it goes in the middle because I'd be hitting it with my dominant stroke, which is my forehand. This way, we reduce that confusion and my partner and I become more aggressive, which in doubles is very important.

Keeping this confusion in mind when thinking of how to best your opponents, you must aim to hit the ball low to their feet and to the middle when both of your opponents come to the net. This way, you will create an opportunity for a weak volley or an easy ball to put away or volley back with aggression, winning the point.

In summary, to become a great doubles player in defensive mode, you must cover the middle, communicating with your partner that whoever is in the position to play with their dominant side has priority, and when both opponents come to the net, hit to the middle-low to their feet. Communication and knowing where you and

your partner and opponents are on the court is the key to winning in doubles.

Serving in Doubles

Another quick tip in doubles is to serve in the right target of the serving box.

A great serve in doubles is where you can give the best opportunity for your partner to put balls away or to get a weak return or no return at all. Serving in doubles is about placing the ball instead of power. I would recommend keeping a slower-pace serve where you can control the placement of the ball. Then depending on your level of play, you can adjust the power.

Ideally, you would like to place the ball in three targeted areas inside the service box - to the T, middle, and wide. Once, you pick a target, you can communicate with your partner where you plan to place the serve and he/she can anticipate where the return will be, creating opportunities for

winning the point by putting balls away or winning the point on the serve. The strategy behind the three targets relies on the opponent's ability to return successfully. For example, if my opponent is having a hard time returning on his/her forehand, I would place the ball to the T (considering if he/ she are right-handed), or if his/ her weakness is backhand, then I would place the ball on the wide side of the service box. If they have very good return on either side, another option is placing it in the middle so your opponent must move out of the way and create an opportunity to get a weaker return or even winning the point.

Overall, serving in the right box target can give you and your partner huge opportunities to anticipate and win more points at the net.

For more tips like these, schedule a lesson with the Tennis & Games Center by calling 305-367-6583.

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The Golf Team invites all fathers and children to participate in the Annual Father's Day Tournament. This is a 9-hole 2-person Scramble Event. Teams must consist of father and child and teams will receive 50% of their course handicap. The Father's Day Tournament will take place on the Front Nine of the Hammock Course with tee times beginning at 8 a.m. Call the Golf Shop to register your team!

Driving Range Maintenance

During the summer season, the Driving Range will be open from 7:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily, excluding Tuesdays. The Driving Range will be closed on

Tuesdays from 12 to 4 p.m.

Course Closure Schedule

In addition to the regular golf course maintenance being done this summer to the Hammock Course, the Dolphin Course is closed for the duration of the summer for re-grassing. To accommodate golfers this summer, the Hammock Course will alternate opening and closing nine holes at a time so players can always play a 9-hole round or 18 holes by completing the nine holes twice. The closure schedule is as follows:

Hammock Course Maintenance 18 Holes Open:

Now through June 6th

Back 9 Closed:

June 7th – June 30th August 7th – September 3rd

Front 9 Closed:

July 10th – August 3rd September 4th – October 1st

ALL 18 Holes Open:

July 1st – 9th





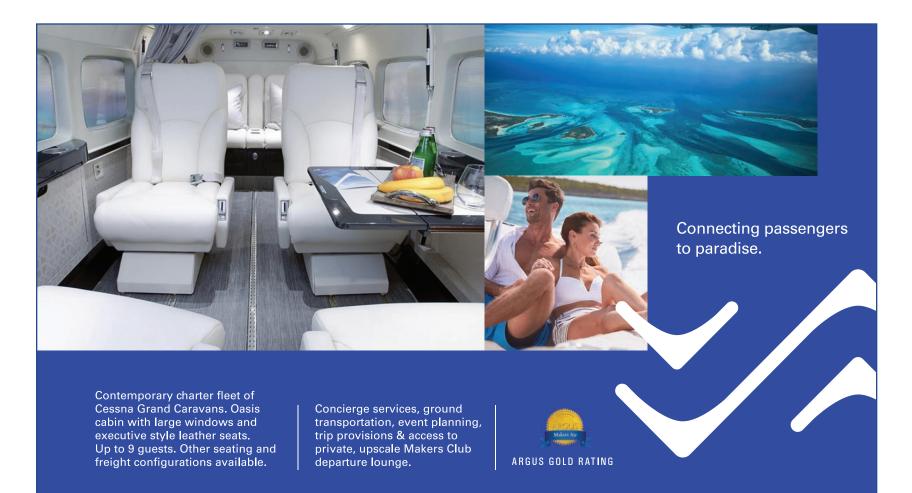
HOLES-IN-ONE



While playing golf with his father and brother during his spring break at Ocean Reef, nine-year-old Duncan Murdough (right) made an impressive hole-in-one on the 9th hole of the Dolphin Course, which is situated over the water! Here, Duncan is pictured with his proud older brother, Marshall Jr. Duncan is the son of Marshall and Cindy Murdough, and grandson of longtime Members Tom and Joy Murdough.



Blake Hogan scored a hole-in-one this month on Hole #4 of the Hammock Course. He's accompanied here by Jack Tatelman (left) and Lenny Caffrey (right).



Do You Have the Correct Grip for Your Game?



"Swing Tip"
by Derek
Swoboda,
Director of
Instruction

The grip is likely the most important piece of our set up or foundation. Without a proper grip, it is highly unlikely that we are going to achieve the desired results we are all looking for! Let's begin by talking about the three grip definitions and how they work with the golf club.

1. Weak

A weak grip consists of the

bottom hand being more on top of the golf club at address where you will see the thumb on the side of the club. This grip tends to open the club face at impact and looks like the player has a "early release".

2. Neutral

A neutral grip is on the side of the club where the palm of the bottom hand is facing the target. This grip is not weak or strong it is just in the middle allowing for a very square club face at impact while the hands are slightly ahead of the ball.

3. Strong

A strong grip is where the palm of the bottom hand faces more toward the sky. The bottom hand looks like it is curled under the club which allows the club face to close rapidly at impact. Players with a strong grip will have

an extreme amount of shaft lean at impact giving the view of keeping the hands very far ahead of the ball.

Professional Player Examples of Each Grip

Jack Nicklaus had a very weak right hand grip. The Golden Bear played a power fade with much success due to that weak right hand. For Jack, this grip was his strongest way to play and helped him to win 18 major championships. As a result of his weak right hand, Jack was able to use his hands to release the club as much as he wanted to, giving the view of too much hands. Watching Nicklaus at impact is perhaps even more incredible.

Rory McIlroy has one of those incredibly beautiful golf swings everyone enjoys seeing. Rory has a very neutral right hand which allows him to move the ball in either direction very simply if he needs to.

Dustin Johnson has been one of the most talented players of recent times on the tour. Dustin has an extremely strong grip when it comes to both hands. How is it possible with this grip to be a fade player? Dustin's hips are so incredibly fast it allows his right elbow to tuck in front of his hip when moving to the golf ball. This gives a visual of the hands being very far in front of the golf ball at impact allowing Dustin to keep the club face open and hitting fades.

All of this information is great but how do we know what we should be doing in our set up to have a grip which is appropriate you each of us? Come get tested at the Academy of Golf to find out what you should be and start playing your best golf!



OFF THE REEF



Linda Jaikins with her son David shooting Sporting Clays in Charleston S.C.

United States Coast Guard Auxiliary Safe Boating Class

From the USCG Auxiliary - Ocean Reef

Looking to enhance your boating skills and ensure the safety of yourself and others on the water? Join us for the upcoming US Coast Guard Auxiliary Safe Boating Class on June 10 & 11 at the Coast Guard Station, located at 1800 Overseas Highway, Marathon, FL.

The class will run from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. each day, with a half-hour break at noon. To secure your spot in this course, the fee for course materials is \$20.00, payable online. Remember, preregistration is required,

so act swiftly to reserve your spot!

To register, contact Jim Doran at drjimdoran@gmail. com and include your name, city, and state of residence. Please note that the class has limited availability, and places may fill up rapidly.

Upon successful completion of this comprehensive course, you will be awarded the Coast Guard Auxiliary Completion Certificate, the Coast Guard Auxiliary Boating Safety Card, and the Florida State Boater Education Identification Card. Not only will you gain invaluable knowledge and expertise, but you'll also be eligible for significant benefits. Many insurance companies offer up to a 15% discount on boat insurance premiums for holders of this certification.

Don't miss this opportunity to elevate your boating skills, and ensure safety on the water.



The Five Pillars of Fitness



'Fitness Focus" by Luis Bracamonte, Director of Fitness & Wellness

If you aim to be a stronger, healthier, leaner, more resilient version of yourself, spend time improving these five pillars:

Movement

This pillar refers to the combined effect of daily physical activity and exercise in all its formats and intensity levels. If you are a beginner, aim to sit less and walk more. Stretch 5 minutes daily and perform 20 to 30 minutes of aerobic or steady-pace exercise two to three times per week, plus two to three sessions of 20 to 30 minutes of strength

training, such as doing squats or push-ups per week. Add high-intensity intervals once or twice per week for those at the intermediate level. Exercise for the week should include resistance training, cardiovascular conditioning, and range of motion/flexibility training for 4 hours or more per week. At the intermediate level, your body should experience a significant difference in how you look and feel. The advanced level has no limits and is the most rewarding. Here is where movement and exercise becomes an integral part of your life. When you reach this level, your body works for you, and you will find challenges exciting.

Nutrition

What we eat and drink ends up becoming our cells and the fuel that moves us. The field of nutrition has numerous points of view, many contradictory, and it is not my goal to recommend any particular diet. However, paying attention to what we eat and how much we eat is important. In time. through trial and error, we find what works for each of us in a sustainable and enjoyable way. Staying with mainstream recommendations, reducing sugars, starches, alcohol, and fried food intake makes managing weight significantly easier. Your protein intake should support your active lifestyle, and look to eat several servings of vegetables per day to cover micronutrient needs. Food can be a source of pleasure and connection while giving our bodies everything they need for optimal performance.

Recovery

Sleep and recovery modalities such as massage, saunas, and cold therapies are trending as professional athletes and teams invest more in them. Pro athletes know that injury risk increases and performance decreases without proper recovery. We do not need to engage in professional sports to benefit from this practice. Think of sleep quantity and quality as the most important physical aspect of recovery. Massage through the hands of a therapist or self-massage tools such as massage guns, Power Plate whole body vibration, or foam rollers decreases excess tension and maintains suppleness. Hydration, especially during the summer months, is key. If you are experiencing regular muscle cramping, you are likely experiencing water and/ or electrolyte imbalance. Dehydration increases mental fatigue and significantly reduces physical performance. Other recovery modalities that are increasingly popular in the professional athletic and wellness worlds are cold plunges and saunas. Recovery is paramount to physical and mental progress and development.

Mindset

When we focus on controlling what we can control, we turn the world into our playground.

We can increase control over our thoughts, emotions, actions, and reactions. One way to start is to learn to focus on one thing at a time and give the frame we want to give it. Meditation, after all, is not about emptying our minds but focusing our attention. In the same way that running strengthens our legs, meditation strengthens our minds. Spend two minutes each day focusing on your breath. Become aware of each inhalation and exhalation. Pay attention to a particular sound or visual and explore it completely. When you practice awareness and focus, you will become more skilled at controlling your thoughts, emotions, actions, and reactions. The world we live in is the world we perceive.

Connection

We are social animals wired for connection. Extroverts and introverts need it in different degrees, forms, lengths, and intensities, but we all need it. We must not fear exploring connections to others to live our best emotional, human lives. Make sure your connections align with your personal goals of self-mastery and growth. As we wake up daily to make the best of each moment, focus on everything and everyone surrounding us. Life is action, motion, discovery, exploration, and interpretation.

Make the most out of your summer and beyond through fitness mastery. The Member Fitness Center remains open all year, every day of the week, to meet your gym-time needs. Summer hours, which start on Tuesday, May 30th after Memorial Day, are Monday to Friday, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Outdoor Fitness Tent and the Fitness Pool are the same as the Member Fitness hours. The Marina Fitness Center is open to Members 24/7. For all inquiries on group class schedules, personal training, yoga, or Pilates, contact us at 305-367-5820.

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Exciting Updates for Card & Gamers: Season Recap and Upcoming Events



by Gregg Van Dyke, Director of Card & Games

As the season comes to a close, gratitude is extended to you for your incredible support. Your enthusiasm and participation have made this season truly memorable. Rest assured, efforts are underway to plan an even more exciting

experience for the upcoming season.

Here's a roundup of what's in store for you:

Men's Poker Game:

Mark your calendars for the next regular men's poker game, which will take place in October. Thanks to everyone who made it a great season.

Bridge Lessons:

If you're seeking to enhance your bridge skills, support is available. Starting May 30th, every Tuesday and Thursday after 3 p.m., you can attend bridge lessons focusing on any topics you're having trouble with. This is a great opportunity to sharpen your skills

Canasta Pick Up Games:

Join us on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays between 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. Just show up, and we'll organize games as we used to before the pandemic. If you're new to Canasta or need a refresher, lessons are available on Thursdays at 12:30 p.m. It's a fantastic way to socialize and make new connections.

Mah Jongg Pickup Games:

Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. are reserved for Mah Jongg pickup games. Come and enjoy this captivating game with fellow enthusiasts.

Beginners Canasta Lessons:

Are you new to Canasta? Join our beginners' lessons on Thursday, June 1at 12:30 p.m.

Live Duplicate Bridge:

Beginning in June, there will be games on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, starting at 1 p.m. Additionally, in June, we will feature North American Games, offering extra points for participants. To ensure a thrilling competition, we require a minimum of three tables, so bring your friends!

Online Bridge:

In July, Online Bridge will begin. Your participation is encouraged. If you need instructions on how to join, please reach out to Gregg at 305-367-6609.

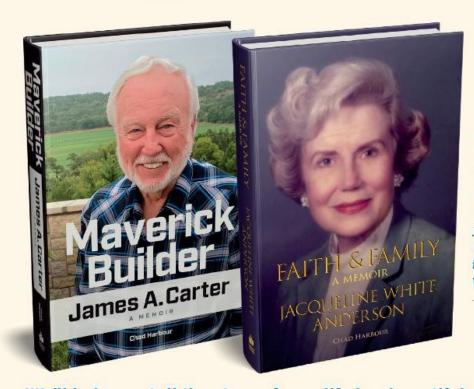
Backgammon:

Starting June 2nd at 10:30 a.m., backgammon lessons will be on Friday mornings. To reserve your spot, call 367-6609. You can check out backgammon games from and practice at home.

Stay tuned for the June Card & Game Room Schedule, which will be released soon. You can pick up a copy at the Card & Games Room.

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BRIDGE TIP

Bidding With Interference

Bidding would be a lot easier if the opponents did not interfere. But we know this is not the case. Here are some guidelines when the opponents get in our

After a Suit Overcall

Suit Responses:

If your partner opens and the next opponent overcalls in a suit then 2/1 Game Forcing (including 1NT Forcing) are OFF. We now revert to Standard Bidding:

- •New suit at the 1-level promises 4 pieces (6+ points).
- •New suit at the 2-level promises 5 pieces (10+ points).

- •1NT would show a balanced hand with 6-10 HCPs (with stoppers in the opponent's suit)
- •Raise in partner's suit would show 3 card support and 7-10 points
- •Double raise in partner's suit would show 4 card support and 6-9 points
- •Triple raise in partner's suit would show 5 card support and 6-9 points.

•Cue Bid would show a Limit Raise (11-12) or Better

Examples below:

West	North 1 ♣	East 1 ◆	South $1 \spadesuit = 4$ spades and $6+$ points
	1 4	1 🔷	1NT = 6-10 HCPs with diamonds stoppers (no 4-card major)
	1 ♠	2 🔷	2♥ = 5 hearts and 10+ points (forcing)
	1 🏚	2 🔷	2 = 3 spades and 7-10 points (non-forcing)
	1 🛧	2 🔷	$3 \spadesuit = 4$ spades and 6-9 points (non-forcing)
	1 🏚	2 🔷	4 = 5 spades and 6-9 points (non-forcing)
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- 1) Suzy Heilpern Beverly Platner
- 2) Betsy Caldwell Brian Platner
- 3) Ann Petersen Hollis Petersen
- 4) Amy Salisbury Dorothy Kemp
- 5) Pat Henry Charles Simms

Wednesday, April 12, 2023 Section A North-South

- 1) Betsy Caldwell Cynthia Mitchell
- 2) Adelaide Jared Jay Beatty
- 3) Amy Salisbury Fred Bacher
- 4) Deborah Nutt Gail Yoh

Section A East-West

- 1) Pamela Harding Cynthia Comenos
- 2) Beverly Platner Brian Platner

3) Rodman Patton - Ron Besse

Friday, April 14, 2023 North-South

- 1) Fred Bacher Amy Salisbury
- 2) Monica Phillips Paula Pendergast
- 3) Pat Henry Suzy Heilpern
- 4) Jeff Schumer Pamela Schumer

Section A East-West

- 1) Pamela Harding Kathie Markel
- 2) Rosalie Svete Sam Wardwell
- 3) Chloe Beatty Jay Beatty
- 4) Dorothy Kemp Beverly Platner

Monday, April 17, 2023 Section A

- 1) Barbara Besse Marjorie Smith
- 2) Rosemary Jones Joanne

Wills

3) Beverly Platner - Suzy Heilpern

Wednesday, April 19, 2023 Section A North-South

- 1) Joanne Wills Denny Morgan
- 2) Monica Phillips Paula Pendergast
- 3) Marjorie Smith Barbara Besse

Section A East-West

- 1) Pamela Harding Kathie Markel
- 2) Deborah Nutt Gail Yoh
- 3) Charles Simms Suzy Heilpern
- 4) Fred Bacher Dorothy Kemp

Friday, April 21, 2023 Section A North-South

1) Fred Bacher - Amy Salisbury

- 2) Dorothy Kemp Beverly Platner
- 3) Alex Narasin Hillary Charlton

Section A East-West

- 1) Monica Phillips Paula Pendergast
- 2) Gretchen Wyatt Michele Tai
- 3) Dana Bisconti Kathy Cardozo

Monday, April 24, 2023 Section A

- 1) Ann Petersen Hollis Petersen
- 2) Judie Berry Denny Morgan
- 3) Jay Beatty Chloe Beatty

Wednesday, April 26, 2023 Section A

1) Amy Salisbury - Fred Bacher

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BRIDGE RESULTS

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- 2) Beverly Platner Brian Platner
- 3) Mary Zwirn Mel Zwirn
- 4) Rosalie Svete Jeff Schumer

Friday, April 28, 2023 **Section A**

- 1) George Aronoff Brian Platner
- 2) Mary Zwirn Mel Zwirn
- 3) Dorothy Kemp Beverly Platner

Monday, May 1, 2023 **Section A**

- 1) Adelaide Jared Joanne
- 2) Marjorie Smith Barbara Besse
- 3) Monica Phillips Paula Pendergast
- 4) Beverly Platner Brian Platner

- 5) Ann Petersen Hollis Petersen
- 6) Mary Zwirn Mel Zwirn

Wednesday, May 3, 2023 Section A

- 1) Ted Fowler Joyce Fowler
- 2) Beverly Platner Brian Platner

Friday, May 5, 2023 Section A

- 1) Mary Zwirn Mel Zwirn
- 2) Joyce Fowler Ted Fowler

Monday, May 8, 2023 **Section A**

- 1) Mary Zwirn Mel Zwirn
- 2) Adelaide Jared Jay Beatty
- 3) Joyce Fowler Ted Fowler

Wednesday, May 10, 2023 **Section A**

- 1) Beverly Platner Brian Platner
- 2) Ted Fowler Joyce Fowler

Friday, May 12, 2023 Section A

- 1) Joanne Wills Paula Pendergast
- 2) Mary Zwirn Mel Zwirn

Monday, May 15, 2023 **Section A North-South**

- 1) Mary Zwirn Mel Zwirn
- 2) Martha Kavanaugh -Joanne Wills

Section A East-West

- 1) Patricia Kent Harland Kent
- 2) Beverly Platner Brian Platner

Wednesday, May 17, 2023 Section A

- 1) Joanne Wills Paula Pendergast
- 2) Mary Zwirn Mel Zwirn

Friday, May 19, 2023 **Section A**

- 1) Mary Zwirn Mel Zwirn
- 2) Beverly Platner Brian Platner

Monday, May 22, 2023 **Section A**

- 1) Fred Bacher Ed Kavanaugh
- 2) Paula Pendergast Pat Richwagen
- 3) Ted Fowler Joyce Fowler

Wednesday, May 24, 2023 **Section A**

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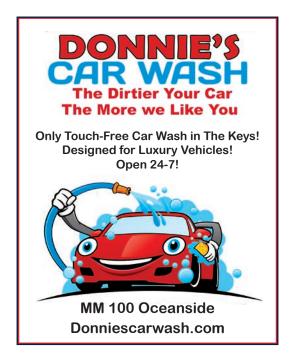
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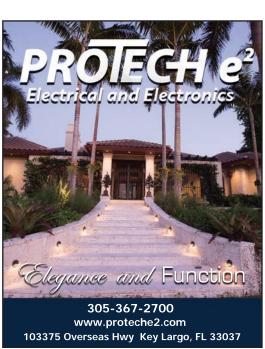




















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