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Reef Cup Goes Down to the Wire

Since the inaugural tournament in 1986, the Reef Cup Invitational Sailfish Tournament has become The Reef's most anticipated fishing tournament of the season. The sailfishing is serious, the competition is fierce, and the tournament trophy coveted. Talking to two of this year's big tournament winners, who were neck in neck in many ways throughout the tournament, shows how quickly everything can change, sometimes in the last 10 minutes.

Team Warbird, 1st Place Overall For **Roger Ward** and his Warbird crew, the excitement began Day 1 and never let up. Ending each day at the top of the leaderboard made them the boat to beat – a thrilling place to be with everything to lose.

While this was Ward's third year fishing Reef Cup, his crew was anything but new to him. He's fished with anglers Marc Granet, Mike Bondurant and Erin Clampett for 13 years, mates Johnny Villario and Fred David for five, and Captain Brett Dudas for 13 years – who

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Roger Ward's Warbird Team, 2024 Reef Cup Champions.



Top Angler Jodi Zifferer, Catchin' Z's.



Top Junior Angler Kristian Karl, Mollie K.



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BURGER BASH ON BUCCANEER! THURSDAY, APRIL 11

As a part of April's Food & Wine Weekend there will be an all-out burger competition between Ocean Reef Club Chefs. Tickets can be purchased separately from the weekend and include voting rights on the best burger on Buccaneer. Enjoy champagne, music and more!

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OR "See"



John Spinney catches the sunrise while heading out the main channel on day one of Reef Cup.

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.



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NEWS & HAPPENINGS

ANNUAL MEETING

Thursday, April 11
Town Hall • 9 a.m.

Ocean Reef's Annual Meeting of Equity Members will take place in Town Hall and will be streamed live via oceanreef.com/AnnualMeeting.

DENISON MEET UP

Tuesday, April 2
13 Golf Terrace • 5-7 p.m.

Please join us at "Denison @ ORC" on **Tuesday, April 2** from 5-7 p.m. We are hosted by **Anne Taylor '86, Stacey Lahey '86, Jay Fovel '14** and Helen and Daniel Vega '16. Also note this year we have a new venue at 13 Golf Terrace. Come enjoy some light bites, adult beverages, and reminisce about the fun we had on the hill AND pick up some Denison swag.

CARS & COFFEE

Saturday, April 5
9-11 a.m. • Business Center Parking Lot

It's the final one of the season!

Members are invited to bring vintage automobiles, sports cars or any cool conveyance, or just stop by for a morning of "car talk" over complimentary coffee and lite breakfast bites.

For our last Cars & Coffee of the season, we will have an Espresso and Cappuccino Bar in front of the Sotheby's office.

Gotta Question?

Does Ocean Reef have a place for disposing of or recycling discarded batteries?



Absolutely! You can swing by our Service Station before 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and drop off your old batteries to ensure they get sent off for recycling. It's a small step, but it makes a big difference in keeping our environment clean and healthy.

Additionally, throughout Earth Week from **April 22nd to the 26th**, join us for fun eco-friendly events across The Reef, including our annual E-Waste Collection and Document Shredding. On **Tuesday, April 23**, at Field at Four Corners, the community is encouraged to bring their old electronics, including

batteries, monitors, computers, televisions, telephones/cell and land, FAX machines, printers, copiers, DVD/VCR players, radios, speakers, discs, cassettes and more, for proper disposal and recycling. Paper shredding services will also be available at the same time

For questions, please call the Service Station at 305-367-5811.

EDITOR'S NOTE:

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

Preparedness at Ocean Reef

In all coastal areas the word "preparedness" is almost always paired with "hurricane." However, over the past few years as migrant landings increased all along the South Florida coastline, the concept of preparedness has been given a much broader meaning.

Understanding the past experiences at Ocean Reef involving the Haitian and Cuban landings, ORCA and the Club developed operational plans to deal with such events. Should new information be received, the Club and ORCA collaborate on a review of the preparedness protocols. There

is consistent communication with federal, state, and local first responders, with ORCA receiving updates on the latest intelligence and situational awareness. Additionally, ORCA and the Club have hosted joint meetings with authorities to strengthen relationships and coordinate responses to Ocean Reef should another event occur. ORCA has also met with US Congressman Carlos Gimenez, who sits on the Homeland Security Committee, and who has expressed his commitment along with Gov. DeSantis, to support the various federal and state agencies.

With the Florida Governor's office recent citing of the "potential for invasion" by Haitian migrants due to the

current conditions, ORCA and the Club are closely monitoring the situation recognizing that every event can be different. Efforts have long been underway by authorities to intercept migrant vessels and additional resources have been ordered by Governor DeSantis to assist in the already heightened posture. ORCA, via Public Safety, will continue to communicate with the law enforcement partners to ensure a seamless response if a landing does occur.

The safety of our Members and Associates will always be paramount and first concern.

If you observe a migrant vessel in the water approaching Ocean Reef while boating or from land, quickly contact 911

or call in on radio channel 16 describing the situation. In both cases, advise the dispatcher you are calling from Ocean Reef or your current location, describe your observations, include GPS coordinates if known, and the direction of travel on the vessel and any other pertinent information. Do not approach the migrants and allow the authorities or Public Safety to handle the incident unless there is no other option. The best practice is to remain at a distance and observe from a safe location, if possible. Always remember that most of the migrants are coming due to a humanitarian crisis and are seeking asylum. However, the individuals have not yet been vetted by the authorities.

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he says is a great captain, friend and part of the family. This experienced and familiar crew undoubtedly contributed to Warbird successfully going 15 for 15, meaning each sail they went for, they caught. An impressive record.

Marc Granet caught Warbird's first sail of the tournament, Ward himself caught five others, and Mike Bondurant caught the remaining nine – putting him in Top Angler territory which was hotly contested with our next interviewee.

Despite three consecutive days on the water, Ward said "the hardest day of fishing was not fishing at all, but sitting at the dock on Day 4, our Lay Day. The competition was tough in this tournament and no one gave up chasing us."

Saturday was emotional as they watched their lead diminish. "We probably cleaned the boat four or five times just to keep busy," he said. "We followed the CatchStat reports, which showed us the show was



not over until the bell rang at 4 p.m. Brett and I went to the bridge to listen to the last five minutes on the radio."

When that bell finally did ring... an emotional rush of "wow, our team really did it." Warbird held onto their lead, becoming the 39th Annual Reef Cup Champions. Ward said, "Reef Cup is one of the most prestigious tournaments in the country and I am honored and humbled to be amongst 39 years of winners."

Jodi Zifferer, Catchin' Z's, Top Angler

Jodi Zifferer and crew - Captain **Tucker Ersek**, Mate **Andres Garcia**, and **Scott, Mort**, and **Graham Zifferer** - never gave up chasing Warbird

to the finish line.

Catchin' Z's spent their Day 1 Lay Day eagerly following live CatchStat updates as Warbird set the pace for the tournament. Jodi followed suit, catching five of her team's six fish on outrigger, earning her 200 points per fish. The sail that made all the difference came in at 3:17 p.m. on Day 4.

From atop the tower, Captain Ersek spotted a free-jumping sailfish. Following it, he guided Jodi where to cast and the sail took the bait. "It's really exciting," she said. "The line gets tight and you know you're on. Your heart starts racing and you tell yourself, don't screw this up. Especially when it's the last part of the day. That fish was mine to lose."

Indeed, with only minutes to go, that final fish put Jodi ahead of Warbird's Mike Bondurant for Top Angler, who was in the lead at the time with 900 points, and propelled Catchin' Z's into second place with 1200 points.

"The last 5 to 10 minutes were the most tense," said Jodi. "The final call came over the radio and for the next seven minutes, radio silence. We held our breath, hoping to hold onto our lead, before all of a sudden everyone started calling in their hookups."

A matter of minutes pushed Catchin' Z's from second to third place, but Jodi held on to her lead making her the second woman to ever be crowned Reef Cup Top Angler.

"If you told me 10 years ago this is what I'd be doing now, I wouldn't have believed you!" said Zifferer who has only been fishing for the past five or six years.

She attributes her win and her love of fishing to Tucker and Andres. "They are the reason I enjoy fishing so much. Their enthusiasm is infectious. They've taught me how to be a really good angler and set the standard for women in fishing."

For photos and a full list of results, see page 8.

Bigger, Better, Bolder

Food & Wine Weekend

The countdown is on to Food & Wine Weekend 2024 – we’re now just three weeks away from the four-day culinary extravaganza. You know this year will be new and different, with the addition of these three exciting events: Thursday’s Burger Bash on Buccaneer, Friday’s Cincoro & Cigars Under the Stars, and Saturday’s Farm to Table Expo. You’ve heard about it, but what is the Farm to Table Expo? We’re here to explain!

Saturday’s refreshed format will spice things up, shifting away from the traditional schedule that saw multiple cooking and spirit demonstrations, to this year featuring four unique stations, each entirely different from the next.

Attendees will experience



Chef Roly Cruz-Taura will return for an interactive demo on pasta and Parmigiano-Reggiano.

a masterful **Cooking Demonstration** by acclaimed Chef Norman Van Aken (read more about him in the March 15 edition of the Ocean Reef Press). Food & Wine favorites David Ortiz and Jackie Gwidt (coupled with Stephanie Southgate) will return to host their popular **mixology and wine demonstrations** respectively. And rounding out the afternoon will be the

brand new station – the **Farm to Table Expo**.

Carysfort Kitchen Chef de Cuisine Betania Salles, the mastermind behind this new exhibition, carefully selected four of her most cultivated vendors and purveyors to share samples of their highest-quality offerings, from premium steak to exceptional olive oils, and offer their expertise on each one in an interactive format.

Whether you already know the difference between 1855 premium beef and wagyu, or how the aging process of parmesan alters the flavor and consistency at six months versus 12, every connoisseur will enjoy the opportunity to sample the offerings in real-time as experts discuss the answers to these questions and many more.

Get to know the Farm to Table visiting experts:

Glen Miciotta - Steak Tasting: Glen Miciotta comes from Halperns’ Steak & Seafood, which provides the choice beef in Ocean Reef’s restaurants. Members will sample Halperns’ varieties, like wagyu, prime rib, ribeye and more, while Glen shares the where, why and how of the meat that makes its way from Halperns’ ranch, to Ocean Reef and your plate.

Deanna Leavitt - Caviar Tasting: Deanna Leavitt is a true caviar expert, having grown up in the caviar

business in a family that has been a major US importer and supplier of sustainable caviar since 1991. Spend time with Deanna during the Expo and not only will you sample Great Atlantic Trading, Inc.’s finest caviar, but you’ll learn about its history, how it’s made, what makes certain caviars better than others, and where the industry is headed.

Reanna Ramsingh - Olives & Olive Oil Tasting: Reanna Ramsingh, representing FOODMatch, a producer and importer of Mediterranean specialty foods with expertise in traditionally crafted olives, sauces, and more, will introduce you to the varieties of olives (of which there are over a thousand!), curing styles, uses and pairings. What olives go best on a charcuterie board or paired with a martini? Which olive oil is best for cooking or in dressings? There’s so much more to olives and olive oils than you’ve likely ever imagined.

Roly Cruz-Taura - Pasta & Parmigiano-Reggiano Tasting: Chef Roly Cruz-Taura (yes, the one who taught a January Carysfort Kitchen Class!) returns to share the world of pasta and Parmigiano-Reggiano. Since 2015, he’s represented Prime Line Distributors, an importer of selected specialty foods, throughout the Keys. Members will experience some of these specialty foods, like aged parmesan, and encounter the ways the flavors change the more they’re aged.

Chef Betania’s Farm to Table Expo introduces an entirely new and refreshed aspect to Food & Wine Weekend. All of Saturday’s demonstrations will be as interesting as they are delicious - guaranteed!

Secure your Food & Wine Weekend three-day pass or your individual Saturday ticket before prices go up on **April 1**. Plus, don’t forget about Thursday’s a-la-carte Burger Bash. Visit oceanreef.com/FoodandWine or scan the QR code on page 5.




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Reef Speak Part Two

Do You Speak Reef?



by Felicia M. Koretsky

Back in November, we wrote a list of more than 40 terms only used at The Reef to serve as a translation guide to our unique ORC language. (Read the original in the November 17, 2023 edition.) Here are more words and phrases native to our Club culture.

Leisurely: A term describing our speed limit. (Somewhere between 1 and 15 mph)

Ocean Grief: The feeling you get in your stomach after your property tax (or any

other) bill comes. Also, used by people to describe our unique way of life who, in reality, wish they were here.

Half and Half: Not the cream you add to your coffee, but a term often used by Reef Old Timers (people who have been here awhile) when ordering a non-alcoholic cold beverage that's half lemonade and half iced tea. Everywhere else you'd call it an Arnold Palmer.

Tiffany's: Before our grocery store was called Wynn's, it was called Gardners, and before that, it was Tiffany's. People joked that because it was expensive, the name was apropos.

Mainland: Miami.

The Stretch: Not a physical move, but the term we use to describe an alternative route to using Card Sound Road, taking you from Route 1 in Florida City to Key Largo. You might consider The Stretch if you are scared of driving Card Sound. It adds 15 minutes to

your commute but often, less anxiety.

It's Closed/Shut Down: A frightening phrase to let us know we can't use Card Sound Road. Next step: Refer to The Stretch.

M3: The nickname for Moorey-Margaret Myers, a medical fitness therapist and yoga instructor at the Member Fitness Center. She's from Monroe, Michigan. When she talks about The Stretch, she is talking about the physical one.

The White Orchid: "Our state" flower.

Tip of the Island: Another term for The Point.

Patron: Not a saint or a regular restaurant guest, but a term to describe a founding Club Member.

Bridge, The Bridge: Could be a dental bridge, but more often refers to Card Sound Bridge or Sunrise Cay Bridge (formerly known as the Bridge to Nowhere, now known as the currently undergoing restoration). Could also mean

Duplicate Bridge hosted at the Card & Games Center.

What Day is It? A question most commonly asked by the second day of a visit to Ocean Reef (or the third cocktail at Everton's Rum Bar). Also asked when trying to figure out the Member's daily special.

What Time is It? A rhetorical question.

Claws: Stone crabs.

Gumbo Limbo: Not a plant, but the former name of the Rod and Gun Club.

Going Into Town: A phrase explaining you're leaving The Gates and driving to Key Largo.

Off Property/On Property: A phrase explaining whether or not you're on The Reef. *Are you on property today? No, I'm off property.*

Going Down: This is a phrase used by Northern Members explaining they are going to The Reef. *Are you going down? I'm going down.* Younger members might say *I'm down for going down.*



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Food & Wine Weekend is THE April highlight, fusing the best of Ocean Reef's culinary, wine and spirit experiences into one unparalleled, four-day flavor extravaganza.

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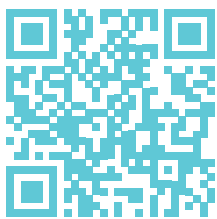
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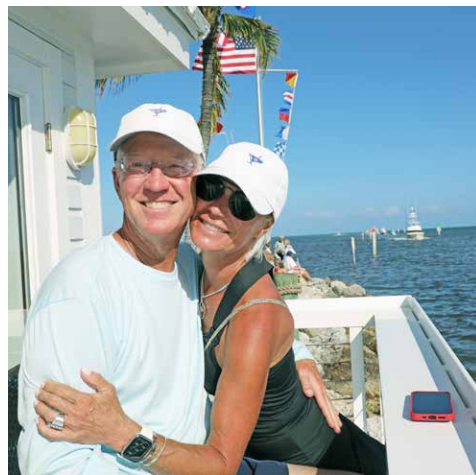
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1ST PLACE OVERALL:

Team Warbird, 1500 Points
 Roger Ward, Marc Granet, Mike Bondurant, Erin Clampett, Captain Brett Dudas, Mates Johnny Villario and Fred David

2ND PLACE OVERALL:

Team Trips +1, 1200 Points
 Eric Yonke, Nick Daffan, Dan Delligatti, Brian Gelzheiser, Brendan Gelzheiser, Captain John Travaline, Mate Brandon Hopper

3RD PLACE OVERALL:

Team Catchin' Z's, 1200 Points
 Scott Zifferer, Jodi Zifferer, Graham Zifferer, Mort Zifferer, Angela

Basciano, Carolyn Zifferer, Captain Tucker Ersek, Mates Andres Garcia and Dexter Fulford

1ST INDIVIDUAL OVERALL & TOP FEMALE ANGLER

Jodi Zifferer on Catchin' Z's with 1000 Points

2ND INDIVIDUAL OVERALL

Mike Bondurant on Warbird with 900 Points

3RD INDIVIDUAL OVERALL

Eric Yonke on Trips +1 with 800 Points

TOP JUNIOR ANGLER

Kristian Karl on Mollie K with 400 Points

How We Got Here



by Mike Smith

Our beloved Ocean Reef Club, nestled in the heart of the Florida Keys, has many street names most easily relatable to our location. We have Andros, Exuma, South, Halfway, Ocean Reef Drive, Country Club, Anchor, Barracuda, Perky, Grayvik. Wait a minute! Perky? Grayvik? These two names, seemingly out of place, hold a fascinating mystery. What could be the intriguing stories behind these names, located in the heart of our community?

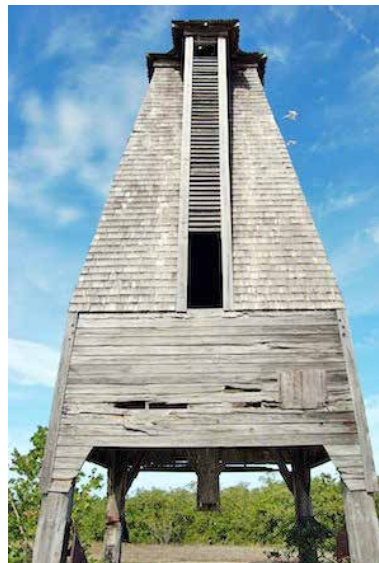
In the mid '20s, one of the largest landowners in the Keys owned a resort/fishing camp near the 17-mile marker now called Sugarloaf Key. The fishing was terrific, but voracious mosquitoes kept many potential guests away. The owner had heard that bats were an effective way to fend them off and, using plans from



Ivor Thord Gray, Grayvik Road's namesake

a successful entrepreneur from Texas, constructed a vast louvered bat roost and baited it with a very smelly substance. After many iterations of other baits, including ground-up parts of bats, none worked. The mosquitoes thrived, and ultimately, the business failed to prosper, but the structure remained and was a tourist attraction until Hurricane Irma toppled it in 2017. The fishing camp was in a town called Perky, named after the owner, Richter Clyde Perky.

Several years later, Mr. Perky, a man with a vision as a real estate developer in Miami, purchased 700 acres of land in North Key Largo. With the goal of selling lots for houses, he platted some of the land, assigning names to



Bat roost located in Perky, Florida

the streets, one of which was Perky Road. When the stock market crashed, Mr. Perky lost the property due to unpaid back taxes, leaving behind a legacy as a street name.

In 1935, eighty acres of Mr. Perky's platted land was purchased by a fascinating man who was well-known outside the United States. His name was Ivor Thord Gray. Originally from Sweden, he was likely a

soldier of fortune. He worked in different armies in South Africa, the Philippines, Malaysia, Mexico, Britain, and Russia. He had been attached to more than ten armies in sixteen wars and conflicts. He was a Merchant Marine, a prison guard, a militia captain, a constable, and an artillery specialist. While in Mexico, he joined Pancho Villa as captain and commander of artillery. After moving to the United States, he settled down with homes in Coral Gables and Connecticut after becoming very rich via nebulous possession of gold notes. He loved the Keys and decided to build another smaller home, which he did. He named it Grayvik. In Swedish, 'gra' means gray, and 'vic' means a wide inward bend of coastline, 'Grayvik.'

Years later, Morris Baker, the founder of the Ocean Reef Club, purchased the house and used it to house the offices of Seaboard Properties, which acted as the construction arm for Mr. Baker's development.

Farmer's Market Favorites

By Susan Bohan

With Easter fast approaching and family and friends' imminent arrival, it is nice to see r.f. Orchids at the Farmer's Market with reasonably priced florals to help create a more spring-like feel. "The Farmer's Market is accessible to everyone and we try to make arrangements here that are affordable and oftentimes last minute and spontaneous purchases," commented Elizabeth who has a variety of sizes and colors of ready-made fun.

So, when you are choosing your dips, cheeses, meats or



Florals perfect for Easter. Find them at the r.f. Orchids stand at the Farmer's Market.

vegetables, stop by and grab a beautiful orchid or two for your table or gift for a friend.

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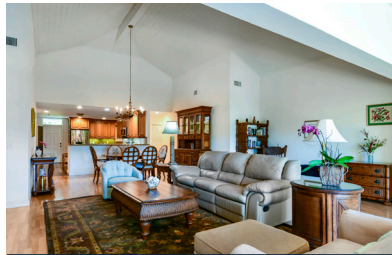
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Pasta Perfection



by Terry Baxter

I recently met Emilio Miti in the production room of the Gianni kitchen. He was installing a new machine of his design to make fresh pasta. Waving to his impressive apparatus he said, "Chefs love new toys," This was not news to me. Your crack team of *Ocean Reef Press* investigative journalists, Food Division, have followed these developments for years -- Chef Philippe's Food Truck and portable Pizza Oven; Chef Jonathan's Wood-fired Grill; Chef Cataline's Multi-featured Banquet Ovens. Each innovation improved Member experience, reduced costs, increased speed, or



Success! Ryan and Emilio compare tasting notes.

saved money, or perhaps all four. And here in the Gianni kitchen, Chefs Jared, Ryan, Roma, Michael and Sous Chef Nelio were "test driving" the latest advance.

Emilio's creation is made in Rome, then shipped to California for the electronic controls to be installed. The elaborate dies that form each style of pasta are made in Como, Italy. They are precision machined in a food-certified alloy of brass. A demonstration run was just beginning as I pulled out my



Gianni Chef de Cuisine Ryan Schmidt and Emilio Miti clean the auger that forced the pasta dough through the forming die.

camera.

First, about the ingredients. Wheat is one of the oldest cultivated crops. It is a grass grown for its seed, a cereal grain that is a world-wide staple food. Wheat gives us bread, breakfast cereals, biscuits, crackers, scones, pancakes, pizza, and...pasta. Pasta is simplicity itself: Durum wheat flour (semolina) and water. That's it. Emilio's machine mixes the water and flour, then forces the dough through the chosen die via a stainless-steel auger to create a wide variety of pastas (there are more than 300 pasta shapes). Chef Ryan has a collection of dies to make about a dozen different types.

With our current small pasta maker, Chef Ryan can make about three kilos per production run. Emilio's machine will produce fifty kilos per run. Using our own fresh pasta rather than importing pasta as we do now will save enough to pay for the machine in about a year. And our own pasta will have



Chef Roma collects the fresh spaghetti as it is extruded.

17% protein compared to 10% with packaged pasta. Cheaper, faster, and more nutritious. The pasta made in the Gianni kitchen will be also supplied to all the other Ocean Reef venues.

Now the final test. Cooking the pasta. Italy, where pasta is the national dish, claims the standard for how pasta should be cooked: *al dente* (to the tooth). It is about texture, not taste. *Al dente* pasta should have a little resistance when you bite into it. The texture should be tender but firm and chewy. It's about timing and testing, a challenge for the chef. Chef Ryan aims for classic *al dente*. But Emilio laughs. He says German, Swiss, and Dutch tourists often say, "cook my pasta longer," even in Italy. He calls this "stracotto" (overcooked), or even more disdainfully "Olive Garden Pasta." Never the less, Chef Ryan tries to accommodate every request that comes to the kitchen. Even if you are not German, Swiss, or Dutch, permit yourself to enjoy your own style of pasta perfection at Gianni.

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| 10am • Shark Run Activity | 12pm • Knot Tying |
| 10am-2pm • FWC, ORCA Fire Boat & Coast Guard Vessel Touring | 1pm • Life Jacket Demo |
| 11am • Seaweed Tag in the Pool | 2pm • Nautical Cookie Decorating |
| 11am-1pm • Face Painting | 2-4pm • Inflatables in the Lagoon |
| 11:30am • SUP & Kayaking Safety Demo | |

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All events at the Ocean Reef Chapel

All Dogs On Deck



by Winston Baxter

Now hear this: Dogs of Ocean Reef unite. Cats, gerbils and parakeets too. We have an urgent crisis. COVID brought a flood of new pets to Ocean Reef. While I love having new friends, the Grayvik Center, the lifeline of our pet care, has been strained, space has been outgrown. Important pet services are being delivered in temporary trailers in the parking lot. As recently announced, the Grayvik

Center has been given new life by the plan to relocate to a larger, more centrally located new building with ample space for the growing demands for service.

A side benefit of the move (silver lining alert) will allow the Club to use the present Grayvik location to add additional parking and expand The Spa. We should all applaud. This is good for pets – after all, where would we be without our humans? The Spa is a major player in continuing the good health and fitness of our parents. I hate to imagine my day without Dad to take me on my morning golf cart ride to the coffee team of Sid and Donald and the guys at the Bellstand (Mark, Jerome, Julio, Steve, Navour, Fenel, et al), or Mom’s afternoon walk and her cuddles in bed while

she holds her hands over my ears when Dad snores. Yikes.

The new Grayvik Center will be as welcoming as our magnificent pet care staff. We treasure our irreplaceable veterinarian Dr. Lora Cummings, our groomer Keila, and the rest of the devoted team. Dr. Lora is not only highly trained and skilled, she is kind and gentle... and lovely. Can a dog say that about a human? I think so. I love Dr. Lora. And, although I always tremble when we go for grooming because the roaring hair dryer blows my ears straight up and makes my lips wobble all over, Keila always reassures me and gives me a little dog scarf for being a “Good Doggie.” Mom and Dad make a big deal about how cute I look. Gag me.

All well and good – a new building, more space, easier access for more members. But it comes with a cost.

Substantial contributions and pledges have already been received, but a concerted effort by my fellow pets will make a difference. This is where you come in. Red Alert. Hold up your paw and promise to help. Tear this page out of the Ocean Reef Press. DO NOT EAT IT like I did Dad’s homework years ago. Put this article in your human’s lap and do that little wiggle you do when something is important (or purr if that is your persuasion). Get them to support the Grayvik Animal Center. And, it is never too early to start recruiting a table for next year’s Catwalk Fashion Show and Luncheon. Mobilize my friends, a better pet care facility and bigger Spa are worth our best effort.

Disclaimer: I am not an Official Spokes Dog, I only play one in the ORP. But this mission is from my heart.

GARDEN GROUP

Treat Yourself to the Tour TODAY

Please Park Carts with Care!

By Annie Miles

It’s finally here! The Garden Group House & Garden Tour is TODAY from 10 am – 4 pm! Public Safety asks that tour attendees **park carts with two wheels on properties and two wheels on the road** so there is room for emergency vehicles. Don’t miss this fabulous opportunity to see five beautifully decorated Reef homes and one gorgeous backyard garden, with ORC artists displaying their talents at each site and refreshments in the garden. Hosts and hostesses will be on hand to guide the way and answer your questions. **Tickets are still available** at each home’s check-in for a \$75 donation (cash or check



Charming pathways weave their way through the gardens at 13 Caloosa.

only), at J. McLaughlin or you may also call **Loretta Mackay** (305-304-3284) or **Joan Flippin** (703-628-9127) for last-minute tickets. The ORC food truck will be stationed at the Four Corners with lunch options for your enjoyment from 11am-2pm. Restroom facilities will be available at the Cultural Center. Come be a part of the fun as this ORC tradition returns and enjoy a day out!



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Many modern carbon monoxide (CO) detectors now come equipped with sealed, long-life lithium batteries lasting up to 10 years, eliminating the need for annual battery changes. This advancement provides convenience for homeowners and ensures continuous protection against fire and carbon monoxide hazards.

Correctly placed and properly functioning smoke and CO alarms in your home here on The Reef are critical to detect any potential harm long before it can affect you, your family, or friends. Smoke and CO are known as "silent killers" because they can swiftly

incapacitate and cause death without warning.

There are a variety of types of smoke and CO alarms and detectors available. Some are hardwired to AC power with battery backups, and some are battery-powered only. Some smoke and CO alarms are powered by sealed, long-life lithium batteries for 10 years, with the entire unit being replaced at the end of the 10 years. The ORCA Fire-Rescue Department recommends their use in locations where it is not feasible to place a hard-wired smoke or CO detector.

Smoke and CO alarms should be installed in key locations throughout the home. Place smoke alarms in every bedroom, outside each sleeping area, and every level of your home, including the garage. Carbon monoxide alarms should be installed on each level of the home and near sleeping areas.

"While it is true that natural gas, a typical source of carbon monoxide, is not used in Ocean

Reef, dramatically reducing the chances of dangerous levels of CO within one's home, there are a variety of potential sources of dangerous carbon monoxide in and around homes in our community, making CO alarms equally as necessary as smoke alarms," said ORCA Fire Chief John Flynn.

Since kitchens tend to produce occasional smoke and steam, avoid placing smoke alarms too close to cooking appliances to prevent nuisance alarms. Bathroom showers may also produce steam which will unnecessarily activate a smoke alarm. In both kitchens and bathrooms, place detectors a safe distance away and consider installing a heat alarm in these areas for more accurate detection.

Test your alarms monthly to ensure functionality by pressing the test button and listening for a beep. For older model smoke and CO alarms with replaceable batteries, it's advisable to change the battery annually, ideally during the

spring or fall time changes when we adjust our clocks. However, considering the convenience and enhanced safety features of newer models with long-life batteries, it might be worth considering an upgrade for added peace of mind.

Smoke alarms should be replaced every 10 years and carbon monoxide alarms every five to seven years (depending on the model and manufacturer) to ensure proper performance.

Carbon monoxide is invisible, odorless, and tasteless. Prolonged exposure to small quantities of CO can cause severe heart problems and brain damage. Exposure to high concentrations of carbon monoxide can lead to death within minutes.



Comfort in Kindness: A Note of Thanks



by Susan Bohan

Anyone who knows Member **Jacquie Whitten** has experienced her bright smile, high energy and thoughtful demeanor. But what you might now know is even after her recent accident, it was others she was thinking about, not herself.

What Happened

About two weeks ago she became lightheaded as she leaned over her open dishwasher and fell causing heavy facial bruising and a large gash over her left eye. Within minutes of her husband's 911 call Public Safety was there tending to her while alerting the helicopter which would airlift her to Jackson Memorial's Trauma Center and arranging for a neighbor to take her husband to meet them. Luckily two CT scans were clean and a facial plastic surgeon was available to place the many tiny stiches to avoid a large scar. Shortly after another neighbor brought her home the next morning, she headed to The Spa where her hair and scalp were carefully cleaned while avoiding the extensive stiches.

On the Mend

All this would have most of us take to our beds immediately, but not Jacquie. She was most concerned that Members know how wonderful everyone was throughout. "All I can do is smile and not feel sorry for myself. The good people who tended to me were caring and kind. Kevin Hulse, of Public Safety, even returned to my home that night to clean up all the blood. Since I take blood thinners, it was quite a scene. Julie and Maria at The Spa made me feel almost normal after they caringly cleaned me up. I emailed Mic O'Keeffe knowing he would be able to contact the appropriate departments to thank them on my behalf."

Words to Live By

Jacquie quoted me paraphrased

lines from a G.B. Shaw play which she has laminated in her wallet from 50 years ago and reads often, "This is the true joy in life, the being used for a purpose recognized by yourself as a mighty one; being thoroughly worn out before you are thrown on the scrap heap; being a force of nature instead of a selfish little clod of ailments and grievances complaining the world will not devote itself to making you happy."

The bruises are fading, the stiches are gone and her stamina has returned. The memory of extreme kindness by capable ORC and ORCA staff will remain. As Jacquie noted, "Hopefully no one will go through what I did but knowing the level of excellence here can give us all comfort."

Robust State and Federal Funding for Everglades Restoration is Good News for Florida Bay

By Tom Davidson and Bill Nutt

In a recent issue of *Ocean Reef Press*, we shared a summary of The Everglades Foundation's recent presentation at the Cultural Center. The overriding message was that Everglades restoration benefits our 21stcenturyeconomy and guides us toward a more resilient and sustainable future. Restoring the flow of water through the Everglades and into Florida Bay benefits our fishing industry, water-based recreation and real



Photo courtesy of The Everglades Foundation

estate, and protects us from natural hazards.

The last few weeks brought more good news for Everglades restoration, and therefore, for Florida Bay. President Biden on March 11 announced his budget request to Congress of \$444 million in funding for Everglades restoration in Fiscal Year 2025. In our last article, we noted the vital importance of the Everglades Agricultural Area (EAA) Reservoir, and this budget request is critical to ensure that construction of the reservoir stays on track for completion in 2030. Once complete, the reservoir will

store, clean, and send lake water south to the Everglades and Florida Bay, reduce harmful discharges to coastal communities, replenish the Biscayne Aquifer, and fortify Florida's already strong clean water economy.

Congress also provided \$425 million to fund Everglades restoration projects in its Fiscal Year 2024 budget. This much-needed investment will build on strong funding in previous years and continue generational progress on Everglades restoration.

On the state side, only one week prior to the President's

budget request, the Florida Legislature passed \$740 million for Everglades restoration in the Fiscal Year '24-25 budget. This complements Governor DeSantis' request for robust Everglades funding in his second term.

With many thanks to The Everglades Foundation's relentless advocacy, these funds are critical to maintain momentum in restoring one of the world's ecological treasures. The Everglades is also the source of drinking water for millions, and the backbone of Florida's clean water economy. It matters for Florida Bay, so it matters for all of us here at Ocean Reef.

Tom Davidson and **Bill Nutt** are Ocean Reef residents who serve on the Board of Directors of The Everglades Foundation. To learn more about The Everglades Foundation, please contact Vice President of Development Jodi Farrell, jfarrell@evergladesfoundation.org.



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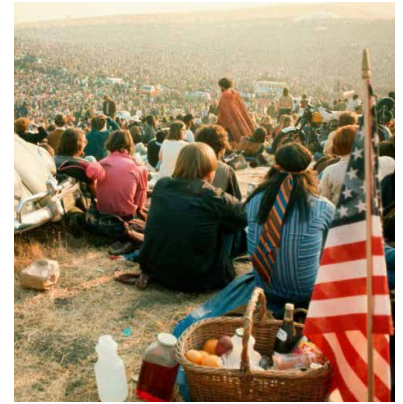
AT THE CULTURAL CENTER

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“Woodstock: How it Happened (and Why it Almost Didn’t)”

Wednesday, March 27 at 5 p.m.

Imagine this: suddenly, you find out that a half million people are visiting this weekend. What will you serve? It wasn't quite that way for the organizers of the Woodstock Festival in 1969, but it was close. The organizers planned for a crowd . . . but they never expected those kinds of numbers. This talk is about the behind-the-scenes machinations of putting the thing together against horrifying odds. For the organizers, this was an event along the lines of a community-involved art installation by the French artist, Christo. When Christo involved people in sharing a vision and a project, they discovered a journey more vital than a destination: the art was in the doing. We will also talk about the music, of course,



Woodstock

and the abject fear the musicians felt with an audience that large.

William McKeen is the Chair of the Department of Journalism at Boston University, where he also teaches media history, literary journalism, and rock 'n' roll history. He is the author of “Everybody Had an Ocean, Too Old to Die Young” and “Rock and Roll is Here to Stay.” He will share his knowledge and insights on this eventful weekend.

Join us at the Cultural Center **Wednesday, March 27** for this complimentary virtual lecture starting at 5 p.m.

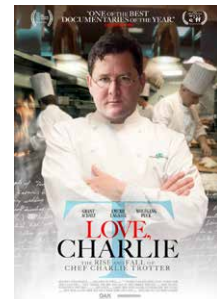
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Love, Charlie: The Rise and Fall of Chef Charlie Trotter 2021

Monday, April 1 at 4:30 p.m.

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The Film Society welcomes back Margaret Cardillo, screenwriter, book editor, and professor at the University of Miami School of Communication to introduce this film. Our special guest, Renee Frigo, the founder of Oak Street Pictures and producer of *Love, Charlie* will give insight



into the production of her award-winning documentary. A dinner will follow (by reservation only) inspired

by the menus of Charlie Trotter. Ocean Reef Club's outstanding Culinary Department guided by Chef Philippe Reynaud, Senior Director of Culinary Operations, will prepare a dinner in the style of this famous chef.

It is necessary to join the Film Society to view all films and programs. The optional dinner is available only with reservations as space is limited. All dinner participants must be a Film Society member to attend.

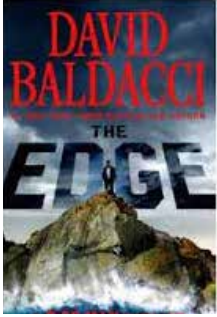
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AT THE CULTURAL CENTER

Library Corner

By Susan Bohan

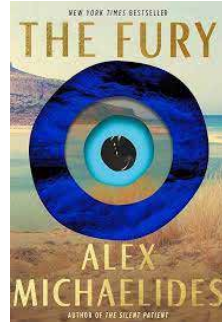
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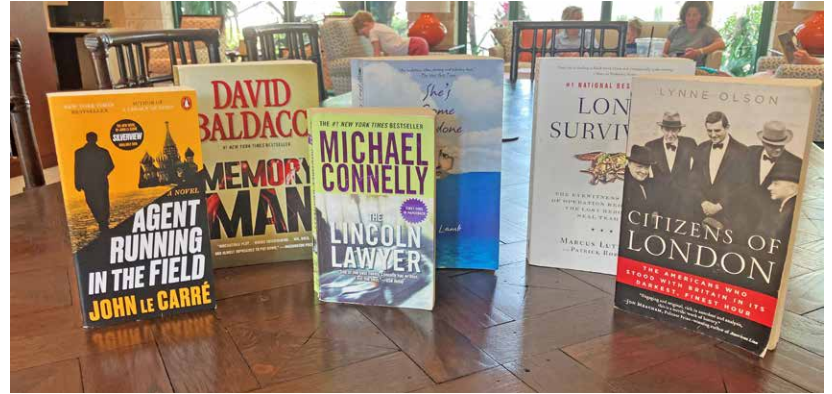
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Reminder:

The Library has an entire wall of paperback books perfect for traveling since they do not need to be checked out or returned if inconvenient. Many of them are older editions by these and other mystery writers. There are also classic novels and some non-fiction. Take a look Monday through Thursday, 10am to 2pm. Gently used paperbacks are always welcome as well.



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A Week of Significance



by Rev. Dr. Bob Henley

This coming week is one of great significance. It is so first because we will welcome the newly called Chaplain in Residence, Dr. Daniel Meyer, and his wife Amy.



Dr. Daniel Meyer

Dr. Meyer will be preaching this **Sunday, March 24** at the 9:00 a.m. worship service of the Protestant Congregation. Chuck Hartz, the chair of the search committee, will introduce Dan to the congregation and speak about the process leading to Dan's call. Then, at the 10:30 a.m., Dan and Bob Henley will sit down together for an informal get-acquainted session with the congregation.

Family History and Education

Dan grew up in Chappaqua,

New York, the son of a state senator and nephew of a U.S. senator and ambassador. Over the course of his young adult years, Dan gained varied life experiences working on an offshore oil rig, in a maximum-security prison, at IBM's world corporate headquarters, and on a farm.

He acquired an early interest in politics and public service. While a student at Yale University, Dan served two terms as head of the student government, received the John C. Schroeder Prize for Leadership, rowed on a Henley-finalist crew team, and graduated in 1981 with honors and distinction in the field of Political Science.

Introduction to Ministry

Following college, Dan spent two years serving alongside the pastor and people of the *Duncairn Presbyterian Church*, in Belfast, Northern Ireland. At the height of the 'Troubles' there, Dan worked among the area's youth and senior adults, helped to start an ecumenical community service center, served as a part-time hospital chaplain, and played semi-pro basketball on one of the province's few Protestant-Catholic teams. This pastoral experience was the beginning of what would become his life's work.

Theological Education and Marriage

Upon returning to the United States, Dan earned a Master of Divinity degree at Princeton Theological Seminary. He was

awarded the Senior Prize for Excellence in Preaching. In 2008, he earned his Doctor of Ministry degree from *Fuller Theological Seminary*.

Following studies at Princeton, Dan served as an Associate Pastor of the *First Presbyterian Church of Burlingame*, California. While there, in 1988, he married his wife, Amy. They are the parents of three sons, one of whom is married.

Pastoral Leadership

In 1991, the Meyer's were called to the *Village Community Presbyterian Church* of Rancho Santa Fe, north of San Diego.

Since 1997, Dan has been Lead Pastor of Christ Church, a nondenominational, multisite church with locations in Oak Brook and Lombard, just west of Chicago. An average of 3,000 people participate each weekend in the church's children's ministry and five worship services, in-person or online. The church has an operating budget of \$11M and invests an additional \$1.5M annually in 70 domestic and global mission partnerships that multiply churches, lift women and children, transform communities, relieve suffering and develop leaders. The ministry is supported by a full and part-time staff of 148 persons and hundreds of volunteer servant-leaders.

Recognition and Writing

Dan has served as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Fuller Theological Seminary since 2018. He has moderated the *Executives Breakfast Club* (a forum for business leaders) and is the recipient of four regional Emmy Awards for his role as host of *Life Focus* – a television newsmagazine. Additionally,

he has authored three books -- *Discovering God* (Waterfall Press, 2014), *Witness Essentials* (InterVarsity Press, 2012), and *Leadership Essentials* (IVP, 2007, with Greg Ogden).

Dan's commitments at Christ Church will continue through January 2025. The plan is for him to assume responsibilities as Chaplain in the Ocean Reef Chapel and Fellowship Center in February 2025. Bob Henley will continue to serve in his role until that time.

Palm Sunday

It is significant that Dan will be preaching on Palm **Sunday, March 24** the day that marks the beginning of the most momentous week in human history – the week of Easter. On Palm Sunday, Jesus of Nazareth descended the narrow road that wound down the Mount of Olives. His entry was hailed by throngs of worshippers who had come to Jerusalem to celebrate the feast of Passover. Their cries of '*Hosanna*' echoed across the city as they laid branches and cloaks in the road he descended, riding on the foal of a donkey.

Maundy Thursday

Finally, on **Thursday, March 28** evening of this week, at 8:00 p.m., we will observe a *Tenebrae Service of Darkness*. This significant, somber service is based on the account of Jesus' last hours from the Gospel of Mark. Mark's narrative leads us from the Upper Room, through Jesus' arrest, his trial before Pilate and Herod, the brutal flogging, and then to Golgotha and his crucifixion. This service leads us through the darkness to the unfathomable experience of Easter Sunday.

Upcoming Services

Palm Sunday
March 24 | 9am | Chapel Sanctuary

Maundy Thursday
March 28 | 8pm | Chapel Sanctuary



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7 a.m., Chapel Sanctuary

AA Meeting

7:30 a.m., Chapel Board Room
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Shabbat Service

6 p.m., Chapel Cornerstone Room

SATURDAY, MARCH 23

Catholic Mass

4 p.m., Chapel Sanctuary,

SUNDAY, MARCH 24

Traditional Worship Service

9 a.m., Chapel Sanctuary,
Dr. Dan Meyer

Kids Matter (4yrs-8yrs)

9 a.m., Chapel Children's Room

Journey Together

10:30 a.m., Chapel Sanctuary,
Chaplain Bob Henley

Kids Matter (9yrs - up)

10:30 a.m., Chapel Children's Room

Catholic Mass

12 p.m., Chapel Sanctuary,

MONDAY, MARCH 25

AI-Anon Meeting

9 a.m., Chapel Fellowship Hall

Rosary Prayer Group

4 p.m., Chapel Sanctuary

AA Meeting

7:30 p.m., Chapel Board Room
For additional AA Meetings: 305-390-4983

TUESDAY, MARCH 26

Catholic Bible Study

9 a.m., Chapel Living Room

Senior Cafe

10:30 a.m., Chapel Fellowship Hall

Rosary Prayer Group

4 p.m., Chapel Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27

Intercessory Prayer

8 a.m., Chapel Board Room

Episcopal Service

9 a.m., Chapel Sanctuary,
Robert Deshaies

Rosary Prayer Group

4 p.m., Chapel Sanctuary

THURSDAY, MARCH 28

Ocean Reef Men's Fellowship

8 a.m., Chapel Fellowship Hall

Rosary Prayer Group

4 p.m., Chapel Sanctuary

Maundy Thursday Service

8 p.m., Chapel Sanctuary



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If you have items to contribute, Cathy Jansen will take delivery at her home, 27 E. Snapper Point through **March 29**.

Medicare Coverage for Vaccines

The Medical Center administers most vaccines including Influenza vaccines, Pneumonia vaccines, Comirnaty (COVID vaccine), Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis vaccine), Td (tetanus, diphtheria vaccine), Hepatitis A, B, and A+B, Shingrix (shingles vaccine), and Arexvy (RSV vaccine).

The *Inflation Reduction Act* of 2022 brought some good news for people with Medicare. Vaccines under Medicare prescription drug plans (Part D) are covered without co-pays since 2023.

For those with Medicare, some vaccines are covered under Medicare part B and



others are covered under Medicare Part D. Medicare B covers COVID, Influenza, Pneumonia, and Hepatitis B vaccines. Medicare Part D covers Tdap, Shingles, RSV, and Hepatitis A vaccines at retail pharmacies.

Commercial insurances cover vaccines, as well as most of the Medicare Advantage Plans (Part C) offered by private companies that contract with Medicare. These plans are inclusive of Parts A & B and usually Part D.

Medicare D previously did not cover some vaccines when given at a doctor's office unless the office utilized web-based portals for submission.

The Medical Center has acquired new software, TransactRx, in order to verify eligibility and assist in billing Medicare part D for vaccines. Now, patients can receive their vaccines here at the Medical Center instead of leaving Ocean Reef to go to a local pharmacy. For those who want to get their vaccines at retail pharmacies, you may still do so.

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Daisy Elwick

March 25, 26, April 1, 2, 8, 9

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April 18, May 16

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Dan Ruiz

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Time to Choose a Camp!



by Jody Steele

The "Unique Summer Camps" at Ocean Reef Club have returned and what a selection it is with 25 different choices, plus more specialized activities offered by Recreation and The Dive Shop at Ocean Reef. All this excitement begins the week of **June 3rd** and continues through the week of **August 12th**. Eleven weeks of total fun at The Reef for kids and adults, too.

The Team

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Art League Camp

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The Line-Up

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the weekly Reef Club Kids to offerings in golf, tennis, cooking, pickleball, fitness, SCUBA, sailing, art, theater, marine lab, equestrian, nature exploration, safe boating, and much more. **Basketball Skills & Drills**, a new camp for ages 8-14, will focus on building techniques and featuring gameplay daily.

Registration is Now Open

Although it might seem early to start thinking about summer plans, the Camps do have limited space especially Chef for a Week, Safe Boating, Equestrian,

and Sailing. Registration has only been open a week and reservations are already coming in. A "guaranteed availability" for Equity Members is offered through **April 18th**. So this is a good time for parents and grandparents to look at family calendars and plan some summer fun at Ocean Reef Club.

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Easter is So Early?

Blame It on the Moon!



by Annie Miles

More than once this season someone has said to me, "Why is Easter so early this year?" I knew that it had something to do with church calendars and the moon but really never had a good answer. So, with Easter on March 31st this year and April 20th in 2025, I decided to do a little googling and see what's up.

The Easter holiday, which celebrates the resurrection of Jesus Christ following his crucifixion, varies because

it is set to coincide with the first Sunday after the Paschal Full Moon, which is the first full moon after the vernal equinox. (Say what?) The vernal equinox is the two moments in the year when the sun is exactly above the Equator, and day and night are of equal length. In layman's terms, it's the first day of Spring. In truth, scientifically, the first day of Spring or vernal equinox also changes slightly every year, but the Old Farmer's Almanac and the Christian church recognize it as March 21.

Ok, if you're still with me, Easter is the first Sunday after the first full moon of Spring. This year that is Sunday, March 24th, so Easter is the following Sunday, March 31st. The name "Paschal" is derived from "Pascha," which is Aramaic for Passover, using our alphabet. That makes sense because the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus took

place during the Passover celebration in Jerusalem.

I'm on a roll so let's talk Passover, too. In Judaism, it is the festival commemorating the Hebrews' liberation from slavery in Egypt and the "passing over" or sparing of the firstborn of the Israelites from God's judgment on Egypt. The date of the festival is in accordance with the first full moon in the

Hebrew calendar month, Nissan, so the date changes with the calendar.

I applied the above logic to 2025 and found that the ecclesiastical calendar has an anomaly for 2025, therefore Easter is on the second Sunday after the full moon. And, so I remain, better informed but still confused. Happy Easter and Happy Passover.

Amnesty Offered for Returned Beach Towels!

With the excitement of the holidays and the bustle of friends and family visiting Ocean Reef, it's understandable that sometimes Club towels that are meant to be returned, accidentally make their way off Buccaneer Island. That is why the Club is setting up a Towel Amnesty Day on **Friday, April 12** from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Field at Four Corners.

On this day, the Recreation team will respectfully avert their eyes to anyone who returns borrowed blue and white striped Buccaneer Island towels. You'll even be rewarded with complimentary ice cream for doing so!

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Grandparent's Guide 2.0

By Susan Bohan

Spring Break is upon us and that means a lot more children are out of school and looking forward to an adventure here to brag about when they return home. We all know about the great Recreation team at Buccaneer Island and the Reef Club Kids program for 5 to 10 year olds. But every year we try to think "outside the box" so the following are ideas both Members and the Club have accumulated in recent years that might entertain when the "I'm bored" look appears:

Adventures – each of which usually ends at Reef Treats!

- Scavenger Hunt – give each team a list of items, e.g. coconut, flower, flag, statue, etc., they must find and take a picture of, and first team to complete wins
- Mail Box Hunt – each team has pictures of mail boxes located in a general area, e.g. Pumpkin Cay, Angelfish, Sunrise, etc., they must take a picture of each and fastest team wins
- Clue – follow the clues hidden all over The Reef and the first team to the final destination wins

Exercise

- Playgrounds at Buccaneer Island and the Nature Center



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- Basketball and Bocce Courts are located on Gatehouse Road, opposite the Marina Village condominiums
- Mini Golf is located next to the Marina Fitness Center
- Soccer nets and balls are at Four Corners

Visits

- ORCAT welcomes pet and play for the adoptable kittens in their care
- Nature Center encourages learning about the local creatures as well as arts and crafts
- Cultural Center Museum teaches them about the history of how Ocean Reef was created and by whom
- Library has a large children's and young adult collection of books to borrow or read, open 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday to Thursday

Creative

- Wynns has a wide variety of



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cupcake and cookie mixes and all the gooey decorations to bake

- Art League Kids Happy Hour 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. on **Friday, April 15**
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- Bring your daughter or granddaughter to The Spa for a special manicure and/or pedicure

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"This Week at The Reef" for everything that is happening for the week. Check with the various locations to see if pre-registration is necessary for any of the activities. But mostly, enjoy the kids while they still want to visit!

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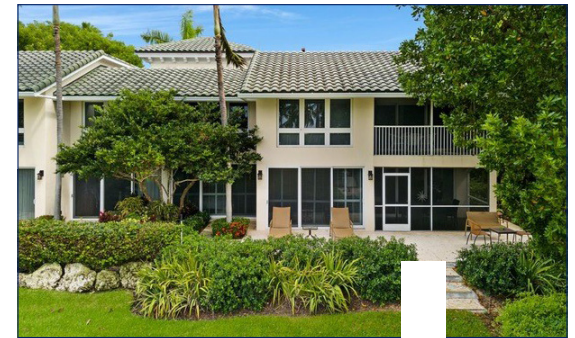
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Learn More About the Reefs in Our Backyard

By Lisa Cassidy, The Dive Shop Co-owner

Last week, The Dive Shop at Ocean Reef offered Ocean Reef Club Members **Steven Levin** and **Alison Kellom** the opportunity to join Ken Nedimyer - founder of Coral Restoration Foundation and more recently Reef Renewal USA (RRUSA) - and world-renowned Emmy-winning underwater videographer Frazier Nivens (Ocean Imaging Productions) to the South Carysfort nursery to check on the corals and prepare new rope nurseries for future out plantings (see pictures).

The Dive Shop will be working with Ken and his team to develop and implement a



Jesus Gudino, Alison Kellom and Steven Levin work on rope lines for baby corals.



Ken Nedimyer with healthy staghorn corals at RRUSA nursery. Photos by Frazier Nivens (Ocean Imaging Productions).

comprehensive reef restoration program at Carysfort Reef, beginning at South Carysfort this year and eventually expanding to North Carysfort in years to come.

Upcoming Event

On **April 8th**, The Dive Shop (ORC) and Watson Luxury Properties at Ocean Reef will host an exciting presentation with Ken and Frazier at the Cultural Center theater at **4:30 p.m.** Ken Nedimyer, will be the Keynote Speaker

and will lead the audience in an educational journey of coral reef restoration and the development of his 5-phase plan of coral restoration here at Carysfort and beyond entitled "Coral Restoration Challenges: What is Next?". Frazier will be showing his "An Ocean of Secrets" video filled with some of his best lifetime work, as well as two recent underwater shoots of South Carysfort and some historical footage of the reef in "Diving Carysfort". Special

thanks to Ocean Reef Member, Shelly Cameron Poulton for helping to make this video possible.

Do not miss this event which includes a wine and pizza meet and greet afterwards in the Cultural Center lobby. Beyond the education of these two experts, you will find out how to get hands on involved to help save and restore our beautiful reef system at Carysfort. If you are just simply interested in learning and seeing beauty, please join us.

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Have You Ever Been Invited to Ride the Energy Bus?



by Sarah A. Cart

A little after 4 p.m., the Associates who staff the Ocean Room for the evening wander into the restaurant's private dining room for their 4:15 pre-shift team meeting. Each receives friendly "hellos" upon entering. Several sit quietly reading, others exchange stories and bits of laughter, one folds dinner napkins. A few have brought a snack, and slices of cold pizza are available for the taking. There is a palpable



Nico DiPerna leads the daily Ocean Room meeting which includes a ride on "the bus."



Sophie Davidson and Gretchen Mangione proudly don their energy bus pins atop their nametags.

undercurrent of camaraderie.

They glance up at unexpected company, and I ask, "Are all of you on the Energy Bus?" Many smile as they say, "Yes!" and around the room, all heads nod in agreement – everyone is along for the ride.

All aboard! Author Jon Gordon's *The Energy Bus* is a business fable consisting of ten lessons that highlight the powerful roles positive

energy, mindset, and personal responsibility play in handling all the challenges that life brings. When you join others on the bus, theirs and/or yours, the result is an inspiring blend of trust, faith, enthusiasm, purpose, joy, and happiness.

When General Manager Nico DiPerna first invites Ocean Room Associates to board his Energy Bus, he acknowledges, "It can be incredibly cheesy, but it can also change your life!" And the Ocean Room team members agree instantly about the "cheesy" bit, but they also laugh as they share that "It works!"

Put another way: Imagine an icebreaker that invites you to do two things: First, greet the others in the room as if they are *unimportant*. After a couple minutes, continue to greet people, but now do so as if coming upon *long-lost friends*. Which feels better? Which feels like a place where you can achieve more? The icebreaker comes from Kenneth Blanchard, co-author of *The One Minute Manager*, in his foreword to *The Energy Bus*, and he uses it to demonstrate that *positive thinking energizes*.

DiPerna witnessed that when the coach of his younger brother's ice hockey team, the Florida Jr. Panthers, invited all the players to "board his bus," and they went from "meh" to state champs in a season. A year later, Nico's girlfriend was assigned *The Energy Bus*

in preparation for a new job in the Keys, and so they listened to the audio version as they drove south. By the time he arrived at the Ocean Room, he was driving his own bus, determined to share the positive energy and lessons with his team.

Ready to work: After their 30-minute meeting ("the most important part of a restaurant's day," DiPerna notes), several Associates, including Sophie from Scotland, Kerice from Jamaica, Trinity from New Zealand, Alex from South Africa, Leandra from New Mexico, Lisa from Texas, (each new to Ocean Reef), and veteran Anna from the Philippines, stick around to share how being on the bus impacts their work and daily life: "It brings us together." "We're a tight team." "I'm far from home, but this feels like family." "This will be applicable wherever life takes me." "Riding on the bus makes me part of something."

The wheels on the bus go round and round – enjoy the ride!

The Energy Bus: You'll find this bus button on lapels in the Ocean Room, Reef Lounge, and Reef Eats. You may even receive one as a gift. It's a lovely reminder of various life lessons, beginning with "You are the driver of your bus," through the observation that positive energy is fuel, and the advice to "love your passengers," "drive with purpose," and "have fun!"



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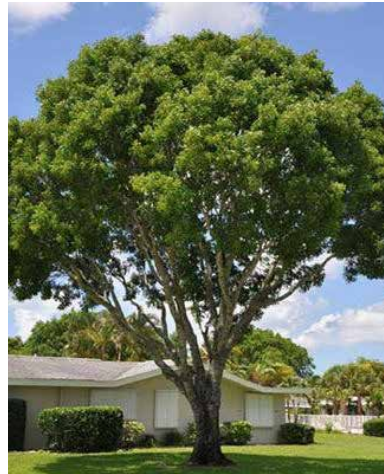


"Nature Notes" by Nancy Zakon

Very special trees live among us. We see them every day, providing shade, standing mute, but full of interesting histories. I first noticed a strange tree at the entrance to the Medical Center. Looking up, I saw these grey-green balls at the ends of high branches. What are those things? They resemble tree decorations at Christmas, though dull in color. Then I began looking while cruising Anchor Drive. (I'm not driving!) Lo and behold I saw more of these trees and began counting them. Try this! You'd be amazed at how many there are just on Anchor Drive, alone. One grows at the four-way stop, across from the anchor.

Rushing home, quick to the computer, I learned these trees are Mahogany, considered one of the most luxurious and beautiful woods in the world. It's named the American, Cuban or West Indies mahogany, and is endangered in the US – much of the original American mahogany was cut by the early 1900's. Just think, the "brown" furniture you grew up with probably came from down the road! The only place in the USA where American mahogany is found is in our neck of the woods, right here in the very southern tip of Florida. The trees need just the soil we have, and just the moisture we have. It's also native to the Caribbean islands and Venezuela.

Mahogany is "the perfect"



Mahogany tree and dried seed pod, both likely to be seen while walking.

wood for furniture craftsmen: doesn't warp, is durable, resistant to termites and moisture, and changes in temperature. Mahogany is easy to work by hand with hand tools, sands easily, turns, glues, stains, and finishes exceptionally well. As to hardness, it's between teak and cedar. A variety of mahogany is used to make string instruments, like the violin and guitar where the wood texture provides a mellow, rich sound. Some mahogany varieties are used for outdoor decking because of their water resistance. The leaves, bark, and fruit of mahoganies are all useful for medical conditions such as anemia, diabetes, cancer, malaria, and diarrhea to name a few. Mahogany wood is renowned across the world for the beauty and resilience it provides. The brownish-reddish color of mahogany wood makes it unique.

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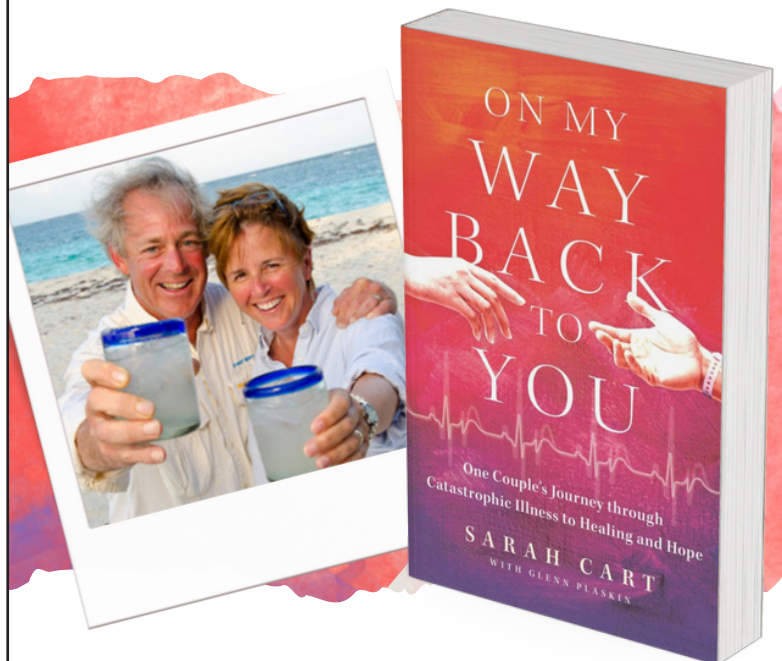


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Our Associates Inspire With Their Talent



“Art League”
by Deborah
Goodwin
Geller

This past week at the Art League, we invited anyone who works at Ocean Reef to consider submitting something from their artistic endeavors. They could have been someone who works in any area of The Reef or works for a Member personally, and we had wonderful submissions.

I personally always enjoy this show because it encourages us to look at each other through new eyes. We may see someone as a landscaper and find out they are also a painter. The



Keith Unruh, Transportation Manager
esthetician (Nicole Leeberrrios), who helps make us feel attractive and look our best also does fun and humorous pots and wall hangings. Nicole said that she loves to do this at night instead of wasting time scrolling on her phone.

When you look at the exquisite detail in the pointillism you have to wonder how many hours went into each work and if the artist does this as an expression or meditation. A few of the artists said it was



Nicole Leeberrrios, The Spa

an escape from their regular job of course but also a way to express their creative side.

I do have to say the star of the event was the violin. Everyone was amazed at the work of Richard Weinstein, President of The Ocean Reef Community Foundation. He gladly entertained anyone who was interested with the details of his process. Just the commitment to stick with this for nine months was impressive. Richard explained that although he

doesn't really know how to play the violin he is giving it a shot and seeing some improvement.

After this show, I hope we all take a little extra time to get to know the people who make our life here at Ocean Reef so special. Maybe the person who manages your home, walks your dog, or serves you at your favorite venues has a hidden talent that you don't yet know about. Find out and be the encourager for them to enter our show next year!

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The Academy Engages in the Model UN Conference

By Nicky Laak, Social Studies Teacher and Library Specialist at The Academy at Ocean Reef

At Saturday's Miami-Dade Model United Nations conference, Grade 6-8 Academy at Ocean Reef students acted as delegates for Mozambique and Italy. They worked with students from 21 other schools and tried to find answers to some of the world's most intractable problems.

Their committees and topics were:

- General Assembly - Sustainable Tourism
- Security Council - The Situation in Sudan
- UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific



Academy at Ocean Reef Model UN Delegates at Miami Dade Conference

and Cultural Organization) - Artificial Intelligence Responsibility

- UN Environment Assembly
 - Combating Climate Change
- Siena Wright** and **Constantin Wiegand**, grade 6 students, participated in Model UN for the first time. They were very pleased to achieve their goal when the resolution they worked on addressing AI Responsibility passed.

Natalie Blackburn and Edward

Brown, 7th graders, were delegates for Mozambique on the Security Council. Unfortunately, their resolution did not pass. "We couldn't find a solution to the problem because of the delegate for the UK. The resolution was to establish safe zones away from conflict in Sudan and to get humanitarian aid to the people and save civilian lives. However, one thing I learned at Model UN was that you can retaliate with

another delegate's statement," said Edward. His teammate, Natalie, also looked on the bright side: "The best thing about Model UN was learning how to be more confident."

Xena Abrego, grade 6, had fun at the conference: "The delegates for Cuba and France were the best people to talk to, and the delegate for Mozambique was so funny. The drama was the best part of Model UN."



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Sweet Penelope Swimwear Trunk Show

9am-2pm • Member Fitness Center

Addison Bay Trunk Show

10am-3pm • Burgee Shop

Garden Group House & Garden Tour

10am-4pm • Various Locations

Golf Clinic with Brad Pinho

1pm • Driving Range

Microgreens Class

4pm • Member Fitness Center

Campus Speaker Series: Sports

Talk with Mike Tirico & Bill Martin

4pm • Cultural Center

Live DJ at Burgee Bar

9pm • Burgee Bar

23 SATURDAY

ORC Run Club

7am • Member Fitness Center

Rod & Gun Club Sporting Clays

10am-3pm • Card Sound Range

Addison Bay Trunk Show

10am-3pm • Burgee Shop

Grand Seafood Buffet

5:30-9:45pm Seatings • Ocean Room

Live Performance: Kyiv Virtuosi Orchestra

8pm • Cultural Center

Live DJ at The Burgee Bar

9pm • Burgee Bar

Teens Only! After Hours

9pm-12am • Reef Rec Room

24 SUNDAY

Beginners Sailing Clinic

9:30am • Meet at the Pool Desk

Guided Eco Kayak Tour

10am • Meet at Pool Desk

Guided Standup Paddleboard Tour

1pm • Meet at the Pool

Sunday Funday Beginner Bridge

2pm • Card & Games Room

Cocktails

5-8pm • The Point (Members Only)

25 MONDAY

Anchor Cup

9am Shotgun • Hammock Course

Caryna Nina Apparel Spa Trunk Show

9am-4pm • The Spa

Cooking School Class:

The Sizzling Grill

9:30-12:30pm • Sailfish Patio

Ballet Barre & Silver Fit Class

10am • Member Fitness Center

Farmer's Market Open

11am-4pm • Field at Four Corners

Men's Poker Knockout Tournament

6:30pm • Card & Games Room

Reef Experience: Full Moon Party

7-10pm • Buccaneer Island

Full Moon Beach Yoga

8pm • Buccaneer Island

26 TUESDAY

ORC Swim Club

7 & 8am • Member Fitness Center Pool

Anchor Cup

8am Shotgun • Dolphin Course

Ladies Golf Club Championship

8-10am Shotgun • Hammock Course

Equity Get-Together: Easter Egg Decorating

9-11am • Carysfort Kitchen

A Flight Croquet League

9am-12pm • Croquet Lawn

Rod & Gun Club Sporting Clays

10am-3pm • Card Sound Range

Senior Café

10:30am • Chapel Fellowship Hall

Canasta Open Play

12 pm • Card & Games Room

Ladies' Poker Night

6:15pm • Card & Games Center

Vine to Table Dinner: Generations in the Making

6:30pm • Carysfort Kitchen

27 WEDNESDAY

ORC Walking Club

7am • Member Fitness Center

Tai Chi Class

7:30-8am • Member Fitness Center

Ladies Golf Club Championship

8-10am Shotgun • Dolphin Course

Ala Von Auersperg Spa Trunk Show

9am-4pm • The Spa

Silver Fit Class & Funky Fun Flow Yoga

10am • Member Fitness Center

Mommy & Me Royal Tea

12-2pm • Field at Four Corners

Duplicate Bridge Game

1pm • Card & Games Room

Intermediate Croquet Clinic

2:30pm • Croquet Lawn

Yappy Hour

3-5pm • Dog Park

One Day University Virtual Series:

Woodstock: How It Happened

5pm • Cultural Center

28 THURSDAY

9-Hole LGA Event

8-10am • Hammock Course

Ala Von Auersperg Spa Trunk Show

9am-4pm • The Spa

Rod & Gun Club Handgun Range

10am-2pm • Card Sound Range

Safe Boating Day & Eco-Fair

10am-2pm • Buccaneer Island

Rod & Gun Club Sporting Clays

10am-3pm • Card Sound Range

Farmer's Market Open

11am-4pm • Field at Four Corners

SUP & Kayaking Safety Discussion

11:30am • Buccaneer Island

Gameio Tennis Clinic

4:30pm • Tennis & Games Center

Family Fun at Waterside

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Wednesday, March 27 • 4:30 & 7:30pm

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Runtime: 1hr. 45min.

Premise: One man's brutal campaign for vengeance takes on national stakes after he is revealed to be a former operative of a powerful and clandestine organization known as beekeepers.



"Argylle" (PG13)

Friday, March 29 • 4:30 & 7:30pm

Sunday, March 31 • 4:30pm

Wednesday, April 3 • 7:30pm

Genre: Action, Comedy, Thriller

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CLUB SHOPPING

Joan the Shopper



Easter Bonnets from the retail store *The Dress Code*, located on Barracuda Lane in Ocean Reef

The Dress Code... In addition to being a great place to buy an Easter Bonnet (as illustrated), this delightful store offers OR shoppers an abundance of fun, fashionable and often unique items.... Everything in the store reflects the vision of owner/operator Suzanne Gleason, who believes her fashion mission is to "make everybody happy." As proof of her success – on a recent visit to **The Dress Code**, I left exclaiming "Happiness is a multi-colored Italian sequined jacket from *Villaglo*.... I am also sure that one (or two) of those brushed Cashmere Pashmina wrap scarves, available in a host of muted colors, would lead to an increase in my endorphins. Also at The Dress Code there a *blue section* with diverse items (funky tee shirts and special occasion dresses). What they all share is some variation of the color blue.... In another part of the store, there are several racks of those popular maxi

and mini dresses with puffy sleeves, that come most often in an interesting flower pattern. For me, they provoke pleasant images of a quiet tea in a country garden.... In Suzi Gleason's 27 years of experience (she also owns a store in Islamorada and has recently opened one on Nantucket), she has developed a strict retail philosophy – "I buy things from all over the world. I look for items that nobody else is selling. I don't buy anything that you can find in a department store. And I bring new merchandise into the store on a weekly and sometimes daily basis. I have fun making people happy." Last Word: In addition to the fantastical Easter Bonnets shown here, The Dress Code has delightful Easter earrings. There are earrings with bunnies, colored eggs, carrots and miniature Easter baskets.... HAPPY EASTER!

by Joan Birsh

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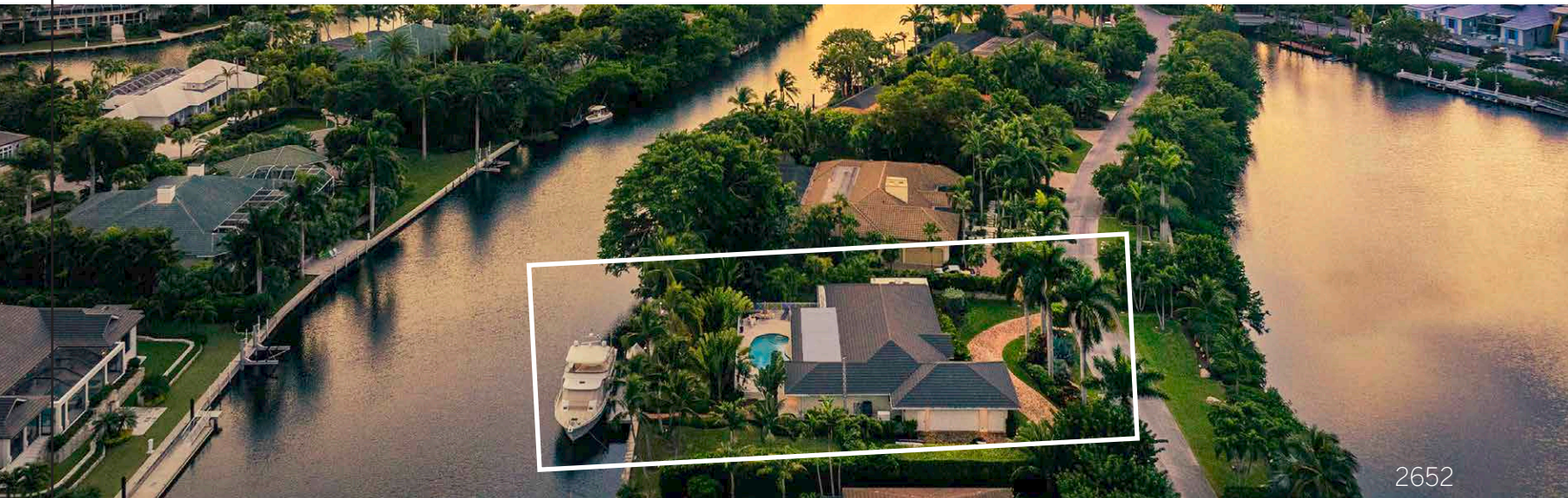
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Safe Boating Day is Here

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by Mary Brady

For the first time, the Club's annual Safe Boating Day and Eco-Fair events have merged into one giant celebration of boating safety and marine appreciation and will be celebrated **Thursday, March 28**.

As always, the event is complimentary for adults and kids. Sponsored by the Coast Guard Auxiliary and Ocean



Members of the U.S. Coast Guard, FWC and ORCA Fire Safety will be in attendance to meet-and-greet and offer vessel tours.



Safe Boating Day offers plenty of opportunities for children to have fun while learning.

Reef Club, we have planned an exciting day filled with arts and crafts for the children as well as face painting and



relay races. Plus, members of the US Coast Guard, FWC and ORCA Fire Safety will be in attendance giving

people tours of their patrol vessels. This year we will also have knot tying, SUP and kayak safety demonstrations, appointments for free vessel examinations, life jacket demos, and more.

The new merge with Eco-Fair also means that The Dive Shop, Everglades Foundation, John Pennekamp Coral Reef State Park, NOAA, MarineLab, and Reef Relief will also be taking part in the events with even more fun activities!

Then on **Friday, March 29**, the USCG Auxiliary Ocean Reef will host a Boating Emergencies Course from 10 to 11:30 a.m. in the Key Largo Building. Intended for captains and passengers! RSVP to pljr51@gmail.com.

So much to learn and so much to do. Lots of hand-outs and hands-on activities. Be there for March **28 & 29!** For more details, see the ad on page 12.

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April Chamber Luncheon Features Ed Hajim



by Christina Sarmiento, Executive Director Ocean Reef Chamber of Commerce

The Ocean Reef Chamber of Commerce is excited to announce that Ocean Reef Club Member **Ed Hajim** will be our Chamber Luncheon speaker on **Wednesday, April 3rd** at the Cultural Center.

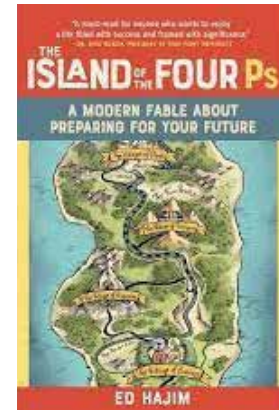
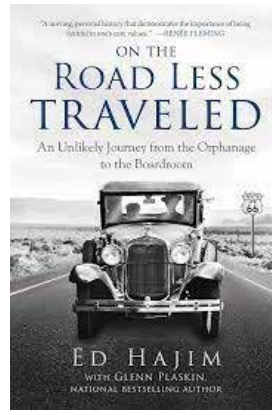
Ed Hajim's journey is a story of resilience, determination, and an unwavering pursuit of excellence. From his childhood struggles to his ascent to Wall Street executive and philanthropist, Ed's life story



Ed Hajim

resonates deeply with the values we hold dear in our community.

As the author of "THE ISLAND OF THE FOUR Ps: A Modern Fable About Preparing for Your Future" and the memoir "On The Road Less Traveled: An Unlikely Journey from the Orphanage to the Boardroom," Ed Hajim offers invaluable wisdom on navigating life's challenges and unlocking personal and professional success. Through his captivating narrative, he invites us to explore the transformative power of passion, principles,



partnerships, and plans.

Beyond his literary contributions, Ed's commitment to philanthropy and education has left an indelible mark on countless lives. His generous contributions, including the establishment of the Edmund A. Hajim School of Engineering and Applied Sciences at the University of Rochester, exemplify the true spirit of giving back and community engagement.

Ed's appearance at our upcoming Chamber Luncheon will not only provide an opportunity to gain valuable

insights but will also offer a chance to connect with a visionary leader who embodies the values of perseverance, integrity, and excellence that define our Chamber community.

Mark your calendars and do not miss this inspiring afternoon with Ed Hajim!

You can purchase Mr. Hajim's books by visiting the Ocean Reef Gift Shop or by going to <http://tinyurl.com/3p58nsxn>.

Event Details:

- Date: April 3rd
- Time: 11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.
- Location: Cultural Center
- RSVP: RSVP is required by emailing director@oceanreefchamber.org, calling 305-340-8905 or visiting www.oceanreefchamber.org to register online



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OUT & ABOUT



Blair MacAulay celebrated his 90th birthday with his wife Libby and four children + spouses. Submitted by Terry Baxter.



Matt Ryan called for an Irish Soda Bread competition to celebrate St. Patrick's Day at Port O' Call. Jackie Quintal (left) and POC's Khanya were up to the challenge where everyone was a winner, according to Ryan!



Three generations of the Mast family men gathered at the Beach Bar along with others to celebrate Barkley Mast's visit. Pictured from left to right: Grandfather Al Mast, Bruce Berry, Art Berry III, Father Jeff Mast, Paul Speaker, Keith Davidson, and Barkley Wolff Mast (seated).



This little fashionista at Boutique d' Reef is Esme, Em Wierda's granddaughter. Look out Joan the Shopper!



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Skin Care Quality Hair Care



“Spa Notes”
by Jillian
Barron, The
Spa Director

Being that I am an esthetician, it is no secret that I am a skincare aficionado, and I am always looking for the next best thing in the esthetic world. That being said, hair care is also extremely important, and I love that there are so many hair care lines that treat hair the way that all of us in the esthetic world treat our skin.

Oribe is an outstanding luxury hair care line and always takes its products to the next level with extensive research and proven results. Their best-selling collection, the Gold Lust Collection, combines centuries-

old healing oils and extracts with modern, high-performance technology to rejuvenate and reinforce each strand and undo damage. Featuring a Bio-Restorative Complex of plant collagen, caffeine, biotin, and niacinamide, the Oribe Gold Lust Collection is designed to repair and restore dry, damaged hair to its glossiest, healthiest prime. Featured below are three of the products we carry from this collection:

Gold Lust Dry Heat Protection Spray

Their newest product is the Gold Lust Dry Heat Protection Spray. It is a dry conditioning spray designed to protect your hair from hot tools and heat while repairing it to its softest, healthiest prime. This multi-tasking, dry conditioning spray repairs, nourishes, and shields damaged strands up to 450°F / 232°C. Hair is instantly silky soft with a frizz-free satin sheen.

Gold Lust Repair & Restore Shampoo & Conditioner

The fountain of youth for soft, shiny, ageless hair is here. Gold Lust Shampoo rejuvenates hair to its healthiest prime while balancing the scalp and reinforcing the inner strength of each strand. Ultra-hydrating Gold Lust Conditioner softens and revitalizes, smoothing each cuticle to undo the damage of time, and style.

When using Gold Lust Shampoo & Conditioner:

- 91% saw an improvement in the appearance of hair*
- 82% felt damaged ends were more reinforced and sealed*
- 74% felt hair was more resilient against future damage*

*Based on a 7-day consumer panel survey of 101 women.

Gold Lust Nourishing Hair Oil

This luxuriously light oil absorbs instantly to restore hair to its prime. Infused with a rich blend of jasmine, edelweiss flower, lychee, sandalwood, cassis, and argan extracts, each protective drop penetrates the hair to deeply condition, strengthen,

and smooth – imparting intense nourishment and incredible shine. Works wonders on dry, damaged, and color-treated hair... liquid gold.

When using Gold Lust Nourishing Hair Oil:

- Hair is 2x softer and more manageable*
- Hair is protected from frizz for up to 72 hours*
- Clinically proven to significantly increase shine*

*Based on clinical tests conducted on human hair against a control group.

Stop by The Spa to check out all of the Oribe Gold Lust Collection Hair Care products.

Upcoming Trunk Shows:

- Friday, March 22 and Saturday, March 23, Zoe's Empire 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Monday, March 25 and Tuesday, March 26, Caryna Nina Apparel 9 a. m to 4 p.m.
- Wednesday, March 27 and Thursday, March 28 Ala Von Auersperg 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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Happenings 2024

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27

MOMMY & ME ROYAL TEA

12-2pm • Field at Four Corners
Reservations: 305-367-6516

THURSDAY, MARCH 28

FAMILY FUN AT WATERSIDE

5-8pm • Town Hall Waterside

FRIDAY, MARCH 29

BUNNY HOP PRE-REGISTRATION

12-4pm • Pool Desk

PETTING ZOO

2-4pm • Nature Center

JUNIOR TEEN TENNIS ROUND ROBIN & PIZZA PARTY

6-8pm • Tennis & Games Center
Registration: 305-367-6583

FISH FRY & BINGO

6-6:30pm Seatings • Marlin Beach
Bingo starts at 7pm SHARP!
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FAMILY FUN AT WATERSIDE

5-8pm • Town Hall Waterside

SATURDAY, MARCH 30

BUNNY HOP 5K FUN RUN

Registration: 7:30am
Race Start: 8am
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EASTER CART PARADE

Line-Up Begins: 12:30pm
Departs: 1pm
Business Center Parking Lot

FAMILY FUN NIGHT

5-10pm • Town Hall Waterside

STARLIGHT DINNER BUFFET

6 & 8pm Seatings • Carysfort Hall
Reservations: 305-367-5931

OCEAN ROOM HOLIDAY BUFFET

5:30 to 9:45pm • Ocean Room
Reservations: 305-367-5931

SUNDAY, MARCH 31

SUNRISE SERVICE

6:45-8am • Buccaneer Island

EASTER BASKET DELIVERIES

6-9:30am • The Reef
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The deadline to reserve your basket is Friday, March 29. For reservations, call 305-367-6516.



OFF THE REEF



Alice Perry (age 7) from England visited her Grandparents Nick and Angela Perry for a nice visit last month. Now, she is back in the UK dreaming about Palm Trees and the magic of The Reef. Hurry back for another visit, Alice! Submitted by Mary Brady.

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In Pursuit of Panamanian Giants

"Fish Tales" By Mike Love

The last week of February, Ocean Reef members, **Dr. Riley Love, Guthrie Allen**, and I traveled to Panama to visit one of our old stomping grounds, Coiba Island. The island served as the country's penal colony from 1919 to 2004. My father, brother, and I actually fished there in the mid-70s while the prison was in operation at the Club Pacifico, built by Bob Griffin (but that's another story).

An early charter flight from Panama City had us landing on the grass strip on Coiba Island at approximately 8:30 a.m., and Capt. Tom Yost of Coiba Adventures picked us up in his 32' Bertram. Coiba Island is now a National Park, and a small post is manned by five men at the old prison site, who gladly helped us carry our bags to the boat area (for a small tip, of course). So, for the next four days, we decided to fish two days inshore and two days on the famous Hannibal Bank about eight miles off the coast of Coiba. The inshore fishing was amazing as we caught wahoo, roosterfish, blue trevally, barred snapper, rainbow runner, mullet snapper, bonito, crevalle jack, and of course sharks, which turned out to be Dr. Love's specialty with two white tips and a bull shark, all large specimens.

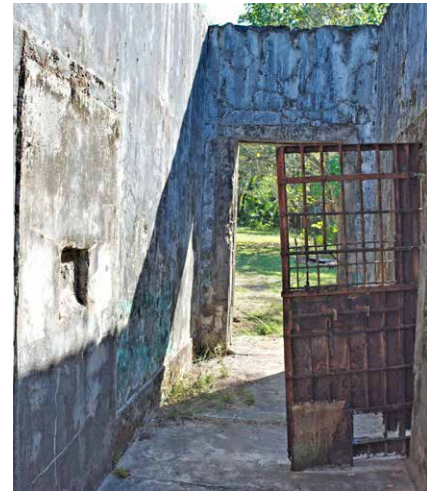
Each evening we would make the 40-mile run back to the very small fishing community of Bahia Honda, where Tom has his house with three extra bedrooms, each with its own air conditioner, as temperatures were close to 100 while we were there, and a shared bathroom. Tom uses people from the local



Just one sailfish but looked to be about 180lbs.



Riley Love was the trip's shark hunter.



Old prison site on Coiba Island, Panama.



Guthrie Allen with a very large rainbow runner.



Mike Love with a beautiful bar snapper.

community to cook, serve food, mix drinks (very important), do daily laundry, fuel his boat, rig all tankers, and clean the boat. We were very comfortable in these meager surroundings.

We decided to make the 48-mile run to Hannibal Bank for our second day of fishing. We made a brief stop about halfway to load our six tuna tubes with bonita. As we arrived at the bank, there was much activity. A lot of bait was busting the surface and many birds were working the area. There were a lot of mahi-mahi there that kept hitting our bait (which were much too big for them), but we would just put out some feathers and catch more. We didn't want to bother with the mahi; we had something much larger in mind.

We only had one sail that day, but that night we decided to make the run again back to the Bank; the conditions looked

good for something big to happen. The next morning, we had fished only a short while when we had a sailfish strike, but the mate backlashed the reel and it backed off. About an hour later we had another strike. The fish stayed down and never jumped. As I brought him close to the boat, I thought it was a marlin, but the captain confirmed it was a sailfish, close to 200 lbs., which we released to fight again.

The afternoon wore on with no more bites, and the captain asked if we wanted to move in closer to some rocks for more action, but we decided to stay and go for broke. We put out four live large bonita, about 5.6 lbs. each, and stayed the course. About an hour and a half later, there was a huge explosion behind the right-side bait closest to the boat. A large billfish had slashed at

the bait, then attacked. He had two things on his mind: murder and a meal. We let the line peel off for several seconds then went full drag. The fish was close to the boat when it cleared the water. It was huge; he jumped a second time as the line screamed off the reel. He was going sideways from the boat as the captain gunned the boat. It jumped a third time, but had traveled so far, so fast, that it created a huge loop in the line that threw the bait. We were disappointed, of course. I had caught a number of marlin in the area in the 400-500 lb. range, but nothing close to this one; the captain said it had to be well over 800, maybe close to 1000. I guess that's why they get so big, just darn hard to catch! What a thrill to see for even those brief moments.

Amo Panama, (I love Panama)

OUT & ABOUT



As regulars on the golf courses, crocs now know a thing or two about scoring under par. Here, this croc tries to provide some helpful feedback on Steven Levin's golf game, but is he yawning or yelling, "Keep it on the fairway?!"

RECENT CATCH



Sandra Fish has caught plenty of fish, but never the Mutton Snapper. Last week, she was excited to catch her first. Congratulations! Submitted by Linda Jaikins.

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Victor Victorious & the Circle of Doom



by Randy Woods, US Coast Guard Auxiliary Ocean Reef

About 25 years ago my family traveled aboard an ancient Grumman Goose flying boat from Virgin Gorda in the British Virgin Islands. We were bound for Puerto Rico.

After landing on the sound, the Grumman pilot was in a big hurry to depart because the aircraft, without a working bilge pump, was slowly taking on water and quickly approaching max takeoff weight. Victor, a boatman on an island where we lived, delivered us to the aircraft. He held our 17-foot Whaler alongside the plane while luggage and kids were tossed through the door into the cabin.

The takeoff run was alarmingly long, and the windows were mostly below sea level. The event felt more like a submarine dive than an

aircraft launch. Eventually we became airborne, and the pilot banked steeply back across the waters where we spotted our island neighbor, Victoria, skimming along in her own small outboard boat.

We did not see that Victoria, a moment later, was tossed overboard by wave or wake. We later learned that she had unintentionally pulled the wheel to starboard on exiting the boat, still running, with no safety lanyard to the kill switch. Now she was in the water with her boat starting an ill-intentioned clockwise circling.

Victoria was no fool and she quickly recollected tales of unmanned boats spiraling out of control, overrunning and chewing up swimmers who were, until moments before, Captains or Commanders. She was also a strong swimmer, and she dove deep and swam far underwater until she was outside her boat's Circle of Doom.

Victor witnessed everything and soon came alongside and stopped Victoria's boat. He hauled her shaking self into his Whaler and returned all to the island. My family, oblivious to the drama, landed at San Juan in the Goose close to running out of fuel.

In 2021 the US Coast Guard mandated that operators of recreational vessels less than 26 feet in length with an

engine of 3 HP or more, while planing or above displacement speed, use the installed Engine Cut-Off Switch (ECOS) link—a lanyard attached to the operator's life jacket or clothing—or an electronic "fob" link. This is mandatory.



Typical ECOS Link

The rule is clearly justified by Victoria's experience and by numerous fatalities and traumatic injuries caused by boats operating without a helmsman. The Coast Guard reports that a typical three-blade propeller running at 3,200 rpm can inflict 160 impacts in one second.

On the island in the BVI 25 years ago, these kill switch

devices were already installed on outboard controls. BUT WE NEVER USED THEM. In fact, lanyards were often removed, and a cable tie was cleverly installed to force the kill switch permanently into the ON position—no matter what. Island insanity!

The Coast Guard reports that unexpected entry into the water due to falling overboard, capsizing, flooding/swamping, and ejection from a vessel account for roughly two thirds of all fatal boating accidents.

Consider the wakes, the narrow channels studded with day marks and the winds and waves encountered on Ocean Reef waters. Ejection from a moving vessel is a terrifying event for anyone. A helmsman cast overboard, or away from the helm, is a huge risk for everyone.

A link to the Engine Cut Off Switch is critical safety equipment. Use it.

USCG Auxiliary Course Boating Emergencies

**Friday, March 29
10 - 11:30 a.m.
Key Largo Building**

This course is intended to provide guidance for captains and those boat occupants such as guests, friends, spouses, etc., who may find themselves in an emergency situation on the water. Learn what to do now so you are well prepared for your boating experiences!

Topics include:

- How to use the VHF to call for help
- How to determine your location in any body of water and give that information to rescuers
- Flare usage, life jackets, anchoring, emergency gear etc.
 - A discussion of pertinent cell phone apps

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Ocean Reef vs Anglers Club Golf Croquet Challenge Invitational

by William Hinkebein, ORC Croquet Chair

On Friday and Saturday, March 15 and 16, the annual Ocean Reef vs Anglers Club Golf Croquet Challenge Invitational was held for the 22nd time. This event began in 2003. Anglers incredibly won the first 15 annual matches. But then ORC won three of the next five before KLAC won last year.

Six doubles teams from each club played on both lawns at both clubs both days. There were six teams from ORC and six from KLAC. Thus this annual event plays up to a total of 36 matches, with the club reaching 19 wins declared the champions.

Much preparation was put into the effort by both croquet clubs: many weeks of seasonal play, coaching, practicing, various tournaments, league play, the team selection process, team practices, watching film, studying technique, mental training, and war room tabletop strategy sessions.

The competitors gathered early to warm up and get ready. Once it began, the silence was deafening. Great anticipation and nervousness was obvious as well as total focus and concentration. There were good shots, poor shots and some lucky shots. Once things got going after the first few hoops of the first few games, excellent play ensued. There were beautiful set ups, clearing, stop shots, split shots, hoop shooting and jump shots.

These games were played to four with the first team to score four hoops winning the game. Every wicket was



Team Captains William Hinkebein (ORC) and Leslie Phillips (KLAC)



KLAC celebrating their victory



The Winning KLAC Team

fiercely competed. Many of the games were great defensive struggles, lasting longer than the usual 30 minutes. At the halfway point, the match was KLAC 11, ORC 7.

In the Saturday session, long hard-fought games continued. As the games played out, it slowly became apparent that this was Anglers' day. Ultimately, Anglers began to pull ahead, slowly, one game at a time. When they gained their 19th win of the event, it was sealed.

Thus, Anglers Club won the 2024 ORAC. Congratulations to both ORC and KLAC. This was a Challenge well done. Thank you Team KLAC for hosting the fine lunch and cocktails after the match. Your hospitality, as always, is gracious, sincere and much appreciated.

Recognition goes to two teams winning five of six games:

- **KLAC:** Charlotte Curry and Steve Olsen
- **ORC:** Mike Love and Alan Thomson

Special recognition goes to

this fantastic young couple who won all six of their games outscoring their

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Dog Do's & Don'ts Over Dinner



by Christine Patton, Rod & Gun Club

The Rod & Gun Club and Bonefish Bonnies joined forces to present Fetch. Stay. Dine, a special day of dog training and tips on how to communicate with your canine. Monday afternoon there was a demonstration of dog obedience at the new Casting Park on Sunrise. **Laura Wilson**, Bonnies' President, introduced Jude De'Niese, dog trainer of note.

Working with three very different dogs — one was a "professional", who lived in the



Tom Davidson, Jr alongside Harold and Mona Brewer, recipients of the Sportsman of the Year Award.

kennel and hunted regularly. The next was a "lifestyle" dog, who lived with the family and kids — fetching toys and swimming in the pool. The third was a young dog, trying to learn the good manners to be allowed by the wife in the house to stay with the household. Training covered a range of subtle objectives, like Attitude — Sharing the Work — and Good Manners. Training



Tom Davidson, Jr with Jude De'Niese, the speaker at the event.

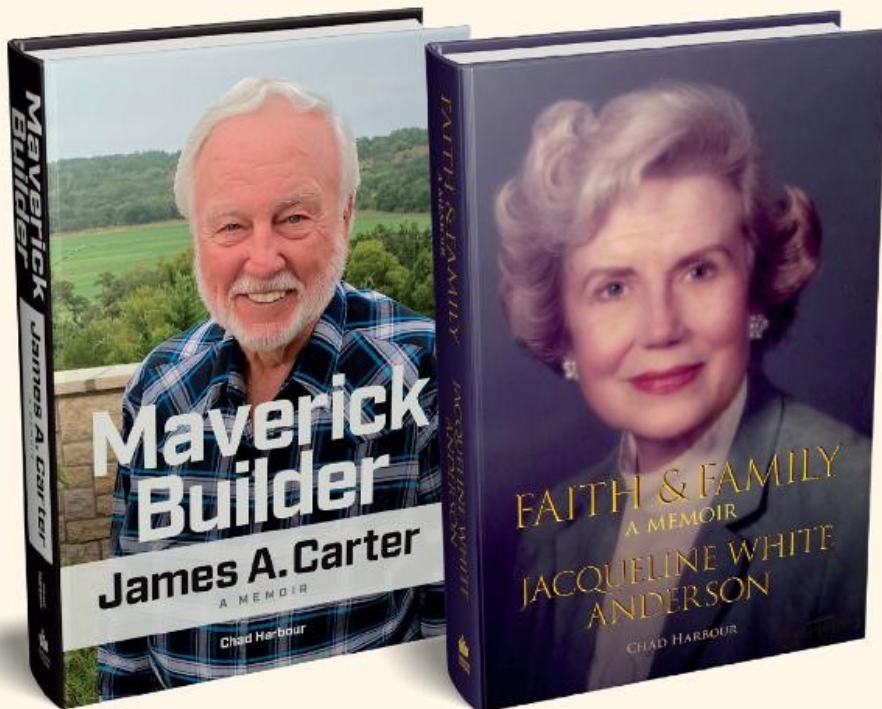
was a regular, 5-minute-a-day practice that kept the dog mindful of the lessons.

Monday evening, at a dinner at the Cultural Center, Jude spoke to the attendees about how to achieve that high level of obedience that all dogs, big or small, can quickly learn. His motivational tools were praise and food, and he advocated behavior modification by interruption or withholding play. More fundamental, he

spoke about how to select a dog — puppy or year and a half? - what to look for in a more mature dog, and the special consideration that an older dog needs when a younger dog is introduced to the family — tips for coexistence.

In addition to the speaker's presentation, **Tom Davidson, Jr**, President of Rod and Gun, announced this year's Sportsman of the Year Award. This award goes to not one person but to two — **Mona and Harold Brewer**, who separately and together embody the spirit of leadership, sportsmanship and excellence. Both have long records as Board members, officers and active proponents of their life passions: Mona as Bonefish Bonnies President and certified casting instructor, Harold as an avid bird watcher/photographer with decades of BTT work and roles on all Ocean Reef Club boards — ORCA, ORC, Medical Center — a powerful duo, to be sure.

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Weekend Matches Showcase Golf Staffs' Competitive Skills

Play Continues Today at 1pm

By Annie Miles

Golfers from Ocean Reef and Card Sound competed in exciting second-round matches during the 2024 Bag Room Open and narrowed the field to sixteen players remaining in the tournament. Perfect weather brought out a great crowd of ORC spectators to support the golf staffs in their quest for the championship. Eight competitors advanced from March 15th and 16th's play to join this weekend's matches starting today at 1pm.

The Friday pairings will see Clayton Gregory face Louie Fiumara, Michael Rivera vs. Corey Vecciarelli, Jordan Sanyshyn vs. Matt Costigan, and Aaron Hart vs. Brad Pinho. Saturday's competitors, again beginning at 1pm, will include Bentley Stover vs. Ben Claus, David Sandberg vs. Justin Seybuck, Zach Haynes vs. Dave Vihlen, and Mike Leone vs. Evan Cartwright.

The level of play should be exceptional and not to be missed. Join the tradition of the Bag Room Open and support the quality golf personnel we enjoy at Ocean Reef.



Friday's Mentors and matches included J. Guarch, Matt Costigan, Lynne Thomson, Stef Shaw, Brad Pinho, Mirek Fajyt, Bill Miller, Michael Rivera, Erika Jones, Hillary Smith, Sue Berry, Sally Newman, Kyle Johnston, Louie Fiumara, Charlie Simms, Cynthia Egan and Maddie Murray.



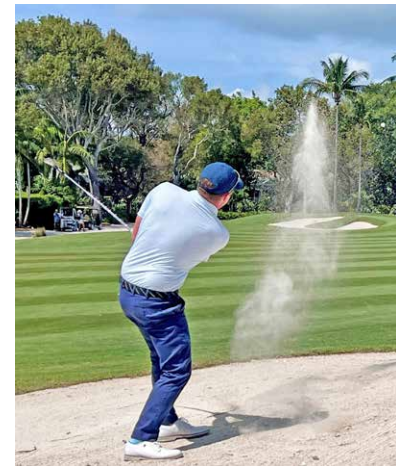
Saturday's pairings featured Mentors and Mentees (front row) Michael Betz, Dave Vihlen, Evan Cartwright, Doug Totura, Ben Claus, TJ Terpanick, Paul Archibald, Brette Bryant, Adele Acheson, David Sandberg, Pat DiNapoli (filling in for Dom), and (second row) Joe Murphy, Matt Beck, Tim Watson, Andy Timmerman (filling in for Joe Holl), and Jeff Dorsey.



Kyle Johnston always brings the style with his colorful knickers and the matching skirt for his Mentor/Caddy Sally Newman.



29-year ORC golf veteran pro Dave Vihlen confers with Mentor Michael Betz.



Card Sound Head Pro David Sandberg blasts a beauty to the green at #4.



Bag Room Chairman and Mentor/Caddy J. Guarch watches Matt Costigan stroke this putt on the Dolphin 7th green.



ORC Golf Shop Manager Erika Jones makes a birdie putt on #9 with Luis Fiumara, Charlie Simms and Hillary Smith looking on.



Putting it All Together: Golf Association Weekly Recap



"From the Gold Tees" by Michael Leone, Director of Golf

9-Hole LGA 4 Club Scramble

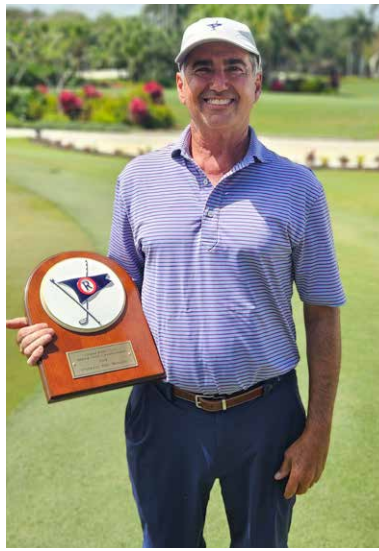
Last Thursday we had another beautiful morning for the 9-Hole LGA. The fun from the Member Guest and Fashion Show was certainly hard to follow up on, but we had 12 teams eager to get back out onto the golf course to compete in the four Club Scramble. Every player chose their four favorite clubs to bring with them on the course. Each player was limited to those four clubs throughout the entire



2024 Gross Senior Club Champion, Phil French

round, however, they had their teammates to rely on during the scramble. Even though each player only had 4 clubs to choose from, every team turned in an under-par score. Before heading out onto the front nine of the Dolphin Course, team members did an excellent job strategizing over clubs to bring along that played to their strengths.

The score of 29 was the leader



2024 NET Senior Club Champion, Elias Vamvakas

in the clubhouse for the majority of the morning until two groups at the very end were able to turn in a phenomenal score of 27 (9 under par). Once the round was complete, a scorecard playoff was used to determine our winners. Congratulations to the team of **Julie Futch, Mary Heffner, Beth Joyner, and Giovanna Lucy** for winning today's 4 Club Scramble event!

Olivia Vamvakas for getting first place in Tuesday's 4 Club Scramble event!

2024 Men's Senior Club Championship

Conditions this week were ideal and our competitors did not disappoint for the 2024 Senior Club Championship. Round 2 of this 36-hole Championship was played Wednesday morning with light winds and ideal temperatures.

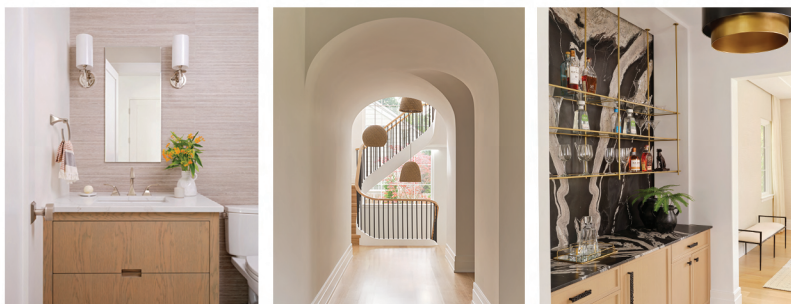
With our leaders going off last, players took the course, attempting to put up a low number and add some pressure on the final groups. After surviving the Hammock course with a first-round score of 72, **Phil French**, who was in a similar position for the Men's Club Championship, took the course in our final pairing this morning. With experience in such a position, he showed poise and class in his final round. Mr. French made 4 birdies on his way to the only under-par round of the tournament with a score of 70 to claim his second championship title of the season. Congratulations to our 2024 Senior Club Champion, Phil French. On the NET side of the competition, we had a three-way tie for second place between **Scott Heffner, Peter Shea, and Joe Hertzman**. Although these gentlemen put together two impressive rounds, one individual was able to edge them out by 1-stroke after a 4-under-par final round of 67. Congratulations to our 2024 NET Senior Club Champion, **Elias Vamvakas**.

LGA Play for the Cure

Combined with the 9-Hole LGA, over 120 ladies came out to raise money for the Breast Cancer Treatment Program at the Open-Door Health Center. The focus of this event is to raise money for this great cause, but this does not mean our players would back down from bringing home the victory! A friendly format including mulligans, gimmes, and free drops allowed for a tight race with a lot of very low scores! Congratulations to the team of **Nancy Vamvakas, Nancy Grote, Val Rich, and**



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9-HOLE LGA 4 CLUB SCRAMBLE

1st Place: Julie Futch, Mary Heffner, Beth Joyner, & Giovanna Lucy

2nd Place: Katy Miller, Karen Gregorich, Kristi Davidson, & Jennifer Leonard

3rd Place: Angelina Materna, Betty Hamilton, Charlotte Drinkwater, & Kathleen Metzman

Closest to the Hole:

#4 Sharon Greenstein
#6 Sheila Wagner

2024 MEN'S SENIOR CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Overall Gross

1st Place: Phil French
2nd Place: Michael Acheson
3rd Place: Scott Heffner
Frank Strafacci

Overall Net:

1st Place: Elias Vamvakas
2nd Place: Joe Hertzman, Peter Shea, Scott Heffner

Gross Results by Flight:

Flight 55-62: Mike Acheson
Flight 63-69: Frank Strafacci
Flight 70 and Up: Richard Satterfield

Net Results by Flights:

Flight 55-62: Scott Heffner
Flight 63-69: Joe Hertzman
Flight 70 and Up: Peter Shea
Super Senior Flight: Larry Brady

Closest to the Hole:

#5 Dolpin Course: Cynthia Barrette
#9 Dolphin Course: Carleen Schreder

LGA PLAY FOR THE CURE

1st Place: Corinne Tennent, Lois Delligatti, & Betsy Skudder

2nd Place: Susan DiSanto & Louise Owens

3rd Place: Terry Ferrarone, Cathy Jansen, Annie Riethmiller, & Vicki Turowski

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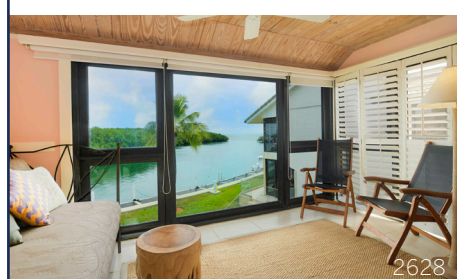
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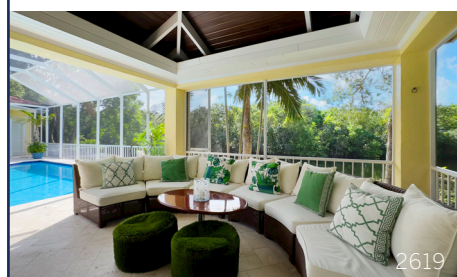
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“Center Court” by Justin Romero, Director of Racquet Sports

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Mixed Doubles Pickleball Club Championships – April 6th and 7th

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A Flight

8:30 a.m.

B Flight

10:00 a.m.

The semifinals and finals will be

played on Sunday at 8:30 a.m.

The Tennis Singles Club Championships has been a season long tournament. Players have a few weeks to schedule their matches to have a chance at moving on to the next round. It started with a 19 person draw and it has been narrowed down to the semi-finals and finals. Clinching their Finals appearance is **Andy**

Timmerman after beating defending champion **Ralf Sellig**. Andy will await the other semifinal match between **Wally Hayward** and **Tyler Massey**.

The Singles Club Championship Finals will take place on **Saturday, April 13th** and all are encouraged to come and watch some phenomenal Championship Singles.

The Social Media Pitfalls of Pickleball



“Pickleball Tip” by Zach Grabovic, Pickleball Professional

My tip of the week is quite simple, don't believe everything you see on social media.

A part of my new campaign to become a professional pickleball player has been a higher involvement with social media, and while I'm not on these platforms to be a coach, there seems to be a lot of “coaches” that use social media as a resource to reach a bigger audience.

In my time on social media, I have found many “coaches” looking to share their two cents with me about what I'm doing wrong. What I have learned is that these “coaches” don't know the sport they're trying to coach at all. Now, don't get me wrong, there are some amazing coaches on these platforms who provide a number of great tips and a

lot of helpful information for learning or improving on tennis, pickleball, golf, or any other sport you may play. However, not everyone on social media is sharing accurate information.

One thing you will notice about good coaches is that they share a lot of the same information. They may interpret or teach it in a different way but the foundation and pillars of that framework are consistent with each other. Most coaches you see working at clubs and even online have years of experience playing at extremely high levels and they are able to provide insights that a lot of ordinary people may miss. However, to work at a club you must be able to demonstrate your skill as well as your ability to coach before being hired. The same can't be said for online coaches. I'm not saying don't use social media as a resource for coaching tips but definitely consult your wonderful staff on The Reef about it before implementing that information to your game. Ocean Reef has done a wonderful job selecting some of the best coaching professionals from around the world that have years of experience coaching and have devoted time to learning the game they specialize in.



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Wednesday, March 13

1st Place: Kam Krousos
 2nd Place: Cathy Ryon
 3rd Place: Liz Angelone

MEN'S PICKLEBALL LEAGUE

Tuesday, March 12

1st Place: Dan Cohen
 2nd Place: Brandon St.Germain
 3rd Place: Dan Attridge

Thursday, March 14

1st Place: Jeff Mokris
 2nd Place: Todd Doolan
 3rd Place: Dan Attridge

MEN'S NIGHT TENNIS

Monday, March 18

1st Place: Richard Weinstein
 1st Place: Craig McGrain
 1st Place: Dan Cohen

Tennis

Players of the Week

Jake Watson and Tyler Jefferson

The standout tennis players of the week are these two dedicated individuals who are making the most of their Spring Break! They spend rigorous hours on the court, practicing tennis both in the morning and afternoon without showing any signs of fatigue. Their commitment to the sport shines through as they participate in numerous clinics. Everyone wants these two on their team for "Tennis 105" because they can get to every ball without giving up!



This week, we celebrate not just one, but two exceptional players who exemplify true passion and skill on the tennis court, Jake Watson and **Tyler Jefferson**.



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Spectators Aplenty for Racing on the Pond



by Windsor D. Coffin, CSMYC Commodore

It was another beautiful Sunday for racing at the Pond, and it was clear that many other folks thought so too. Only an aerial photo would have accurately shown how many people enjoyed watching the Card Sound Model Yacht Club sailors' race...and what a show they witnessed. Wind conditions were once again very variable both in velocity and direction, which kept the racing tight. Big leads were never assured to translate to race wins and if you got behind there was always a chance that you could catch up.

With winds coming from the south, or a little south-southeast, the structures sitting on the south side of the Pond coupled with a building breeze meant that the wind was deflected instead of actually being blocked by those structures. This created wild wind direction shifts lulls and gusts of breeze in ways that a knowledgeable sailor could only watch with amazement. Truly, luck was a key factor in success last Sunday but not



Racing action on the Pond. Photo Credit - Alzbeta Robillard.



Just a few of the spectators preparing to enjoy the racing. Photo Credit - Windsor Coffin.

without skill and good decision-making. For the second Sunday in a row, we were able to get seven races run well within our allotted time on the Pond. More racing means more fun! In the end, it was a close battle at the top with yours truly, **Windsor Coffin**, winning the day by a single point over second-place finisher **Joe Robillard**. We each had three race wins but where the difference lay was in my three second places to his two seconds and one third. Rounding out the top finishers was **Al Mast** who took a win in Race 5 where **Erin Coffin** took second place over myself and Joe in a photo finish and counted for Joe's throw-out race in the standings. While **Ralph Marrinson** came to the Pond once again to continue to practice the nuances of model yacht handling, our friend **Jim Seale** once again ran into mechanical trouble with his boat and could not race. That still left five of us to tackle the wild winds and small pond size brought on by low tide. Finally, how could I miss giving a

shout-out to our amazing Race Committee team of **Lynne Mast** and **Alzbeta Robillard** without whom our racing would not run so smoothly.

As excitement continues to build for model yacht racing at Ocean Reef, we hope to get racing in this Sunday for our final race day before our Easter break. Unfortunately, at the time of this writing, the forecast is looking very breezy and perhaps outside the safe conditions for our model yachts. Hopefully, the forecast improves or is simply incorrect. Certainly, either one is

possible!

As I mentioned, this Sunday will be our last scheduled race day until the Sunday after Easter. So, hopefully you will come down to Buccaneer Island to see if the weather conditions permit us to race. Our first race start is at 10 a.m. and if all goes well, we hope to see to you there! If you would like more information about our model yachting club and our EC12 model yachts, please come by "the Pond" to see us or contact me, Windsor Coffin, at csmyc12@gmail.com.



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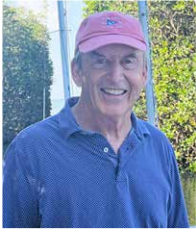


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Game-On! The Mills & Metcalf Series Begins!



by Neil Sullivan, CSSC Vice Commodore

Live slow, sail fast!

Fifty-seven years ago, in 1967, the Card Sound Sailing Club was organized by a group of talented sailors. A few years into racing, in the fall of 1973, the early sailors settled into choosing the venerable "Bullseye" designed by Nathanael Herreshoff as the club one-design boat for its many advantages including shallow draft, stability and symmetrical spinnaker. Each



Race Committee presents first place to Meg Sellig and Chris Streit for the Bulls division of Mills and Metcalf race #1.



Downwind spinnaker racing, submitted by Jay Beatty.

year enthusiasm grew and before you knew it there was the establishment of 4 major four-race series (for a total of 16 individual race days) beginning in November and concluding in April. To this day, the series are named in order Dingley, Connors, Magic, and Mills and Metcalf after their winning sailors here at CSSC.

Each series has a uniqueness to it and the current Mills and Metcalf series may be the most

unique. You see ALL sailors want to win and take home a winning cup or some CSSC swag! By the time March rolls around many of the same sailors have been filling their selves with cups, highball glasses or even a coveted miniature pumpkin. The Mills and Metcalf series doubles the fun and trophies. For this series, the fleet of 16 to 20 boats is divided in half. The "Bulls" (as in Bullseye boat without the "eye"), who have consistently scored in the top half, and the "Eyes" (as above missing the "bull") who have not scored as well.

This unique format makes for many smiles and twice as many stories of the skipper's winning ways! So with renewed determination, the stage was set this past Saturday for winning! PRO **Jay Beatty** with his race committee and wife, **Chloe, Shirley Shumway** aboard **Chuck and Heather Post's MJM WHIM** set the course for the three-race format. Two "safe racing" auxiliary boats patrolled the racing course and set the various marks for the upwind and downwind legs. These attendant boats were piloted and manned by **Chuck Cook, Morgan Whiteley, Ken Morse, Chuck Tennent and Will Peterson.**

The 3 races saw multiple back-and-forth lead changes as boats jockeyed to take advantage of wind shifts, the current and "right of way" rules of sailing. Due to the new Bulls and Eyes scoring system, the



Spinnaker run, submitted by Ken Morse.

sailors returned to Baker Harbor not sure who the winners were! The suspense was settled with calculations by Shirley Shumway and **Windsor Coffin.** The Bulls (A fleet) posted first place as **Chris Streit** and **Meg Sellig**, 2nd placed **Gary Sayia** and **Nancy Lampman**, and 3rd place **Neil Sullivan** and **James Maida.**

The Eyes (B fleet) posted winners **Joe and Betka Robillard** who crushed Race 1, beating all boats in the Bulls and Eyes division! Second place **Peter and Anne Askew** and 3rd place **Ned Brookes** and **Ann Crowley.**

Now that all of the Bullseye sailors are game to win, the 2nd Mills and Metcalf race #2 will take place **March 23rd.**

A reminder to all sailors that a Boating Emergency Course "On The Water" led by **Peter Liashek** will take place on **Friday, March 29** at Key Largo Building from 10-11:30 am. (See details on page 49).

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by Luis Bracamonte,
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We are excited to announce that members can purchase Thorne supplements at the Member Fitness Center. Thorne supplements are among the highest quality in the market. We currently have the following in stock: creatine, whey protein isolate, amino complex, l-glutamine, Sleep+, glucosamine & chondroitin, curcumin phytosome, daily greens, collagen plus, B complex, immune support, multivitamins, and more. To learn more consult with an ORC Fitness Specialist.

Full Moon Beach Yoga with Hannah Whistler

- Monday, March 25, 8 p.m.
- Buccaneer Island Beach
- Experience the serenity of nature and the soothing rhythm of the ocean waves with our Full Moon Beach Yoga class. Join yoga instructor Hannah Whistler under the luminous glow of the full moon as we gather on the soft sands for a rejuvenating yoga session. As you flow through the sequences, bask in the tranquil ambiance of the moonlit sky and let go of stress and tension. Don't miss this opportunity to elevate your practice and nourish your soul in the magical embrace of the full moon. All levels encouraged

April Events Coming Up:

April is packed with unique fitness experiences and excitement. Make sure to book these dates in your calendar:

ORC Half Marathon by ORC Run Club on Saturday, April 6 at 7 a.m.



Thorne Supplements at the Member Fitness Center.

- Start and Finish at the Outdoor Gym by the Member Fitness Center.
- The inaugural ORC Half Marathon is open to runners, walkers, and teams. All finishers will receive a custom-made finisher medal.

Aviation Day Bootcamp with Casey Culp on Saturday, April 6 at 9 a.m.

- Take part in this special edition Top Gun inspired bootcamp located at the Airport to celebrate Aviation Day.

Fitness Awards Ceremony on Wednesday, April 10 at 4:30 p.m.

- Join us in the Fiesta Room at the Member Fitness Center for an end-of-the-season celebration and awards ceremony. All members are invited to attend.

Fire Fit Challenge with the ORCA Fire Department and the ORC Member Fitness teams on Saturday, April 20 at 9 a.m.

- Join the ORCA Fire Department and the ORC Fitness Team in the green area by the Parking Garage for a special bootcamp inspired by the Fire Fighter Fitness Test.

Specialty Classes at MFC:

- Bootcamps, yoga, and Cycle classes are designed to get you in shape for anything and everything. if you are also looking for specialty classes that target specific activities, try the following:
- **Running:** The ORC Run Club meets every Saturday at 7 a.m. at the Outdoor Gym by the



Bob Schwartz does it again with a new Plank Challenge club record of 46 minutes and 2 seconds.

Member Fitness Center. All levels are welcome.

- **Walking:** The ORC Walk Club meets every Wednesday at 7 a.m. in the lobby of the Member Fitness Center. All levels are welcome.
- **Golf 360:** This golf-specific fitness class meets every Tuesday and Thursday in the Fiesta Room in the Member Fitness Center.
- **Hiking:** The Everesting hiking-specific strength and

conditioning class meets every Saturday at 8 a.m. on the 4th floor of the Member Fitness Center.

- **Swimming:** The ORC Swim Club meets every Tuesday and Thursday from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. at the Fitness Pool by the Member Fitness Center. All levels are welcome.

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Join Us for Exciting Card & Games Events at ORC



by Gregg Van Dyke, Director of Card & Games

We're thrilled to announce a lineup of engaging activities happening in our Card & Games Room that you won't want to miss. Mark your calendars and get ready for some fun-filled days ahead!

Calling all poker fans! Don't miss out on the last men's poker knockout tournament of the season, taking place **Monday, March 25th** at 6:45 p.m. It's your chance to



Card & Gamers from the Jerry Helms Bridge Seminar.

show off your poker prowess and compete for the ultimate title.

Ladies, get ready for an evening of thrilling poker action! Our next Ladies Poker Night will be held on **Tuesday, March 26th** at 6:15 p.m. Be sure to sign up at the Card & Games Room to secure your spot for a night of fun and friendly competition.

For those eager to dive into the world of bridge, mark

your calendars for Sunday Funday on **Sunday, March 24th** at 2 p.m. It's the perfect opportunity for beginning bridge players to learn the ropes and enjoy a leisurely game among friends.

If Canasta is your game of choice, we've got you covered with pick-up games happening every Tuesday and Thursday between 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. Drop by the Card & Games Room, and we'll organize games just like we used to before Covid. Plus, if you're looking to improve your skills, join us for lessons on Thursdays at 12:30 p.m. or simply stop by to observe and learn.

Calling all Mah Jongg enthusiasts! Join us for pick-up games every Tuesday and Thursday from 12:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. We're excited to announce that we now have a Mah Jongg teacher offering both beginner and intermediate lessons. For

more information or to make arrangements, please contact Gregg Van Dyke at 305-367-6609.

If you're new to Canasta or looking to brush up on your skills, mark your calendars for **Beginners Canasta Lessons on Thursday, March 28th** at 12:30 p.m.

Stay tuned for the April Card & Games Room Schedule coming soon! Be sure to pick up a copy at the Card & Games Room to stay updated on all the latest events and activities.

And don't forget, our Card & Games Room is open seven days a week from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. for your entertainment. Whether you're a bridge enthusiast, poker pro, or Mah Jongg aficionado, there's something for everyone to enjoy.

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2. Judie Berry and Denny Morgan
3. Monica Phillips and Mary Anne Dickson

East-West

1. Nancy Grote and Patty Kent
2. Pat Richwagen and Martha Kavanaugh
3. Pamela Harding and Cynthia Comenos

FRIDAY, MARCH 15

North-South

1. Monica Phillips and Mary Anne Dickson
2. Fred Bacher and Beverly Platner
3. Mary Zwirn and Mel Zwirn

East-West

1. Amy Salisbury and Carolyn Fovel
2. Ann Petersen and Hollis Petersen

BRIDGE TIP OF THE WEEK

Handling a Mis-Bid with Grace

by Gregg Van Dyke, Director of Card & Games

Have you ever found yourself in a sticky situation after making a bid you didn't intend? Fear not, for the rules of bridge allow for a remedy! Here's a valuable tip on how to handle the disposition of a mis-bid gracefully.

In the world of bridge, once a bid is made, it's expected that players stick to their decision. However, we're all human, and sometimes errors occur, especially with the use of Bidding Boxes. If you mistakenly pull a bidding card that doesn't align with your intended bid, there's a solution at hand.

Here's the golden rule: If you realize you've made a mechanical error in your bid selection, you're entitled to correct it, but timing is key. You can replace the

incorrect card with the one you intended, but only if your partner hasn't taken any action yet.

So, what do you do when you find yourself in this predicament? First and foremost, don't panic! Stay calm and collected, and without hesitation, call for the Director. They're there to ensure fair play and will guide you through the process.

By promptly addressing the situation and following the correct protocol, you not only maintain the integrity of the game but also uphold the spirit of sportsmanship. Remember, mistakes happen, but it's how we handle them that truly matters.

Next time you're faced with a mis-bid, remember this valuable tip: Stay composed, call the Director, and rectify the error if it was a mechanical mistake. With this knowledge in your arsenal, you'll navigate the bridge table with confidence and grace. Happy bidding!

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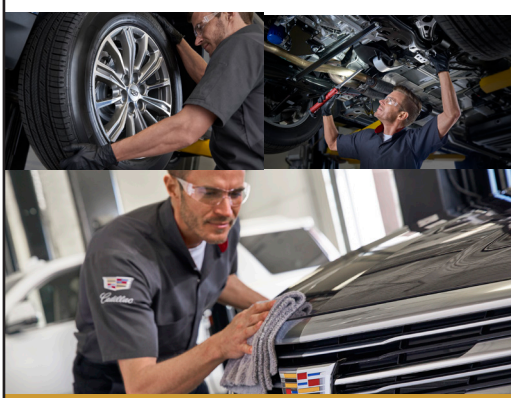
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