



GREATER MARATHON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
CONNECTION
 The Official Monthly Publication of the Greater Marathon Chamber of Commerce

The Greater Marathon Chamber of Commerce
 Presents our 2025
Awards & Installation Banquet
 Proudly sponsored by: Hotwire Communications

Oct 17th | 6-9PM

Hawks Cay Resort
 61 Hawks Cay Blvd, Duck Key, FL 33050

Cocktail Hour 6pm * Dinner/Awards 7pm
 \$110 Per Person
 PLEASE RSVP by October 3rd

Chamber After Hours
 October 8th - 5:30pm-7:30pm



Live music, great food & drink, raffles and more!

Membership Luncheon
 Speaker: Daniel & You



October 21st - 12pm-1pm \$20 Please RSVP to
 erika@floridakeysmarathon.com or 305-743-5417



Please welcome our new members!

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Gerritt Hale (individual)

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 786-847-4409
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 www.bsreggaebites.com/

Chamber Member Recap

New Members This Month: 7

Total Members: 549

Visitor Center Recap

Total Members: 69

Monthly Stats

August 2025

Total Visitors: 626

Daily Average: 16

Top State: Florida

Top Countries: Germany/Italy

Without Reservations: 5%

Member Referral Program:

Anytime a current member of the Chamber successfully refers another business to join, they will receive \$25 in "Chamber Bucks!" Chamber Bucks can be used to attend monthly luncheon meetings or for advertising opportunities through our website or newsletter.

Events:

Please let us know about upcoming events or community news for our newsletter, social media pages and online calendar. Or submit your own events to our online calendar.

Visit www.floridakeysmarathon.com and Click to Submit Your Event or contact Erika@floridakeysmarathon.com

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New/Current Member Orientation:

We want to ensure you are able to take full advantage of your chamber membership. Please set up a Member Orientation with Erika to learn more about how you can maximize your membership with us and utilize member benefits that will help you and your business.

Contact Amanda for more info:
membership@floridakeysmarathon.com
305-743-5417

EXECUTIVE MEMBER CIRCLE

Starfish Level

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Faro Blanco Resort

First Horizon Bank

First State Bank

Florida Keys Electric Co-op

Hawks Cay Resort

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Isla Bella Beach Resort

Key Squared

Marathon Garbage Service

The Tackle Box

Seahorse Level

Centennial Bank

D'Asign Source

Faro Blanco Marina – by Suntex

Fisherman's Community Hospital

Keys Federal Credit Union

Marathon Community Theatre

Million Air

Keys Weekly Newspaper

Wolfe Stevens, PLLC

Wright Barrows, PLLC



Additional opportunities to advertise to Chamber members and visitors include:

Monthly Travel Email Blast

Our Travel email blast goes out to a growing list of visitors (5,700+ including travel writers) The email blast will consist of up to 20 business listings (includes picture/logo, contact info and website link) upcoming events and featured business spotlight. This blast is a great way to get noticed by travel writers and potential visitors. The cost is only \$35/month to participate. Contact (305) 743-5417 or info@floridakeysmarathon.com

Newsletter Ad or Flyer

Take advantage of our advertising opportunities with a flyer or ad space! Contact Erika@floridakeysmarathon.com for pricing

Member Email Blast

We will send your email/flyer to all of our Chamber members and their staff (1,400+ recipients) Cost is \$50/email and you chose the date and frequency of the blast. Contact Erika@floridakeysmarathon.com for an application

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Dear Valued Members,

As we move into fall your Marathon Chamber is busy planning our annual Awards Banquet at Hawks Cay Resort. Each year we love hosting this fun evening where we award annual businesses for their accomplishments, install newly elected Board members, and say thank you to Board members cycling off the chamber's board. Please be sure to RSVP-ASAP to our Awards Banquet on Oct. 17th. We are thankful for our Banquet Title Sponsor this year, Hotwire Communications, who is such an amazing partner and executive member within our chamber!

Voting has commenced, and we have our awards winners, and will announce them at the banquet on the 17th. We will also draw winners for our annual BIG Raffle Contest, so please be sure to purchase tickets before it's too late (do not have to be present to win).

As we move into October, we have a lot of great events for you to participate in:

- October 1-31: Membership Drive: please be sure to let any friends, business-owners, etc. know that now is a great time to join your Marathon Chamber! Great benefits and extras to join in October to spread the good word.
- October 8th: Business After Hours at the Fairfield Marriott Resort (5:30pm; see flyer insert).
- *October 17th: Chamber's Annual Business Awards at Hawks Cay Resort. As well as the winners of our BIG Raffle Contest (tickets still available while they last; see flyer insert). You can RSVP here: <https://floridakeysmarathon.com/product/marathon-chamber-payments/>
- October 21st: Membership Luncheon at Porky's Bayside BBQ (12-1PM; see flyer insert).

Lastly, we recently concluded our 2025 Board of Directors elections, congrats to your newly elected Board members this year: Wendy Bonilla, Kristina Helms, Kelly Judd, Annie Wilson, Alexia Mann, and Paul Lebo! If you see any of them please be sure to congratulate them and wish them luck; all our Board of Directors truly work hard to serve you, our valued business-members. Also a huge thank you to those cycling off our Board, Sara Matthis, Robyn Still, Teri Hiller, Nettie Mayer, and Justin Bruland.

Please know that our team at your Greater Marathon Chamber of Commerce is doing everything we can to assist you and our 530+ members during these ever-changing times. Thank you, and we look forward to seeing you at our Awards Banquet and other October events.

Most Respectfully,

CEO
Greater Marathon Chamber of Commerce
(305) 743-5417
ceo@floridakeysmarathon.com
www.FloridaKeysMarathon.com



MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

JOIN

...THE VOICE OF BUSINESS



New members joining in October will receive the following FREE/Discounted items:

- 1) Marathon Weekly: FREE business spotlight ad.
- 2) Florida Keys Free Press: FREE business spotlight ad.
- 3) Timeout Magazine: 50% off for three ad runs (Includes ad design).
- 4) Marathon & The Middle Florida Keys Magazine: 20% off all ads.
- 5) Marathon UPS Store: 20% print discount for Chamber Members.
- 6) US1 Graphics: 50% off logo creation or artwork with any tee shirt or marketing product order
- 7) Overseas Media Group: FREE 1-on-1 consultation on your choice of: website, social media, SEO, Google/Meta campaigns, or 2026 marketing strategy & goals.
- 8) Magnum Broadcasting: 25 FREE ads on Keys Talk 102.5 / 96.9, plus 25 FREE ads on 105.7!
- 9) Two Oceans Digital: Destination Marketing opportunities are available on top tourism websites for the Florida Keys – Keywest.com, FloridaKeys.com & KeysCams.com. Mention this ad and receive 3 months for the price of 2 on new contracted services. * Restrictions apply. Also offering FREE Digital Marketing Consultation – includes SEO & Local Search Scan.
- 10) Sandra Lee Photography Studio- Studio Portrait Session Fee waived with purchase of portrait package.
- 11) Marathon Chamber of Commerce: 20% off advertising. (Visitor Center Membership, Newsletter, web banner, travel e-blast; must be for a min 1 year commitment).
- 12) Marathon Chamber of Commerce: Join now and your membership will include the rest of 2025 & all of 2026! 1.3yrs for the price of 1yr.

- New Members joining in October will be entered into a raffle to win a FREE dinner for two (2), valued at \$200.00 at the Brutus Land & Sea •

→ For more info and assistance please email Amanda Membership@floridakeysmarathon.com or call **305-743-5417**. Thank you for helping to make the Marathon Chamber of Commerce a successful, impactful, and influential organization in our Middle Keys, Marathon, and FL Keys communities!

Current members: Remember that for every referral you send us we give you \$25 in chamber bucks, but for the month of October we will give you \$40 in chamber bucks AND you will also be entered into a drawing to **win a \$50 gift card** to a Marathon Chamber business-member of your choice. We appreciate YOU and your help in growing one of Marathon's most impactful and influential organizations!

MARATHON NEWS, EVENTS & HAPPENINGS

Friday, October 3, 2025 at 5pm

St. Columba Spooky Bingo

Event by St Columba Episcopal Church

451 West 52nd Street Gulf,

Marathon, FL, United States, Florida 33050

St. Columba Bingo is BACK!

We are kicking off the season with a Spooky Night of Bingo.

A wonderful night of family fun with all proceeds going

to help pay for the completed concrete repairs at The

Apartments @ 1655.

\$20 gets you 3 cards for 7 games & a night full of prizes.

\$10 for additional chances.

KIDS UNDER 12 CAN PLAY FOR JUST \$10!

Food and Raffles are also available for purchase!

Doors open at 5 and games start at 6. Come out for a night

of fun and help us raise money to pay for the completed

repairs of the workforce housing apartments. An amazing

FUNdraiser benefiting The Apartments @ 1655.

Thank you for your continued investment in our community!

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/repair-workforce-housing>

October 4th at 11AM – October 5 at 2PM

Mermaids at Aquarium Encounters

Event by Florida Keys Aquarium Encounters

11710 Overseas Hwy, Marathon, FL

Duration: 2 days

Join us to see mermaids at Aquarium Encounters!

They will be performing swim shows at 11 am and 2 pm!

Sign up to swim with mermaids or join them for meet

and greets directly after their shows!

Saturday, October 4, 2025 at 5PM – 9PM

Pool Party Splash!

Event by Forgotten Felines Of The Florida Keys,

Megan Hughes and 2 others

Blu Bistro and Bar

-DJ Fiji spinning all evening

-Food & drink specials

-Pool volleyball

-Beer pong

-Cornhole

-Contests + prizes

Forgotten Felines of the FI Keys will have a booth set up with merch and information about our nonprofit.

Join us and have some fun, meow!!

Monday, October 6, 2025 at 5:30pm-7:30pm

Halloween Art in the Park

(Oceanfront Park-Behind City Hall)

Event by City of Marathon, Florida

Oceanfront Park

Join Annalise, one of our amazing and talented Parks

and Rec Staff, for ADULT HALLOWEEN ART IN THE PARK.

It's time to start decorating for Halloween and what better way than to make your own decorations and art?

From lighted pumpkin centerpieces to spiders and spooooky

ghost art, the moons the limit. This event, that is geared

towards adults, will be held every Monday, starting on

October 6th at Oceanfront Park (behind City Hall) between

98th and 99th Streets. Adult Art in the Park will take place

every Monday in October starting at 5:30pm on the 6th,

13th, 20th, and 27th.

There is a \$40 registration fee to help cover the costs of the

materials we'll be using. Please click on the link under "tick-

ets" or click the URL in the flier to register.

All skill levels encouraged to join!

Saturday, October 11, 2025 at 5:30PM

Float in Movie Night –

Jaws Viewing at The Lagoon on Grassy Key

Event by The Lagoon on Grassy Key and City of Marathon

59300 Overseas Hwy, Marathon, FL

The Lagoon at Grassy Key in collaboration with

the City of Marathon Presents

FLOAT IN MOVIE NIGHT FEATURING THE MOVIE JAWS (Rated PG)

Location: The Lagoon at Grassy Key - 59300 Overseas Highway

Event Entry tables open at 5:30pm

Movie starts at Dark (sunset is at 7pm), please plan to arrive

early to get settled prior to start of movie.

Please Carpool – it's easier to get out after an event if all the

cars are full!

Entry to the event is free but Registration is Required

<https://form.jotform.com/252474656224157>

Bring your own float but be mindful of those around you with

the size.

Bring a chair or blanket if you want to "stay safe" on land

while watching the movie – there will be beachside seating.

Please stop at the sign in table (opens at 5:30pm) to complete

your registration at the event. Waivers will be required for all

participants of the float-in movie night.

Bongos will be open for food and drinks. No outside refresh-

ments, please.

Children under the age of 12 MUST always have an adult

present with them.

Children ages 13-17 may be in the Lagoon without parents

so long as parents are onsite at the park and have signed

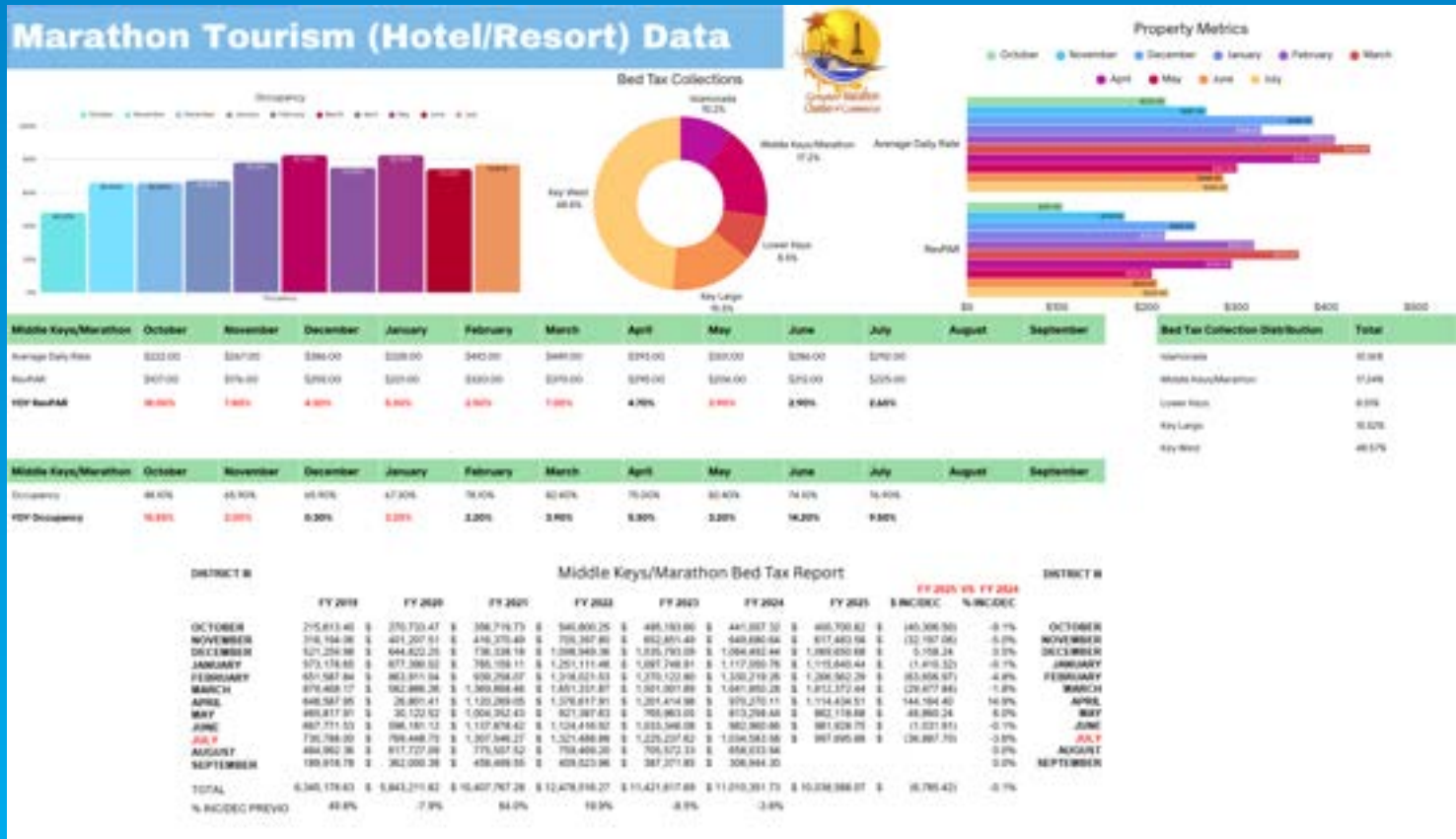
required waiver.

MARATHON NEWS, EVENTS & HAPPENINGS

Saturday, October 25, 2025 at 7PM
 Double Feature Movie Night at Marathon Community Park
 Event by City of Marathon, Florida
 Marathon Community Park
 Join us for a Halloween DOUBLE FEATURE movie event for all to enjoy.
HOCUS POCUS and **HOCUS POCUS 2** will be shown as a double feature that evening. The movie starts at dark and the second movie will begin immediately after. Bring your chairs and blankets, snacks and friends and enjoy a rare double feature at the park!

Hocus Pocus
 Three 17th-century witches, hanged for their murderous crimes, are resurrected on Halloween in modern-day Salem by an unsuspecting boy, who must now figure out how to get them back in the ground.

Hocus Pocus 2
 It's been 29 years since someone lit the Black Flame Candle and resurrected the 17th-century Sanderson sisters, and they are looking for revenge. Now it is up to three high-school students to stop the ravenous witches from wreaking a new kind of havoc on Salem before dawn on All Hallow's Eve.



WIN AN INCREDIBLE VACATION

GRAND PRIZE CHOICES OR \$2,000 CASH!

**DISNEY WORLD
FAMILY ADVENTURE**



\$500 Disney gift card redeemable toward admission, food, or souvenirs. 4-night stay (for 2 people) in a standard guest room at the Hyatt Regency Grand Cypress.

SAN DIEGO



Airfare for 2, 3 nights in a plaza or signature room at La Costa Resort+Spa. Conveniently located just minutes from shopping, dining, and San Diego sightseeing tours, tour local wineries, visit the Del Mar race track.

NEW ORLEANS



Airfare for 2, 3 night stay at select New Orleans hotel. Enjoy a Steamboat Jazz Dinner Cruise and \$150 towards a dining experience at Dickie Brennan & Co. Restaurants.

CHICAGO



Airfare for 2, 2 nights at the Talbott Hotel with daily breakfast, premium orchestra tickets and \$150 towards dining at your choice of iconic Chicago restaurants.



Greater Marathon
Chamber of Commerce

Tickets are \$30
Call 305.743.5417

or Erika@FloridaKeysMarathon.com

Winners will be chosen
on October 17, 2025

Winners need not be present



2nd Place

2 night stay in a standard room at Baker's Cay Resort Key Largo, Curio Collection by Hilton



3rd Place

The Marker Resort
2 night stay in Key West



4th Place

**\$100
Gift
Card**

MAXIMUM OF ONLY 500 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD!

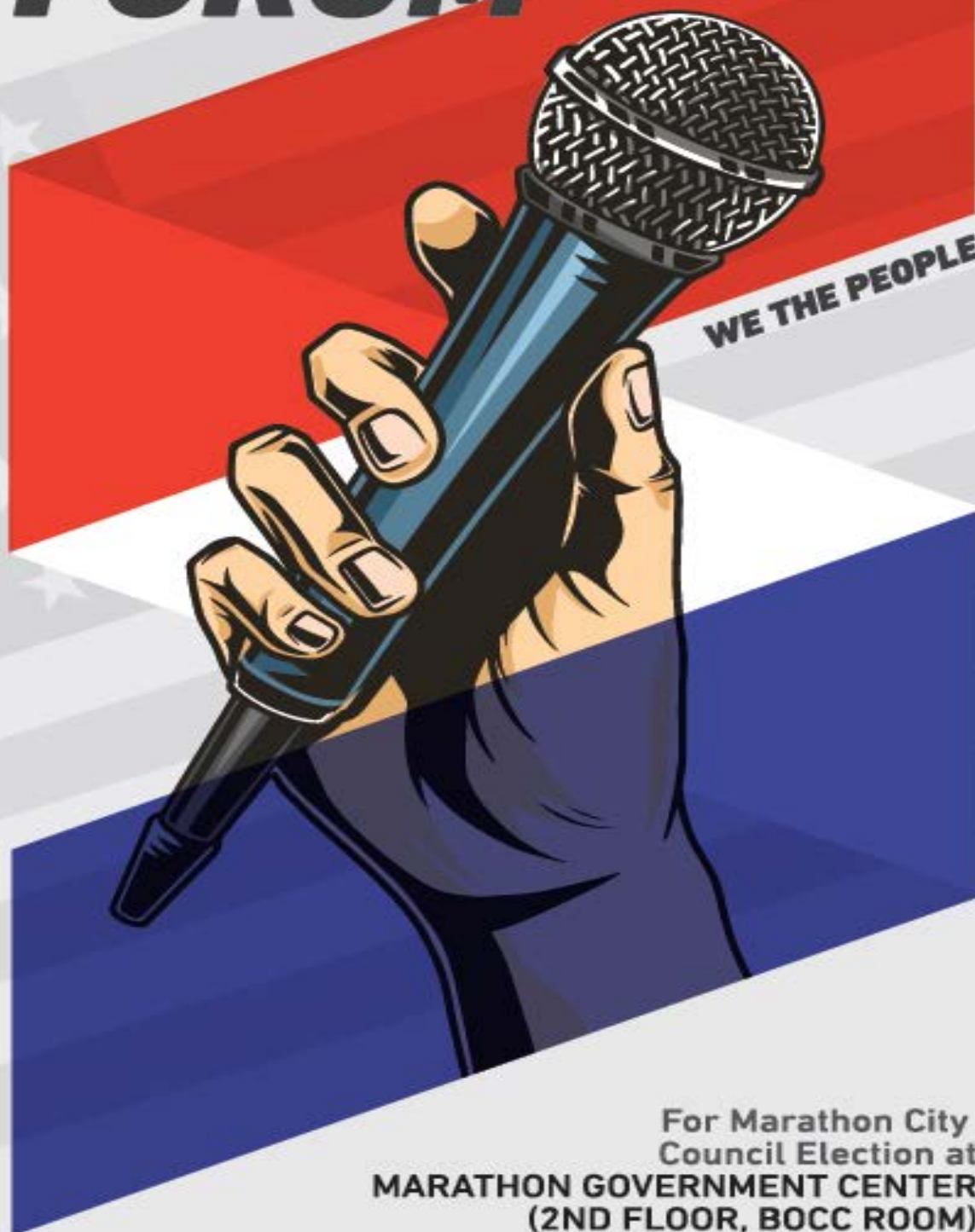
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MARATHON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8TH, 5:30-7:00PM

Join us at the Fairfield Inn & Suites Marathon
for our Chamber After Hours Event!

*Drinks and Appetizers will be served
under the Event Tiki.*



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Marathon, FL 33050



Greater Marathon
Chamber of Commerce

MEMBERSHIP LUNCHEON

Tuesday

OCTOBER 21ST

NOON-1PM

\$20

RSVP REQUIRED

LIMITED SEATING



Speaker:

Daniel & YOU



Topic: Pass the Mic

(promote your events) &
2nd annual SantaCon updates

RSVP to Erika@floridakeysmarathon.com or call 305-743-5417

THE **ARTX**perience

featuring *William DeBilzan*

OCTOBER 3RD - 5TH

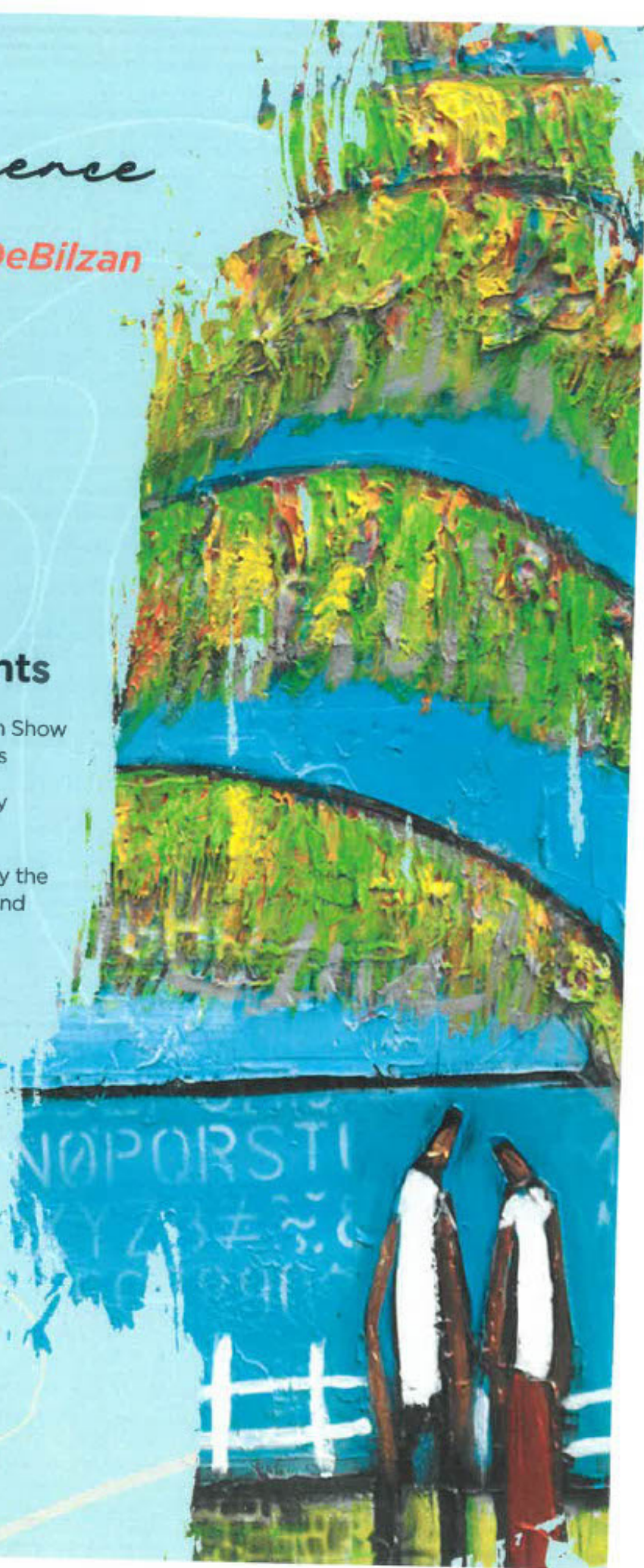
Featured Weekend Highlights

- Exclusive Art Exhibition and Fashion Show Night with hors d'oeuvres and drinks
- Expressive Painting Class inspired by William DeBilzan's work.
- Exclusive 4-course dinner inspired by the artist's collection with wine pairing and Guest Chef.
- Breakfast for two each day.
- 20% off treatments at Ocean Spa.
- Spacious Rooms with Welcome Amenity.

\$349 per night
(Event Package Rate)


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THE **ARTIX** *perience*

featuring **William DeBilzan**

Friday

OCTOBER 3rd

@ 7:30pm

Fashion Show **& Art Exhibit**

Experience an inspiring night where art and fashion unite. Enjoy works by acclaimed artist William DeBilzan and a vibrant fashion show featuring creative talent from **Marathon High School**.

What's Included:

- Access to the full art exhibition featuring Debilzan's original works.
- Artist-led walkthrough and personal insights into the creative process.
- A live fashion show with the Artist Exclusive Clothing collection.
- 2 complimentary drinks per guest.
- Selection of passed hors d'oeuvres throughout the evening.

\$20 per person



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THE **ARIX** *perience*

featuring *William DeBilzan*

Saturday

OCTOBER 4th

@ 11:00am

Painting Class

Bold Colors. Big Stories

Explore DeBilzan's bold, colorful style and create your own canvas inspired by his themes of love, identity, and connection. No experience needed—this isn't your typical paint night, but an immersive, artful journey into storytelling and expression.

What's Included:

- A guided painting session led by an instructor
- All materials provided.
- A featured DeBilzan original displayed at the center of the session for visual inspiration.
- A space to express yourself freely and take home your finished piece.

\$25 per person



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THE **ARIX** *perience*
featuring *William DeBilzan*

Saturday
OCTOBER 4th
@ 7:00pm

Artful Dining
Where Art Meets Flavor

What's Included:

- Signature 4-course menu inspired by William DeBilzan's artwork, with wine pairings for each course
- Culinary experience led by guest chef Ken Shiro Lumpkin, sharing the inspiration behind each dish.
- Keepsake photo moment next to a selected DeBilzan piece, professionally captured and sent digitally.
- Elegant outdoor setting with curated lighting and soft music for a full sensory experience.

\$65 per person


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Tuesday, October 7, 2025

At the Biltmore Golf Course, an 18-hole, par-71 championship course 1200 Anastasia Ave. Coral Gables, FL 33134

Format: Four-Person Team Scramble

Registration and Practice Range 9:00 a.m.

Tee Off 11:00 a.m.

Awards Banquet to follow the end of tournament



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WED | Oct 15th | 7 PM

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11 AM AND 2 PM
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FLORIDA CLIMATE WEEK SPECIAL EVENT

Scan to RSVP



Join us for a FREE celebration of engagement, education, and collective action focused on the climate and resilience challenges facing our area!

WHEN: October 11th, 2025

WHERE: Ocaquatics Swim School
Eureka - 11101 SW 176th St, 33157

TIME: 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM



**CRANE
POINT**
MUSEUM & NATURE TRAIL



**WITCHES IN
THE HAMMOCK**

THE KCB BAND

VISIT CASPER THE FRIENDLY GHOST

WATCH THE WITCHES DANCE

TAKE A TORCH WALK SOMEPLACE HAUNTED

KIDS COSTUME CONTEST & HAYRIDES

October 18th

6:30 to 9:00 PM

5550 Overseas Highway

Hot Dogs, Chili Dogs, Corn Dogs, & Roasted Corn

Adults \$15 Kids \$5

Adult Beverages for purchase



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THEME: INVASIVE SPECIES



SATURDAY, 18 OCTOBER 2025

HISTORIC VIRGINIA KEY BEACH PARK

4020 VIRGINIA BEACH DR, MIAMI, FL 33149

BEACH CLEANUP --- 11 AM

HISTORICAL TOUR - 12 PM

KICKBALL ----- 1 PM

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THURSDAY
OCTOBER 23RD
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Lily pad floating mat, sandbar games, and a bluetooth speaker

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SEAS THE DAY!
YOUR CHARTER, YOUR WAY



Play at the Sandbar



Snorkel the Reef



Look for Wild Dolphins



MONROE COUNTY SUMMER GAMES

Join us for a day of fun and sports!

- Basketball
- Cheerleading
- Cycling
- Soccer
- Track
- Healthy Athletes Screenings

How you can help:

- Host a business booth in the Athlete Village and provide an activity and/or give away item
- General volunteer
- Officiate a sport
- Volunteer as a health professional at Health Athletes screenings
- Donate funds to support the Games

SAVE THE DATE!

MARCH 7, 2026

9 AM TO 2 PM AT MARATHON JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL

AFTER HOURS AT CENTENNIAL BANK



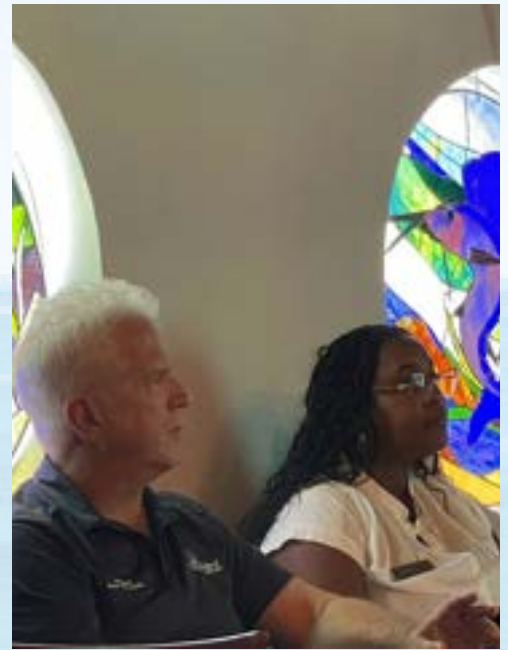
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UNITED *by* WATER **MARINEMAX** MARATHON

We are here to provide the best boat ownership experience in the middle & lower keys. As the world's largest lifestyle retailer of recreational boats and yachts, MarineMax is dedicated to connecting people with life-changing experiences on the water. More than just a boat retailer, we offer a complete range of services, expertise, and support to help customers fully embrace the boating lifestyle. Guided by our mission and united by our passion, we empower people to discover the transformative power of being on the water.

Whether you are looking to purchase your first or your next, we offer premier boat brands such as Boston Whaler, Scout and Sea Ray.... Hands-on training and factory authorized service. Our waterfront facility is conveniently located just off Coco Plum drive at the beginning of town. Our dry storage department makes it easy for you to be a boat owner!

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Marathon, FL 33050
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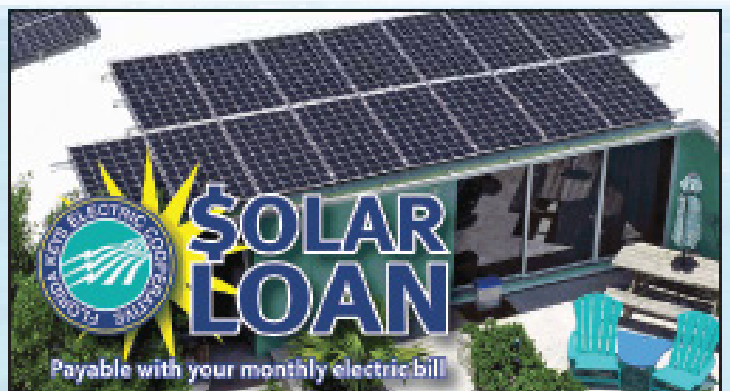
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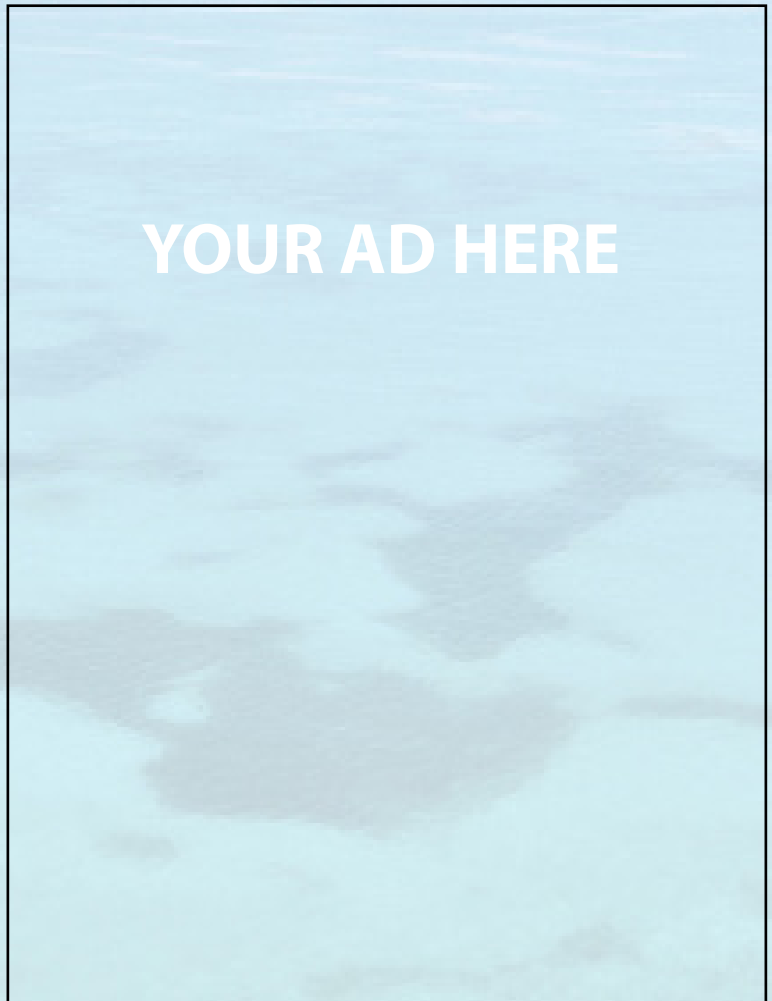


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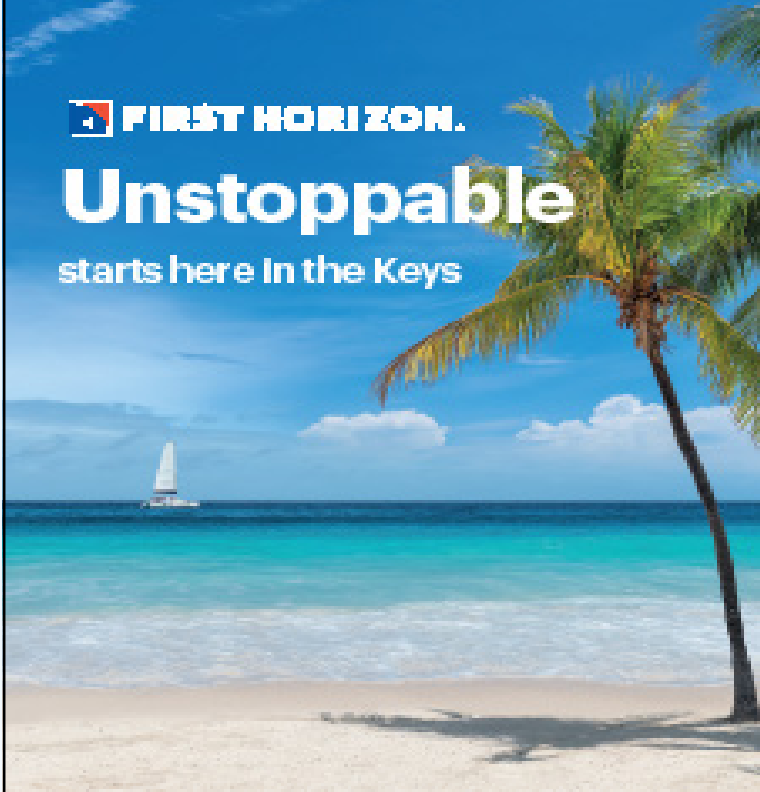
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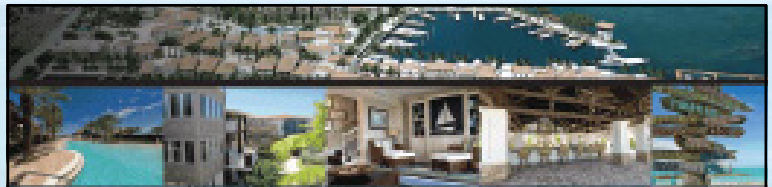
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