

# FLORIDA COUNCIL OF YACHT CLUBS



**WELCOME MEMBERS  
& DIRECTORS TO**  
*Coral Reef Yacht Club*



**GENERAL MEETING  
JANUARY 16<sup>TH</sup> - 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2026**



# INVITATION FROM THE COMMODORE

Dear Council Members and Directors,

On behalf of the Members, Officers, and Directors of Coral Reef Yacht Club, it is my pleasure to welcome you to our Club for the General Meeting of the Florida Council of Yacht Clubs, taking place January 16th –18th, 2026.

We hope you will consider arriving early to enjoy the charm of Coconut Grove and the camaraderie of fellow members from other Council Clubs.

Enclosed you will find everything needed to enjoy a full weekend of fellowship and productivity as we tend to FCYC business. All reservations and cancellations must be made through your Club Manager. Club Managers, kindly submit reservation forms at your earliest convenience, and no later than December 22, 2025, to our Front Desk at [frontdesk@coralreefyachtclub.org](mailto:frontdesk@coralreefyachtclub.org).

If you have any questions not addressed in the enclosed materials, please feel free to contact our Front Desk at (305) 858-1733 or via email. You may also reach out to our FCYC Representative, Past Commodore Dr. Joe Mensch, to whom we are most grateful for his continued service.

We look forward to welcoming you in January.

Best Regards,

Jim Hartenstein  
COMMODORE



*Coral Reef Yacht Club*

# LEADERSHIP

## OFFICERS & DIRECTORS



Bentley Balzebre  
*Rear Commodore*



Jim Hartenstein  
*Commodore*



Chris Block  
*Vice Commodore*



William Rieder  
*Treasurer*



Luis Prieto y Munoz  
*Secretary*



Horst Baier, MD  
*Fleet Surgeon*



Ross Gagliano  
*Fleet Captain*



Bernhard Brijbag, MD



Christian Falk



Lori Harvey



Kenia Rocha



Sharon Bourke



Claudia Brea-Stevens



Cynthia Demos



Ross Gagliano



Brett Ury



Jimmy Cusack



Gavin Heale



Jack Selts



# DINING HOURS

Tuesday through Sunday

11:30 AM - 9:00 PM

Indoors and outdoors.



**ANGLER'S REEF GRILLE**

Friday

3:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Saturday & Sunday

8:00 AM - 7:00 PM



# GENERAL

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## INFORMATION

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### MARINA DOCKAGE

#### Please Note:

*Due to the large Star Class international regatta taking place at Coral Reef Yacht Club from January 16–18, 2026, we are unable to offer any transient dockage during the event.*

To assist you, we have listed nearby marinas that may have availability.

#### Bayshore Landing

*2550 S. Bayshore Drive  
Coconut Grove, FL 33133*

*Phone: 305-600-4771*

*Email: bayshorelanding@suntex.com*

#### Hours:

- Monday–Wednesday: 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM
- Thursday–Sunday: 8:00 AM – 9:00 PM

#### Dinner Key Marina

*3400 Pan American Drive  
Miami, FL 33133*

*Phone: (305) 329-4755*

#### Hours:

- Monday–Sunday  
7:00 AM to 5:00 PM

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**20%  
OFF**

**FLASH  
SALE**



### RADIO CONTACT

We monitor Channel 71 during Club hours.

### DOCKAGE FEES

For FCYC visitors the first night is complimentary. The second to seventh night it is \$5 per foot per day.

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#### Dockmasters Contact Info:

VHF 71

Cellphone: (305) 799-3298

Phone: (305) 858-1733 ext. 216

Email: dockmaster@coralreefyachtclub.org

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### RECIPROCITY

Reciprocity is available all weekend for Florida Council of Yacht Clubs' guests.

Your home club will be invoiced for any charges.



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# DIRECTIONS BY

# WATER

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Coral Reef Yacht Club is located in the waterfront area of Coconut Grove on the western shore of Biscayne Bay. On nautical charts, look for Dinner Key Marina in Coconut Grove, just south of the Rickenbacker Causeway, which spans the Bay to Key Biscayne.

There are two main approaches to the Club. The first is through the Dinner Key Main Channel, which offers a depth of 8 feet. The second, located slightly north of the Main Channel, is the Seaplane Channel, a privately maintained channel with a depth of 5 feet.

If you are approaching CRYC from the south, head north toward downtown Miami until you reach Donovan's Mark at the entrance of the Dinner Key Main Channel. The safe entry point for the Dinner Key entrance to Coconut Grove is located at N25°42.98' W080°12.40'. For vessels drawing more than 5 feet, use this entrance, maintaining a heading of 330°. Once near the docks, bear right and stay close to the moored boats. After rounding the Dinner Key docks, keep to the left side of the basin. You will pass several landmarks: a Shell gas station dock, the entrance to Shake-A-Leg Miami, Monty's docks, and the Biscayne Bay Yacht Club docks, before reaching the CRYC docks.

If approaching from the north, departing from downtown Miami, proceed south under the Rickenbacker Causeway Bridge toward the Quick Flash Mark as you near Coconut Grove. The safe entry point for the Seaplane Channel is at N25°42.18' W080°12.57'. This is the northernmost entry channel to Coconut Grove. Look for a dolphin marker (a four-piling structure with a light) that marks the entrance. Turn right on a heading of 330°, aiming toward the tallest building on the north side of Coconut Grove with Monty's in front of it.

Begin your right turn when approximately 100 yards from the docks. Take care not to cut the corner, as the area is shallow. You will pass the Biscayne Bay Yacht Club docks before reaching the CRYC docks.

# ACCOMODATIONS

For more information and reservations please contact Monica Jaramillo at [mj@continentaltravelgroup.com](mailto:mj@continentaltravelgroup.com) or 786-552-6228.

The deadline for booking a room at discounted price is  
Tuesday, December 2nd, 2025



2649 S Bayshore Dr  
Miami, FL 33133  
Standard Room, King Bed: \$359  
*plus 13% tax*



2800 SW 28th Terrace  
Coconut Grove, FL 33133  
Standard Room, King Bed: \$199  
*plus 13% tax*



# RESERVATION FORM



Member's Name	Spouse or Guest Name	Club Member Number	Friday Dinner Buffet \$45++	Saturday Vizcaya Museum Tour \$49	Saturday Lunch \$39++	Saturday Dinner \$55++

RETURN TO:  
Coral Reef Yacht Club  
email:  
[frontdesk@coralreefycachtclub.org](mailto:frontdesk@coralreefycachtclub.org)

PLEASE RESERVE AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE.  
Deadline: This form must be submitted to  
Coral Reef Yacht Club no later than  
December 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025.  
Cancellations must be submitted no  
later than January 10th, 2026

Home Club Manager

Home Club Name

## SCHEDULE

## OF EVENTS

## ● CORAL REEF YACHT CLUB WELCOMES THE FLORIDA COUNCIL OF YACHT CLUBS ●

**Friday, January 16<sup>th</sup>**

- 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM  
Registration - Boathouse
- 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
Cocktails - ReefTop Bar
- 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM  
Dinner Buffet - Dining Room



*“Generations of Florida’s most avid boaters have called Coral Reef Yacht Club home, creating enduring friendships and generating memories to last a lifetime.”*

## Saturday, January 17<sup>th</sup>

- ☒ 9:00 AM - 10:00 PM  
Late Registration - Boathouse
- ☒ 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Tour to Viscaya Museum & Garden
- ☒ Noon - 1:00 PM  
Lunch Buffet - Dining Room  
*Charting a Legacy - CRYC 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Documentary will play during lunch.*
- ☒ 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM  
Directors Meeting - Chart Room
- ☒ 2:30 PM - 3:15 PM  
Guest Speaker Presentation by Iris Kolaya - Chart Room
- ☒ 3:30 PM  
General Meeting - Chart Room
- ☒ 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
Cocktail Reception - RoofTop Bar  
(weather permitting)
- ☒ 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM  
Flag Lowering Ceremony
- ☒ 7:30 PM - 10:00 PM  
Dinner and Dancing - Dining Room



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## VIZCAYA MUSEUM AND GARDEN

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3251 S Miami Ave, Miami, FL 33129

The **Vizcaya Museum and Gardens** is a historic estate in Coconut Grove, Miami, formerly the villa of businessman James Deering. Built in the early 20th century, it features Italian Renaissance-inspired gardens and Mediterranean Revival architecture with Baroque elements. Key figures in its design include architect F. Burrall Hoffman, design director Paul Chalfin, associate architect Iwahiko Tsumanuma, and landscape architect Diego Suarez. Now owned by Miami-Dade County, the estate is open to the public and accessible via the Vizcaya Metrorail Station.




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### GUEST SPEAKER

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#### **IRIS GUZMAN KOLAYA**

*Local Historian*

Iris Guzman Kolaya, writer and researcher of South Florida history, will delve into the area's rich maritime heritage, charting the history of boating on Biscayne Bay from the area's first regatta in 1887 through the post-World War II rise of yacht clubs, marinas, and recreational boating culture. She will explore how boating became woven into Miami's identity, reflecting the city's dynamic growth and spirit.

### Schedule of Activities

- 9:40 am Bus Arrives at CRYC
- 9:50 am Arrival at Vizcaya
- 10:00 am -11:00am Guided Tour

*(after tour please feel free to further explore the museum on your own)*

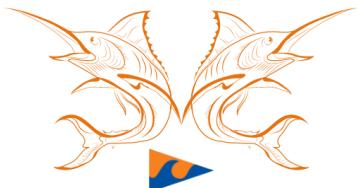
- 11:40 pm Departure from Vizcaya

\$49 pp

*(12:00pm Lunch Buffet at CRYC \$39 ++)*



**Sunday, January 18<sup>th</sup>**



**ANGLER'S REEF GRILLE**

**BREAKFAST AVAILABLE  
BEGINNING AT 8:00 AM**



## **BREAKFAST MENU**

*Angler's Reef Grille*



### **FRIED OR SCRAMBLED EGGS**

Eggs are served with home fries, bacon or sausage and choice of white, wheat, rye toast, bagel or English muffin.

**2 Eggs \$13.00 | 3 Eggs \$15.00 Omelets \$16.00**

**Choice of fillings:** Onions, Tomatoes, Mushrooms, Spinach, Ham, Peppers, American, Swiss or Cheddar Cheese.



### **PANCAKES & FRENCH TOAST**

Pancakes and French toast are served with choice of bacon or sausage

**Pancakes \$11.00 | French Toast \$13.00**



### **SANDWICHES**

Served with your choice of one side

**Breakfast Sandwich \$15.00**

**BLT \$11.00**



### **DESSERTS**

**Key Lime Tart \$8.00**

**Guava Tart \$8.00**

### **SIDES**

Fruit Hash	\$6.00
Browns Toast	\$4.00
Grits	\$2.00
Home Fries	\$4.00
Extra Bacon	\$4.00
Extra Sausage	\$4.00



# FCYC

## RECIPROCAL CLUBS

 Bird Key YC	 Marathon YC
 Bradenton YC	 Marco Island YC
 Captiva YC	 The Moorings Y&CC
 Carrouel YC	 Naples Sailing & YC
 Charlotte Harbor YC	 Naples YC
 Clearwater YC	 Oyster Bay YC
 Coral Reef YC	 Pelican Isle YC
 Coral Ridge YC	 Pensacola YC
 Davis Island YC	 St. Andrews Bay YC
 Eau Gallie YC	 St. Charles YC
 The Field Club	 St. Petersburg YC
 The Florida YC	 Sarasota YC
 Fort Walton YC	 Smyrna YC
 Halifax River YC	 Tampa Y&CC
 Harbour Ridge YC	 Tarpon Springs YC
 Isles YC	 Venice YC
 Key Biscayne YC	 Vero Beach YC
 Lake Beresford YC	
 Lauderdale YC	