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Marco Bay Yacht Club APRIL 2025

Hello Members,

Commodore's Message

March was a month full of wonderful activities—both on the water and socially. I encourage you to read the articles in this month's Baylines for a recap of all the fun we had.

April is now well underway, and while some of our snowbirds will soon begin their journeys back north, there's still plenty to enjoy here in paradise.

It's a great time to wrap up the season in style, and we have a full calendar of events ahead:

- Canasta Group will meet on April 4, 11, 18, and 25.
- Poker Group will gather on April 17 and 24.
- Our Day Fleet boating event this month will cruise to Chokoloskee and the HavAnna Café on April 10.

- Our Long Range Cruisers have two exciting destinations planned:
- April 24-28: Faro Blanco Marina, Marathon, FL
- April 28-May 2: Galleon Marina, Key West, FL

As you can see, there's something for everyone to enjoy this month!

I'd also like to extend a warm welcome to our newest members of the Marco Bay Yacht Club:

- Keith and Carol Bratton
- Tom O'Reilly and Connie London
- Frances Mulligan
- Tony and Jo Dalba

Welcome aboard!

Be sure to check our E-Blast for the latest updates and details on upcoming events. I look forward to seeing you all—both at our gatherings and out on the water!

Paul Schneeberger Commodore, 2025

Past Event Articles:

see all of the Event Picture Portfolios on the website

Monday Madness March 2025



The beautiful weather of Monday, March 31 was a welcome change to the cold and rainy February Madness. Things got off to a slow start, but over time the number grew to about 40 members. The 50-50 raffle winners were, 3rd place Lynn Tuttle \$20, 2nd place Jeff Wilson \$30 and 1st place Brent Cook \$40. Looking forward to beautiful weather for the next Monday Madness on April 29, at CJ's Star Bar. Join us - it affords the perfect venue to meet and get acquainted with other club members, old and new. See you there!!

Lunch at The Crabby Lady



Due to the up and down weather that resulted in cancellation of the March Beach Picnic, the decision was made to swap in a short boat / car ride to The Crabby Lady. The owners had recommended we get there early, which turned out to be great advice given that the place was packed with a waiting line shortly after our arrival. Participating members enjoyed perfect Spring weather along with fast and friendly service, good food and good friendship.

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April 10, 2025 Day Fleet – Chokoloskee Host: Steve Stark	
April 11, 2025 @ 12:15 pm - 4:00 pm Canasta Host: Judy Sacher	CANASTA
April 17, 2025 @ 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm Poker Host: To be added to the Poker List, contact Frank Mulligan	
April 18, 2025 @ 12:15 pm - 4:00 pm Canasta Host: Judy Sacher	CANASTA
April 21, 2025 @ 5:30 pm - 9:00 pm Bingo Host: Lydia Krueger	BINGO
April 24, 2025 - April 28, 2025 Long Range Cruisers – Faro Blanco Marathon	
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May 2025 -		
THU	May 1, 2025 @ 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm	
1	Poker	
	Host: To be added to the Poker List, contact Frank Mulligan	
FRI 2	May 2, 2025 @ 12:15 pm - 4:00 pm	
2	Canasta	
	Host: Judy Sacher	CANASTA
FRI 9	May 9, 2025 @ 12:15 pm - 4:00 pm	
9	Canasta	
	Host: Judy Sacher	CANASTA
TUE 13	May 13, 2025	25
13	Day Fleet - Three 60 Market	
	Host: Barry Gelfend	e same