



Coastal Ventures Cruise Club

# FLY BRIDGE NEWS

P.O. BOX 2254  
VENICE, FL 34284

***MEETING TUESDAY, April 19th AT 7:30P***

*Bentley's Resort Hotel*

1660 S. Tamiami Trail, Osprey, FL 34229 (500 yards North of the Oscar Scherer State Park and 500 yards South of Blackburn Point Road, on the West side of the main US41)

Remember, if you would like dinner, you may come to Bentley's as early as 5:30p grab a table and order drinks at special prices and dinner from our special menu. The meeting will start promptly at 7:30p.

***Remembering the Twin Dolphins Weekend!!!***

A big thanks to Mike and Julie Zender for leading another wonderful weekend at Twin Dolphins. The weather and seas were great and the accommodations were super. We all had a terrific dinner at Mattisons and were glad to see Joe and Marie Biema and Hugh and Sue Moore join the group by car.

***2011 CRUISE SCHEDULE***

***LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP FOR SOUTH SEAS***

**South Seas Resort – April 29 – May 1 – The South Seas Cruise, organized by Christy & Bob Wiggs and Val and Martin Turner, promises to be an outstanding event.**

**Currently 19 boats have signed up. WE STILL HAVE SPACE. PLEASE SIGN UP AT THE MEETING OR CALL BOB AND CHRISTY.**

To reserve your dock space, fill out a Marina Reservation Form and return it directly to Charles Martz at South Seas via email or fax: Fax: 239-472-7511, Email: cmartz@luxuryresorts.com Phone: 888-777-3625.

A barbeque will be held dockside on Friday night following docktails at a cost of \$5.00

per person. Val and Martin Turner are adding a Royal Wedding twist to the evening. Pool cabanas are reserved for our use on Saturday and Sunday.

A few things to note:

**RATE:** a flat group rate of \$2.25/ft LOL with a 30' minimum from April 29th to May 2nd.

**POWER:** Additional daily charge for power is: 30 amp \$5.00, 50 amp \$8.00, 100 amp \$20.00

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** Reservations can be canceled up to 3 days prior to arrival date, after that, you will be charged one night's dockage.

The following people have signed up for the cruise:

Monti Asti & Maureen O'Neill, Glenn & Pami Davis, Joe & Pat Fanciulli, John & Bobbie Hanna, Mike & Mary Hewes, Roger & Marlene Haviland, Tom & Barb Hurley, Jeff & Elizabeth Kilbourne, Ron & Judy Lambert, Bob & Carol Lehrman, Pierre & Kathy McCormick, Frank & Sara Metheny, Bill & Judy Muller, Michael & Lynn Nemser, Don & Linda Schillinger, Deke & Meninda Short, Don & Linda Sussman, Martin & Val Turner, Cindy Watson & Rod Jacobson  
Bob & Christy Wiggs, Mike & Julie Zender

**Memorial Day Weekend – May 37 – 30<sup>th</sup> – Hyatt Sarasota** We will be celebrating Memorial Day Weekend at the Hyatt, Sarasota this year. Please join us for a close-in Holiday Weekend. There will be a sign-up sheet at the meeting.

**June 24 – 26<sup>th</sup> – Palm Island** Again, due to distance and cost concerns we have moved the July 4<sup>th</sup> weekend cruise from Legacy Harbor to Palm Island. Turk and Anita Hemseri and Deke and Melinda Short will lead us. Dockage is \$1.95 per foot. Melinda will have cruise information and sign-up sheets at the meeting. No cruise planned at this point. Several members have asked that we again have a club Picnic. Jeff and Elizabeth Kilbourne have been looking into organizing an Anchor Out event. Let's discuss this at the meeting.

**July**– No cruise planned at this point. Several members have asked that we again have a club Picnic. Jeff and Elizabeth Kilbourne have been looking into organizing an Anchor Out event. Let's discuss this at the meeting.

**August 5 – 7<sup>th</sup> – Longboat Key Moorings** – We have secured the Longboat Key Yacht Club building and area and all of "A" dock for this weekend. More to follow. **We are in need of a cruise leader.**

**Labor Day Weekend – September 2 – 5<sup>th</sup> – Palm Island Marina** – John and Bobbie Hanna and Glenn and Pammi Davis are our leaders. We have reserved the Palm Island Marina for a four day weekend beginning on Friday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> through September 5<sup>th</sup>. As always, there are all the amenities available, including

rental condos available for guests. We always have a great time at Palm Island.

*We have signed Kim Jenkins up to be our entertainment again this year. This should be a great evening.*

**October 21 – 23<sup>rd</sup> – Hyatt Sarasota** – We have reserved the Hyatt Sarasota for a “close in” weekend. **We are in need of a cruise leader.**

**November 11 – 13<sup>th</sup> – Tween Waters** – This will be our first club visit to Tween Waters and they are hoping for a long lasting relationship with us. This is a great resort with an “Old Florida” feel. **We are in need of a cruise leader.**

**Tuesday, December 13<sup>th</sup> – CVCC Holiday Party** – This is the date for our annual Holiday Party. Cindy Watson and Christy Wiggs will have current information at the meeting.

**New Year’s Eve Weekend – December 30 – January 1** – Unfortunately, we have been advised by the Hyatt that the Sales Department has pre-empted our annual reservation for the marina. They are bringing in a large group who will also be taking rooms and holding banquets. The Dockmaster profusely but he had no control over the situation **We are in need someone to step up, find a venue and lead this cruise. More to follow.**