



Coastal Ventures Cruise Club

FLY BRIDGE NEWS

P.O. BOX 2254
VENICE, FL 34284

MEETING TUESDAY, October 18th AT 7:00P

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)

WEBSITE, SPONSORS AND FOR SALE

We have moved the website to a new hosting company and Christy tells me that it is now completely up and running. Check it out!

Please, if you provide a service, consider sponsoring the website. It is just \$25 a year. Contact Bobbi Hanna. The "For Sale" page is an addition by request of several members. If you have something to sell or rent, give it a try. The cost is \$25 for as long as you want it there. Houses, cars, boats, etc. Send Christy an email with the words in "cut and paste" format and she will drop it in. As always, Bobbie will be happy to collect your money.

October 21st Weekend at the Hyatt

We have reserved the Hyatt Sarasota for a "close in" weekend. Bill and Joyce Rowland will be our trip leaders and they have worked out an exciting program:

Friday Night - Taste of Italy

6:00 pm (Optional) Everyone bring a .75 liter bottle of Italian Wine and we will supply small cups for sampling and pretzels. So bunches of Wine and we just sample the different kinds of Wine people bring. Just a little fun. If this is not your thing - just bring your favorite beverage.

7:15 pm Leave to head for Cafe Amici Italian Bistro and Pizza

7:30 pm Dine at Cafe Amici

Saturday Morning - Erin' go Braugh

7:00 am Coffee Ready
9 to 10:00 am Irish Coffee server with Irish Soda Bread, Breakfast Bread and Irish Cheese.

Saturday Evening - Tour of Spain

6:00 pm Leave for the Roof Top of Cervichi's Tapas Bar & Reataurant
6:20 pm Cocktails and Tapas on the Roof Top of Sarasota
8:00 pm Head down to the 3rd for Dining and Dancing.
8:30 pm Salsa dancing to the Sounds and Spirit of Spain - Cocktails and Tapas
(We will defiantly need reservations)

Sunday Morning - Welcome to Britannia (England for those of you from Rio Linda)

7:00 am Coffee Ready
9 to 10:00 am Bloody Mary's, Bloody Bulls, Bagles with Cream Cheese

In addition, the Hyatt has arranged for entertainment in the Boathouse on both Friday and Saturday nights – SMOKIN' BONES!

The following folks are signed up as of now: Fanciulli, Lambert, Laudet, Bekkenhuis, Rowland, Turner, Haviland, Miller, Bob Johnson, Hewes, Asti, Zender, Muller, Morley, Sussman, Metheny, Schillinger.

There may be one or two more spots so check at the meeting! As always, members are welcome to drive up and enjoy the weekend events.

CVCC NIGHT AT THE VENICE THEATER

Andrea Bekkenhuis has planned a night at the Venice Theater for us. " Big River ". Is a large scale Musical and will run at Venice Theatre during most of the month of November. It ran on Broadway with great reviews.

Our date is Wednesday, November 16th at 8:00p. IF we have at least 20 people we can get a group rate of \$22 pp. We currently have 6 couples signed up.

If you are interested please let me know ASAP – please email Andrea directly:
andrea@venicestage.com

BIG RIVER

Music & Lyrics by Roger Miller, Book by William Hauptman

Adapted from the novel by Mark Twain

This epic musical sweeps us down the mighty Mississippi as the irrepressible Huck Finn helps his friend Jim escape to freedom. Propelled by an award-winning score from country music icon Roger Miller, Big River is a brilliant celebration of pure Americana .

2011 CRUISE SCHEDULE

SIGN UP FOR THE NOVEMBER 11th WEEKEND !!!

November 11 – 13th – Tween Waters – Mike and Mary Hewes and Don and Linda Schillinger are the hosts for 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. There will be a sign-up at the meeting.

Tuesday, December 13th – CVCC Holiday Party – This is the date for our annual Holiday Party. We have an agreement to hold this event at the Mission Valley Country Club again this year. Cindy Watson and Christy Wiggs will have current information at the meeting.

December 30 – January 1 - New Year’s Eve Weekend – Marina Jack – Don Mason, with help from John and Bobbie Hanna, is again sponsoring his “non-denominational” New Year’s Weekend at Marina Jack. There have been 25 boats there for the past few years. Several CVCC members have attended. If you attended last year, you are automatically listed for this year. **There is still dock space, so if you want to attend, please let John and Bobbie know ASAP.** More details to follow.

2012 CRUISE SCHEDULE

We are pleased to announce that the Club leadership with input from many members has put together the 2012 Cruise schedule. Christy Wiggs contacted each of the marinas and cemented out dates. We have trip leaders for some and need help for others. Please look over the list and volunteer!

February 10 – 12th – Useppa Island Club – Joe & Pat Fanciulli.

March 30 – April 1st – Desoto Fish Festival at Twin Dolphins Marina – Mike and Julie Zender, Ron and Judy Lambert

April 20 – 22nd – Marina Jack – Need Leaders

May 4th – 8th – South Seas Plantation – Frank and Sara Metheny

June 22nd – 24th – Longboat Moorings – Need Leaders

July 4th – 8th – Hyatt Sarasota (Tenative) – Need Leaders

August – NO CRUISE – TOO HOT – MAYBE A PICNIC

August 30 – September 3rd (Labor Day) – Palm Island Marina – Need Leaders

October – Tween Waters – Will only book 6 months out

November 9th – 11th – Bradenton Beach Marina – Need Leaders

December – Christmas Party