

IFC ShortCast

Dear Members,

Season is in full swing in Islamorada & here at the Club as well.

All members are asked to make your Dinner reservations a minimum of 24 to 48 hours in advance. We will gratefully accept last minute reservations with time and space availability being considered. Members wishing to make arrangements for a private party or special event should contact me @ the Club.

Ballots for the annual elections have been mailed. Please be sure to mail yours back to the club on or before February 17th. This years elections will determine the carry-overs for next year.

Please be considerate to your fellow members & make sure to have your parking/ name card on your dashboard when you come to the club and park 3 deep pulling all the way forward. We encourage the use of our satellite parking area 400 feet north of the club on the right.

Sincerely,

Vinnie



ISLAMORADA FISHING CLUB - Slate
This is for directors for the year commencing 3/1/2022

Four directors are carry-overs: Joe Roth (President), Audra Hill Wallace (Treasurer)
Dave Denkert (Fishing), Steve Leopold (Conservation)

_____**Tom Bray:** (Current IFC Board Member 10 Years +, Membership) Life Member IFC, Past 2nd Vice President IFC, Served on House, Finance, Building & Grounds, By Laws, Fishing and Membership Committees, Retired Building Code Administrator. 100 Ton Masters Credential USCG, Current Member of CERT Islamorada Fire Dept. Married to Judi 50+ Years

_____**Ken Gentes:** (Current IFC Board Member), 1st Vice President, Building & Grounds) Ken has been an electrical contractor for 20 years. He currently owns his own electrical contracting company serving both residential and commercial properties. Married to Wendy

_____**Cheryl Culberson:** (Current IFC Board Member, 10+ Years, Secretary and Immediate past President 4years), Resident since 1985, Life Member, Attorney in private Practice, Member Islamorada LPA, President -Middle Keys Community Land Trust, Community Activist, President-Founder Islamorada Fishing & Conservation Trust, Foundation Guiding Light Award Winner, Islamorada Chamber of Commerce, Avid Angler, Married to Bob Royall

_____**Pete Pehrson:** (Current IFC Board Member) Pete and his wife, Marilyn, have been keys residents since 2000 and IFC Members since 2001, a graduate of Butler University with degrees in Chemistry, Biology and Pharmacy, In his career, he managed a Pharmaceutical Manufacturing operation for Dow Chemical in St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands and retired from Bristol-Myers Squibb where he was Vice President of Manufacturing. He has been a board member of Junior Achievement and The American Cancer Society in his former residence and a Team Ocean Volunteer for the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary.

_____**Patty Stanley:** (Current IFC Board Member) Broker-Associate at Ocean Sotheby's Realty Owner – Proprietor ISLAND VILLA RENTAL PROPERTIES Partner – Island Villa Construction, Native Floridian – Resident since 1977, Chair Tourist Development Council, Member & Chair Mariner's Hospital Member Islamorada Chamber of Commerce & Upper Keys Rotary

_____**Chris Trentine:** (Current IFC Board Member) Owner & Founder of CBT Construction, Partner in Islamorada Brewing Company, Active in Rotary, Islamorada Chamber of Commerce, Habitat for Humanity, Numerous Local Charities, Married to Whitney.

_____**Allen Wood:** (Current IFC Board Member- 2nd Vice President) Full Time Resident, Born & raised in Islamorada, Brevard College Business Degree, Owner Forest Tek Lumber & Overseas Lumber Supplies, Grandfather to granddaughter Lorelei

_____**Roger Young:** (Current IFC Board Member) Licensed Contractor, Owner, Islamorada Brick Company Community activist, Board member several local charities, ardent fisherman and outdoor enthusiast, married to Lee Young



The Islamorada Fishing Club welcomed 60 anglers fishing on 21 boats for the Islamorada Fishing Club Captain's Cup Sailfish Tournament. The single day fishing tournament boasted \$21,000.00 for the winning boat and was the final leg of the Florida Keys Gold Cup Sailfish Championship. It would be a day of multiple hookups for many of the 21 boats. The first double header was called in at 8:54 by Captain Roy Lindback aboard his charter boat TIKI. Anglers Craig and Seanna Lindback from Islamorada, FL would release both fish by 9:13.

Contagious would call in a double, as would Que Mas, My Sea Cin, Smile Maker, and the Still Right. With only 20 minutes to go Captain JC Cleare called in a double on his boat Remix. One fish was released and then the team hooked two more making it a triple header. January 30, 2020

When the committee boat called lines out at 4PM Remix was still hooked up to three fish. Tournament rules allow angler to fight fish after lines out as long as they have been acknowledged by the committee boat. These fish would not only change standings for the Fishing Club tournament but also the Gold Cup series.

TIKI would be guaranteed the win at the Fishing Club with mates Mike Pinckney, Tommy "Spanky" Bressler and Charlie Lane taking the leaders and releasing 5 sails. The team took home beautiful Pasta Pantaleo prints sponsored by Caribee Boat Sales and Yamaha Outboards along with the check for \$21,000.00. Remix anglers Bill Danko of Cincinnati OH, fishing with Jorge Corozo from Miami, FL and Doug Mientkiewicz from Islamorada, FL would release two of the triple header before 5PM landing them in 2nd place with 4 fish.



Remix would be crowned the Florida Keys Gold Cup Champions. Their release of the last two fish of the tournament would propel them into first place in the series with a total of 19 releases. Anglers Nick Carullo and Sarah Melina from Miami FL, competed with the team. Along with their 4 releases in the Fishing Club tournament the team released 6 sails in the Islamorada Sailfish Tournament, 9 in the Cheeca Lodge and Spa Presidential Sailfish Tournament. Cloud Nine Captain Greg Eklund watched as the Remix slowly surpassed his team putting them in second place in the Gold Cup series with 17 releases. Anglers Josh Jackson from Temple, TX, Billy Neuzil of Naples, FL along with Jake Turek and Eric Ehlers from Islamorada, FL would release 3 fish in the IST, 13 in Cheeca and 1 in the Fishing Club tournament.

Third Place Gold Cup anglers IFC Member Steve Orton from Coral Springs, FL, Dylan Bryan from Crystal River, FL, Cory Nelson from Ft. Lauderdale, FL and Tim Arce of Islamorada FL would release 14 sails in the series. Captain Raymond Baiz and Justin Miller aboard the My Sea Cin would release 1 in the IST, 12 in Cheeca and 1 in the Fishing Club tournament.

Gold Cup Series top angler and winner of the prestigious Gold Cup Championship Ring went to angler IFC Member Mark Mitchell aboard the Contagious. Mark released 8 sails over the series.

“The Islamorada Fishing Club Tournament created a great ending to the Florida Keys Gold Cup Series”, stated tournament director Dianne Harbaugh. “It was a tight race, not only for the teams but for the champion angler ring”. The 2023 Florida Keys Gold Cup Series will kick off in December with the Islamorada Sailfish Tournament.

Member Dues and Food & Beverage Minimums

Member Annual Dues & Minimum amounts are billed automatically according to membership categories:

Resident Dues — \$1100.00 Annually **plus \$1100.00 Food & Beverage Minimum**

Non Resident Dues — \$750.00 Annually **plus \$750.00 Food & Beverage Minimum**

Spouse Privilege Dues — \$550.00 Annually **plus \$550.00 Food & Beverage Minimum**

Guides Dues — \$250.00 Annually **plus \$250.00 Food & Beverage Minimum**

Intermediate {21-35} Dues—\$375.00 Annually **plus \$375.00 Food & Beverage Minimum**

Corporate/Equity– Resident Dues— \$1900 **No Food & Beverage Minimum**

Corporate/Non Resident Dues— \$1900 **No Food & Beverage Minimum**

If the Food & Beverage minimum is not met upon renewal of your annual dues, the minimum left will be automatically charged to your account. Minimums do Not Include Taxes or Gratuities.

Please be sure we have the most recent E-Mail, Home address, updated credit card information as well as a contact Telephone number on file at the club.

If you are not currently receiving E-mails from the club. It maybe that we need an update or that you need to check your "Spam Filter"

February 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5 Prime Rib Night
6 Closed	7 Closed	8 Pen Key Club Annual Meeting & Dinner Hurlburt Rm	9	10	11	12 Valentines Day Specials
13 Closed	14 Closed	15	16	17	18	19 Prime Rib Night
20 Closed	21 Closed	22	23	24	25	26 Prime Rib Night
27 Closed	28 Closed					