



Docklines

Gasparilla Marina

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Gasparilla Marina Boat Club Picnic

The Gasparilla Marina Boat Club is planning a picnic trip to Don Pedro State Park on Palm Island, Saturday, September 22nd. We will take a cruise before arriving at the State Park. Everyone should bring their lawn chairs and of course pack



bocce ball.

Welcome to our new members who joined the Gasparilla Boat Club while attending the Customer Appreciation and National Marina Day Celebration.

If you want to attend the September picnic, please email gasparillaboatclub@yahoo.com or call 941-697-2280 and ask for Christine or Jeff.



Gotta go, I think that's my beach chair calling me!

your coolers full of good things to eat and drink. Hope your ready for a day of fun in the sun while getting to know other boat club members.

In addition to eating, swimming and socializing we have a few activities planned for those that are interested including volleyball and

Agenda

Don Pedro State Park Picnic

9:00-10:00	Registration at the Fuel Dock Complimentary Coffee and Donuts
10:00	Leave Gasparilla Marina for Don Pedro State Park
12:00-3:00	Picnic, Swim, Games, Socialize
3:00	Head back to Gasparilla Marina
5:00	Regroup at the Boat Ramp Pavilion

Note: Times are approximate.

Customer Appreciation and National Marina Day Celebration

Wow!!!! What a turnout at the Customer Appreciation and National Marina Day Celebration on August 11th. The temperature was soaring with the heat index at an all time high for the year.



Arts, Crafts and Information Booths which included everything from jewelry, paintings, and nautical statues to Boaters Bonanza, Sea-tow, and the Englewood Fishing Club. Two of our Art & Craft booths were marina customers.

Children were busy with activities of their own including coloring contests and tattoo paintings. Thanks to Colleen Ward from our office and Gaspar, our Pirate for supervising and judging the children's games.



The day began with coffee and donuts while the Auxiliary Coast Guard and the Englewood Fishing Club performed free boat safety checks. At noon the festivities began inside the new storage building with 24

Boat rides were provided by Ingman Marine - there was no shortage of riders.
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Join the boat club!

If you are interested in joining the boat club or hearing more about it, you can send an email to gasparillaboatclub@yahoo.com or call 941-697-2280 and ask for Christine or Jeff.

Frequently Asked Questions

How can I get things from my car to my boat?

The marina has dock carts available to assist you in carrying items back and forth between your vehicle and your boat. Dock carts can be used for items such as coolers, beach bags and lawn chairs. They are not strong enough to carry heavier items such as household furniture and tool boxes. Give the office a call if you have any questions.



Can we use the empty slips on H-Dock for loading/unloading.?

No, unfortunately all H-Dock slips are rented and should not be used for loading/unloading.

Are there any more storage lockers left for rent?

Yes, we still have a few more storage lockers available. Call for details.



Pirates Place:

A guy gets shipwrecked. When he wakes up, he's on a beach. The sand is dark red. He can't believe it. The sky is dark red. He walks around a bit and sees that there is dark red grass, dark red birds and dark red fruit on the dark red trees. He's shocked when he finds that his skin is starting to turn dark red too.

"Oh no!!" he says, "I think I've been marooned!"

In Nautical Words!!
Did you know that the word "NUN" stands for a type of navigational buoy?

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This years project graduation parents and some of the students did all of the cooking and served hamburgers and hot dogs. Beer, soda and water were served by our favorite bartender, Mike Neill and his grandson Mason while DJ—Leo's Dance Party kept everyone entertained. Close to 100 prizes were given away including tee shirts, gift certificates, waterproof charts, CD's and hats some of which were donated by marina vendors.

Pictures were taken by Roberts Photography & Video Services. To see all of the Gasparilla Marina Customer Appreciation / National Marina Day pictures go to www.Gasparillamarina.com.

