



MIACC

At the Helm



Member Events This Month

March 2021

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Director@MIACC.org
RSVP Today

Member Meeting

March 11
5:30-7:00

Turrell, Hall & Associates
Island Map Store
3584 Exchange Ave

Eden's Earth Wind & Fryer
Food Truck
** Drinks Provided **

MARINE INDUSTRIES
Association Of Collier County

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Welcome Aboard New Members:

*Members Please Share
The benefits of membership
With your fellow colleagues!*

*Invite a new member to the
Next membership meeting
And earn a free meeting ON US!*

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**We are looking for
volunteers for the
Kids Fishing Clinic!**

**See Page 3
for more information**

KIDS FREE FISHING CLINIC

MARCH 6



MIACC Member News

GALATI YACHT SALES

- ◆ Galati Yacht Sales has completed their move to a new Sales location at Naples Bay Resort. We are excited to be directly on the water with a brand new upscale Sales facility in Naples and look forward to seeing all our existing and new customers at the new Sales office. With this move we welcome the addition of Ashley Gathercole in the sales support position and her Husband Anthony Gathercole has joined our Naples team in Sales. We look forward to continued growth in Collier county as well as Lee County with a new office about to open in Down Town Fort Myers River District at the new Luminary Hotel. This office is scheduled to open in April and will be managed by Brian Peterson. Brian has a strong marine management background and will be interviewing for new sales and sales support personnel positions in the coming weeks. Interested applicants can contact Brian directly at bpeterson@galatiyachts.com. In addition to the sales offices, Galati has added a new technician and moved its service personnel and parts facility to a central location off Allico Rd in Lee County. This will enable our service techs to reach our clients in both Lee and Collier quicker with less traveling time. We expect this change to enhance our clients customer support experience with better response time and capability.



All Water Customs | AquaTraction signed with Florida Sport Fishing as their Official Sponsor for Custom Marine Flooring! Keep your eye out for the upcoming commercials and articles! All Water Customs was also featured in the Service & Repair segment of the March / April 2021 issue of Florida Sport Fishing (FSF) magazine.



our marine flooring and has been an incredible addition to our ves-

sel. Mike Genoun, FSF Owner, states about his flagship SeaVee 390Z "We trust AquaTraction Advanced Marine Flooring for our synthetic decking needs. All Water Customs, a full-service AquaTraction dealer, installed

sel. All Water Customs works directly with boat owners to measure, customize material and install product with impressive precision. In addition to aftermarket installations, All Water Customs works with boat manufacturers to install flooring during the build process, ensuring that the decking is complete upon delivery.

The 100% closed cell foam is completely STAIN-RESISTANT and will not shrink in high heat! Furthermore, the foam is attached to the deck with an extremely strong proprietary adhesive developed by 3M, ensuring that it will not peel overtime."

Our team is grateful for the continued growth of our business and brand. However, we are more grateful to provide SOLUTIONS to our clients that enjoy this type of product. There are so many foams that do not hold up to the durability and longevity needed in South Florida. We want this to be the first and only time you invest in boat flooring. We look forward to customizing your boat!

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SEAS THE DAY!



The M/V Double Sunshine has her own beer!

Brewed locally by our friends at BONE HOOK BREWING, the Double Sunshine Golden Ale is the perfect refreshing drink for an afternoon sightseeing cruise or a way to cheers another great day aboard our sunset tour!

1-hr + Rentals Available!

Contact the team at 239.263.4949



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MIPAC 1st Quarter Contributions

Marine Industries Promoting Access for Citizens

In 2002 the Marine Industries Association of Collier County formed a Political Action Committee named Marine Industries Promoting Access for Citizens (MIPAC). This action was taken so that we can support issues and legislative candidates who assist the goals and purposes of the marine industries community.

On a quarterly basis, the MIPAC seeks donations of \$50.00 from each member. The MIPAC's mis-

sions and goals are to act upon problematic issues that must be addressed at the legislative level for the growth and protection of the marine industry. Monies collected from the MIPAC donations are used in supporting political decision makers that will tackle the very issues that affect all members of our industry. As a good steward of our member's donations, MIPAC adheres to uniform contribution criteria when determining how much and

to which candidate assistance is allocated.

MIPAC will educate you about the political landscape and issues facing our organization and will strategize political impact. In addition, the committee is always open to suggestions, questions and comments.

Please send your quarterly donations to MIPAC, PO Box 9887, Naples, Florida 34101

Upcoming Events

Kids Fishing Clinic

March Member Meeting: Turrell, Hall & Assoc

March 6, 2021

March 11 5:30-7:00

23rd Annual Naples FREE Kids' Fishing Clinic

PROUDLY PRESENTED BY

SATURDAY, March 6, 2021
at the Naples Municipal City Pier

Registration will begin at 9 am
and close at 12 pm

This is a photo Catch-and-Release Event.
Participants must be accompanied by an adult.
FREE ROD & REEL FISHING COMBO to be
given away to participants between the ages of
5 and 15 upon completion of the clinic, while
supplies last, compliments of our sponsors.

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Our Mission: Marine Industries Association of Collier County (MIACC) is a not-for-profit membership-based organization focused on the responsible growth of the marine industry for the benefit of its members, recreational boaters, the community, and the environment.

Our Goal: MIACC represents recreational boating and member interests at the Local, State, and Federal levels; Issues of interest include Water Access, Recreational Boating, Commercial Boating, Free Trade, Advocating for Property Rights, and Legislative or Regulatory initiatives that impact these interests.

Our Members: Members include Dealers & Manufacturers, Boating & Professional Services, Charters, Marine Contractors, Boat Lifts, Shipyards & Storage, and Equipment & Accessories.



**1st Quarter Contributions
requests
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MIPAC!**

