

# MIACC At the Helm



# **Marco Boat Show October 10-12**



## September 2025

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# **MIACC & Member News**









# **Member News**



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## **PIYC Summer Maintenance Project**





#### **Preventive Maintenance**

Pelican Isle Yacht Club recently welcomed Bellingham Marine on-site to perform a comprehensive inspection and tightening of our newly installed floating docks. This proactive maintenance effort reflects the Club's ongoing commitment to providing a safe, high-quality marina experience for its Members and guests. The inspection and tightening service was completed on 112 of the Club's 190 slips, as the remaining 78 slips are fixed docks and do not require this specific type of attention.

The scope of the work focused on ensuring that key structural components such as fiberglass through-rods, triangle frames, and whaler boards remain properly secured and aligned. These elements are critical to the overall performance and stability of the floating dock system, especially in a marine environment where constant exposure to tides, waves, and vessel activity can gradually cause wear and shifting.

By contracting Bellingham Marine, an industry leader in marina construction and maintenance, Pelican Isle Yacht Club continues to uphold the highest standards in marina care and infrastructure longevity.

Preventive maintenance like this is not just routine it's essential to preserving the value, safety, and functionality of the Club's waterfront facilities. Identifying and addressing potential issues before they escalate helps avoid costly repairs, reduces unexpected downtime, and ensures the docks remain in top condition for years to come. Simply put, the best maintenance is preventive maintenance, and PIYC is proud to lead by example in maintaining one of the premier Marinas in Southwest Florida.



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# **MIPAC 3rd 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 missions and goals are to act upon problematic issues that must be addressed at the legislative level the marine industry. Monies colare 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

for the growth and protection of lected from the MIPAC donations Marine Industries Association of Florida Fall Conference September 10th & 11th St. Petersburg, FL

## St. Pete Yacht Club



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Join us in our Efforts to Protect & Promote Florida's Marine Industry

Hosted by the Marine Industries Association of Southwest Florida (MIASWF) Contact info@miaswf.com for more information

Our Mission: Marine Industries Association of Collier County (MIACC) is a not-for-profit membershipbased 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

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

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



**3rd Quarter Contributions** available. Please make checks payable to MIPAC



## **Upcoming Events**

Marco Boat Show Christmas Boat Parade 2025 Naples Boat Show 2026 Arbor Fest/Kids Fishing Clinic

October 10-12, 2025 December 13, 2025 January 22-25, 2026 June 6, 2026