



# MIACC

## At the Helm



### Marco Boat Show October 10-12

**October 2025**



## Marco Boat Show



Parking at Rose Marina with Complimentary Shuttle to the Show  
951 Bald Eagle Dr, Marco Island FL 34145

Tickets \$15 in Advance  
\$20 at the Gate

Marco Island Yacht Club &  
Marco Island Marina Association



**MarcoBoatShow.com**

# See you at the show!

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### Welcome Aboard New Members:

#### Coastal DCS

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Marco Island, FL 34145

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MILEY'S DIESEL SERVICE  
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SANDY HOOK YACHTS  
SAWYER'S OUTBOARD SERVICE  
SCUTTLEBUTT GULF COAST  
SEATOW MARCO ISLAND  
TOW BOAT US NAPLES/MARCO  
VIAGE GROUP  
WORLD CAT OF NAPLES  
W-YACHTS YORK ROAD MARINE

#### IN-WATER VENDORS

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MARINA MIKE'S  
MARINEMAX NAPLES YACHT CENTER  
NAPLES BOAT MART  
NAPLES MARINA  
SANDY HOOK YACHTS  
SVC YACHTS  
THE BOAT HOUSE OF NAPLES  
VIAGE GROUP  
WALKER MARINE GROUP  
WORLD CAT OF NAPLES  
W-YACHTS YORK ROAD MARINE

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## Upcoming MIACC Events

**JANUARY  
22-25  
2026**

10AM - 5PM DAILY



**ADVANCE TICKETS AVAILABLE AT MIACC.ORG**

**ON-LAND** | SUGDEN REGIONAL PARK: 4284 Avalon Dr

**IN-WATER** | NAPLES CITY DOCK: 880 12th Ave S

The Naples Boat Show is the largest premier recreational show in the Naples-Marco Island area. **On Land** at Sugden Regional Park, **In-Water** at the Naples City Dock with complimentary shuttle service.

*36th annual*  
**CHRISTMAS  
BOAT PARADE**  
*"5 Golden Rings"*



**SATURDAY  
DEC. 13, 2025  
6:15 - 8:30PM**



**Purchase Tickets for the Naples City Dock at MIACC.org**

The parade may be viewed from Naples City Dock (TICKETED), Pinchers, Riverwalk Restaurant, Naples Landing, Kelly's Fish House, The Boat House on Naples Bay, and Bayview Park.

100% of the proceeds benefit Ricky King Foundation & The Keewaydin Preserve



## MIACC & Industry News



## RECREATIONAL BOATING

Impact in Florida's  
19th Congressional District



Your MIACC representatives have been busy around the state! MIAF, the state organization, hosted a statewide meeting in St Pete where all chapters discussed industry concerns and shared insight on upcoming legislation.

MIACC representatives also spoke to legislators at our local Delegation meeting in Collier County. Statewide, access is a number one concern in the industry, with infrastructure, work-force, education, and increased law enforcement following closely behind. Florida is blessed to have these great minds working together to protect the enjoyment of what we love!

**\$1.0 BILLION**  
ANNUAL ECONOMIC IMPACT<sup>1</sup>

(Includes direct, indirect and induced spending)

**4,927**  
Jobs supported<sup>1</sup>  
(Direct and indirect)

**487**  
Businesses supported<sup>1</sup>  
(Direct)

## RECREATIONAL BOATING IN AMERICA

**95%** of boats sold in the U.S. are  
MADE IN THE U.S.<sup>2</sup>

**61%** of boat owners have an  
annual household income of  
\$75,000 OR LESS<sup>3</sup>

**93%** of U.S. boat manufacturers are  
SMALL BUSINESSES<sup>1</sup>



**95%** of boats are towable boats  
SMALLER THAN 26 FT.<sup>2</sup>





## Member News

# BREAKDOWNS HAPPEN



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A NEW MEMBER SPECIAL

**TowBoatU.S.**  
NAPLES, MARCO ISLAND  
& EVERGLADES CITY

### TowBoatUS Expands Southwest Florida Presence to Goodland

*Capt. Todd Dillman's 4th TowBoatUS location will cut on-water response times for recreational boaters in the Ten Thousand Islands area*

TowBoatUS Goodland is now open for boaters who require on-water assistance up the Ten Thousand Islands region. Southwest Florida's newest TowBoatUS port, which offers professional 24/7 on-water towing and assistance to recreational boaters, will enable faster response times to boaters when dispatched on Marco Island.

"We're excited to launch our fourth TowBoatUS location, allowing quicker response times for towing assistance. By servicing Goodland, we can respond in 45 minutes or less to the back of Marco Island," said Capt. Dillman, owner of TowBoatUS Goodland.

Capt. Dillman and his wife, Dominique, also own and operate TowBoatUS Everglades City, Marco Island and Naples. All of the company's captains are U.S. Coast Guard-licensed. The towing ports are part of the largest 24/7 on-water towing service in North America with more than 336 locations and 668 red TowBoatUS response vessels. Stationed at the port is a red response vessel fully outfitted for towing and salvage with the ability to service boaters in shallow water.

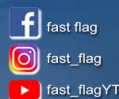
Much like an auto club for recreational boat owners, Boat Owners Association of The United States (BoatUS) offers annual on-water Unlimited Towing Memberships for saltwater boaters and anglers for just \$175 per year. However, for a limited time only, TowBoatUS Goodland will be offering a \$50 discount to new members and TowBoatUS existing members at the Marco Island Boat Show, October 10-12 2025.

"We're proud to sponsor this year's boat show, and we encourage new and existing boaters to take advantage of our discounted Towing Membership pricing," said Dillman.

To request on-water assistance, boaters can call the BoatUS toll-free 24/7 Dispatch Center at 800-391-4869, call the TowBoatUS Goodland port directly at (239) 389-1177 or hail on VHF radio Ch. 16.

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## Member News



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**Membership Renewals**  
will be sent this month! Be sure to  
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## Member News



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### Pelican Post



### Annual Shuttle Boat Maintenance

Pelican Isle Yacht Club recently brought our 38' / 40-passenger shuttle boat, The *Pelican*, to the boatyard for a series of important services and upgrades to ensure it's in top condition for the upcoming season.

Work completed includes:

- A full 100-hour service
- Pressure washing of the hull
- Fresh bottom paint
- A complete wax and detail

These maintenance services are vital to keeping The *Pelican* clean, safe and fully operational. With this work completed, The *Pelican* is ready to continue providing exceptional experiences for our Members - from a daily beach shuttle service to Club-hosted events and private backwater cruises.

The *Pelican* remains one of the Club's most utilized amenities, whether it's taking the family to the beach, enjoying a backwater cruise or celebrating a birthday on-the-water before returning to the Club for dinner.



## 3<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL BILL'S BOAT SHOE BASH

### Honoring Bill Meisner's Legacy

Bill's passion for sailing touched the hearts of countless individuals across generations. As a truly gifted sailing instructor, he inspired and uplifted students of all abilities, fostering confidence and joy on the water.

[Read Bill's story](#)



### An Evening of Food, Drinks, Music, and Impact!

Benefiting the Freedom Waters Foundation & Collier County's Adaptive Sailing Program for Individuals with Special Needs.

**PORT 32**  
A MARINA COLLECTION  
475 North Road  
Naples, Florida

**November 8, 2025**

**Time: 6 - 9 pm**

**Tickets: \$150 per guest**



Our Mission: Enhancing the lives of children and individuals with special needs and veterans by providing therapeutic boat experiences.

[FreedomWatersFoundation.org](http://FreedomWatersFoundation.org)



### ◆ How Independent Boat Dealers Can Beat Corporate Competitors Online

Competing with corporate dealers can be tough, especially when they have bigger budgets and larger teams. But independent, family-owned businesses have strengths that go beyond spending power. Smaller dealers can win by focusing on their local communities, reacting quickly to opportunities, and building real, lasting relationships. By specializing in a few key brands and investing in owned digital assets, they can stand out in ways corporate chains can't match. With the right approach, it's entirely possible to outperform larger competitors and create long-term growth.



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**Being voted into the top 3 finalist in The Best of The Gulfshore for two years in a row illustrates how our current clients feel about our services!**

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## MIPAC 4th 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

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

## Member News



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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.



**4th Quarter Contributions will be available soon.  
Please make checks payable to MIPAC**

