

M/Y Rendezvous

The "Florida Keys – Birthday" Cruise

April 16th – April 20th, 2010



Friday April 16th 2010

Arrivals:

Chris – 4/15/10 UAL #266 Arrives 4:27pm
Pierre Louis – 4/15/10 Swiss Air #LX 64 Arrives 5:30pm
Matt – 4/16/10 American #416 Arrives 2:40pm
Larry – 4/16/10 UAL #266 Arrives 4:17pm

1. Taxi to the boat from airport
2. Meet at the Boat

Rickenbacker Marina
3303 Rickenbacker Causeway – Dock "D"
Key Biscayne, FL 33149 305- 361-1900

7pm - Cocktail cruise around Miami – Dinner onboard or at the Rusty Pelican.



Night at Rickenbacker Marina – at the dock



Saturday April 17th, 2010

*Rickenbacker Marina to Marker 88 Restaurant
(about 3.5 hours cruising)*

Breakfast on the boat

10am – Depart for Marker 88 Restaurant (Cow Pens Anchorage).

Cruise through Biscayne Bay to the Inter coastal "ICW" and on to the Florida Keys.



Lunch (and swim) at Jew Fish Creek on the west side of the mangroves of Key Largo on the way to our anchorage for the night.

After Lunch, continue on the Inter Coastal Waterway "ICW" to a beautiful anchorage called the "Cow Pens" along the west side of Plantation Key. We will arrive in time for showers and cocktails on the boat, than take the dinghy to shore for dinner.

Marker 88 Restaurant
88000 Overseas Highway
Islamorada, FL 33036 (305) 852-9315
www.marker88.info



Night at anchor (on the hook) at the "Cow Pens" in front of Marker 88.

Sunday April 18th , 2010

Cow Pens to Hawk's Cay Resort (about 2 hours cruising)

Breakfast on the boat at anchorage.

10am - Depart Cow Pens, cruise south (about 2 hours) through Snake Creek and out to Hawk's Channel (the Atlantic) and then southwest to Duck Key for the afternoon and evening. Plan to arrive by noon.

We'll have lunch on the boat. This is a beautiful property with a nice marina for the boat, a couple of pools, restaurants and a very nice spa. Be sure to make reservations prior to our arrival if you'd like to schedule a treatment (305-743-7000).



We'll lounge around in the afternoon, have cocktails on the boat and dinner at Tom's Harbor House at the marina.

Hawk's Cay Resort and Marina
61 Hawks Cay Boulevard
Duck Key, FL 33050 1-305-743-7000
www.hawkscay.com



Cocktails on the boat at Hawk's Cay Resort



Dinner at Tom's Harbor House Restaurant

Monday, April 19th 2010

Hawk's Cay Resort to No Name Harbor (about 6 hours cruising – our longest day on the water)

Breakfast on the boat at Hawk's Cay Resort

9:30am – Depart for Key Biscayne. If the weather is nice, we'll go on the "outside", the Hawk's Channel north along the Keys.



We'll cruise into Key Largo Sound for lunch (about 12:30).

Depart Key Largo Sound at about 2pm. We'll take Angel Fish Creek into Card Sound and then head north to "No Name Harbor" on the south edge of Key Biscayne for the night "on the hook".

Arrive to anchorage by about 5:00pm. Showers and cocktails onboard than dinner at Boaters Grill at the anchorage.



We'll go by dinghy to dinner.



No Name Harbor anchorage

"No Name Harbor"
Bill Bragg State Park
Key Biscayne, FL

Tuesday, April 20th 2010

Breakfast onboard and walk around park to lighthouse.

Depart No Name Harbor at 11:00am for Rickenbacker Fuel dock

Meet Admiral Oil at 12:00pm – need reservation. 1-305-371-3835

Pack and prep boat – about 2 hours: see list

Taxi to MIA Airport – See departures below, best to leave boat 2 hours prior to flight time for domestic flights. 1-305-361-3111 about 20 minutes to MIA

You can have your boarding passes emailed to rickenba@bellsouth.net and Bessy at Rickenbacker can print them out for you.

Departures:

Chris – UA flight #485 Departs at 5:50pm

Matt – *Detail to follow...*

Pierre Louis – Swiss Air flight #LX65 Dep 7:50pm

Larry – Heading off to Managua on the 21st

The End...for now!

