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TIGHT LINES

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Casting & Blasting

The *deadline* for the *January 27th Cast & Blast* is *tomorrow, January 23rd*. Come out for instruction, lunch and most likely some friendly competition to test the skills you'll be learning while casting and blasting. See the article below for details.

Fishin' Funatics, our first tournament of the year is coming up fast. *Captains' & Anglers' Meeting* on *February 2nd* and the *Tournament and Awards Dinner* on *February 6th*. See details below as well as deadline information for the *March 6th Offshore Tournament, "Reel Women Love Sails"*.

Check out the details below for the *Gyotaku class* coming up on **February 10th from 1 - 4 p.m.** at the Art League.

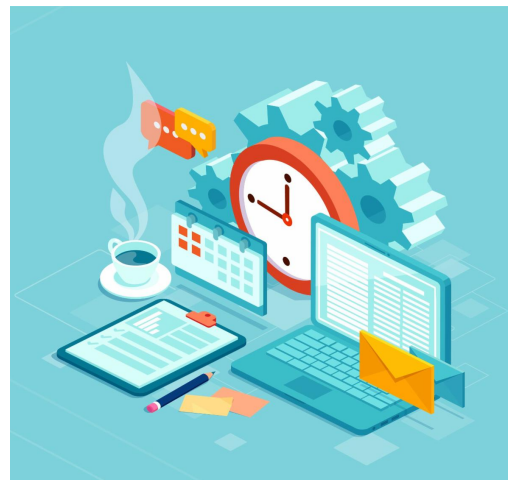
Upcoming Events

Jan 23: *Cast & Blast Sign-up* **deadline**

Jan 27: *Cast & Blast*

Feb 02: Fishin' Funatics Captains' Meeting
Feb 06: Fishin' Funatics Tournament
Feb 06: Gyotaku Sign-up *deadline*
Feb 10: Gyotaku at the Art League
 (The Japanese art of printing fish)
Feb 13: Kayak Clean-up
Feb 15: Board Meeting & Member Luncheon

To view 2022-23 calendar visit our website,
www.BonefishBonnies.com (click [here](#)).



Cast & Blast January 27, 2023

Card Sound Sporting Clays 10 a.m - 2 p.m

(6.7mi. past Alabama Jacks on the right; look for balloons.)

Come out and enjoy a day with the Bonnies while learning the secrets of fly casting and how to safely handle and fire a shotgun.

\$100/person includes range and gun rental as well as ammunition, instruction, lunch and beverages.

Fly rods, ear plugs, shotguns and shells will be provided.

Wear closed-toed shoes and loose fitting clothing and bring sunglasses. Bring your own shotgun or fly rod if you'd like.

Whether you are a beginner or an avid shooter all are welcome. Everyone will receive gun safety and shooting

instructions from professionals.

Nancy Zakon and Mona Brewer will be available for fly casting lessons. It will be an exciting day that will definitely be a BLAST!!!

Deadline for sign-ups and cancellations is **January 23, 2023.**

Attendance is limited to 25 Bonnies.

Make your reservation by clicking on the email address below. Include your name & ORC#.

BonefishBonnies1@gmail.com

Or

Bring your check for \$100.00 to:

Bonefish Bonnies, 24 Dockside Lane, PMB 1, Key Largo, FL 33037

Questions??? Email Kathy Weiland by clicking [here](#).



Fishin'FUNatics February 6, 2023

Anglers' & Captains' Meeting February 2, 2023
 14 Harbor Island Drive 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.

Tournament: Lines in 8:30 a.m. - out 3:30 p.m.

Awards Dinner February 6, 2023 6:00 p.m.
 The Academy, 395 South Harbor Drive

Questions??? Contact:

**Anne 502-594-1823, Mia 502-876-2221,
 or Lanie Hinkebein 502-671-3004**

Bonefish Bonnies
 "REEL WOMEN LOVE SAILS" ENTRY FORM

Boat Name: _____ (Check box below if you don't have a boat yet) _____

Shirt Size (XS, S, M, L, XL) - Shirt order filed in order of tournament entry received

I want to fish & need a place on a boat

I have room for _____ Bonnies on my boat

Angler's Name	Cell Phone #	# of Drivers	In Time (Y/N)	O.R.#

Tournament entry fee is \$200.00/Angler which includes Captains' Meeting beverages and snacks, tournament gifts and awards.

REEL Awards Reception: \$100 per person with beverages and heavy hors d'oeuvres. Spouses, partners, captains, mates and other Bonnies are welcome!

Anglers' & Captains' Meeting, March 2, 2023 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.
 Yacht Club Terrace

Tournament, March 6, 2023, Lines In - 8:30 a.m. Lines Out - 3:30 p.m.

Awards Reception March 6, 2023, 6:30 p.m.
 Town Hall Terrace

No cancellations can be honored after February 13, 2023, deadline.
 Questions? Allison Friesland (305) 959-2912, or Michelle Battle (305) 613-0304

"Reel Women Love Sails" Offshore Tournament March 6, 2023

Anglers' & Captains' Meeting March 2, 2023
 Yacht Club Terrace 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.
Tournament: Line in 8:30 a.m. - out 3:30 p.m.
Awards Reception, March 6, 2023
 Town Hall Terrace 6:30 p.m.

Instead of shopping, go offshore with your team in pursuit of "sails". Enjoy the thrill of the hunt and watch the amazing show sailfish can put on when hooked. Whether you're new to offshore fishing or an old hand the experience can be exhilarating.

Forms can be downloaded by clicking [here](#) and from the Bonnie's [website](#) or pickup a copy from the drawer below the Bonnies' bulletin board.

Tournament entry fee is \$200/angler.

The fee includes Captains' Meeting beverages, snacks; tournament gifts and awards.

Awards reception \$100/person

with beverages and heavy hors d'oeuvres.

Spouse, partners, captains, mates and all Bonnies are welcome!

Entry and cancellation deadline is February 13, 2023.

Questions??? Contact:

Allison Freeland (305) 989-2971 or Michelle Battle (305) 613-0304

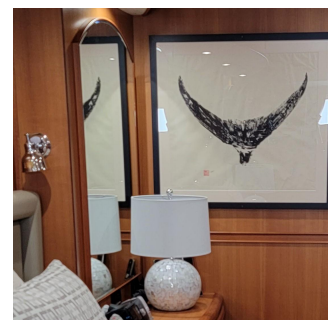


Gyotaku, February 10 The Art of Fish Printing

Join Board Member Mary Bloom and her lovely and talented assistant, Retired Board Member Diane Hill, on Friday, February 10th from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Art League for an introduction to Gyotaku - the art of fish printing.

Learn about the ancient art and the techniques for commemorating your catch and making your own masterpieces.

Using non-toxic ink Gyotaku is a way of "having your fish and eating it, too". Participants will be asked to bring a fish or the tail of a fish that has been kept for eating. While there have been those in history who have died for their art we don't want to encourage taking fish that could have been released.



The class is being offered at the **discounted price of \$50.00** as we had an inventory of supplies left over from a previous class. We do have a **class size limit of fifteen** (15) members. The **deadline** for signing up is **Monday, February 6th**. There will be a waitlist



if necessary. Information about the class will be sent out to the participants prior to the class meeting.

The quickest way to sign up for the class is by clicking on Bonefishbonnies1@gmail.com and include your name and ORC# in the email. You can also drop off a check for \$50.00 at PakMail, PMB 1.

Bonnie Briefs



More than fifty Bonnies learned from and were entertained by the talented and delightful Chef Betania at the Bonnies' Cooking School Meeting this past Thursday. After seeing how to prepare the Ocean Reef Classic Yellowtail dinner we all enjoyed the three course luncheon featuring the same.

Many thanks to Board Member Bonny Gothier who planned the meeting for us and for our embroidered tea towels.

Bonefish Bonnies Membership Roster 2022-2023

The Bonnie contact information for members listed below can be found by choosing the *Members* tab on our website at www.bonefishbonnies.com.

A warm welcome to our newest Bonnie:
Judy Wilson

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