

■ New Membership Card and Benefits

Marinalife has new benefits! We have rolled out new membership levels



to accommodate our growing customer base. Members will also be receiving new membership cards in the mail. Owners' Club cards remain the same. We plan to add new benefits to our membership throughout the year so look for updates on www.marinalife.com.

■ Winner of the Member Referral Contest

Lorna Smith from Treasure CoveResort Marina in Riverhead, NY was the winner of the 2006 member referral contest for the marinas. Lorna won a trip to Treasure Cay Hotel Resort & Marina in the Abacos, Bahamas including airfare and hotel accommodations at the resort. The 2007 contest will begin in April and run through September.

■ Bahamas Summer Flotilla

Marinalife is offering the opportunity for our members to join the existing Bahamas Tourism flotillas for the summer 2007. A detailed schedule is available at www.marinalife.com (in the What's New section). If you are interested in the flotillas please e-mail info@marinalife.com. A lead boat and captain will be provided for each Flotilla. The flotillas will commence on Wednesday evenings and end on Sunday evenings.

■ Club Rendezvous Update

Many of the clubs and manufacturers that use Marinalife's services are actively planning their 2007 rendezvous schedule. The Hatteras 1510 Club has a busy summer schedule planned with a cruise on the Great Lakes scheduled for July, 20 to 24 and a cruise to Cape May for Aug. 8 to 12th and their national rendezvous September 6 - 9 in Portsmouth, VA. Ocean Yachts is planning a summer rendezvous in Nantucket from June 14-17 and Lazara Yachts will have an owner's rendezvous at the Ocean Reef Club in Florida from April 20 - 22, 2007.

NEW MARINAS ON THE HORIZON

Vertical Yacht Club, Aventura, FL



The birthplace of performance boats in Aventura will soon be home to a state-of-the-art yacht club marina. The Vertical Yacht Club Thunder Alley will be fully equipped with a new wave of dry dock storage, or the patented Vertical Yacht System™. This revolutionary technology uses a laser-guided and computer-controlled system, instead of a forklift, that has a customizable boat cradle to protect boats. The indoor facility also shields boats from hurricane force winds, harmful salt air, salt water, and the sun's UV rays. Member privileges include concierge and valet services, a comfortable lounge, business center, beautiful spa and gourmet café. The concierge will provision boats with food, drink, and gas – all at cost. The yacht club marina at 2890 NE 187th Street will accommodate boats up to 43'. It will open in December 2008.

Ocanos Resort & Marina, Islamorada, FL



The uniquely Greek-inspired Ocanos Residences, Resort & Marina in Islamorada, Florida Keys is building 151 exclusive luxury condominium

units appointed with the finest interior design elements and modern amenities. The alluring natural beauty of the Atlantic Ocean and backcountry that surround this private escape lend to the seafaring lifestyle with a world-class sportfishing facility and marina. Private slips accommodating vessels up to 85 feet with a planned opening of November, 2008 at the full-service marina that includes fuel and fishing facilities among the many luxury amenities one would expect at a five-star destination.

River Dunes, Oriental, NC

Don't miss the opportunity to experience a luxury waterfront lifestyle in a truly exceptional location for boating. Situated on the big waters of the ICW and Pamlico Sound, the award-winning master planned community of River Dunes provides a perfect launching point for any type of adventure on the water. With 14 miles of natural shoreline, every neighborhood in the community will offer residents access to the surrounding waterways. Add to that a fully amenitized state-of-the-art 400 slip world-class resort harbor and harbor club, and an architectural style that draws from the rich heritage of life in a coastal setting, and every convenience for year-round living and boating is in place. The marina is scheduled to open Fall 2007.

Tidewater Yacht Service at Port Covington Maritime Center, Baltimore, MD

Construction is now complete at the Port Covington Maritime Center in Baltimore. Celebrating 20 years of operation, lead tenant Tidewater Yacht Service is now in full operation with the Chesapeake's most modern and well equipped boatyard as well as an expanded marine store and parts department. The grand opening is scheduled for June 2007.