

Spotlight: TOP REFIT & HURRICANE STORAGE BOATYARDS



EXPERIENCE MATTERS ...

This is the perfect time to Refit, Upgrade, Fix or simply place your beloved boat into hibernation for the hurricane season. Who are you going to trust to take care of your prized possession? Take a moment ... The selection of a boatyard to meet your needs and exceed your expectations can be a daunting challenge.

We're making the choice easy for you. Here's a spotlight on several of the Top Boatyards that specialize in Refit and Hurricane Storage.

This special section will provide an inside look at their capabilities and help you create a relationship to get the job done.

We welcome recommendations for yards to include in next year's edition!

Bobby's MegaYard

SINT MAARTEN

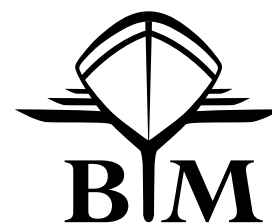


The Megayard in Sint Maarten has been open now for 10 years and is located in Cole Bay across the lagoon from Simpson Bay Yacht Club. This branch has 2 Travelifts: a 150 metric ton (165 US ton) machine that can haul vessels up to 33 feet wide. And a second machine of 75 tons for the smaller sail boats. This machine can accommodate a 19 foot wide vessel.

This Yard has 24 hour security guard and a 3 meter security wall surrounding the yard with night security lighting. In near proximity to the yard, all within walking distance are a full array of the best vendors of marine parts and equipment in the Caribbean. In addition to this, there is a full selection of vendors supplying all the services one might need performed from: sail makers to rigging, welding, mechanical, refrigeration and electrical all within easy walking distance of the Megayard.

There is a second location of the Megayard alongside the Airport. This Yard has a 50 ton Travelift for the smaller vessels. Here we accommodate the vessels that wish to stay out for a long term. This yard has a security fence and lighting but there is no security guard on duty.

At both the facilities professional assistance is available to solve your boating problems and we have an array of subcontractors that can assist with any work needed to be performed from welding to electrical. The Megayard is experienced at doing your bottom painting and as we use environmentally friendly dustless sanders, we do all work below the waterline without any dust. We offer very competitive pricing and estimates are available upon request for the sanding and painting of the bottom. As we here in Sint Maarten are in the hurricane belt, we of course offer hurricane storage. The Hurricane Season is between the months of June to November. This is a very popular service and early booking is essential. The boats will be chocked and cross braced for security with the masts of keel boats removed as a precaution. Many owners take the opportunity to inspect both rigging and mast at this time. Catamarans are offered hurricane concrete hold down blocks and are chocked both forward and aft to prevent any movement during a storm. We at the Megayard feel that we will offer you our customer a satisfying and professional stay in our yard and we look forward to being of service to you.



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Bocas Yacht Services

BOCAS DEL TORO, PANAMA



Although Bocas Yacht Services has made some significant upgrades to the boatyard, its greatest selling point remains the fact that since it is located in Panama, it is out of the hurricane zone.

The facility, which is about an hour from the cruising hot-spot of Bocas del Toro, has initiated some valuable improvements in the last few months.

They have moved up to a stronger generator to service the electrical needs of their clients. And the fence has been strengthened, even though the yard had already earned the reputation as a very secure place to leave or work on your boat. Besides this barrier, there is also a watchman all night long.

New slings were added to the 20-ton travel-lift and all of the hydraulic lines were replaced as well. The engine is regularly serviced.

The same basic crew remains year after year, which is always a good indicator of a well-run boatyard. Between the manager and staff, they speak English, Spanish and Portuguese.

The yard continues to offer both full-service and do-it-yourself options for cruisers. They can provide skilled spray painters, diesel mechanics, riggers, electrical specialists and fiberglass professionals. Long term storage is also available.

During the pandemic, Panama was one of the most accessible Caribbean nations. Many vessels came here that were not permitted elsewhere. A new policy has made it even easier for arrivals. If you can present a negative Covid PCR test from your departure port you can avoid going into a 14 day quarantine.

Bocas del Toro, itself, continues to attract lots of cruisers. Many view it as The Undiscovered Caribbean. It boasts a superb archipelago, full of islands and beaches with dozens of gorgeous empty anchorages.

The sailing, surfing, snorkeling and hiking are all terrific. The wildlife is magical with sloths, dolphins, toucans and wild monkeys.

The nightlife in town is also great. It features an amazing number of bars and restaurants for such a small, laid-back spot. There are plenty of groceries and hardware stores.

All in all, it is an excellent, HURRICANE-FREE place to sail, chill and get some boatyard work done.



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Clarkes Court Boatyard & Marina

GRENADA, W.I.



Clarkes Court Boatyard and Marina is situated in a protected inlet on the small island of Grenada; 1200'1"N, 61044'43"W, south of the hurricane belt, offering a safe and secure place for your vessel.

With our friendly and professional team, contractors who offer full service with an onsite Marine Chandlery (providing a wide range of boating supplies, expert technical advise, mechanical and electrical support), Clarkes Court Boatyard and Marina is the preferred boatyard and marina in the Eastern Caribbean.

Our Italian made Boat Lift can lift vessels up to 242T, max beam of 37' and draft 13'; our 2 Roodberg trailers (1 submersible) handle vessels up to 55' LOA, max beam of 25' and draft of 6'.

Strategically positioned in proximity to the International Airport, shopping and entertainment centers (3-mile radius), on site accommodation, Wi-Fi, hot/cold showers, laundry services and the ability for owners to work on their vessels are a few more reasons to make Clarkes Court Boatyard and Marina your choice for haul out, storage, refit and maintenance works.



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Curaçao Marine Zone

CURAÇAO, WILLEMSTAD, NETHERLANDS ANTILLES



New! Hauling bigger yachts at Curaçao Marine Zone! Last year we dredged, now yachts with drafts up to 3m can be easily hauled. Other maximum: beam 32ft, LOA 110ft, weight 60 ton. Besides 110V & 220V we have 380V available for the big ones. We have space for 1-2 megayachts! Yachts up to 150ft length & 10ft draft can be moored.

Coming soon! More wet berths, from 21 to 60! After expanding from 140 to 250 dry berths last year, we will expand the wet berths in August.

Other improvement: Self-serve Washing / Drying Machines are now available on the premises. We have always offered laundry service but now sailors can do their own laundry at their convenience.

The **hurricane safe location of Curaçao** benefits the sailing community seeking safe harbor for both long & short terms. The **180-day-visa (with extension)** is also a great advantage, giving sailors time to do extensive yacht maintenance while experiencing life on the island!

Many yacht services under-1-roof!

- **Range of services:** high-pressure washing, steaming, bottom sanding, painting, antifouling, osmosis treatment, fiberglass repairs, gel coating, polishing, yacht agency, project management and more.
- **Services by experienced subcontractors:** engine repairs, welding, woodshop, sail repairs, rigging, safety & fire equipment installation.
- **Biggest professional spray painting cabin of the island;** our fully equipped, enclosed, shaded, air-conditioned spray painting cabin fits vessels up to 65 feet. Rent it and do the work yourself or we can do the job for you!

Customers report to be very content with the extra services we provide:

- Clean, comfortable bathrooms
- Shuttle service to immigration & customs
- Free shuttle bus to the supermarket
- Social entertainment area to meet fellow sailors
- 24-hour security with cameras
- Laundry service
- Easy onsite car rental

Caribbean Hurricane season 2023 is coming up in a few months, let's hope it will be a calm one! Due to its unpredictable nature, you can imagine that bookings are already coming in on a daily! Because of many returning customers and early bookings our planning board fills up fast, so book now! Our crew looks forward to welcoming you at the docks!



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CURAÇAO MARINE ZONE FACTS:

- Biggest marina & boatyard in Curaçao
- The facility encompasses 25.000m² terrain
- 250 dry berths & 21 wet berths, more coming soon!!!
- 40 & 60 ton Roodberg slipway trailers
- Most centrally located marina on the island
- Indefinite storage possible due to our entrepot-status
- Clean, mudd-free, cold beers & good wifi!

Grenada Marine

GRENADA, W.I.



Grenada Marine is a haul out and marina facility in St. David's, on the southeast coast of Grenada. Located in the well protected and tranquil bay of St David's Harbour. The haul out bay has a controlling depth of 17ft at low water and a 32ft width/beam serviced by a 70-ton Travel Lift. There is also a 100-meter dock face for marina dockage. The marina crew prides themselves in the care and attention to detail taken to ensure each vessel is safely stored ashore in the Grenada Marine boatyard. Each boat is hauled, then pressure washed, then carefully taken to its designated area.

The site is comprised of 10 acres with approximately 8 acres for storage of boats and a computerized storage yard management system with guardianage support, to efficiently allocate space and monitor yachts during their stay.

Specialty and custom storage solutions are offered to all customers for their vessels, such as use of 'insurance approved' steel cradles and mast racks, tiedown anchors or storage of boats by type.

Grenada Marine can store 250 yachts using a stacker (60 tons max) and can lift 70 tons/31.5' wide. The travelift slip draft is roughly 16' and the 100-meter service dock enables 'in the water' works.

Onsite Amenities include:

- Laura's Restaurant & Bar
- Island Water World Chandlery
- Customs & Immigration Offices
- Laundry and Showers
- Mail / Parcel Service
- 24hr security
- Diesel Fuel
- Free Wi-Fi
- Transportation into the St. George's area

The owners Jason and Laura Fletcher have run Grenada Marine for over 19 years and play an active role in the day to day operations of the Boatyard - with a strong commitment to provide professional service.

In 2019, Grenada Marine awarded 12 N - The Caribbean Yacht Specialists an exclusive contract for all the marine maintenance and repair aspects of the business. 12 N employs a combination of carefully selected & experienced marine certified technicians ready to exceed your expectations by performing quality work that is completed on time and within budget.



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Harbour House Marina

GRAND CAYMAN, CAYMAN ISLANDS



Harbour House Marina is the biggest and most complete full-service Marina in the Cayman Islands, boasting the largest indoor service center and the most comprehensive facility in the Western Caribbean.

We are the authorized dealers for Boston Whaler, Sea Ray, Schaefer Yachts, and Release Boats; Harbour House Marina is also the Honda Marine distributor. Our full-service boatyard can handle all requirements with the largest travel lift in Cayman. Harbour House Marina can lift up to 150 tons and vessels up to 35 feet max beam; great for multi-hulls.

Yard services include:

- Sea Hawk antifouling application and refinishing
- Boat and trailer storage
- Hull repair and painting
- Dockside premium gasoline and diesel
- Dry dock
- Dedicated inside Awl Grip spray booth
- Fiberglass repairs
- Marine electronic installation and repair
- Mechanical services
- Salvage and towing service
- Trailer slip
- Visiting boats – canal dockage, free Wi-Fi, dedicated shower room

Honda Marine

We are the Honda Marine distributor for the Cayman Islands, and we service all Honda four-stroke outboards from the lightweight 2hp to the new 250hp. We carry an extensive range of factory-supplied parts. Our technicians are factory certified and up-to-date with the latest training.

Mercury Marine

We are an authorized Mercury Service Centre and carry an extensive range of factory-supplied parts. Our technicians are factory certified and up-to-date with the latest training.

Authorized Sea Hawk Applicator

We are the Cayman Islands' only authorized Sea Hawk applicator. We guarantee all our antifouling work for 12 months.

Our chandlery is the biggest and the best in the Cayman Islands and the best stocked in the Western Caribbean. We carry all major marine product lines. Harbour House Marina also has a fully-stocked upholstery shop with skilled staff able to produce and repair a comprehensive range of custom products.



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IBC Shipyard

LA ROMANA, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC



With more than 20 years of experience in the nautical business, IBC Shipyard is located in one of the most luxury Marina of the Caribbean: Marina Casa de Campo in Dominican Republic.

We are a team of professional technicians and craftsmen trained in Italy and in the U.S. in a diversity of skills. Efficient in house parts logistics service. Offering to its clients a professional job, with speed and quality.

At IBC Shipyard, we are rated as an Azimut Gold Service center and form part of the exclusive Benetti Service Network. Furthermore, we are an authorized service point of, Volvo Marine Division, Seakeeper, ZF, Raymarine, Dometic, KVH, Kohler and ASEA Power.

We had upgraded our Travel Lift with the mission to satisfy the needs of those customers who own boats weighing up to 300t, length up to 50mt (164ft), beam up to 11mt (36.08ft), draft to 4.5mt (14.76). With the ability to serve mega yachts we count with the best equipment in the area.

Herewith an overview of our services:

Travel Lift of 300 tons of capacity
Trailer of 70 tons
Crain of 1400 kg
Paint Booth
Propeller Change and Repair
Propulsion and Transmission
Alignment of shaft and Engine
Antifouling Paint
Sand Blasting (Dry and Wet)
Hull Repair
Hydraulic and Electro Hydraulic
CRP / Fiberglass repair

Internal and External paint
Naval Carpentry
Woodwork
Engines/Generator maintenance and repair
Electrical and electronic services
Air conditioning services
Electronic navigation
Equipment Service
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Independent Boatyard & Marina Compass Point Marina

ST. THOMAS, US VIRGIN ISLANDS

In Water &
On the Hard
HURRICANE
STORAGE



Imagine a renowned marina and full service boatyard uniquely situated in a natural hurricane hole and you start to get the idea behind why the combination of Compass Point Marina and Independent Boatyard & Marina are so special and so in demand.

To your benefit, the timing is right as we now have a brand new 500 foot dock extension added to Compass Point Marina expanding our capacity and specifically designed with wide slips for catamarans.

Boatyard Facts

Independent Boatyard & Marina is located in St. Thomas, US Virgin Islands on the South side of St. Thomas. The boatyard and marina are located in Benner Bay (sometimes known as the "lagoon"), which is a protected hurricane hole. On premises businesses include a Machine shop, a Fiberglass shop, a Wood shop, an Outboard repair shop, and a large Budget Marine chandlery. A large food store (Food Center) is located across the street from the boatyard and down a 1/2 block The east end town and harbor of Red Hook (Vessup Bay on charts) is about 2 miles east of the boatyard and has numerous restaurants, a pharmacy, and another food store. Red Hook is also the terminus of the St. Thomas to St. John ferry, which usually runs hourly.

The yard is equipped with a 50 ton Marine Travelift (up to 18 feet of beam), 35 ton crane and a 35 ton Hostar Marine yard transporter used for close stacking during hurricane season. The channel into Benner Bay is marked with day shapes on pilings with a depth of 8ft at high tide and 7 feet at low tide in the channel. Please call the office for an emailed channel chart but as a rule, favor the red.

Combined Marina Facts

There is a 93 slip Marina attached to the boatyard, which does long term slip rentals (three months or more). Our sister marina, Compass Point Marina, which has 195 slips, is just South of Independent Boatyard & Marina in Benner Bay bordering the entry channel. Compass Point Marina does do transient slip rental on a space available basis. Both marinas due to their location in a hurricane hole, allow vessels to remain in their slips during the hurricane season provided vessels comply with our written hurricane tie-off plan.

Adjacent to our slipway is a floating staging dock used by vessels slated for haulout.

The perfect location combined with all of the marine services located at your immediate discretion. Everything is covered from provisioning to hurricane storage. Act now to lock in your reservation as we currently have new found availability that assuredly won't last long.



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Nanny Cay Boatyard

TORTOLA, BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS



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for simplified
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rates!



Nanny Cay's full-service boatyard offers storage for 300 monohulls and 100 catamarans.

Nanny Cay has two boat lifts: a 70T Wide-body Marine Travelift capable of lifting catamarans with a beam up to 32', as well as a 50T Marine Travelift capable of lifting monohulls up to 55' in length. Nanny Cay also has two hydraulic trailers - 30T and 60T - which can move vessels up to 60' and 75' respectively.

Each monohull is secured with a minimum of 4 sandscrews and 8 tension straps. Customers also have the option of securing their vessel in Pantaenius approved cradles. Nanny Cay uses Brownell jack stands and has developed custom catamaran stands specifically for Caribbean weather. Catamarans are secured with a minimum of 4 sandscrews and at least 8 tension straps.

Nanny Cay offers a dedicated no mast storage area and if owners choose to remove their mast for hurricane season, mast storage is free.

Wide-ranging on-site services include shipwrights, fibreglass and Awlgrip experts; yacht fitting; technical, electrical, electronic and mechanical marine engineering services; metal fabrication; yacht surveying; yacht management; rigging and a sail loft.

Boatyard guests are able to stay onboard, undertake their own maintenance work, and use the marina bathroom and shower facilities. Nanny Cay also has hotel rooms and offers a 20% discount to boatyard guests. Also available to guests is free Wifi, potable water, ice, laundry facilities, a provisioning store and a bar and restaurant.

The work and storage yards both have electricity, with backup power, as well as water, provided by Nanny Cay's own r/o plant. Other amenities in the boatyard include free garbage disposal, a waste oil collection point and Encyclon wastewater treatment in haulout area.

All yards are gated and there is 24-hour security on the premises, with CCTV and traditional foot patrol by security guards.

Nanny Cay Chandlery in a 4,000-foot purpose-built retail store has over 6,000 products in stock and offers a special order service.

Tradewind Yachting Services is conveniently located next to the boatyard. Tradewind is the BVI's authorized Yamaha dealer together with AB Inflatables. Tradewind has a fully stocked parts department and factory trained technicians, including one of the very few Yamaha Master Technicians in the Caribbean.

The BVI is one flight from major Caribbean hubs such as Puerto Rico, Antigua and St Maarten; and a quick ferry trip from St Thomas.



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Peake Yacht Services

CHAGUARAMAS BAY, TRINIDAD



Peake Yacht Services is a full-service boatyard located in Chaguaramas, Trinidad, outside of the hurricane belt.

Our 160 ton Travelift can haul sailing and motor yachts and commercial vessels alike, with up to a 31ft. beam. No forestay removal needed on most yachts up to 60 feet.

Trinidad is well known for getting any type of work done including carbon fibre and fibreglass repairs, painting, machining and hydraulic repairs, welding and sandblasting, to name a few.

Chaguaramas has many outlets offering anti-fouling and paints, boat and engine parts (Trinidad has a wide range of Yanmar engines and parts available), canvas and sail repairs, etc., and if it is not available in Chaguaramas, Peake's Courtesy Bus is there to assist you in finding what you need outside of Chaguaramas making regular trips to the malls, grocery stores, banks and even pick up and delivery to the airport for our customers...all free of charge! Also free of charge at Peake is wifi and water!

Special rates available at our onsite Hotel for yard clients!

Chaguaramas has many options for breakfast, lunch and dinner from our famous local roadside dishes to fine dining restaurants, including our onsite restaurant.

Additionally, if you have the inclination and time, there's lots to see and do in Trinidad – bike riding and walking in the trails of Chaguaramas, Water and Amusement Park five minutes down the road, and further afield nature tours and hikes in our rain forest with beautiful waterfalls. Trinidad also has a vibrant nightlife and of course there is our world-famous Carnival Festival!

We look forward to having you at Peake Yacht Services. Talk to anyone who has been here and I am sure we will be seeing you soon!

Our Services Include:

- Vacuum Consolidating & Carbon Fiber/ Kevlar Repairs
- Shrink Wrapping
- Fiberglass & Gelcoat Repairs
- Pressure Washing, Polishing & Buffing
- Osmosis Treatment
- Antifouling Application
- AwlGrip Application
- Sandblasting
- Laundry, Free wifi and water
- Courtesy Bus

Boatyard Services Offered by Independent Contractors Include:

- Marine Surveyor & Rigging Consultant/ Yacht Delivery Captain
- Mechanical, Electrical, Electronic Repairs
- Welding (mig, tig, & gas)
- Canvas Work & Upholstery
- Fiberglass & Painting
- Outboard Repairs
- Carpentry
- Mast Stepping & Rigging
- Refrigeration & Plumbing
- Boat Air-Conditioner Rentals



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IGY Rodney Bay Marina & Boatyard

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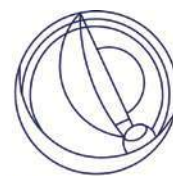


From Routine Maintenance and Painting to Complete Refits, our boatyard has the facilities to get you cruising along in no time. Boasting a 75-ton Marine Travel Lift and a 40-ton self-propelled boat trailer, as well as the Sail Loft with qualified riggers and sail repair technicians, this full-service facility is ready for you and your crew. Our boatyard, which is endorsed by several major international insurance companies, is a popular choice for summer storage.

The IGY Rodney Bay Boatyard occupies a gated 4.5 acre area within the IGY Rodney Bay Marina complex which itself is strategically placed within a protected lagoon. The facility is a designated port of entry with Immigration and Customs Offices on site so clearing in and hauling out is a breeze. Once you have settled in, The 5 Gold Anchor-awarded Rodney Bay Marina has a full range of support facilities at your disposal. A short distance away is the Rodney Bay Village where you will find further amenities including two shopping malls and a strip with several bars and restaurants.

Over the years IGY Rodney Bay Boatyard has gained a steady customer base which attests to its reputation as a premier boatyard in the southern Caribbean attributable not only to the professionalism and friendliness of the experienced staff but because of our upfront pricing practice without the insurmountable add-on fees. The location of St. Lucia adds to the boatyard's appeal since its central location makes it the perfect base for sailors exploring both the northern and southern Caribbean islands. With daily flights to major hubs in Canada (Toronto) and the US (Atlanta, Miami & NYC) as well as Europe (London), St. Lucia can safely brag about having the best international flight connections in the Windward Islands.

So if you are looking for a reputable boatyard in the southern Caribbean that comes with the quality assurance of a stalwart in the industry, then the IGY Rodney Bay Boatyard is your destination.



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Safe Harbor Puerto del Rey

FAJARDO, PR



Recently acquired by Safe Harbor Marinas in 2021, Safe Harbor Puerto Del Rey in Puerto Rico is the largest and most complete marina in the Caribbean; their first-class facilities have seen significant improvements and plan to bring more amenities for their members in the upcoming years. Those improvements, combined with its strategic location (surrounded by mangroves and mountains), helped in their success over the past hurricane seasons and historical storms. The massive breakwater played a crucial role in saving hundreds of vessels in the water, and the steel and concrete foundations in the Hurricane Storage proved to be critical in saving hundreds of boats on land. The marina has a 1.5-Megawatt generator capable of running all the facilities and ensuring they are even more prepared for any future events. Spaces are limited! Call or write them today to ask about Hurricane Storage options.

The Safe Harbor Puerto Del Rey Boat Yard is the only yard in the Caribbean with 4 travel lifts; the most powerful of which is capable of hauling out vessels up to 150 tons. There are also bull forklifts that can haul vessels up to 42' LOA and 32,000 lbs. Recently acquired are two new boat forklift machines - the Marina Bull Lo Pro (W 7.1 model manufactured by Wiggins), the largest and only one of its category in the Caribbean. It has a capacity to lift heavier vessels, up to 30,000 pounds and 45 feet long. Another important feature of this machinery is its 3-tier engine that reduces emissions, making it the most eco-friendly on the market; aligned with Safe Harbor Puerto del Rey's commitment to minimize ecological impact.

You can rest assured that your vessel, regardless of size or service needed, can be taken in by Safe Harbor Puerto Del Rey.

Do you need to get some work done on your boat? They have you covered! Safe Harbor Puerto del Rey is home to 14 authorized contractors, some of them, have built reputations as the best in the region. This gives you the ability to select the contractor whose skillset matches your needs and whose prices come within your budget; all this without leaving the marina! Some of the areas the contractors excel in include: propulsion systems, motor repair and mechanics, woodworking, welding and metal fabrication, electrical repair, fiberglass repair and finishing, and bottom maintenance and painting.

As if that was not enough, Safe Harbor Puerto Del Rey offers a wide variety of amenities to their guests and boat owners. Get gas or diesel at the Fuel dock and get some work done by connecting to the free marina Wi-Fi. Take a break from the water and stay in one of their on-premise apartments (1 and 2 bed rooms available). There is also a gym, golf cart service, jogging trail, a heliport, on-site car rental service, laundry facilities, and 2 of the best restaurants in town. Safe Harbor Puerto Del Rey is your one stop shop in the Caribbean for all your boating needs.

"Our range of services will make your visit more convenient and productive. Our excellent contractors, first class facilities, and dedicated staff will make it an unforgettable experience. We are more than a marina... we are your gateway to the Caribbean."



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Saunders Yachtworks

GULF SHORES & ORANGE BEACH, AL



Centrally located on the Alabama coast of the Gulf of Mexico, Saunders Yachtworks operates two boatyards and provides our customers with outstanding boatyard, refit and repower services. With decades of combined experience, our management team and staff can handle projects of all levels of complexity.

Our full-service boatyard and transient basin in Gulf Shores is located at mile marker 155 on the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway. It accommodates vessels up to 130 feet with a 27-foot maximum beam, provides robust dockage and long-term dry storage, and features the largest lift capacity for recreational boats in the northern Gulf. We designed our fully-enclosed works building to include a 50-foot door height that can handle custom tuna towers. Next to our works building, a 13,000-square-foot covered space allows us to stage a greater number of vessels in a weather-protected environment.

Our second location, Saunders Marine Center in Orange Beach, provides easy access to a major Gulf pass and boasts 60-ton lift capacity with a 21-foot maximum beam. We also provide authorized sales and repower support for outboard engines.

From routine maintenance and damage repair to major refits, we're equipped to tackle it all!

- Authorized diesel engine & generator service
- Authorized outboard engine repower & service
- Certified installation center for Seakeeper gyros
- Mobile techs dispatched 24/7 to local & international marinas
- More than an acre of covered, protected yard space
- Master craftsmen for carpentry, fiberglass & paint
- Ship's store with marine parts sales & support

For more information, please call 251.981.3700 or visit our website at saundersyacht.com. Whether you're docking in the States for an extended period of time or just passing through, let us put our tradition of performance and integrity to work for you!



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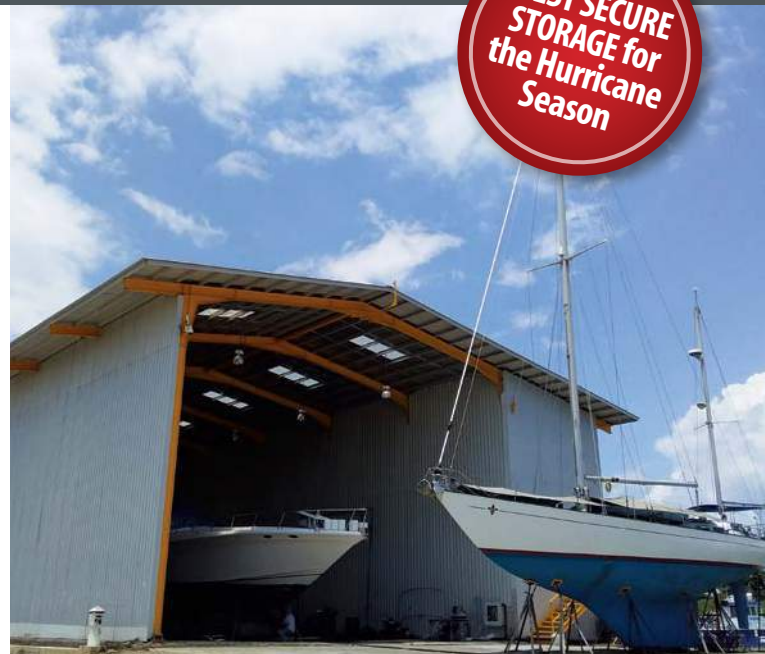
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Shelter Bay Marina Boatyard

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If you are looking for the optimum in service at the best price, Panama is the country and Shelter Bay is your destination:

- Panama a yacht friendly environment
- Only \$185 for a one year cruising permit
- Duty free import of all parts
- Best prices in the Caribbean
- No hurricanes and lower cost of insurance

Shelter Bay has the tools and the staff with over 2,000 haul outs and a much larger number of repairs of all types. Our staff has the experience and skills to service most of the routine repairs and maintenance on your vessel. We can do everything no one can. We've developed relationships and contacts to get the required technical support quickly and efficiently. Need a specialist? we have daily flights from all the yacht centers in the US and Europe.

Our technical and supervisory staff will work closely with you to provide the best course of action for your vessel. We offer a wide selection of services which are tailored to your needs from a simple boat watch program with a report once a month to an intensive refit schedule with daily reporting. Stay on the hard or in our very secure side tie berths while the work is accomplished.

100,000 square feet of stabilized yard space with an enclosed 5,000 square feet sheltered space for refits, plus long term secure storage space to accommodate up to 120 vessels, and 200 wet slips makes Shelter Bay Marina at the Panama Canal, the best option to leave your vessel this upcoming Hurricane Season. Our 100-ton travel lift, can haul vessels up to 28 feet wide and 10-foot draft. Our 30-ton crane with 115 feet reach will handle the mast and rigging of your sailboat and our 60-ton hydraulic trailer can move the vessel to the service position of your choice.

Our Chandlery is geared to support the work you require, we have relationships with all local suppliers and the key players in Fort Lauderdale. Panama has exceptional processes to expedite shipping of parts for ships in the canal at very reasonable prices, we use the same system to serve you.

Shelter Bay has been selected to be the Beneteau dealer in Panama. We take this very seriously and will be sending our technicians to specialized training to ensure our service will be second to none.

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South Bank Marina & Boatyard

TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS



Located on the south shore of Providenciales, the Caicos Bank offers a natural barrier to heavy wave action and storm surge. There is an easy approach from offshore through charted shipping channels which offer greater depth than the surrounding banks. At 9' full high tide, South Bank Marina and Boatyard offers the greatest depth entry on the south shore of the island.

A long face dock enables dockage without length restrictions. Due to our convenient location, the Turks and Caicos Islands Marine Police call us home. Our friendly dock master is waiting to receive your vessel and offer fuel, water, ice and a wealth of knowledge about the islands. South Bank Marina and Boatyard operates the only 75 ton Marine Travelift on Providenciales accommodating vessels with up to 25' beam. Our Taylor 20,000lb marine forklift aides stepping masts and hauling twin engine vessels up to 35'. A tractor provides the quickest haul and launch service available to our clients.

The South Bank boatyard crew are well versed in gelcoat matching and patching, large structural fiberglass repairs, bottom jobs and just about anything else your vessel may require to make your ownership experience effortless. Also on site is our certified Yamaha and Honda outboard mechanic shop, capable of servicing all brands of outboard engines. Our ship store carries products from leading brands such as Seahawk, International, Petit, AWLGRIP, Alexseal, Anchor, Seachoice, 3M, Miami Cordage and many more. Whatever we do not carry in stock, we can source for you swiftly. South Bank's on-site machine shop is also equipped for gear and propeller work. South Bank is now a Seakeeper dealer!

Caribbean Marina and Diesel, the local dealer for Yanmar, Cummins, MAN, Onan and others is conveniently located on an adjoining property. Don't miss our latest Caribbean cuisine restaurant, Sail Shades. It is the perfect place to lime the day away.

Whether you're passing through, looking for a safe haven for the hurricane season, or require repairs, South Bank Marina and Shipyard is not only your ideal boat service partner, but also ideally located to experience the islands from the water. Many of the cruisers which visit us, return year after year. Our team of friendly, professional staff will strive to make your experience in the Turks and Caicos unforgettable.



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Spice Island Marine Services

GRENADA, W.I.



Spice Island Marine Services is a full-service insurance approved boatyard located in the Southern Caribbean at 12.007 N 61.765 W. Family owned and operated since 1984, we are known for our friendly and reliable service. Our customers are like family, and we are proud that so many choose to return to store their boats with us year after year.

We can accommodate yachts up to 70 tons, 85 feet long with max. 25 feet beam and max. 13 feet draft for your hauling, storage and repair needs. Our recently completed yard expansion offers increased storage capacity, as well as new docks with 14 Med-Moor style marina slips with 50/60hz power available. We offer complete yacht refurbishing, major fiberglass and gelcoat repairs, Awlgrip paint jobs, osmosis repairs as well as bottom painting, mechanics and electronics. Our welding team receives rave reviews for their meticulous work, and you will spot their solar arrays throughout the bays of Grenada.

Sustainability is a priority, and we have installed new solar panels to offset electrical usage. Customers will also enjoy an expanded Budget Marine chandlery and newly opened restaurant One Love featuring the best pizza and gelato on the island. We have six air-conditioned studio apartments for rent onsite allowing customers the option to kick their feet up while overlooking the yard, complimentary WiFi, token operated laundry, bathroom facilities, dinghy dock access and 24-hour security.

Conveniently located at the head of Prickly Bay, Spice Island Marine is just minutes away from the Maurice Bishop International Airport on the south coast and offers both walkability and transport access to major banks, supermarkets and some of Grenada's best restaurants and beaches.

If you are looking for hurricane storage in 2023, be sure to secure your spot in advance. Drop us a line at simsco@spiceislandmarine.com or call +1.473.444.4257. Visit our website to learn more about our services and rates. We look forward to hearing from you!



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St. Croix Marine Center

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ST. CROIX MARINE CENTER PROVIDES CLEAN, COMFORTABLE FACILITIES IN A FRIENDLY AND WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT. Located on St. Croix, Virgin Islands, it is your friendly, Caribbean boatyard that specializes in sales, restoration, refits and repairs. We strive to provide exceptional service for local fishermen and recreational boaters as well as well-travelled yachtsmen.

St. Croix Marine Center is located in Gallows Bay adjacent to the town of Christiansted and bordering Christiansted Harbor. There's gasoline and diesel available, haul and launch services, shower facilities and an on-site chandlery, which is stocked with parts and supplies, ice, beverages, and snacks. The marina is also walking distance from a store with a large array of gourmet foods, wine and liquor, butcher shop, and buffet style hot food. The full-service boatyard has a 50-ton Travelift capable of lifting monohulls and catamarans up to an 18ft beam. Welding, fiberglass, painting are just some of the services provided by well-trained and experienced marine technicians. The boatyard also offers hurricane season haul-outs.

The marina has transient and permanent dockage slips and 5 mooring balls, capable of accommodating vessels up to 120ft. The marina also has free Wifi with marina-wide coverage. We monitor channel 6 and 16 from 8 am to 4:30 pm Monday to Saturday. Dockage and other services can be arranged by radio. In addition, the futuristic and innovative QE IV ferry that runs between St. Croix and St. Thomas Island is located next door.

St. Croix Marine is also a Mercury Marine dealer/distributor for St. Croix with Mercury Certified Mechanics on staff. If you love your boat, but need more power, better performance, improved fuel efficiency and the newest technologies, it's time to repower your boat at St. Croix Marine with a new Mercury V-8 or V-6 or V-10 outboard. Ranging from 175 to 400 horsepower, these new engines are designed, engineered and built to be small and light and to deliver great hole shot, top speed and fuel efficiency – not to mention amazing reliability. Let us get you a repower and then... **GO BOLDLY!**



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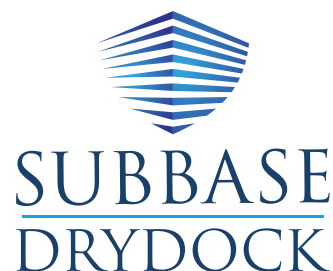
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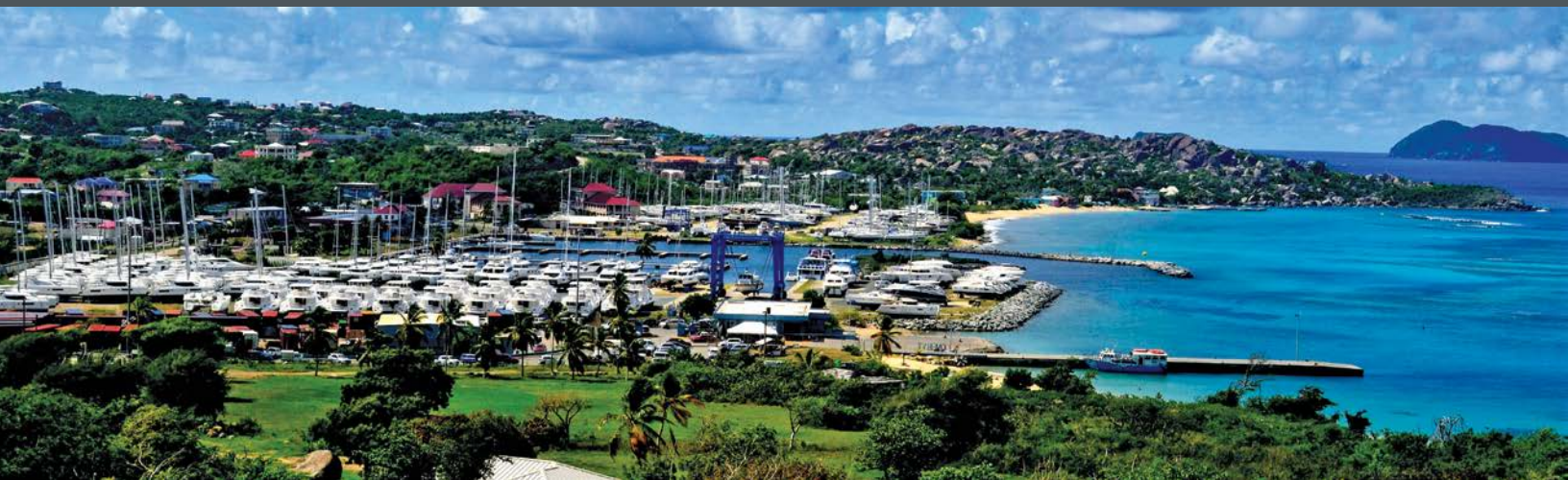
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Virgin Gorda Yacht Harbour

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Virgin Gorda Yacht Harbour is the ideal destination for hurricane season storage in the Northeast Caribbean. Our two large boatyards provide many excellent storage options for vessels up to 9' draft, or 350 metric tonnes.

In addition to our trusted Hurricane Keel Pit service for keelboats, our South Boatyard now offers brand new steel cradles for which will provide extra peace of mind for yacht owners during hurricane season. For any of those bigger tasks that you cannot do yourself, there are several qualified, licensed, and insured sub-contractors available locally who specialize in all manner of shipwrighting, including electronics, rigging, carpentry, and more.

Our North Boatyard boasts the largest hauling capacity in the region, capable of hauling vessels up to 39' beam. Every haul out slip also comes with the option to strap down to helical sand screws, which are an excellent way to ensure the safety of your vessel.

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