# Biscayne Bay Yacht Club

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Website; www.biscaynebayyachtclub.com

**Star Skippers, Crew, and Guests**: The Commodore, Regatta Committee, and Members of the Biscayne Bay Yacht Club welcome you to the 2018 International Star Class Western Hemisphere Championship. We are proud of our historic open air clubhouse and facilities and trust that you will enjoy the club and regatta.

**Location:** BBYC is located on the western waterfront area of Biscayne Bay next door to Coral Reef Yacht Club, and the US Sailing Center to the north and Shake-A-Leg Miami facility to the south. The club is within easy walking distance to grocery stores, restaurants, and several hotels along Bayshore Drive and in the Coconut Grove village.

**Club parking:** The club has a secure gated entrance off Bayshore Drive with blacktop parking for members and limited parking for guests. Registered Star teams with boats stored at BBYC will be allowed a single parking pass and gate code to be used only in designated non-member parking areas. Overnight parking is prohibited.

**Club hours and facilities:** BBYC is open to members and guests Tuesday through Sunday (closed Mondays).

The club bar is open Tuesday thru Sunday from 11 am to closing around 8 pm as customers permit. The galley serves lunch Tuesday through Sunday from 11:30 am to 2:00 pm, and serves a "Pub Night" buffet dinner on the covered outdoor patio on Friday evenings.

Portable rest rooms and showers will be set up for competitors in the blacktop area adjacent to the Star boat storage area. A ladies bathroom is located off the front entrance patio.

**Boat launching and trailer storage:** The club launching facilities consist of two hoists capable of launching Star boats as well as a ramp for launching smaller boats. Star boats and trailers will be stored on the blacktop area near the hoists as well as in marked spaces along the shed drive area. The club will provide tractors during launch and haulout times to move boats from the back storage area as needed. Once launched, Stars should not remain in the boat launch area or in the basin. There will be a BBYC waterfront coordinator during launching and haulout times to direct boat and trailer movement. Please give him your full cooperation as the hoist area will be crowded.

**House Charges:** The Club bar and food service facilities are available to all registered guest skippers and crewmembers on a cash basis. Guest accounts can be set up by completing this registration form and a billing security agreement. A credit card imprint will be made upon registration at the club to insure payment. Billing security agreements will be available at registration.

**Security:** Biscayne Bay Yacht Club does not accept any liability for vehicles, boats, or trailers on the premises, and as such, all guests should take appropriate action to best secure individual personal items. Yacht Club Rules prohibit overnight parking, camping and/or sleeping in vehicles on the club grounds. Club access through the main gate is a responsibility for all visiting guests, and the utmost care should be taken to prevent un-authorized access.

| **Regatta and BBYC contacts:** | **Phone** | **email** |
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| BBYC Regatta Chairman – Bruce Harper | 305-586-0112 | wbruceharpjr@hotmail.com |
| Regatta Registration – Ken Batzer | 954-275-0839 | kenbatzer@aol.com |
| Principal Race Officer – David Brennan | 305-608-8206 | david@redsailltd.com |
| Jury Chairman – Tom Rinda | 727-560-6365 | mercofl@aol.com |
| BBYC Club Manager – Shawn Sumner | 305-858-6303 | shawnsumner@biscaynebayyachtclub.com |

**Coconut Grove Bayshore**

**Coconut Grove area Hotels closest to Biscayne Bay Yacht Club:**

**Mutiny Hotel**
2951 S Bayshore Dr. Miami Florida 33133
(305) 441-2100
www.providentresorts.com/CoconutGrove

**Sonesta Coconut Grove Hotel**
2889 Mcfarlane Rd., **Miami**, FL **33133**
800-881-1523 www.sonesta.com

**Hampton by Hilton Miami Coconut Grove**
2800 SW 28th Terr. Miami FL 33133
(305)-448-2800 www.hamptoninn3.hilton.com

**Residence Inn by Marriot – Coconut Grove**
2835 Tigertail Avenue Coconut Grove, FL 33133
(305) 285-9303 www.Marriott.com/miaco

**Mayfair Hotel & Spa**
3000 Florida Avenue Miami FL 33133
(800)-881 1523 www.mayfairhotelandspa.com

**Additional hotels and other accommodations can be found in the area by searching for Coconut Grove zip code 33133 hotels on various internet search engines (Kayak.com, Hotels.com, Priceline.com, etc.).

**Transportation:**

**Air:** **Miami International (MIA)** is the closest airport about 15-20 minutes (6 miles) from BBYC.
**Ft. Lauderdale International (FLL)** is also used in the area. It is about 45 minutes (30 miles) from Coconut Grove

**Land:** Uber, Taxi and Metrorail services are all available in the area.
All major car rental services are available at the airports.

**Yacht Services:**

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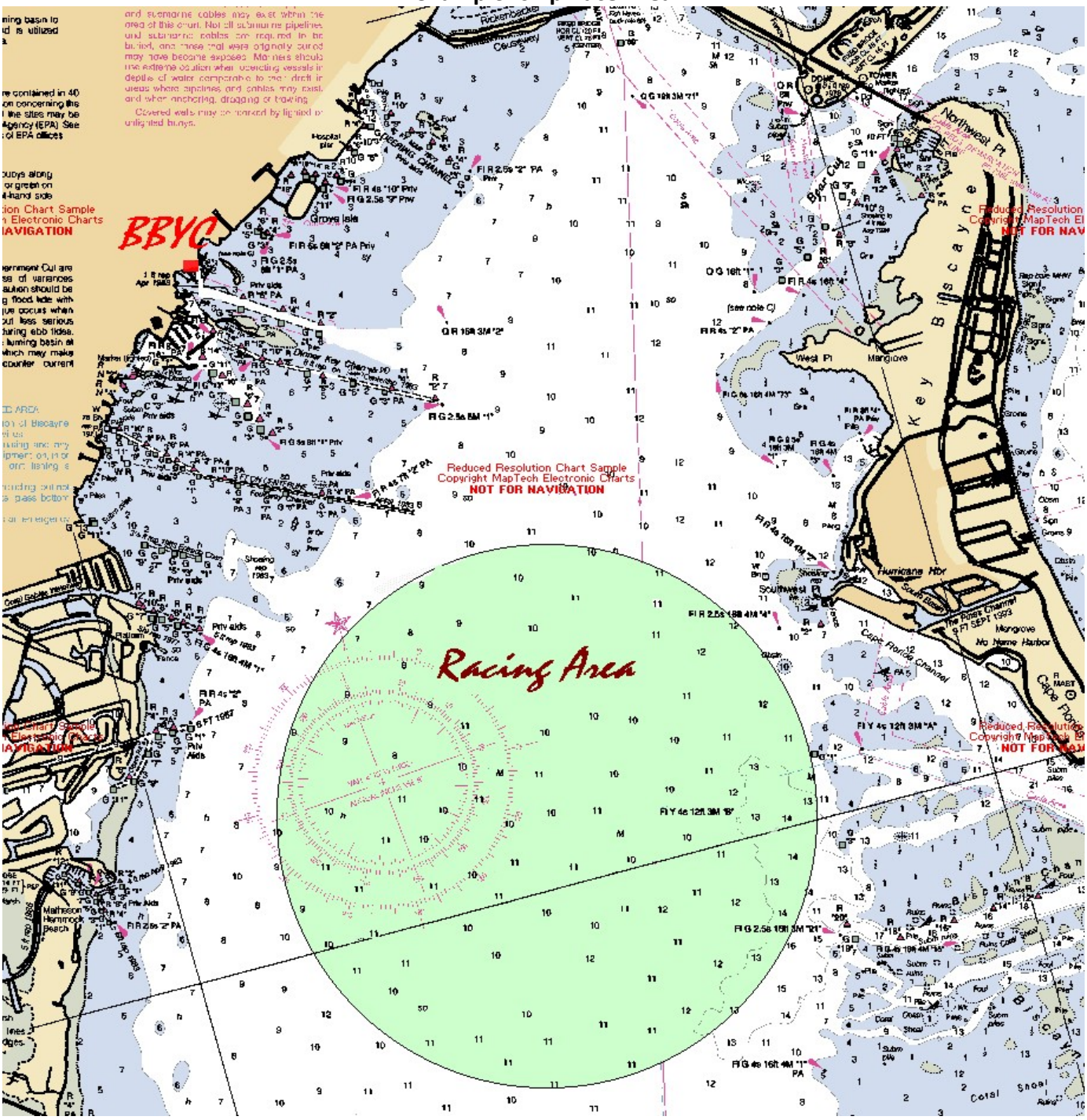
| **Sailmakers:** | North Sails (Ft. Lauderdale) | (954) 522-8840 | Full service loft |
| | Doyle Sails Miami | (305) 649-6001 | Full service loft & canvas |
| | UK Sails Miami | (305) 567-1773 | Full service loft |
| **Rigging:** | EZ Marine (located at BBYC) | (305) 788-4510 | Rigging, fiberglass repair & boat transportation services. |
| | West Marine store | 3635 S Dixie Hwy, Miami, FL 33133 | |
| | Crook & Crook Marine store | 2795 SW 27th Ave, Miami, FL 33133 | |

**Racing area:** The Championship race course will be located in an area 1 to 3 nautical miles SSE of the entrance to the Dinner Key channel marker #1.

**Championship Race Area**