

Island Inn

An Historic Beachfront Resort

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Spring

has arrived and with it all the beautiful migratory birds that flock to our island. It is a great time to be at the Island Inn! There are many new and exciting things happening; from the shelling packages that we now offer to the E-concierge service that only guests of the Island Inn have access to, so be sure to check out page 2 for more details. Protecting the island's wildlife and ecology is something the Island Inn has always been



passionate about. Check out page 3 to see how we have been helping out.

It's important to me that our guests enjoy their time at the Island Inn from the moment they check in to the moment they reluctantly drive away. We're honored to have you as a loyal guest and strive to

provide the best possible experience when you bring your friends and family to visit Sanibel. The sunshine and seashells will be here, and we hope you'll join us, too.

Best Wishes,



Chris Davison
General Manager



ISLAND INN SHIRTS & HATS ARE AVAILABLE NOW

Polo shirts and hats with the exclusive Island Inn logo are now available for purchase! Shirts are \$24-\$29 and come in colors pink, yellow, blue, and green. Men's, women's and children's sizes S, M, L, XL, 2XL. Hats are \$16. If you would like to purchase one please see our front desk staff or call 1-800-851-5088.

WE REALLY LOVE SHELLING

The Island Inn wrapped up its first Shelling Package that took place in early January.

We would like to say **THANK YOU** to all who participated in the first round of our shelling adventures.

January's package featured a private tour of the Bailey Matthews Shell Museum; shelling with expert sheller, Pam Rambo; a shelling cruise to Cayo Costa, special dinners and a shelling goodie bag.



The Island Inn is currently working on putting together more wonderful shelling packages to run throughout the year with three days of fun filled activities.

The first round sold-out in the 3 days, so keep an eye out in your email for the remaining Shelling Packages!



Imagine yourself on the beach on Sanibel – a handful of glittering shells catches the early morning rays, while thousands more gently sweep around your feet. At the end of the day, picture yourself returning to rest and relax in your comfortable and spacious beautiful Gulf view room. You will be able to identify all the shells you have collected because of the expert guidance you have received throughout your stay.

NEW E-CONCIERGE SERVICE IS HERE

We have been working hard to bring you our NEW E-CONCIERGE service!

The E-concierge service was designed with our guests in mind, insuring that you make the most out of your vacation while you are with us.

If you want to set sail on a romantic sunset cruise, rent a bike for a breezy ride, or make reservations at a special restaurant – our e-concierge service can help.

Need directions? We have got you covered!

You must be a current guest

to take advantage of it – of course. At both the time of booking and 4 days before your arrival we will send you a special link and an individual password within your

confirmation letters.

All you have to do is kick back and get into the vacation state of mind!



E- Concierge Service Offers:

- ◆ Order groceries for your room
- ◆ Make dinner reservations
- ◆ Request toothbrushes, extra pillows, etc.
- ◆ Get tickets for movies, excursions, and tours
- ◆ Order pizza
- ◆ Rentals
- ◆ Island Map
- ◆ Much more!



FROM OUR FACEBOOK PAGE WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE ISLAND INN ACTIVITY?

"Doing Nothing" activity!
Steph McGowan - Reading, PA

Checking out the dolphins
in the ocean.
Tom Richards III - West Chester, PA

Eating at Traditions!!
Heather Silbar - Boyne City, Michigan

ISLAND INN HOSTS HOLIDAY BASH FOR TROUPER, THE BLIND RACCOON



Trouper,

the famous Sanibel raccoon, hosted his fun holiday party at the Island Inn on Friday, December 28th. More than 70

people gathered at the Island Inn around the Christmas tree to meet Trouper, hear his story, and learn about the treatment of wildlife. Trouper's caregiver Ms. Dot was on



hand to give demonstrations of his care and answer questions while Kyle Miller, author of Trouper: The True Adventures of a Blind Raccoon, performed a reading. Trouper is a loveable raccoon and an animal ambassador who works very hard throughout the year teaching children and adults about the importance of respecting and protecting all wildlife. For more information on Trouper log on to www.trouperraccoon.com



TAKE A WALK ON THE BEACH WITH SCCF

Come take a walk on the beach at the Island Inn with the Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation (SCCF) on March 5th and 9th. The guided walks will teach beachcombers to identify and learn what the local tides, currents, and winds have left on the beautiful Sanibel beaches. Guiding the walks will be the Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation who is

dedicated to the preservation of coastal habitats and aquatic resources on Sanibel, Captiva and the surrounding watershed. "The conservation of our beaches on Sanibel is very important to the Island Inn and we are proud to host SCCF," said Chris Davison, General Manager at the Island Inn. The Island Inn is set on 10 acres of private beachfront property with a very

low density - perfect for a walk on the beach to find the treasures that nature has to offer. To participate in the guided walks meet your SCCF guide in the parking lot of the Island Inn at 10 a.m. on one of the two dates. This program is free and does not require reservations.



JAZZ NIGHTS ARE BACK AT TRADITIONS ON THE BEACH

Get ready to get down!

Jazz Nights are back at Traditions on the Beach Restaurant, Bar and Lounge.

Every Wednesday night Traditions on the Beach will feature Prime Rib and Prime Jazz for a season full of dining and dancing. Jazz music will be performed by Father Al and the Jazz Congregation, with a few guests along the way including "Mr. Swing," Paul Ventura.

The entrée special, alongside the regular menu, will be Prime Rib, prepared by the talented & renowned Chef Aziz.



Traditions on the Beach is open from 5 p.m. until late, Monday through Sunday. Live entertainment starts at 7 p.m. Call (239) 472 4559 for details and reservations.

www.TraditionsOnTheBeach.com



EXCLUSIVE PROMOTION ALL YEAR ROUND

Our Exclusive Summer Promotion will now last all year long! When you book with us you will receive an Exclusive Promotion Card upon check in that will provide you with discounts at many of the island businesses including, places to eat, places to shop, and things to do. Once you book your stay you can check out all of the offerings through our E-Concierge Service.

THANK YOU for choosing the Island Inn!

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