

A New Day at Monkey Bay

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Monkey Bay Marina is sporting a major face lift after almost a year of new construction, and refurbishments. The star of the show is the brand new workshop 40' x 28' of covered floor space outfitted with waist-high workbenches and tables both 110v and 220v electrical outlets, and lots of brand new tools. The lighting is high and bright which enables cruisers to work on their projects comfortably at night, if they want to do so. This outstanding amenity is available to guests residing at Monkey Bay Marina. A few slips are likely to be available in the winter season, and on into hurricane season, next year, so you might want to check it out. Jim and Kitty, the marina managers, have worked very hard to make Monkey Bay Marina a premium marina, focused on comfort, privacy, security, and the warmth of what they call the Monkey Bay Family. Guests here quickly become friends who enjoy sundowners in the afternoons, pot luck dinners for any occasion offered, TV nights "at home," and helping one another with resources and projects. It is a cohesive community surrounded by beautiful gardens and walkways, and a tranquility not often found elsewhere on the river. Lifetime friendships develop here, and "family members" can always come home. It is a rich and rewarding environment appreciated by all who live here. You are invited to come tour the "new" Monkey Bay Marina and to have a complimentary cold drink from the outdoor kitchen, relax in the "rancho" an outdoor "living room" complete with hammocks, couches, tables & chairs, exercise equipment, and a TV and to visit the beautiful "Casa" that has two buildings, two bathrooms, sleeps 10, and is available for rent through AirBnB (<https://www.airbnb.com/rooms/10721083>). One night in the Casa, plus a home-cooked breakfast the next morning, is being offered on the Silent Auction at the Ram Marina's big fund raiser on December 9th. You don't want to miss this one. Tours are by appointment only. Please call Jim and Kitty at 5368-9604 or email them at harbormaster@monkeybaymarina.com to sign up. Website: <https://monkeybaymarina.com/>