



HAWKS CAY® EXPERIENCE

Charter Fishing at Hawks Cay Marina 2017

Prices do not include gratuity and are subject to change.

OFFSHORE/REEF

Ask about customized Swordfish Trips and Tournament Rates

Tailwalker:

Managing Capt. Dave Shillinger
50' Viking, Max 6 people
 Half Day Reef \$950
 Half Day Mahi-Mahi \$1200
 Full Day Reef \$1600
 Full Day Mahi-Mahi \$1900

War Eagle

Managing Capt. Jim Perry
44' Custom Sunny Briggs, Max 6 people
 Half Day Reef \$950
 Half Day Mahi-Mahi \$1200
 Full Day Reef \$1600
 Full Day Mahi-Mahi \$1900

Two Conchs II:

Managing Capt. Austin Carlson
39' Yellowfin, Max 6 people
 Half Day Reef \$900
 Half Day Mahi-Mahi \$1200
 Full Day Reef \$1500
 Full Day Mahi-Mahi \$1800

Final Final:

Managing Capt. Dave Perry
38' Buddy Davis, Max 6 people
 Half Day Reef \$900
 Half Day Mahi-Mahi \$1050
 Full Day Reef \$1300
 Full Day Mahi-Mahi \$1500

Two Conchs:

Managing Capt. Jack Carlson
36' Yellowfin, Max 6 people
 Half Day Reef \$900
 Half Day Mahi-Mahi \$1200
 Full Day Reef \$1500
 Full Day Mahi-Mahi \$1800

Snapshot:

Managing Capt. George Campbell
35' Seavee, Max 6 people
 Half Day Reef \$800
 Half Day Mahi-Mahi \$950
 Full Day Reef \$1200
 Full Day Mahi-Mahi \$1400

Eagle Eye:

Managing Capt. Dave Perry
26' Regulator, Max 4 people
 Half Day Reef \$750
 Half Day Mahi-Mahi \$850
 Full Day Reef \$1000
 Full Day Mahi-Mahi \$1200

BACKCOUNTRY/FLATS/BAY

Priced for 2 person charters; *Rusty Fly, Tarpon Time, Right On and I'm Hooked* can take a 3rd person for additional \$100. Ask about 4 person Charters.

Rusty Fly:

Capt. Derek Rust
20' Actioncraft or 18' Hells Bay
 Half Day \$500
 Full Day \$750
 4 Hour Live Bait Tarpon (in season) \$500

I'm Hooked:

Managing Capt. Jeff Malone
21' Special Edition Egret Moccasin 210
 Half Day \$500
 Full Day \$750
 4 Hour Live Bait Tarpon (in season) \$500

Tarpon Time:

Capt. Jeff Malone
21' Special Edition Egret Moccasin 210
 Half Day \$500
 Full Day \$750
 4 Hour Live Bait Tarpon (in season) \$500

Right On:

Capt. Mike O'Dell
23' Skeeter Bayboat
 Half Day \$500
 Full Day \$750
 4 Hour Live Bait Tarpon (in season) \$500

Saltwater Experience:

Capt. Anthony Vargas
24' Yellowfin Bay Boat, Max 4 people
 Half Day \$650
 Full Day Everglades, Gulf Wreck \$950
 4 Hour Live Bait Tarpon (in season) \$650



Offshore/Reef Fishing

Water depths drop dramatically once boats venture beyond the main coral reef that parallels the Keys on the Atlantic side. Sportfishing boats fish anywhere from just beyond the reef, where winter months bring a wealth of kingfish and spectacular sailfish, to twenty-five to thirty miles out, where dolphin (mahi mahi) roam in the spring and summer.

Accessible from Hawks Cay on full day charters are the Humps, unique areas of sudden uprising on the ocean floor which cause nutrient upwelling that attracts bait fish which, in turn, attract big predators. Here, anglers battle slammer dolphin in spring and summer, tuna in the late winter and spring. Marlin may cruise these areas feeding on dolphin in season. Big amberjacks and sharks offer another challenge. Ask about Custom Swordfish Charters, the latest big fish option in the Keys.

If you prefer anchoring up and bottom fishing, our sportfishing boats offer reef and wreck fishing. The reef is only three or four miles offshore of Duck Key, so a half-day charter to the reef offers lots of fishing time after a short run. Anglers can battle feisty snapper and tenacious grouper, both of which provide delicious meals when the fishing is done. If catch and release is your thing, the reef offers sport species like sharks and barracuda.

We have both Sportfish and Center Console boats in Offshore/Reef charter fleet. The **Tailwalker, Final Final,** and **War Eagle** are full cabin sportfish boats with air-conditioned cabins. The **Snapshot, Two Conchs, and Two Conchs II** are center console boats. Each of these boats takes a maximum of 6 people. The **Eagle Eye** is a center console that takes up to 4 people. *Other boats are available on an on-call basis, allowing us to accommodate large groups.*

Flats and Backcountry

The vast amounts of shallow water on ocean side flats and on banks and flats throughout Florida Bay and the Everglades Park provide anglers with the unique experience of Keys flats and backcountry fishing.

Flats fishing with either fly gear or light spinning gear combines the experience of hunting and fishing, as you actually stalk and then cast to spectacular sport species like bonefish, permit and tarpon, often in water as shallow as a foot deep. Bonefish and permit provide long lightning-fast runs and tarpon offer leaps to amaze and challenge any angler. Full-day charters can get you to the Everglades Park where redfish and snook add to the possibilities.

If you prefer the action of general backcountry fishing, Florida Bay offers trout, sharks, barracuda, jacks and snapper. Introduce young anglers to shallow water fishing and enjoy the sights and the varied wildlife the backcountry offers.

Large tarpon ranging to over one hundred pounds migrate through the Keys each spring and early summer. Live bait trips, particularly around dusk, offer many anglers the best chance to do battle with the Giant Silver King. Beware: Tarpon season is very popular! Call ahead for your best booking opportunities. To allow more anglers to take advantage of tarpon and other spring backcountry species, our backcountry guides offer three four hour trips daily in spring and early summer.

The **Rusty Fly, Tarpon Time, I'm Hooked, Right On, and Saltwater Experience** are shallow draft boats designed especially for flats and backcountry waters. Powered by fast outboards to get you to the fish, these shallow draft boats can be moved quietly by push-pole or trolling motor through "skinny water" once the engine is turned off. Moving quietly through shallow water, anglers see a wide variety of bird and sea life while fishing.

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