SAIL FROM ABACO TO FLORIDA!

July 18th-26th, 2026 – \$5,400 USD per double occupancy cabin

ONLY \$4,320 WITH BOAT SHOW DISCOUNT

Plus 14% Bahamian Port Tax

Join us for a **9 DAY ADVENTURE**, sailing through Abaco's most remote out islands, culminating in an unforgettable overnight passage across the Gulf Stream to Central Florida! This exclusive adventure is designed for sailors with basic experience, eager to refine their abilities and embrace the thrill of blue water cruising. Imagine spending your days sailing through crystal-clear turquoise waters, discovering secluded anchorages, pristine beaches, and vibrant marine life, all while practicing advanced sailing techniques, navigation, anchoring, and seamanship. Our experienced Captains and Instructor will guide you through every aspect of life aboard, fostering a collaborative learning environment in a supportive and relaxed atmosphere. After enjoying the islands, you'll embark on an overnight passage across the Gulf Stream, completing your journey to Central Florida. This exhilarating journey will test your mettle and leave you with invaluable experience, all shared with fellow sailing enthusiasts, building camaraderie and lasting memories. Whether you're looking to log sea miles, enhance your sailing resume, or simply enjoy a spectacular week of cruising in paradise, this is your opportunity to build confidence, master new skills, and create the sailing story of a lifetime!

<u>What's Included</u>: 9 *DAYS 8 NIGHTS ABOARD*, captain and sailing instructor, provisions, fuel, water, and linens.

Not included: transportation to and from vessel, alcoholic beverages, and meals ashore.

Alcohol is permitted ONLY when we are anchored, on a dock, or moored for the day.
NO ALCOHOL IS PERMITTED WHILE UNDERWAY

Fly to: Lynard M Thomson Airport (MHH) in Marsh Harbour Abaco.

Taxi to: Jib Room Restaurant and Marsh Harbour Marina

Closest airport to depart from: Orlando International Airport (MCO) in Orlando Florida.

Sample Daily Agenda

08:00 - Individual morning time

09:00 – Crew meeting

(plan the day's activities, check weather, chart route, etc.)

09:30 - Up anchor & get underway

12:00 – Stop for lunch or afternoon adventure

14:00 – Sail to anchorage

16:00 – Anchors down, time to relax and enjoy a new island

18:00 - Crew dinner onboard

Tentative Schedule

July 18th - Arrival Day

Arrive in Marsh Harbour Abaco and take a 15-minute taxi to Jib Room and Marsh Harbour Marina to board our vessel. Brief boat tour and get settled into cabins. There will be snacks onboard, but lunch is on your own. We will have reservations for a crew dinner ashore.

July 19th - Departure Day

09:00 Orientation 10:00 Get underway!

On the first day, the crew will get familiar with all boat systems, go over safety procedures, assign crew "duties", and chart the sailing course for the day. The main goal for the day is to get everyone comfortable with the vessel.

June 20th-23th - Island Hopping Sailing Days

These 4 days sailing through the out islands will generally follow our Sample Daily Agenda. Every day is subject to change due to weather. It is also possible that our crossing day could be moved forward, and some of these sailing days would be in Florida.

Every day the crew will chart our course and plan the day's activities together. There will also be time dedicated to sail training, safety drills, and preparing crew for our offshore passage. Each anchorage will have unique features and things to do. Activities could include beach walks, snorkeling, spear fishing, island trail "hikes", and visiting stingrays and other wildlife. There will be one planned dinner ashore during these days.

Tentative Float Plan: Manjack Cay, Powell Cay, Allans Pensacola, and Double Breasted Cays, and Grand Cay.

July 24th - Crossing Day

07:00 Crew Meeting08:00 Get Underway (24 hours of sailing)

Crossing Day is not a training day, it is a day to enjoy the peace of open ocean and to hone in on your skills. Every crew member will be responsible to take one watch during the day and one at night with their "watch buddy".

June 25th - Arrival Day

We should arrive to the dock around 24 hours from when we left Abaco. Once we arrive, crew will help settle our vessel into her slip, then enjoy a successful crossing! We will do a Crew Dinner out this night.

July 26th - Departure Day

The crew's final morning onboard. Your transportation should be scheduled for this day. We ask that you depart the boat by noon but let us know if you have any special requests.



Packing List

Toiletries

- Bathroom essentials
- Sunscreen
- Bug spray
- Band aids
- Necessary prescription medicine

Foul weather gear

You should expect daily summer showers this time of year. They do not typically last long, but rain gear will probably get used!

Clothing

- Comfortable clothes for sailing
- Swimwear
- Sun shirts
- Hat
- Sunglasses
- Light jacket for evenings

Footwear

Onboard you can choose whether to wear shoes or not. If you choose to wear shoes onboard, please make sure they are a light-colored sole so they do not mark the deck. You might want a pair of sandals to wear on island excursions around the water.

Miscellaneous *OPTIONAL*

- Books
- Games
- Fishing gear if you want to use it
- Snorkel gear
- Type V PFD (we have harnesses/tethers for night watch and required Type I PFDs)