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## Jimmy Buffett & The Coral Reefer Band Ring In The New Year in Nashville With Huey Lewis & The News



Buffettnews.com - January 1st, 2018:

Jimmy Buffett and the Coral Reefer Band performed on New Years Eve at the Bridgestone Arena in Nashville TN. The last time they played on New Years Eve was back on 12/31/2015 at the Barclays Center in Brooklyn NY.

Some of the highlights from the show included "Fins" (with Huey Lewis on harmonica), "Margaritaville" (with Frank Marshall on guitar), "Last Mango In Paris / La Vie Dansante", "Auld Lang Syne", and a cover of Warren Zevon's "Lawyers, Guns and Money".

Caroline Jones performed "Bare Foot" and added vocals on "Come Monday" and "Trip Around the Sun".

During the show Huey Lewis said he will be performing at Fenway Park in Boston in 2018 with Jimmy Buffett.

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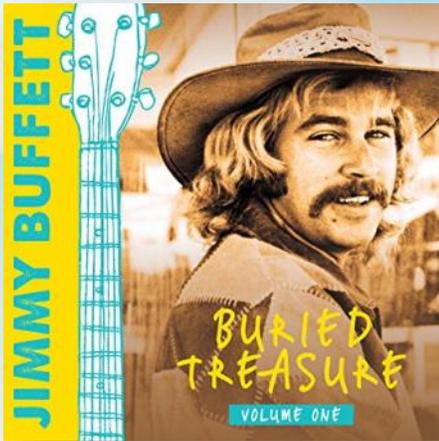
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# *Jimmy Buffett's Buried Treasure Lives Up To It's Name.*

Book Review by Jeff Johncox

It's always fascinating to see where someone who's made it big has come from. Maybe there's a part of us hoping it's a road map, a guide to help us understand how we, too, could hit the big time if we just had the right breaks and the right work ethic.

Who knows?

Jimmy Buffett's newest collection, *Buried Treasure - Vol. 1*, gives Parrot Heads and completionists plenty to salivate over, sure. But it is also a collection for those just curious to see the professional beginnings of one of the world's most popular singer/songwriters.

*Buried Treasure* is a collection 50 years in the making. It chronicles Buffett's return to his hometown of Mobile, Ala., after spending a few years playing clubs on Bourbon St. in New Orleans.

The collection consists of 11 songs, all with accompanying introductions and narrations. Buffett does most of the narration himself (and you can follow along in an included booklet that gives both a transcript of the narration and lyrics for each song), though his former bandmate, Rick Bennett, paints a wonderful picture of how he and a young Jimmy tore up Bourbon St. while dressed as Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band (the booklet includes some great photos, too). These are songs Parrot Heads have never heard before, or if they have, it was either a long time ago or on some really rare bootleg.

Many of the songs are not high quality. And if that's what you're looking for - a remastered, perfectly-calibrated collection of hits - this isn't the place. *Buried Treasure* is more of a historical find, an autobiographical study into how someone finding himself in his early 20s turned into one of the world's great musical successes.

The collection was found by former Buffett collaborator Travis Turk, who originally produced them in 1969. When Nashville producer Buzz Cason (who gave Buffett his first recording contract) sold his Creative Workshop to John and Martina McBride, Turk discovered these old, early Buffett recordings - over 100 songs. Though this first volume of *Buried Treasure* only has 11 tracks, Buffett promised there is more to come.

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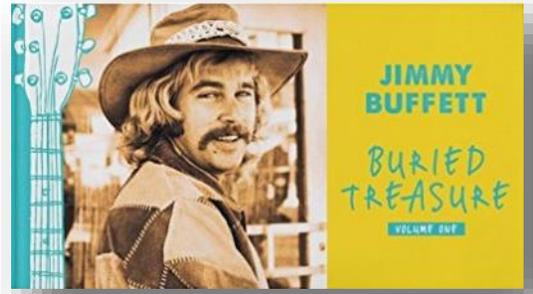


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### The songs:

Buffett first introduces one of his old, club favorites - *Don't Bring Me Candy*. The song is a bit teeny-bop, and it is the perfect example of what this collection provides: Historical context. *Don't Bring Me Candy* is pedestrian, simple and sounds exactly like what you'd expect a 20-something acoustic guitar player to perform in a club in the 60s. But it's also definitively Buffett. You hear the seeds that would later grow into his patented, Gulf Coast sound.



*The Circle is Small* is another Gordon Lightfoot-inspired folk ballad, this one is a cynical look at an open relationship that is only open on one side. Again, not the best lyrics or music, but the songwriting is remarkably mature for someone Buffett's age, and you can hear a more mature Buffett in there, somewhere.

The third track, *Abandoned on Tuesday*, is remarkably good. And what's really neat is, the opening chord sequence and rhythm is very, very similar to the opening of Buffett's biggest hit, *Margaritaville*. No joke. It's really close. This track is a giant step forward in Buffett's songwriting and musical ability.

*I Can't Be Your Hero Today* is a bit of a jumble of mixed metaphors, lyrically, but it's a nice, soft, little folk ballad that showcases Buffett's earnestness. It's sweet and melodic, and another piece of the larger puzzle. A version of this song was also on Buffett's first album, *Down to Earth* (1970), and also included in the album's 1998 re-release (Turk produced that album and Cason sang back-up vocals).

*Rickety Lane*, the fifth song and 10th track, is a major transition for Buffett. This is the first one we've heard in this collection that isn't about him. As Buffett fell more and more in love with the Beatles, he became more of a storyteller. He admits in the preceding narration that he had never been to London, had no idea if London had a *Rickety Lane*, but that he wanted to write a story about this little street in the big city so far away from Mobile. It's a neat, naive little ditty that is an important step in Buffett's musical and songwriting journey.

*The Wino Has Something to Say* is another storytelling song, and as Buffett points out in the narration, it was an inspiration for future ballads like *A Pirate Looks at 40* and *He Went to Paris*.

Buffett includes a live cover of the Mamas and the Papas' hit *California Dreamin'* that he performed in front of the contestants of the America's Junior Miss Pageant. His manager had hooked him up with the gig to play for the contestants at their pre-pageant breakfast. The young ladies sing back-up for Buffett during the song.

*The Gypsy* is an interesting track because it cuts out midway through. Buffett includes it because it's indicative of the storytelling and Beatles-influenced style he picked up on Bourbon St. The lyrics are some of the best in the collection, though the song is clunky in its delivery. It would be neat to hear a full version played, to see exactly how it ends up.

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*Hopelessly Gone* is a beautiful, inspiring song that deserves to be re-produced by Jimmy in a modern album. The lyrics are mature and thoughtful. It's one of the better songs on the album, and it shows definitive growth in Buffett as a songwriter.



*Simple Pleasures* is a wonderful song, and could become a Buffett favorite for Parrot Heads. It's the best-produced song on the album, and as Buffett describes in the narration, it's heavily influenced by Fred Neil's blockbuster song *Everybody's Talkin'* - which was covered famously by Harry Nilsson in the film *Midnight Cowboy*. *Simple Pleasures* is beautiful. It's Buffett as you've never heard him, but it also includes hints of familiarity, of early Buffett from *Down to Earth* and *A White Sport Coat* and *a Pink Crustacean*. So, fans who particularly like those 70s Buffett albums will definitely appreciate *Simple Pleasures*, and this entire *Buried Treasure* collection.

*Close the World at Five* is another storytelling step forward for Buffett's songwriting. It's an ode to quitting time, around the world. It's a simple song, but a fitting closure to this collection.

*Buried Treasure - Vol. 1*, is a wonderful musical journey. While Buffett's narration isn't always perfect, and the songs aren't always the best quality, *Buried Treasure* is a fascinating historical journey that is not just for Parrot Heads. If you're a fan of music, or you're a fan of music history, *Buried Treasure* is a perfect addition to your collection.

It's reminiscent of Bowie's *Davy Jones* albums, or the first *Velvet Underground* recordings. No, they aren't always the best quality, but the artists they would become are in those songs, hidden and trying very hard to claw their way out. *New Orleans* and *Mobile* were the cocoons in which a young, naive Jimmy Buffett transformed into the fun-loving, margarita-drinking, flip-flop-wearing Gulf pirate rocker the world knows and loves.

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### Walk To End Multiple Sclerosis is Saturday, April 7th at The Great Park in Irvine

Multiple Sclerosis is a horrible disease and The OCPHC walks every year to help find an end to MS. This year, the walk will be at The Great Park in Irvine on Saturday, April 7th. Register for the walk on our website, [ocphc.org](http://ocphc.org). We raise a lot of money and have a lot of fun at this event. Look for information about a gathering after the walk.



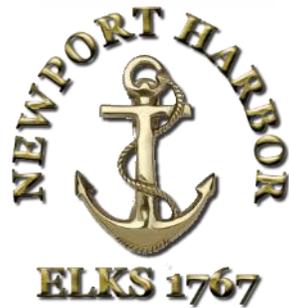
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# OCPHC Holiday Party Photos

Newport Harbor Elks Lodge and Heartland Music contribute to Holiday Hi-jinks



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# Holiday Party Raffle Winners



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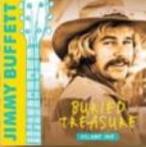


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# Upcoming Events and Club Happenings

**HAPPY NEW YEAR  
JANUARY 2018 PHLOCKING**  
**Saturday, Jan 20th—1pm to 5pm**

Join The OCPHC as we kick off our 24th Year of Partying With a Purpose!  
Bring "he" type liquid Laundry Detergent & Dryer Sheets to Donate to The OCRMDH  
Bring a \$10.00 gift card and participate in our Gift Card Raffle  
Enjoy Great Tropical Tunes, Boat Drinks and Cheeseburgers in Paradise.  
Learn About All of The Parrot Head Events That Are Planned for 2018.  
Special entry drawing for a copy of Jimmy Buffett's Buried Treasure.

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**Saturday, February 17th February Phlocking at Heroes & Legends**  
in Lake Forest 1pm to 5pm - Jerry Gontang is Performing

**Sunday, March 11th - Joint Phlocking with The LAPHC @ Margaritaville**  
Los Angeles, 1pm to 5pm —Southern Drawl Band Concert - info to come.

**Saturday, April 7th - Walk To End Multiple Sclerosis**  
Great Park in Irvine, CA. Sign up to walk on our Website.

**Sunday, April 8th - O.C. Ronald McDonald Walk**  
Volunteer Opportunity to Hand Out Water Bottles.  
Contact A.J. to volunteer - landshrakaj@aol.com

**Saturday, April 21st - Pub Crawl with The SDPHC**  
in San Diego - Paradise Lounge. Info to follow...

***Details on all of our events will be posted on [ocphc.org](http://ocphc.org)***



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# Holiday Volunteering For Those In Need

OCPHC Members Volunteer Their Time Over The Holidays For The Boys & Girls Club of Anaheim, The Orange County Ronald McDonald House and The Orange County Sheriff's Department.



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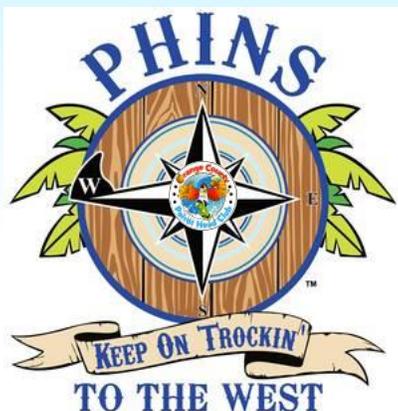
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# Phins To The West 2018

## June 7th—9th in Mesquite Nevada



You will want to "Phlock This Way" to Phins To The West 2018 at the Beautiful Casablanca Resort in Mesquite NV June 7 - 9. We have a musical line up that is outstanding! The evenings in the Fabulous Showroom will keep you on the dancefloor All Night Long! Check out the Silent Auction and the Vendors area for some wonderful items you Can't Live Without! Spend your day's in the Awesome pool enjoying a cool drink and Marvelous entertainment!

SO PHLOCK THIS WAY to Phins To The West 2018.

Register SOON so you Don't Miss Out! Registration will be Capped at 400!

Register at [phinstothewest.com](http://phinstothewest.com). Party Package Registration \$150.00 each. Single Rate 3-Days \$435.00. Double Rate 3-Days \$585.00.

Some of the entertainment already scheduled... Stars On The Water, Southern Drawl Band, Jimmy & The Parrots, Jerry Gontang, John Friday, Bob Karwin, Jimmy Parrish and Donald James. More to come...



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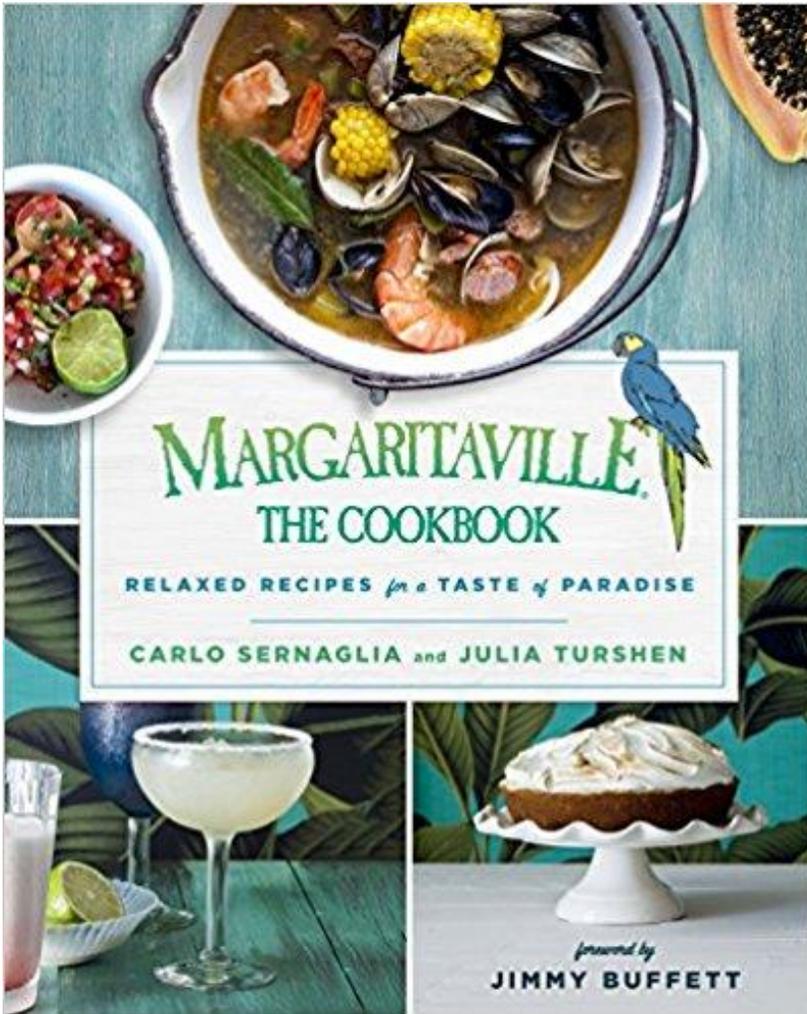


# Boats, Beaches, Bars & Ballads

## New Release Books & Music

I wish that we could sit upon a bed in some hotel, and listen to the stories it could tell.

Jimmy Buffett



Warm sun, cool drink, and nowhere to be—that's Margaritaville! It's a celebration of relaxation and an invitation to enjoy good food and good company. *Margaritaville: The Cookbook* is filled with recipes that bring the flavor of island living and the spirit of Jimmy Buffett's iconic song straight into your home.

The first ever cookbook from the beloved world of Margaritaville features laid-back favorites like the explosively good Volcano Nachos and the heaven-on-earth-with-an-onion-slice Cheeseburger in Paradise, alongside more sophisticated options that will wow your guests (Coho Salmon in Lemongrass-Miso Broth, anyone?). With its combination of recipes, stories, and gorgeous full color food and lifestyle photographs throughout, it is sure to put you in a Margaritaville state of mind!

*Margaritaville* isn't confined to a single spot on the map -- the recipes draw inspiration from around the world, from Jerk Chicken to Tuna Poke with Plantain Chips and Jimmy's Jammin' Jambalaya. And we've got you all covered, from family-friendly Aloha Hotdogs

to drool-worthy Vegetarian Burgers.

It's 5 o'clock somewhere and no vacation is complete without a cocktail—preferably a margarita, of course! *Margaritaville: The Cookbook* is loaded with drink recipes to inspire your blissful island cocktail hour—from Jimmy's Perfect Margarita and Paradise Palomas to Cajun Bloody Mary's and the quintessential Key West Coconut and Lime Frozen Margarita.



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# Escape To Margaritaville Heading To Broadway Buffett Hands Out Cheeseburgers to Ticket buyers



**December 8th, 2017 - PlayBill.com:**

Jimmy Buffett took to the streets of New York City on December 8 to help open the box office for his musical *Escape to Margaritaville* at Broadway's Marquis Theatre. Buffett was handing out free cheeseburgers to theatre-goers and passersby—a nod to his song "Cheeseburger in Paradise."

"As part of *Escape to Margaritaville*'s ongoing hurricane relief efforts, \$5 from every ticket purchase made at the box office on December 8th was donated to One America Appeal, a non-profit organization founded by all five living former U.S. Presidents to aid hurricane victims in the U.S. and in the Caribbean. To date, the show has raised more than \$110,000 for hurricane relief.

Following its pre-Broadway tour, the new musical will begin previews February 16, 2018, prior to an official opening March 15 at the Marquis Theater.

## Mac McAnally Suffers a Heart Attack in November 2017. Has Returned to Touring With Jimmy Buffett

**Nov 20th 2007—Taste of Country On Line:**

Mac McAnally, who recently won his ninth CMA Musician of the Year award had a heart attack on Nov. 13th, which forced him to cancel a few appearances with Jimmy Buffett, Toby Keith, Kenny Chesney and Jake Owen.

"Mac is doing well," publicist Elaine Schock of Shock Ink tells *Taste of Country*. "He was released from the hospital last week and is planning to resume work soon." McAnally is a singer, songwriter and session musician in Nashville and also a member of Jimmy Buffett's band the Coral Reefers. Following Mac's heart attack, Buffett shared details with fans via Facebook. "OK, by now, most folks have heard about Mac's heart attack, which was a little more serious than a Big Mac attack," Buffett writes. "He is fine now and stable and should leave the hospital tomorrow, which is great news for all of us. Sadly he will not make the hurricane benefit this Sunday in Tallahassee."

McAnally is tied with Chet Atkins for the number of Musician of the Year trophies. He is also a member of the Nashville Songwriters Hall of Fame — he has penned hits for Alabama ("Old Flame"), Kenny Chesney ("Down the Road," "Back Where I Come From"), Shenandoah ("Two Dozen Roses") and Sawyer Brown ("Thank God for You," "All These Years") among many, many others. Mac issued a video of thanks to his fans on social media and as of this article, Mac is back on the road and touring with The Coral Reefer Band.





## 2018 I Don't Know Tour Dates Announced

March 30th Royal Farms Arena Baltimore, MD

March 31st John Paul Jones Arena Charlottesville, VA

April 6th North Charleston Coliseum Charleston, SC

April 7th PNC Music Pavilion Charlotte, NC

April 14th Camping World Stadium w/ The Eagles Orlando, FL

April 17th Verizon Amphitheatre Atlanta, GA

April 21st Hard Rock Stadium w/ The Eagles Miami, FL

June 28th Coors Field w/ The Eagles Denver, CO

June 30th Target Field w/ The Eagles Minneapolis, MN

September 26th, 28th, 29th La Cigale Paris France

As of January 19th, 2018 - Check [OCPHC.org](http://OCPHC.org) for the latest tour dates



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# Wanna Get Away?

## Check Out These Lovely Cruises

### Five O'Clock Somewhere Cruise—7 Night Western Caribbean Cruise Featuring Coral Reefers, Nadira Shakoor and TC Mitchell Feb 11th—18th 2018

Hop aboard The Norwegian GetAway and you will enter Margaritaville At Sea. Enjoy the Five O'Clock Somewhere Bar At Sea, Landshark Bar and Grill at Harvest Caye, and Margaritaville Cozumel. Who could ask for more? Spend the week with other parrot heads and their families. Special events just for the parrot head cruisers, including dance parties, games and private concerts. Discover ancient civilizations, tales of buccaneering and tropical beauty on your 7-Day cruise. Depart from sunny Miami and snorkel the deep blue sea off the coast of Roatán. Soak up some sun in Harvest Caye, new island stop in Belize. Costa Maya is where you can explore a mysterious pre-Colombian Mayan ruins. And learn to kayak in Cozumel. Get ready for an amazing adventure in the Western Caribbean. More information at [fiveoclockcruise.com](http://fiveoclockcruise.com).



### April 14th—20th 2018—6 Days Aboard The Norwegian Escape

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# Celebrating Our Members Trips Around the Sun!

*No you never see it comin', Always wind up wonderin'  
where it went. Only time will tell if it was time well spent...  
Just one more candle and a trip around the sun.*



Jimmy Buffett

## January Birthdays

Joe Chochrek  
Heide Thomas  
Danni Repper  
Juliet Pinedo  
Scott Rogers  
Joie Gutierrez  
Cindy Jaros  
Doug Green

## February Birthdays

David Munday  
Dave Eastman  
Tammy Morehouse  
Mette Rassmussen  
Sandy Siewko  
Ben Vasquez  
Dianne Mahfood  
Cathy McGough  
Robin Fayette  
Mark Dinsdale  
Charlie Buck

## March Birthdays

Jim Barthelmess  
Ron Birek  
Keith Curry  
Chris Mennes  
Hillary Papirio  
Debi Stephens  
Cathy Dube  
Bonnie Stephens  
Scott Sperber  
Stacie Oakley  
Doug Mullen  
Paul Kollar  
Amy Kant  
Gary Fayette  
Jim Buck  
Gabriella Whaley



## GREEN IGUANA

### Ingredients:

- 1 1/2 oz. Margaritaville® Gold Tequila
- 3 oz. Melon Liqueur
- 6 oz. Margaritaville® Margarita Mix
- Ice

### Directions:

Fill ice reservoir with ice. Pour ingredients in glass jar. Concoct until smooth. Rim Margarita glass with salt. Pour into a Margarita glass and enjoy. Makes 2-3 drinks.





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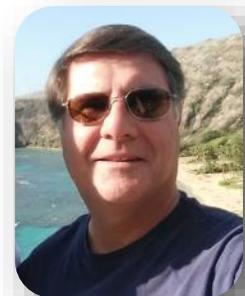
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# Orange County Parrot Head Club Join Our Phlock!

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## It's Membership Time Again—Renew Your Membership Today!

It's time to renew your annual OCPHC Membership for 2018. Take the time to go to [ocphc.org](http://ocphc.org), click on the Our Phlock tab and renew your membership. Club Memberships are \$35.00 for an individual, \$45.00 for a couple and \$50.00 for a family. Your membership includes access to all OCPHC events, a club lanyard, a National Membership to Parrot Heads in Paradise, a subscription to the award winning One Particular Newsletter and special pre-sale club concert and event ticket opportunities. This is the best entertainment value you can find.

Join your club for another exciting year in Parrot Head Nation while we Party With a Purpose!



Join your fellow OCPHC club members in Key West at Meeting of The Minds.

## *We Are The People Our Parents Warned Us About 2018 MOTM Registration is Now Open*

Meeting of The Minds is the PHIP Officially Sanctioned Annual Parrot Head Convention. The 2018 Meeting of the Minds is being held in Key West Florida at The Casa Marina Resort, October 31st thru November 4th. Registration is now open and is \$90.00 per person. Registration includes a t-shirt, goody bag and admittance to all events during the convention. Your club registration must be current to attend MOTM. If you are planning to go, make sure that your club membership is current. Information on MOTM registration and reserving a room at The Casa Marina Resort is available on [www.phip.com](http://www.phip.com). Admittance is limited so register as soon as possible. Fins Up!

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