



# WINTERFEST

BOAT PARADE

Neon Nightlife  
Under The Sea



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE



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EVERYBODY UNDER THE SUN

## The Tradition Continues... With a new logo look and theme for WINTERFEST® 2022



Winterfest's® new corporate logo will be unveiled to the public during this year's Parade.

Are you ready for the 12-mile Holiday Block Party on Saturday, December 10th? We are excited to invite our community, visitors, television and online audiences to celebrate the holidays, in South Florida's unique style; with boats as Parade floats. The Winterfest® organization, producers of the Seminole Hard Rock Winterfest® Boat Parade, celebrates 51 years with a new logo and additional live entertainment within this heart-warming family tradition. Starting in Fort Lauderdale's Downtown area on the New River, up to Lake Santa Barbara on the Intracoastal Waterway in Pompano Beach, this is the biggest holiday event in Broward County. Each year there is a unique new theme, capturing and highlighting the magic of the area and event. When you combine South Florida's nautical beauty with its electrifying energy; our theme says it all "Neon Nightlife Under the Sea." We encourage everyone to participate and bring this holiday tradition to life with lighted decorations from paddleboarders, kayakers, fishing boats, pontoons, barges, and mega yachts. If you are viewing along the Parade route, we encourage you to decorate your home or business. Our Parade participants will enjoy your efforts and you might get a shout out from our Grand Marshals. Don't own a boat or live in the area? You can enjoy the show from a variety of locations along the route as well as our organized viewing location on the Intracoastal.

Don't miss out! Enter your boat, purchase tickets or become a partner.

**Happy Holidays!**  
**See you at the Parade.**

Winterfest Team



Winterfest Team: Kathy Keleher, Chairman of the Board Mark Swenson, Dawn Diehl and Lisa Scott-Founds

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*"The World's Most Watched Boat Parade" captivates over 1 million spectators annually.*  
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THE GUITAR HOTEL®



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"The Seminole Hard Rock Winterfest® Boat Parade is a spectacular, time-honored tradition for Greater Fort Lauderdale's spirited coastal culture – where we celebrate everything on our scenic waterways. In its 51st year, it continuously ranks as one of the world's top boat parades and is considered a holiday treasure for both locals and visitors. Every year, the grand caravan of illuminated boats are more festive and captivating than ever before."

*Stacy Ritter*  
Stacy Ritter,  
President and CEO, Visit Lauderdale



"It's the perfect venue for families and friends to come together. It's also a great opportunity for local businesses to welcome the hundreds of thousands of people who come here to watch the Parade and stay to celebrate. The Seminole

Hard Rock Winterfest® Boat Parade showcases Broward County's diversity, community, and culture. Happy Holidays to all!"

*Michael Udine*  
Michael Udine  
Broward County Commission



"The Seminole Hard Rock Winterfest Boat Parade is a wonderful start to the holiday season, a magical event that is fun for the entire family. For more than half a century, the Boat Parade has wowed millions of residents and visitors alike with

spectacular illumination, colorful pageantry and festively decorated boats all along Fort Lauderdale's amazing waterways. The Boat Parade showcases the best of our community to the world. Nowhere has a more unique holiday event than Fort Lauderdale's. Please join us on the water or along the shore to celebrate the holidays and be a part of this truly remarkable tradition."

*Dean Trantalis*  
Dean Trantalis,  
Mayor, City of Ft. Lauderdale

# HERE ARE A FEW OF THE PARADE SHOWSTOPPERS COMING TO SOUTH FLORIDA'S WATERWAYS ON DECEMBER 10, 2022



OFFICIAL BANK OF WINTERFEST  
**Grand Marshal Showboat**  
FIFTH THIRD BANK



**Freedom Waters Entry on board Water Taxi**



**Winterfest® Neon Nightlife Under the Sea "Octopus Garden" show float**



**RNDC**  
Republic National Distributing Company Holiday Cheer Entry



**Blue Foot Pirate Tours with Florida Renaissance Festival**



**H-PROOF®**

**Rudolph in the Parade Sing-along entry**



**Karaoke Show Float**



**AQUA FLIGHT**  
Aqua-Flight fire show



**FLCT**  
FLORIDA CHILDREN'S THEATRE  
**Florida Children's Theatre boat**



**New Country Duo Tigirlily on board Breezy Tiki**

# WINTERFEST® FREE FAMILY FUN DAY

PRESENTED BY



**Joe DiMaggio  
Children's Hospital®**



**NOVEMBER 20TH FROM 10 A.M. - 3 P.M.**

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**EXCITING FREE ACTIVITIES**



- Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Face Painting, Balloon Art, Bounce Houses
- Stoked on Salt Ocean Conservation Village
- Experience Catabella Express Train, Polar Express
- Free bicycle helmets from Epilepsy Alliance
- Photo booth with Santa & kids' games!
- Entertainment provided by School of Rock
- Broward College Snow Mountain
- Frankie P. from Y-100 to MC
- Pet Rescue Row - Labrador Retriever Rescue of Florida, Inc., Humane Society of Broward County, Paw Patrol, Broward County Animal Care, and Puppy Kissing Booth
- Give-a-ways and Activities with the Florida Panthers, South Florida Ford, Cirque Dreams Holidayze, Fifth Third Bank NASCAR Show Car, Museum of Discovery & Science, The For Paul Foundation, YMCA, Ave Maria, Florida Children's Theatre, Nova Southeastern University and SO MUCH MORE!

**BONUS:** the Museum of Discovery & Science will open for FREE after this event (Free Admission from 3-5 P.M.)

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## THERE'S AN APP FOR THAT! PARADE TRACKER POWERED BY FORD



The Winterfest® app offers links to the Winterfest® website for visitor's info, hotel specials, a map of the Parade route, tickets, event information, music, coloring pages and a Parade Tracker. Track Santa's Sleigh (aboard the Jungle Queen), as well as the Grand Marshal Showboat sponsored by Fifth Third Bank, as they navigate the Parade route throughout our host city – Fort Lauderdale. Vote for your favorite boat by clicking on the image in the app. All boat entries will be listed. (Msg and data rates may apply)

USA 10Best Readers' Choice Awards

Seminole Hard Rock Winterfest Boat Parade was noted as one of the top 20 Holiday Parades





Lisa Scott-Founds – Winterfest, Inc., Susan Renneisen – Seminole Hard Rock Hotel & Casino, Roxana Garciga and David Boothe – Republic National Distributing Company Gowns by Zola Keller



2022 Belle of the Ball: Lisa Duke  
2022 Commodore: Steven Savor



Sponsors: Wendy Liebowitz, Michael Assunto, Micki Scavone, Joe Rizzo and John Moorman



Committee Members: Tiffany Mackin, Susan Phipps, Judy Frum, Lori Perlman, and Regina Foltz



Seminole Hard Rock Culinary, Catering & Banquet Departments - Robert Ciborowski, James Stout, Stacy Henry, Jorge Bonnells, Jorge Bacallao

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# WINTERFEST

## BLACK TIE BALL



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DECEMBER 3RD

The Seminole Hard Rock Winterfest® Black Tie Ball presented by Broward Health kicks off the Holiday Season with musical milestones from the North American Tour of TINA. It will have the energy of the iconic rocker, meshed with the style and sophistication of the Black Tie Ball. Guests will have the “Satisfaction” of the adrenaline highlights of the Broadway play, with additional entertainment featuring the 12-piece band, Private Stock sponsored by DEX Imaging. The Hotwire Communications Welcome Reception featuring Republic National Distributing Company will have cocktails, bubbles, wines, and spirits flowing: Fireball Whisky, Brugal Rum, Remy Martin, Cointreau Liqueur, Skrewball Whiskey, Deep Eddy Vodka with wines from 13 Celsius, Benziger Tribute, Chloe, and Cupcake. Guests won’t miss a beat of the evening as they bid in the Fidelity Investments Silent Auction. Attendance at the event is not required to bid on items. Simply visit [Winterfest.home.qtego.net](https://winterfestparade.com) and start bidding TODAY on jewelry, cruises, experiences, vacations, airline tickets from JetBlue, sports memorabilia, and much more. Some of the Live auction highlights include: a Carroll’s Jewelers Shopping Spree, a Casa Calabria / Ocean Manor Resort Party with options to host a party for 18, 100 or 175 guests, valued at \$12,000, a Savior-faire yachting experience with Below Deck Star Captain Lee, a stay at the Pink Sands Resort in Harbor Island and an Explora Journeys for two. Ball Co-Chairs Susan Renneisen and Roxana Garciga will be fashionistas wearing Zola Keller gowns. This year, we honor two longtime supporters and board members of Winterfest®; VIP Chair, Lisa Duke and Supporter and Parade Participant Steven Savor. Attendees will be able capture all the fun with photos compliments of Dr. Lisa Learn and receive swag bags compliments of Fifth Third Bank. Tables of 10 range from \$3,000-\$4,000. (\$5,000 tables are sold out). View your digital invite at <https://winterfestparade.com/events/black-tie-ball>



Photo by Manuel Harlan

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**Kroger** DELIVERY  
Kroger Delivery  
Fireworks Barge



**WSVN** Channel 7  
Miami Fort Lauderdale  
Super Bowl Entry



**Jungle Queen** Santa Showboat  
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**Sixth Star**



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**Fifth Third Bank  
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Winterfest®  
2022**



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AND SPONSOR OF  
THE GRAND MARSHAL SHOWBOAT**



# WINTERFEST

BOAT PARADE



## ENTER YOUR BOAT FOR ONLY \$35 AND BE ON TV

**PRE-SHOW STARTS AT 6 PM/PARADE STARTS AT 6:30 PM DECEMBER 10TH**

Parade entry fees start at only \$35 to be part of the Seminole Hard Rock Winterfest® Boat Parade! From kayaks to yachts, and paddle boards to catamarans, all are welcome to take part in this year's theme, "Neon Nightlife Under the Sea" by decorating their Parade entries. All participants will have the opportunity to be on television and are automatically qualified to compete in the "People's Choice Awards" sponsored by JetBlue. So come out and support your community by participating in Winterfest®! As the master of your vessel, you can decorate your entry in holiday or Parade theme. Millions will be watching so adorn your vessel to amaze and delight. Image360 Lauderhill will provide the boat number signage. Show your giving spirit by adding a sign for a charity during the holiday.

## BOATERS - SMILE FOR THE CAMERAS - WAVE TO THE JUDGES

There will be several camera crews on hand for the Seminole Hard Rock Winterfest® Boat Parade. WSVN Channel 7 will film from the Riverside Hotel on Las Olas Boulevard and Stranahan House. The live version will be sent to the City of Fort Lauderdale's channel 78. WSVN will also stream to expand the event's digital footprint around the world. Boaters, remember to also wave to the judges in this area.

Staging is west of the Stranahan House with the Parade in true procession starting at Stranahan House. Looking for a place to view on the New River? Consider locations such as the Riverside Hotel or Salt 7 at the Parade's start and the Downtowner in the middle of the staging area.



## BOATERS - WE NEED YOU TO BE CONTROL BOATS



Where would we be without our amazing volunteers, boating clubs, and Coast Guard Auxiliaries to coordinate our Official Control Boat Fleet? Control Boats are the additional eyes and ears of the Parade that also maintain the "line" between the Parade participants and spectators. If you would like to help as a Control Boat while having an awesome view, please contact the Winterfest® office at 954-767-0686. All Control Boats receive a great goodie bag, an opportunity to win raffle prizes, and are invited to our Volunteer Party in March.

**12.18**  
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**PERFORMING**

 Charlie Puth	 Anitta	 Backstreet Boys
 Tate McRae	 Black Eyed Peas	 Big Time Rush
 Ava Max	 Lauren Spencer-Smith	 Jax

**TICKETS ON-SALE NOW**  
AT Y100.COM

## SKIPPER'S MEETING

**DECEMBER 6, 5:30 - 8:00 P.M.**

**Hosted by Coral Ridge Yacht Club**

This meeting is mandatory for Parade participants to attend. The Captains' Meeting will include a review of rules, regulations, and line-up information with instruction from U.S. Coast Guard, Fort Lauderdale Marine Patrol and Parade organizers. Dinner and cocktails will be provided after the meeting with the support of Chevron, Frank & Jimmie's Propeller and FB Marine Group. Every Parade entry will receive a well-stocked goodie bag from West Marine and other supporters. Also included in the bags will be Chevron gas cards and a souvenir burgee by Dennis Friel.



**Britt Lanier**  
Winterfest®  
Boat Parade  
Chairman



## WINTERFEST® MERCHANDISE

Get an early jump on your holiday shopping by purchasing Winterfest® gear by visiting [winterfestparade.com](http://winterfestparade.com) or calling 954-767-0686.

Merchandise is now on sale and available. One-of-a-kind items such as hand-painted ornaments, Winterfest® charms, and shirts by Poster Artist Dennis Friel.

The annual Winterfest® charm is designed by Carroll's Jewelers

Winterfest® ornaments are designed by Pat Anderson

Winterfest® Shirt by Dennis Friel



## 2022 POSTER ARTIST - MEET DENNIS FRIEL

Winterfest®, Inc. is pleased to announce that internationally recognized and locally renowned artist, Dennis Friel, has been selected as the official poster artist of the 2022 Seminole Hard Rock Winterfest® Boat Parade. His artwork depicting the theme, "Neon Nightlife Under the Sea" was unveiled during the "Winterfest® Launch Party" on Friday, Oct. 21, 2022.



"Winterfest® has long been one of my favorite holiday boating events," said Friel. "It captures the best of South Florida, combining boating, our waterways, and the diversity of the community, in music and lights. I am a native of this area and grew up watching the Parade. I am honored to be creating this year's poster, with a nod to this area's sea life with a touch of neon whimsical. I hope this poster brings awareness of the underwater beauty of our waters and adds a fun nautical flair of fantasy. This poster combines my love for marine life and my interpretation of sea fare tales." In addition to the poster, Friel's artwork will be featured on shirts and burgees specifically made for this year's event.



## PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD

**YOU BE THE JUDGE  
PICK WHICH PARADE ENTRY WINS AND YOU  
COULD WIN ROUND TRIP TRAVEL ON JETBLUE**



Whether you are enjoying the Parade from home, aboard a boat or on the shore, you can vote for your favorite entry to win the People's Choice Award. This is a great way to honor the hard work of a boat owner or organization (vote daily until January 8).

**DOWNLOAD THE WINTERFEST® APP POWERED BY**  **For additional details and rules, visit [Winterfestparade.com](http://Winterfestparade.com).**

### 2022 JUDGES:

**Rear Admiral Brendan C. McPherson**  
United States Coast Guard - Sector 7

**Paul Castronovo**  
iHeartMedia / BIG 105.9/ On-air Personality

**Carlos Melendez**  
President Broward, Palm Beaches & St. Lucie REALTOR®

**Carolyn Michaels, IOM**  
Executive Vice President,  
Greater Fort Lauderdale Chamber of Commerce

**Stacy Ritter**  
President & CEO, Visit Lauderdale

**Mayor Dean Trantalis**  
Mayor, City of Fort Lauderdale

**And YOU!**



## WINTERFEST'S FIRST PICTORIAL POSTMARK



Winterfest® is working with the Fort Lauderdale United States Postal Service to create a pictorial postmark. This 2022 mark will be available to postmark stamped envelopes and postcards. Winterfest will have postcards available at the Baptist Health Parade Viewing Area presented by the Florida Panthers. There will also be a postcard on the Winterfest's website to download and mail. The postmark will be available for 30 days starting December 10, 2022.





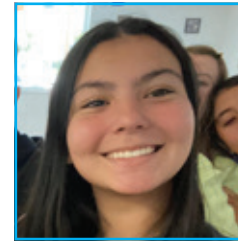


# THE VOTES ARE IN! WINTERFEST® FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES 2022 JR. CAPTAIN: LUNA MARIA representing Forza Stegano Charitable Foundation

Congratulations to 14-year-old Luna Maria representing Forza Stegano Charitable Foundation as the 2022 Winterfest® Jr. Captain powered by FPL, moved by TWO MEN AND A TRUCK.

Luna Maria is going through thyroid cancer. She is a ballet dancer since the age of 2 and has been performing since the age of 4. Luna also loves to play the piano, listen to music and hang out with her friends and family. "I know I am going to come through like a champ. My goal is to show other kids that even in the hardest times, you must have a positive mindset. I want to help other teens know that they are going to be okay."

The Winterfest® Jr. Captain program was created as a legacy to 15-year-old Amanda Blake who battled osteosarcoma, a rare form of bone cancer. This young cancer warrior was introduced to Winterfest® by the Wasie Foundation and the Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation; she became an angelic face of hope in the battle against all odds. This year marks the 13th annual Jr. Captain. Former Wasie Foundation representative, Jen Klaassens with Lisa Scott-Founds, President & CEO of Winterfest®, Inc. along with Event Director, Dawn Diehl, met Amanda prior to losing her battle. This monumental meeting changed the Parade's waterway tradition forever. Amanda's legacy continues as Winterfest® honors a child annually with the title of Winterfest® Jr. Captain of the Seminole Hard Rock Winterfest® Boat Parade. Help us with our Mission and donate TODAY! Take your mobile phone out. View this QR Code in your camera app – you will be instantly directed to our Foundation website [WinterfestFoundation.org](http://WinterfestFoundation.org).



## CALLING ALL BROWARD COUNTY STUDENTS IN KINDERGARTEN thru 5TH GRADE! WINTERFEST® FOUNDATION FANTASY BOAT STUDENT ART CONTEST

CREATE YOUR FANTASY BOAT WITH A CHARACTER ON PAPER OR COMPUTER

YOUR CHARACTER MAY COME TO LIFE

Submit your original 8.5" x 11" artwork by the February 2023 deadline for the 19th annual Winterfest® Foundation Fantasy Boat Student Art Contest on PAPER using crayons, pencils, paints, markers OR your COMPUTER using Microsoft's "Paint" Program.

FIRST PLACE IN EACH CATEGORY WILL RECEIVE A LAPTOP COURTESY OF DANIA POINTE

FIRST, SECOND & THIRD PLACE WINNERS WILL BE AWARDED IN THREE CATEGORIES GRADES K/1, 2/3, 4/5

PLUS, HONORABLE MENTIONS and prizes for the winners' schools.

**HIGHLIGHT:** A Character from one submission will become a "Costume Creation" brought to life by the creator of the children's book POMP, SNOW & CIRQUEumstance.

**SPECIALTY AWARDS:** GUY HARVEY OCEAN FOUNDATION AWARD and MUSEUM AWARD.

**AWARDS CEREMONY:** Hosted by Museum of Discovery & Science – all participants and their immediate family are invited to attend.

For Rules & Release Forms: [WinterfestFoundation.org](http://WinterfestFoundation.org)

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# SEMINOLE HARD ROCK WINTERFEST® GRAND MARSHAL RECEPTION

DECEMBER 9, 2022

PRESENTED BY  
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COMPREHENSIVE CANCER CENTER  
UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI HEALTH SYSTEM

SEMINOLE  
**Hard Rock**  
HOTEL & CASINO  
HOLLYWOOD, FL



**TAYLOR DAYNE**



**JOEY FATONE**



**CHRIS KIRKPATRICK**

This iconic trio will host a few special performances throughout the night.

This event will host other celebrity guests as well as this year's Winterfest® Foundation Jr. Captain Luna Maria and Sylvester Cancer Center Child Ambassador at the hotel pool. Drinks will be flowing courtesy of Republic National Distributing Company. The night will feature special guests, entertainment and a fun photo booth compliments of Dr. Lisa Learn.



**Captain Lee**  
Bravo's "Below Deck"



**Miss Florida USA 2022**  
Taylor Fulford



**Miss Teen USA 2022**  
Alyssa Khan

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## WINTERFEST® TELEVISION SPECIAL

### ONE HOUR SPECIAL:

Winterfest® Television Special is shared around the state through a network partnership with WSVN and Bally Sports Sun and is rebroadcast throughout the holiday season.

**SOUTH FLORIDA:** Watch the Winterfest® Television Special on WSVN 7.

**BOSTON:** Sister stations will air the Parade on (WHDH) and (WLVI).

### SEE IT LIVE:

**LOCALLY:** The "World's Most Watched Boat Parade" can be seen live on Fort Lauderdale's city station Comcast Channel 78. Check our website for details and video highlights of events throughout the season.



## Santa

### DROP OFF YOUR LETTER INTO BROWARD HEALTH SANTA MAILBOXES

Broward Health is going to help you get your letter to Santa. Look for Santa Sightings and mailbox locations on the Winterfest® website

You might even catch the Jolly Ol' Man himself walking along our beautiful downtown area.



### STORYTIME WITH SANTA PRESENTED BY JOE DIMAGGIO CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Register today to have Storytime with Santa on Facebook Live on December 15.

The first 100 families to register will receive a complimentary book from Santa's library.

Forgot to register? Don't worry, just tune in on the Winterfest® Facebook page to enjoy Storytime with Santa all throughout the season – thanks to Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital and Visit Lauderdale.





# WINTERFEST BOAT PARADE



## Baptist Health

# PARADE VIEWING AREA



Presented by

In association with  
the Beach Business Improvement District

**DECEMBER 10**

Gates open at 4PM, Parade arrives at 7 PM

Live Entertainment before the Parade and after until 10:30 PM

LOCATION: Las Olas Intracoastal Promenade Park | 80 Las Olas Circle, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316

Culinary Courtyard presented by



Enjoy an up close and personal view of the Parade from this location. A festival atmosphere will include the Shane Duncan Band and Southern Blood on the City of Fort Lauderdale Stage. Twin Peaks serving your favorite Republic National Distributing Company and Coke products (for purchase) and food vendors in the Stella Artois Culinary Courtyard. Sampling by Kroger Delivery, LaCroix and Celsius. Interactive games and fun for the whole family. Ford vehicles will be on display; spin the wheel to win prizes and take photos with Santa. Parade commentary from Y100's Drew and Amelia from BIG1059, will be heard throughout the area.



Tickets are \$15 for children 10 and younger, and \$25 for adults.

Parking is available at the City Garage. Rideshare is encouraged.

PARADE GOES ON RAIN OR SHINE! There are no refunds, no exceptions. No pets, cans, drones, chairs, or coolers are permitted inside the gated Parade Viewing area.



Make it a Winterfest® weekend with discounted hotel packages at [winterfestparade.com](http://winterfestparade.com).



## BRIDGE OPENINGS & CLOSINGS SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10

### CLOSINGS WILL BE IN EFFECT:

- New River closes at 2:30 PM to non-Parade vessels from the Fork near Little Florida, West of Cooley's Landing (2606993N, 08009192W) East to Marker 9
- Intracoastal Waterway will close at 5:20 PM from Port Everglades to Oakland Park Bridge South 6:20 PM North of Oakland Park Bridge to Lake Santa Barbara
- Parade staging/Line Up 3:00 - 4:30 PM ALL Parade Vessels, New River
- Preshow: 6 PM / Parade Start Time: 6:30 PM, SHARP

### NO ANCHORING ZONES

- No anchor zones" will be enforced throughout the New River and Birch State Park.
- Visit [www.winterfestparade.com/where-can-i-anchor-a-spectator-boat](http://www.winterfestparade.com/where-can-i-anchor-a-spectator-boat) to view the route



Visit [Winterfestparade.com](http://Winterfestparade.com) to see the current Brightline schedule for December 10th.

## BRIDGE CLOSINGS FOR ROAD TRAFFIC

(Bridge times are approximate)

	UP	DOWN
7th Avenue Bridge	6:00 PM	8:30 PM
FEC Railroad Bridge	6:00 PM	8:30 PM
Andrews Avenue	6:00 PM	8:30 PM
Third Avenue Bridge	6:00 PM	8:30 PM
Las Olas Boulevard	7:00 PM	9:00 PM
NEW PARADE VIEWING: Las Olas Intracoastal Promenade Park		
Sunrise Boulevard	7:30 PM	9:30 PM
Oakland Park Boulevard	8:00 PM	10:00 PM
Commercial Boulevard	8:30 PM	11:00 PM

# HOST A PARTY & DECORATE! PARADE WATCHERS WAVE TO THE CAMERAS AND SING WITH THE KARAOKE SHOWBOAT



Residents with the businesses located along the Intracoastal Waterway and the New River can be a part of the Parade by decorating their property or dock on Parade Night, December 10.

This year, the cameras will be focused on YOU with our Karaoke Ballyhoo Billboard Entry. Have your guests get ready to be on the big screens as it travels throughout the Parade with cameras on YOU.

WSVN Channel 7 will also be capturing all the shoreline excitement with the best of the best of decorated homes and businesses along the Parade route in our one-hour

television special. Residents with the best in decorations will be invited to the Winterfest® Awards Party (Captain's Cup) to receive an award.

- Opportunities for a Grand Marshal Shout-out of your Party during the Parade -Contact Winterfest® for details.
- Sing along with the Karaoke Boat & see your Party on the screens.
- Vote for your favorite decorated home/business and Parade entry for the chance to win prizes.

Visit <https://winterfestparade.com/shoreline> for details.

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# WINTERFEST

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# VIP PARADE VIEWING

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AT TUNNEL TOP PARK

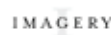


Community leaders and Winterfest® sponsors will enjoy the most coveted location to watch the Parade, hosted between the Historic Stranahan House and renowned Riverside Hotel. Guests will mingle amongst the Winterfest® television show production team with judges voting for their favorite entries in the Broward Mall Judges Area. Local restaurants will be on the scene - Wild Sea Oyster Bar & Grille, Boathouse at the Riverside, New River Café & Bakery, Sushi Garage, Tommy Bahamas and The Balcony with beverages from Republic National Distributing Company, Stella Artois, and LaCroix. Holy Cross Health and Nova Southeastern University are the key sponsors of this beautiful newly developed area. Historically, the Seminoles would travel along the New River by canoe and trade with the Stranahan Family. Because of this history, the Stranahan House is the perfect starting point for this holiday tradition.

THIS AREA IS A SPONSOR ONLY EVENT: Want a Ticket? Become a Partner.



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## 2022 CAPTAIN'S CUP AWARDS

ALL PARADE PARTICIPANTS AND SPONSORS ARE INVITED TO THE CAPTAIN'S CUP IN 2023.

EVERYONE IS TREATED LIKE A STAR at this event where the focus is on our boaters in the Parade. Parade participants receive two (2) tickets to this incredible event and receive a photo of their entry, and copies of the Winterfest® Television Special produced by WSVN Channel 7.

HOSTING AND SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES ARE AVAILABLE WITH THIS EVENT.



# ADDITIONAL SWEEPSTAKES/CONTESTS

There are more ways to Win with Winterfest® from Voting for your favorite Parade Entry to Decorating Your Home – Here are a few other great opportunities to win just by visiting the Winterfest® website Contest section:



## GET-AWAY VACATIONS

**TRAVEL TO PARADE:** One lucky winner will stay at the Seminole Hard Rock Hotel & Casino, receive Fifth Third Bank Grand Marshal Showboat Tickets and air travel with JetBlue.

**STAY-CATION:** Want a little get-away with your friends or business associates? Enter in this contest for a chance to win a Bora Cabana Fun Day for Ten.



## PET CONTEST

FESTIVE PET COSTUME PHOTO CONTEST

WIN \$250 GIFT CARD FROM **chewy**

IF YOUR PET RECEIVES THE MOST VOTES!

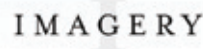
Are you a proud parent of a pampered pooch or a furry feline? Does your pet have more holiday costumes than you? Post that photo on Facebook/Instagram with your username and #winterfestpet OR upload directly to the contest site.

Winterfest® is working with iHeartMedia and various partners on promoting and securing prizes.



<https://winterfestparade.com/contests>

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# Launch Party

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FEATURED RESTAURANT



The Gray Robinson, P.A. Winterfest® Launch Party, recently held at the Fort Lauderdale Marriott Harbor Beach Resort & Spa, gave guests a taste of the neon glow and glamour they can expect in December. A video produced by Hotwire Communications started the evening with event and Parade highlights, followed by the unveiling of the commemorative poster by Dennis Friel and announcement of the 2022 Grand Marshals.

Culinary creations featured Casa Calabria Restaurant, along with other local establishments such as 3030 Ocean, Andy's Live Fire Grill, BK Lobster, Billy's Stone Crab, Eddie V's, Mimi's Ravioli, Piazza Italia, Fogo de Chao, Sea Level, and Timpano. Republic National Distributing Company highlighted their brands with decadent cocktails created with 13 Celsius, Benziger Tribute, Chloe and Cupcake Wines, Brugal 1888, Cointreau, Deep Eddy Vodka, Skrewball Whiskey, Fireball Whisky, Remy Martin along with Stella Artois, and a sampling of Celsius energy drinks and LaCroix Sparkling Water complimented the Neuvana Lounge.

Event Chairwomen Alyssa Lovitt of I LOV-ITT Events, LLC. and Gray Robinson P.A. partner, Robyn Vines, welcomed guests with Winterfest® President & CEO, Lisa Scott-Founds and Winterfest® Chairman Mark Swenson as the under the sea themed room and neon glow brought by Cleveland Clinic peaked the excitement of the attendees for this year's Parade.

MC's for the evening - Drew from Y-100 and Amelia from BIG 105.9 DJ Kris Prime kept the entertainment flowing with Ivan Rodriguez Productions. Performances by Steven Avi on his neon-lighted violin and Deanette Rivas (Season 1 of La Voz) with sea and neon character photo ops from Florida Children's Theatre and Pomp, Snow & CIRQUEumstance, Cirque Dreams Holidaze, and Cleveland Clinic. Guests made a splash as they entered the Robinson's Jewelers Grand Entrance.

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# Secrets of the Sea

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It was the place to be and to be seen at Steven Savor's ultimate mansion party benefitting Winterfest® and Fort Lauderdale International Film Festival. Continuous entertainment by the Jersey Girls and other live performers, mermaids, sailors, captains and pirates sprinkled the event with the themed attire as nautical chic and costumes. Savor-faire graced the dock and a Water Taxi hosted a screen showing support of the event. Over 400 guests enjoy the evening supported by Republic National Distributing Company and The Umbrella Group.



Steven Savor, David Boothe, Candace Robles, Lisa Scott-Founds, Heidi Punnonen and David Founds



Walter and Lisa Duke with Barbara Hubbard



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