



DREAM YACHT
WORLDWIDE

Base Guide

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW TO ENJOY YOUR NEXT DREAM DESTINATION



ABACO | BAHAMAS
BY THE CABIN

BASE ADDRESS

The Conch Inn Marina

700 Bay Street

Marsh Harbour

Abaco

GPS POSITION: 26.54674° N, 77.05222° W

OPENING HOURS: 8am - 6pm

BASE MAP



BASE CONTACTS

If you need support while on your charter, contact the base immediately using the contact details in this guide. Please contact your booking agent for all requests prior to your charter.

BASE MANAGER & CUSTOMER SERVICE:

Base Manager: Mauro Iachelli

Phone: 1-242-818-8138

BASE FACILITIES

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Electricity | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Luggage storage |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restaurant |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Toilets | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bar |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Showers | <input type="checkbox"/> Supermarket / Grocery store |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Laundry | <input type="checkbox"/> ATM |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Swimming pool | <input type="checkbox"/> Post Office |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wi-Fi | |

BOARDING & DISEMBARKATION

Abacos Dream Special Edition Cruise

Embarkation: at 6pm - Conch Inn & Marina

Disembarkation: at 9am - Conch Inn & Marina

HOW TO GET THERE?

ACCESS BY PLANE

Leonard M. Thompson International Airport (MHH): The airport is 5.1km from the base, which is a 12-minute journey by car/shuttle. There are regular flights from Florida, Georgia and Nassau, Bahamas American Airlines, Silver Airways, Bahamasair, Delta Airlines, Western Air and United Airways. Please check the schedule on the airport website.

TRANSFERS FROM THE AIRPORT TO OUR BASE

Major car rental companies operate from the airport, please refer to the airport website for info, working hours and contacts. Taxis are regularly available in front of the airport terminal buildings.

ACCESS BY ROAD

From Leonard M. Thompson International Airport, head southeast for 600m. At the roundabout, take the second exit onto Great Abaco Hwy. Stay on Great Abaco Hwy for 2.3 km. Continue straight on to Don Mackay Blvd for 1.0 km. Turn right onto Queen Elizabeth Dr and then turn right onto Bay St. The Conch Inn Marina will be on the left.

USEFUL INFORMATION

PAYMENT

The base can accept: Visa MasterCard Amex Cash

BAGGAGE

Please only take soft bags and not suitcases, as they would be too cumbersome onboard.

CURRENCY: The Bahamian dollar (BSD). US dollars (USD) are also widely accepted.

VOLTAGE: 110V

DIALING CODE: +242

CUSTOMS CLEARANCE

You will need to clear customs before entering the country. Talk to us to make sure you have the correct documents before you travel.

INTERNET

There is free Wi-Fi in our marina. You'll also find Wi-Fi available in some marinas, cafes and restaurants.

HOTEL SUGGESTIONS:

- **Abaco Beach Resort and Boat Harbour Marina**
- **Abaco Inn**

RESTAURANT SUGGESTIONS:

- Snappas Bar and Grill
- Jib Room
- Colors Bahamian restaurant

ENVIRONMENT

- Respect your surroundings and leave only footprints in the sand
- Respect regulations around marine reserves and private islands

WEATHER CONDITIONS

The Abacos offer 130 miles of cays and islands, including the famous Walkers Cay, Green Turtle Cay, Great Guana, Man-O-War and Elbow Cay, to name a few. The boomerang-shaped Abaco Islands span from Walkers Cay in the north to Hole-in-the-Wall in the south, just 175 miles east of Florida's Palm Beach and 55 miles north of Nassau.

WEATHER

The best time to visit the Bahamas is from December to April, when temperatures cool slightly to between 82-87°F (28°-31°C). It's a great place to visit year-round as the temperatures are comfortable and rarely dip below 60°F (16°C).

The hottest months in the Bahamas are July and August, and the wettest months are May and June. The islands fall within the hurricane belt, so hurricanes may be a factor between June and November (the Atlantic hurricane season).

TEMPERATURE

Climate in Marsh Harbour, Bahamas:

- Summer high: The August high is around 88°F (31°C)
- Winter low: The January low is 66°F (18°C)

YOUR CRUISE

- It is essential that each passenger must have a passport valid for 6 months after the return date. A copy of your passports, of your flight details and any known food restrictions or medical diet must be sent at least 1 week before your departure to your cruise' organizer.
- **DRINK TOKENS** In addition to the included beverages (1 local cocktail every evening per 1/2L table wine per day per guest during meals, fruit juices, sodas) additional alcoholic drinks such as beer, cocktails (same as the included ones), or full bottles of wine can be redeemed on board using tokens (not by the glass). Tokens cost €4 each and can be

purchased only on the spot at check-in (not on board). Unused tokens are refundable or can be exchanged at the base – subject to availability – for goodies like T-shirts or caps

WHAT TO PACK

- Soft luggage that you can fold away or roll up - hard suitcases are hard to fit in your cabin and there is nowhere to store them onboard
- Reef-friendly sunblock and sun cream
- Dry bags or zip lock bags to protect your money, cameras and mobiles
- Seasickness bands and tablets are good for novice sailors
- Earplugs and eyeshades are great for light sleepers
- Keep clothing light and remember you will be around water a lot! Don't forget several swimsuits, hat, sunglasses and an extra beach towel (even though towels are provided)
- When it comes to shoes, you're likely to be barefoot onboard so pack just one pair for going ashore and some water shoes for reefs
- Leave expensive jewelry, make-up and hair straighteners behind – it's time to relax!