



**DREAM YACHT**  
WORLDWIDE

# Base Guide

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW TO ENJOY YOUR NEXT DREAM DESTINATION



ABACO | BAHAMAS

## BASE ADDRESS

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The Conch Inn Marina

700 Bay Street

Marsh Harbour

Abaco

GPS POSITION: 26.54674° N, 77.05222° W

OPENING HOURS: 8am - 6pm

## BASE MAP

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## BASE CONTACTS

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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:**

Base Manager: Terriance Edgecombe

Phone: 1-242-577-0063

### **CUSTOMER SERVICE:**

Burak Koylubay

Phone: 1-242-817-4185

## BASE FACILITIES

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

## BASE INFORMATION ABACOS DREAM PREMIUM

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### **EMBARKATION TIME**

Boarding time is 5pm.

### **DISEMBARKATION TIME**

Disembarkation is at 10am on the last day of the charter.

## HOW TO GET THERE?

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### 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, Westeran Air and United Airways. Please check the schedule on the airport website.

### TRANSFERS FROM THE AIRPORT TO OUR BASE

If you need organized transfer from the airport, please contact our customer service manager. Major car rental companies operate from the airport, please refer to airport website for info, working hours and contacts. Taxis are regularly available in front of the airport buildings.

### ACCESS BY ROAD

From Leonard M. Thompson International Airport, head southeast for 600m. At the roundabout, take the second exit to 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

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### 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, which you can use on your Abaco yacht charter. You'll also find Wi-Fi available in some marinas, cafes and restaurants.



## HOTEL SUGGESTIONS:

- **Abaco Beach Resort and Boat Harbour Marina**  
Bay Street, Marsh Harbour, Great Abaco Island
- **Abaco Inn**

## RESTAURANT SUGGESTIONS:

- **Da Blue Hole** (seafood/international)  
Conch Inn marina  
242.801.2583
- **Treasure sands club** (Caribbean, fusion):  
Treasure Cay  
242.365.9385
- **Pineapple Bar and Grill** (American grill):  
Green Turtle Cay  
242.365.4039

## ENVIRONMENT

- Respect your surroundings and leave only footprints in the sand
- Only use the engine or genset when needed (fill up your tanks for the water maker at the docks when you can)
- Recycle your garbage in the correct containers at the marina
- Respect regulations around marine reserves and private islands where disembarking is not permitted

## SAILING CONDITIONS

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### SAILING AREA

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.

Snorkel along Great Guana Cay's seven-mile beach and enjoy a cocktail at Nipper's Bar. Relax at Treasure Cay, often voted one of the most beautiful beaches in the world (there is no marina, only the mooring balls), or take in the relaxed atmosphere at Man-O-War Cay. Animal lovers will want to visit the swimming pigs at No Name Cay.

Green Turtle Cay is not to be missed on any Abaco yacht charter. Rent a golf cart to explore the entire island, including the tiny settlement of New Plymouth, and several idyllic beaches

including Gilliam Bay and Ocean Beach. The lovely Green Turtle Club and Bluff House resorts make nice stops for dinner or drinks.

## **WEATHER**

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

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
- Winter low: The January low is 66°F

## **WIND SYSTEMS**

Sailing conditions in the Bahamas include easterly winds between 10 and 15 knots and care is needed as the water can have shallow depths. The tidal range is up to 3.5ft.

## **LOCAL FORECAST**

You can find Abacos weather forecasts on the [WindFinder.com](http://WindFinder.com) website . Cruisers Net broadcasts weather forecasts and tides each day on VHF channel 68 at 8:15am .