

43rd ANNIVERSARY INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATION

10 Days of FUN-Filled Festivities for All Ages on Land and Sea!

DAILY

10:00 AM - 9:00 PM CRIC 2025 HQ & WELCOME CENTER at Thompson Plaza, KW Historic Seaport Elizabeth & Greene.

TAKE TO THE SEA

SAIL ABOARD MAJESTIC HISTORIC SCHOONERS & LUXURY CATAMARANS, including Danger Charter's Danger's Prize, Danger's Pearl, & Sarah, Sunset Sail KW's When & If, Jolly II Rover, Spirit of Independence, America 2.0 and Argo Navis.

DAY & SUNSET SAILS, SNORKEL TRIPS & ALL-DAY ADVENTURES AT SEA & IN THE WATER aboard Danger Charters and Sunset Sail Key West fleet of shallow draft vessels ideal for snorkeling, kayaking, and playing in the water.

JOIN THE CR MARINE ARMY FOR MANGROVE CLEAN UPS every Saturday. Private Outings available midweek.

SPECIAL EVENTS AT UNIQUE & HISTORIC VENUES

FRIDAY, APRIL 18TH

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM: 10th Annual CONCHY BEACH CLEANUP Meet at KW Bocce Court parking lot, 1801 White St. FREE.

4:30 PM – 5:30 PM OPENING CEREMONY & RAISING OF THE COLORS at Mallory Square, 400 Wall St. FREE

7:00 PM - LATE KICK-OFF PARTY & CONCH SHELL BLOWING CONTEST Schooner Wharf Bar & Galley, CRIC 2025 Party HQs, KW Historic Seaport, 201 William St. FREE

SATURDAY, APRIL 19TH

8: 00 AM 26TH **Annual EARTHDAY 5K.** Starts at Truman Waterfront Park. Proceeds benefit CR Marine Army Mangrove Clean ups. Sign up at SouthernmostRunners.com

8: 00 AM - 1:00 PM 3rd Annual STOCK ISLAND EARTHDAY COMMUNITY CLEAN UP Meet at Bernstein Park, 6751 5th St. Clean-up runs all morning. FREE

10:00 AM - 6:00 PM 41st Annual CONCH REPUBLIC ART & CRAFT DUVAL STREET FAIR between Eaton & Greene. FREE 1:30 PM OLD TOWN CONCH CRAWL PUB STROLL includes libations at 7 historic saloons & Tee. Tickets: ConchRepublic.com 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM CR DRAG RACES ON DUVAL at Bourbon

Street Pub, 724 Duval St. For info: 305 747 0343. **FREE SIGN UP AT THE EVENT ONLY.

SUNDAY, APRIL 20TH

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM KW ARSTISAN MARKET-EASTER EDITION at Higgs Beach, 1801 White St. Shop local artists, specialty foods & enjoy live music. Info: Facebook.com/KeyWestArtisanMarket FREE NOON COW KEY BRIDGE HOP BOVINES & BUNNIES ZERO K benefits MCSO Animal Farm & Petting Zoo. Info:phantompress.com/cow FREE

5:00 PM - 7:30 PM JAZZ IN THE GARDENS, Gardens Hotel, 526 Angela. FREE (Cash Bar) Info: GardensHotel.com

MONDAY, APR 21ST

5:00 PM - 8:00 PM CONCH REPUBLIC MUSICAL MILITARY MUSTER MONDAY & CONCH-TAIL PARTY at Kaya Island Eats, 610 Duval St. Tickets available on ConchRepublic.com. Info, CutiesInAction@gmail.com.

8:00 PM - 9:00 PM MANDATORY CAPTAINS' MEETING FOR CR NAVAL PARADES (4-23 & 4-25) at Schooner Wharf Bar, 202 William St. Register YOUR vessel on ConchRepublic.com.

TUESDAY APRIL 22ND

6:00 PM - 10:00 PM HOT HAVANA NIGHT DINNER-DANCE PARTY WITH LIVE LATIN BAND CARIBE at Kaya Island Eats, 618 Duval St. Tickets available at ConchRepublic.com.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23RD

1:00-2:30PM 'OLD MAN & THE SEA – RETURN TO CUBA" DIRECTOR'S CUT by MDF at Tropic Cinema, 416 Eaton St., follows Capt. Finbar & WOLF's crew to Cuba. FREE.

4:00PM - 4:30 PM 43rd CR INDEPENDENCE DAY CEREMONY at Mallory Square, with Prime Minister Emeritus Dennis Wardlow & Speaker of the House, Paul Menta. FREE

5:00 PM - 9:00 PM FIRST SEA LORD ADM FINBAR'S
CELEBRATION OF LIFE on Ocean Key Resort & Spa Sunset Pier,
0 Duval St. FREE (Cash Bar) Dinner tickets available at
ConchRepublic.com and include seating for Ceremony & Toast.
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM CR 43 BIRTHDAY PARTY & TOAST on Ocean
Key Resort & Spa Sunset Pier, 0 Duval St. Enjoy Live Music and
CR Toast at 7:30 PM. FREE (Cash Bar)

THURSDAY, APRIL 24TH

1:00-2:30PM "CUBA REFRAMED – THE POWER OF CONNECTION" by PeaceVision, at Tropic Cinema, 416 Eaton St., follows WOLF crew on 2019 trip to Cuba. FREE.
2:00 PM - 7:00 PM TRUMAN WATERFRONT FARMERS MARKET,

2:00 PM - 7:00 PM TRUMAN WATERFRONT FARMERS MARKET, foot of Southard St. Shop fresh produce, specialty foods & unique handmade arts & crafts. Facebook.com/KWFarmersMarket FREE

5:30 PM - 7:00 PM PRE-PARARADE PARTY & CR MILITARY COMMISSIONING CEREMONY at Mansion by the Sea's Seaside Café, 1400 Duval St. FREE (Cash Bar).

8:00 PM - 9:00 PM 40TH Annual WORLD'S LOOOOONGEST PARADE on Duval – From the Atlantic Ocean to the Gulf of Mexico. FREE

*REGISTER YOUR float, unit, or vehicle online at ConchRepublic.com

9:00 PM - LATE PARADE AFTER-PARTY & AWARDS CEREMONY, at Schooner Wharf Bar, Official CRIC 2025 Party HQs, 202

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FRIDAY, APRIL 25TH

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM MALLORY SQUARE CLEAN UP, 400 Wall Street. FREE

6:30 PM 43rd Annual CR GREAT SEA BATTLE REENACTMENT LAND FORCES at Mallory Square, 400 WALL St. FREE

7:00 PM 43rd Annual CR INDEPENDENCE NAVAL PARADE in KW Harbor, alongside Mallory Square. FREE

*Register your vessel in the parade online, at ConchRepublic.com.

7:00 PM 43rd Annual REENACTMENT OF THE GREAT SEA
BATTLE OF THE CONCH REPUBLIC. In, alongside and above Key
West Harbor. Best FREE viewing is at Mallory Square, Opal
Resort, Ocean Key Resort & Spa Sunset Pier FREE (Cash Bar)

8:00 PM - LATE 43RD Annual "SURRENDER CEREMONY & VICTORY PARTY" at Schooner Wharf Bar, Historic Seaport. For more info, visit: SchoonerWharf.com._FREE

SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH

1:00 PM - 6:00 PM Julie Hansen Memorial BED RACES ON DUVAL, 801 Duval St. (between Olivia & Southard.) For more info, visit SisterSeason.org *_SIGN UP at ConchRepublic.com

7-:00 PM - 10:00 PM 2nd Annual Ricky Jackson's BRAWL ON DUVAL at Greene. Tickets & Info, BrawlOnDuval.com

7:00 - 8:00 PM "SCHOONER WHARF WRECKERS CUP RACE SERIES" CAPT'S MEETING, 202 William St. FREE

7:00 PM PIRATE BALL & COSTUME CONTEST at Schooner Wharf Bar, Historic Seaport. Info, SchoonerWharf.com. FREE

SUNDAY, APRIL 27TH

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM KEY WEST ARTISAN MARKET – CR EDITION, Higgs Beach, 1801 White St. Where the locals meet! Shop local artists, specialty food vendors, and enjoy live music. FREE Info:Facebook.com/KeyWestArtisanMarket

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM 40TH Annual "SCHOONER WHARF WRECKERS CUP RACE SERIES" Race to Sand Key Lighthouse. For more info, visit SchoonerWharf.com.

5:00 PM - 7:30 PM JAZZ IN THE GARDENS, The Gardens Hotel, 526 Angela St. FREE (Cash Bar) Info: GardensHotel.com

7:00 PM 40TH Annual SCHOONER WHARF WRECKERS CUP RACE SERIES AWARDS PARTY & CEREMONY at Schooner Wharf Bar, Historic Seaport. Info, visit: SchoonerWharf.com. FREE

Event Tickets, Merchandise

& Full Schedule:

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