

ADMIRALTY COMMITTEE

Rendezvous at Spanish Cay in the Abaco Islands of the Bahamas



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Member attorneys from Martin County and their guests were joined by others from Palm Beach and Miami-Dade Counties at the rendezvous and reception held on August 1st at Spanish Cay. Boat problems (so what's new!) caused a schedule change which was communicated by direct email to those who RSVP'd for the event. The venue was moved at the request of the attendees (who desired air conditioning after a day in the hot sun) from the dock to one of the island's very nice condominiums rented by a group of attendees!

After a day of intensive lobstering, the group of about 20 partied well into the night and well past the 10:00 p.m. official end of festivities. We were regaled with tales of the day's adventures and boat repair details. The hungry group devoured 40 grouper fingers, 40 hot wings, 30 conch fritters and accompanying sauces provided by the island's only restaurant, and downed a gallon of Goombay Smash bought from Flash Beach Grille in Hobe Sound, several cases of beer, other liquid refreshments, and an assortment of chips from Sam's. In preparation for the continued island adventures, the admiralty committee provided divers with 10 tourniquets in case there were any shark encounters. In summation, a good time was had by all!

