

THE PARROT'S PARLEY

The Monthly Newsletter of the
Padre Island Parrot Head Club of Corpus Christi

MOON MAN'S MESSAGE

President's Procrastinations-

Procrastinations? Yeah, I'm good at it. But I have an alibi this month – it's called 'catching my breath', after a very successful annual Beach Bash.

Our "Washed Up On A Beach" event was deemed a success by many who helped put it on and many who attended. It could not have happened without the Phantastic Volunteer Members who stepped up to Chair certain committees, setup and tore down awnings and tables- twice, put on the Silent Auction, cooked the delicious meals, served beverages on Sat morning, managed the contests, decorated the beach area and set up and decorated Hard Knocks for the final music event. All these dedicated folks deserve a special round of applause. Get involved-it's fun! We had over 100 friends attending the event and had members from 7 different area Parrot Head Clubs in attendance. Thank you Port Aransas PHC, San Antonio PHC, Canyon Lake PHC, Lone Star PHC (Fort Worth), Galveston Bay PHC and Upper Texas Coast PHC (Beaumont) and of course Padre Island PHC of CC. Great music, fun games, delicious food and friendly friends made for a special weekend . Thank you all.

All good things to say, but I need to add – with almost 250 members in our club, we should have had twice that many in attendance. I am not asking for excuses or alibis, but I would privately like to hear from a few of you on what your opinions are about our club functions. And a few more volunteers to help would give the repeat volunteers some rest. Seems it is always the same 10% of our members who step up. Get involved-it's fun!

AND, the next event where you can help out will be our 2nd Annual "Rum Day Rumble" for National Rum Day, coming up on Aug 15th on the beach between Port A and Padre Island. 2025 was a co-club experiment last year with the Port Aransas PHC, which was so much fun that we are making it an annual event. Fun beach games and contests to promote friendships between club members. More on this later. Get involved-it's fun!

Who doesn't like baseball? It's the all-American past-time. Get your tickets now to the Aug 7th CC Hooks game. We've reserved a block of 80 seats in Section 112, and the Port A PHC is doing the same. See the CC Hooks link on recent email's and in this NL. They are giving Hawaiian Hooks Shirts to the first 2,000 through the gate. And Friday fireworks too. Get involved, it's fun!

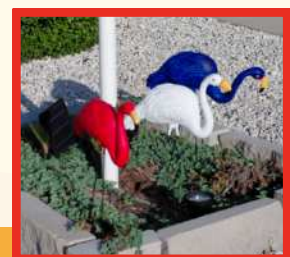
Down the road -figuratively and literally is an event taking place called MOTM – Meeting Of The Minds. Read about it in this newsletter.

Lots happening in our area of the world. And like Ferris Bueller said- "Life moves pretty fast. If you don't stop and look around once in a while, you could miss it."

Get involved-it's fun!

Fins Up and Circling,
Ted Morris
President – PIPHC of CC

Red, White, and
Blue Flamingos



PIPHCCC PHLOCKINGS:



2026

UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS

7/14 - Board Meeting: 5:30 PM @ TBD

7/16 - July Happy Hour 5pm @Perrin's on the Water

Purpose: New Live Refuge Ministries **Music:** Boo & Poo

7/17 - House Concert @ Morris's Blue Lagoon w/John McDonald

7/29 - Full Moon Beach Fire: Buck Moon

8/7 - CC Hooks game w/Hooks Hawaiian Shirt giveaway
& fireworks ([LINK](#))

8/15 - Rum Day RUMble @Beach Access Rd 2



Plans are in motion for the 2nd
Annual "Rum Day RUMble".

Stay tuned.

In recognition of National Rum Day on August 16th, the Parrot Heads of Port Aransas and the Padre Island Parrot Head Club of CC are collaborating on a fun event to include fun, interactive games and contests to get the both club's members together on the beach between our areas. Make plans to attend, but look forward to more info on this.

JULY 16TH
HAPPY
HOUR
New Life
Refuge



Click link to learn more about
[New Life Refuge Ministries](#)



*Thank you to all who
generously donated to
the booze wagon for
the raffle at Beach
Bash. Y'all are amazing!*



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PHLOCK BIRTHDAYS

Sincere apologies for missing some of the May birthdays. Corrected list below:

MAY

- 3 Becky Jones
- 5 Carmen Dunn
- 7 Tandy Kramer
- 11 Patrick Ramsey
- 13 Kristen Tovar-Perkes
- 14 Bob Lee
- 16 Don Muir
- 19 Lynda Bickley
- 21 Suzie Kirshner
- 23 Jana Andrews
- 28 Stan Sweeney
- 30 Kevin Duff
- 30 Fred Hayden
- 31 Marlene Sargent
- 31 Jim Wray



JUNE



- 1 Janet Pitchford
- 3 Pete Moreno
- 5 Kathleen Cullinan
- 6 Ron Bohannon
- 9 Janita Herrin
- 9 Deb Schumacher
- 12 Jeff Davis
- 13 Mac McManus
- 13 Crystal Ames
- 14 Stephen Armstrong
- 15 Ernie Holland
- 16 Marvin Jones
- 16 Heather Pigott
- 20 Tanya Nicks
- 21 Denise Estachy
- 22 Sarah Knutson
- 25 Lynn Silberberg
- 26 Michelle Perrin
- 27 Lucie Harris



Be sure to check your email for more information about House Concerts, Scholarship opportunities, and National Parrot Head activities & events. We try to keep all members informed about our amazing club and opportunities to phlock together. Thanks for the communication Tag!

Please contact Michael Hefner, Director of Membership, if there are any errors or omissions. hefnermpi@gmail.com

PHLOCK BIRTHDAYS

July

- 2 Nancy Blaich
- 3 Liz Montez
- 4 Pam Hoy
- 5 Jeff Delaney
- 6 Marilyn Bisplinghoff
- 7 Adra Campbell
- 7 Greg Perkes
- 9 Robert Birney
- 11 Maureen Folkerts
- 12 Beth Lacy
- 12 Butch Stosberg Jr
- 13 Cindy Crisp
- 16 Helene Trevino
- 17 Mike Teitle
- 18 Larry Wegner
- 19 Jerry Hooper
- 19 Michael Hefner
- 20 Vic Blalack
- 20 Greta Elledge
- 22 Julie Lee
- 26 Mark Glover
- 26 Lee Elledge
- 27 Michael Banker
- 28 Andrea Perieda
- 29 Sherry Dissinger
- 29 Judy Gail Saintignan
- 31 Bonnie Lewis



PIPHC MEMBERSHIP

Total Membership: 248 🍹

Please pick up your new badges at any in person event!

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Joyce Skowronski
Stevie Skowronski
Rusty Monk
Georgia Monk
Denise Robertson
Gary Robertson
Ernie Holland
Jennifer Holland
Beth Zilar
Dorothy Veraveic
Dennis Veraveic
Greg Perkes
Kristen Tovar-Perkes
Martin Bomba
Deborah Bomba
Nancy Williams
Donna Rehkamp
Dan Rehkamp
Damon Wilkerson
Chris Rangel
Dusty Rangel
Larry Wegner
Neva Wegner
Art McColgan
Carol McColgan
Sheri Hall
Troy Zatorski

FULL MOON BEACH FIRES

July 29 - Buck Moon
August 28 - Sturgeon Moon
September 26 - Harvest Moon

Shout out!

Thank you to all of our wonderful Beach Bash donors for their generous contributions of food, time, service, goods, raffle baskets, and positive energy!



"WASHED UP ON A BEACH"

RECAP

June 5-6, 2026 on Padre Island

PIPHC of CC's annual beach bash – an event for the club members to have fun, listen to good music, fellowship and utilize the sandy beaches of Padre Island.

Even Mother Nature made an appearance, but it was just to let us know she was there. Overcast skies and slightly high tides made for a pleasantly warm Friday evening. After a delicious pulled pork, baked beans, and coleslaw meal, we all settled in for some fun songs by **Stoney Gabel**. His first gig on Padre Island landed him playing from the back of his truck to 100+ Parrot Heads. I think maybe he enjoyed it as much since it wasn't a rowdy crowd. That man has some great songs, and even played a few well known cover songs. He did play his signature songs like "Washed Up On A Beach Somewhere", "I Love this Dessert Bar" and many others. Thanks Stoney.

Saturday rolled in with lots of action on the beach. **DJ Mani & DJ Scott** cranked up the tunes, **Bloody Mary Gerry** presented his Mexican-themed BM bar, while "Mimosas by Cheryl" became quite popular. Beach-built Tacos got us going toward a Sandcastle Building area, Cornhole Tourney, Message In A Bottle contest, and a little later a surge for the Jello Shot Contest. The DJs were great, and surprised us all with various trivia and dance contests. I am still chuckling from the "Air Guitar contest". The sun came out, the tides were playing it cool and everyone seemed to have a good time. Winding down mid-afternoon allowed everyone to take a break and get the sand washed from the cracks and crevices for a fun night at HardKnocks.

The evening opened up with music by **Dan West** – what a wonderful voice he has! A little dancing, a buffet meal, the Boozey Buccaneers selling Booze Wagon raffle tickets and a first shot at the Silent Auction items led to music by the 4-man **Rebel Railroad** band out of Tennessee. More musicians who have never played on Padre Island got the attention of all who were at HK. Yes, they were loud, but they were awesome. Dancing fun into the night. Rumor has it that they will be back to play in the area- stay tuned.

A quick list of the contest winners- Congratulate them all when you see them.

CornHole Tourney

- 1) Lauren & Karen (two-time champs)
- 2) Come & Get It-Brian & Gigi Obeck from CLPHC
- 3) Hooper's Holio- Jerry & Jeanie Hooper

Sandcastle Building

- 1) Rusty, Whitney & Cindy from LSPHC
- 2) Gigi Obeck
- 3) Micheal Hefner & Terry Brown

Bottle Decorating

- 1) Coy Miles & Tanya Nicks
- 2) Jan Jones
- 3) Theresa Minton

Message In A Bottle

- 1) Jan Jones
- 2) Capt Chaos (Gigi Obeck)
- 3) Kelly Tagliaferro

Jello Shot Contest

- 1) Jerry Hooper
- 2) Bonnie Lewis
- 3) TIE-
Amy Bornemeier
Michael Hefner

And a different little recognition from the President, with an **"ALL IN"** award for someone who gave it their all in helping to make this event a success. This member exhibited those traits from the beginning planning stages until the final end, helping where needed, Chairing a task, helping others and providing good direction. **Cheryl Glover** needs more than an award, she needs a few kudos and hugs.

May HH Phlocking

HAPPY
HOUR



Fillin' the Booze Wagon at Perrin's on the Water





BEACH BASH SILENT AUCTION DONORS

You made the 2026 Beach Bash a huge success to help our local charities. Thank you for your generous donations!

**THANK
YOU!**

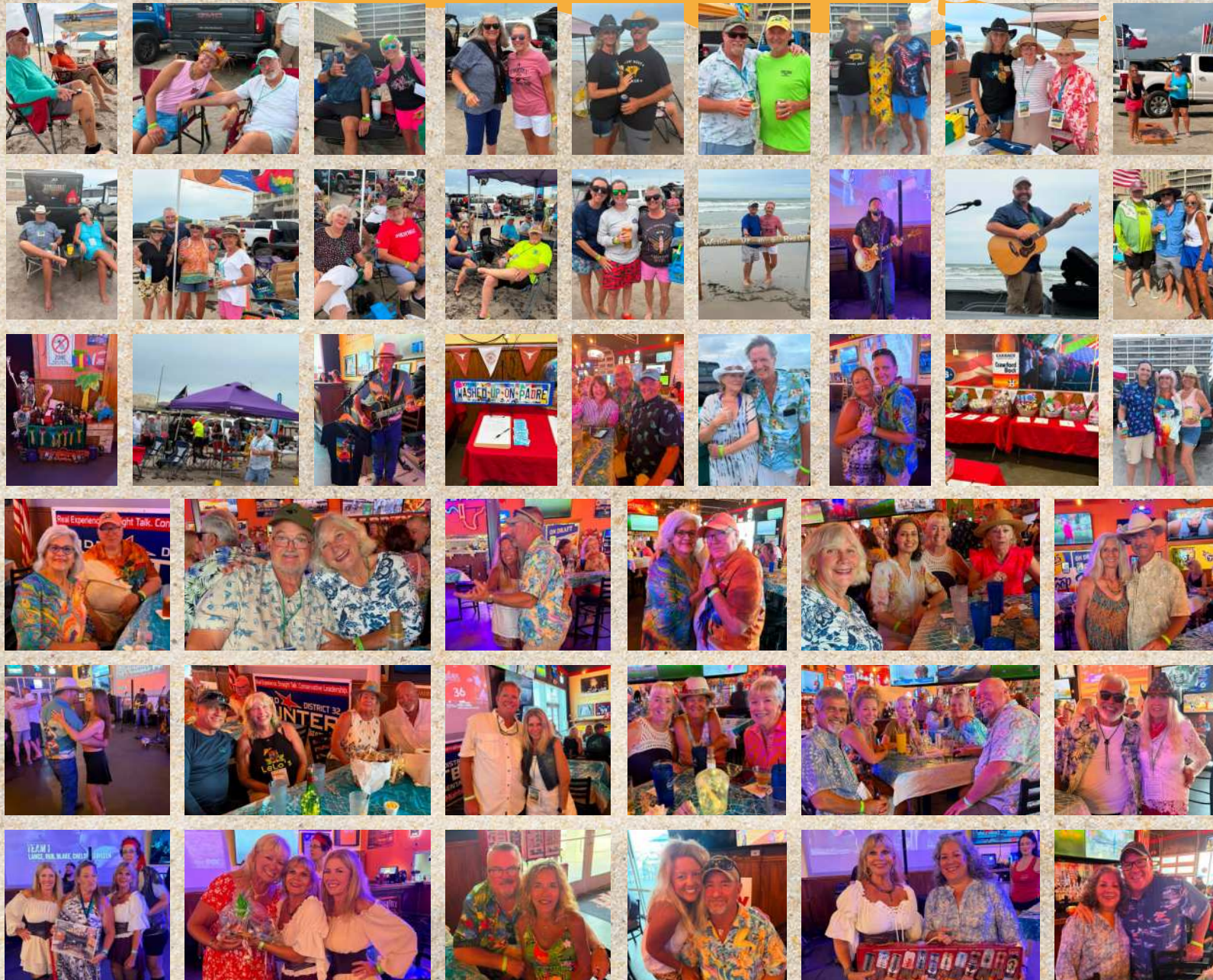
A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO

- Amy Bornemeier
- The Browns
- The Browns, The Morris
- Browns, Morris, Your Name It Embroidery
- Canyon Lake Parrot Head Club
- CTC Creations
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- Deb Boultinghouse & Sarah Knutson
- Gypsy Mermaid/Melinda DeMarinis
- The Glovers, The Morris
- The Glovers, The Morris
- Hometown Seafood
- The Hoopers
- Jan Jones
- Kay Schroeder
- Kerry and Wendy Cathey
- Laura Truelove
- Margaritaville Foods
- Morris, PIPHCofCC, Browns
- The Morris
- Padre Island Cigar Company & The Browns
- Pete Moreno & Denise Estachy
- The Posiks
- The Pruskis
- Reif Rum
- Rob and Kelly Tagliaferro
- Stacy Samuelson
- The Stokes
- The Stokes and The Graves
- Susan Blocker
- Texas State Aquarium
- The Worshams
- Thomas Mangold
- Tim Tristan & Amanda Terry

BEACH BASH 2026 WAS A SUCCESS!

2026 BEACH BASH

**Our annual gathering was a huge success! We raised
\$3600 for EACH of our local charities:
The Texas Sealife Center and CASA**



**Washed Up On A Beach
June 5-6, 2026**

**HAPPY
HOUR**

June HH Phlocking



Thank You
Beach Ball
Brewing!



Wonderful evening with the Padre Island Parrot Heads at Beach Ball Brewing. Ronald McDonald House was our charity. Music by Rick Hoefel.



South Texas

**HAPPY
HOUR**



STRAWBERRY MOON BEACH FIRE

Great turnout and great phun Monday night for the Strawberry full moon!! We had over 50 Parrot Heads come out for the phun and got see PIPHC board members present donation checks to both CASA of the Coastal Bend and Texas Sealife Center for \$3600 each proceeds coming from our recent Washed Up on a Beach bash!!





“BLUE LAGOON”

House Concert Venue

15869 Punta Espada Loop

Corpus Christi, TX

presents

JOHN McDONALD

Friday, July 17, 2026

Doors Open: 5pm

Meet & Greet: 5:30pm

Concert: 6:30-9:30pm

RSVP by July 15 to:

Ted Morris-361-816-8458

mrmorrte@gmail.com

\$20 suggested donation - (directly to John)

Pool Open BYOB-small coolers, please

**Hosted by “The Cabal” team of
Morrises, Hoopers and Bonds**



Vernon Morris
@mrmorrte



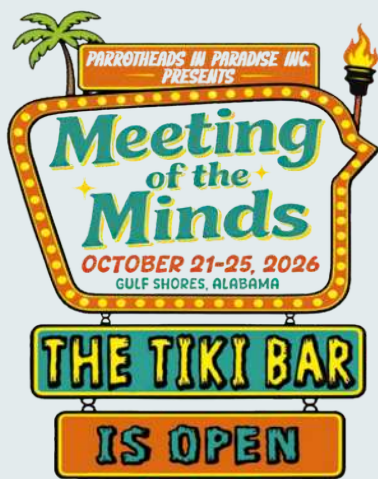
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MOTM – MEETING OF THE MINDS

Parrotheads in Paradise (PHiP) Annual Convention

- What it is: The legendary national convention for Parrot Head Clubs, featuring days and nights of live Trop-Rock music, food, and camaraderie.
- Dates: October 21–25, 2026
- Location: Gulf Shores, Alabama
- Website & Info: Learn more and register on [Meeting of the Minds](http://www.motm.rocks). (www.motm.rocks)



Why go to Meeting of the Minds?

Because Meeting of the Minds isn't just another event—it's the premier gathering of Parrot Heads from across the country.

Created by Parrot Heads, for Parrot Heads, MOTM is where old phriends reunite, new friendships begin, and stories are shared that last a lifetime.

It's more than a music festival. It's a convention. A celebration of our membership. A thank you to the volunteers, leaders, and clubs who keep the Parrot Head spirit alive all year long.

Experience incredible live music, games, educational breakout sessions, community service projects, and unforgettable moments with people who share your passion for fun, friendship, and giving back.

At MOTM, you'll find what makes our community special: Parrot Heads helping Parrot Heads.

And what better place to celebrate that spirit than along the Alabama Gulf Coast—the heartland where Jimmy Buffett's story began and where he first discovered the beaches, culture, and lifestyle that inspired a generation.

This isn't just a convention.

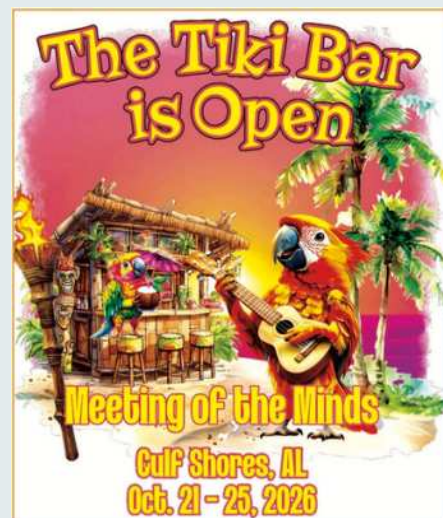
This is your convention.

This is your community.

This is Meeting of the Minds.

Party with a Purpose.

Keep the Party Going.



PARROTHEAD PHUTURE PHLOCKINGS:



7/16 - PIPHC Happy Hour @ Perrin's on the Water
7/17 - House Concert: John McDonald
@Morris's Blue Lagoon
7/24-26 Riddles in the Sand, Galveston, TX ([Link](#))
7/29 - Full Moon: Buck Moon
8/7 - CC Hooks game w/Hooks Hawaiian Shirt
giveaway & fireworks ([Link](#))
8/15 - "Rum Day Rumble": *National Rum Day is 8/16*
8/20 - PIPHC Happy Hour @ Pelican
8/28 - Full Moon: Sturgeon Moon
9/10-13 Phlip, Phlop, Phloat, and Phling (P4)
Canyon Lake PHC ([Link](#))
9/17 - PIPHC Happy Hour
9/ - Wings Over Port A
9/26 - Full Moon: Harvest Moon
10/12 - Service Project - Texas Sealife Center
10/15 - PIPHC Happy Hour
10/21-25 - Meeting of the Minds, Gulf Shores, AL ([Link](#))
10/26 - Full Moon: Hunters Moon
11/6 - House Concert: Mick Fury
@Morris's Blue Lagoon
11/19 - PIPHC Happy Hour
11/24 - Full Moon: Beaver Moon
12/17 - PIPHC Happy Hour and Christmas Party
12/23 - Full Moon: Cold Moon
12/31 - Trop Rockin' NYE, Margaritaville, SPI ([Link](#))

INFORMATION

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Parrot Heads in Paradise Website

phip.com

Phlockers Magazine

<https://phlockersmagazine.com/>

Lone Palm Foundation

lonepalmfoundation.org

There are several sites that you can visit to learn more about activities and goings on not only with our club but also with other sister clubs as well; as long as you are a member in good standing with one parrot head club, all clubs welcome you to visit their phlockings and activities. You may also join more than one club if you choose to do so.



GOT PHOTOS?

Be sure to share by
posting in our [Facebook](#)
[group](#). #piphccc
#partywithapurpose

Visit our **website**, watch the **Facebook group**, and look for
emails with more details about all phuture phlockings!

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Purple Door

Ronald McDonald House

Texas Sealife Center

Timon's Ministries



TIMON'S MINISTRIES
A Hand Up, Not A Hand out



Ronald McDonald House Charities

OUR SUPPORTERS

Anchor Bar & Grill

Beach Ball Brewing

HardKnocks Sports Grill

Perrin's On The Water

The Pelican

Hometown Seafood

The Slip

The Honey Hole



PHLOCKING & PHUNDRAISING!
PARTY WITH A PURPOSE!

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