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COMMUNITY EVENTS & FESTIVALS AT-A-GLANCE

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WAT continues
☐ Clash of the Legends Football
☐ Cayman Art Week
JUNE
Out of this World Music Fest
■ National Gallery: Senior Morning (Grand Cayman)
☐ Billfish Bash
☐ 33 rd Annual Flowers One Mile Sea Swim





NATIONAL GALLERY SENIORS MORNING

2 APRIL 2025

Seniors 60+ can socialise and engage their creativity with exhibition tours, hands-on art activities, and complimentary snacks.

Admission: Free

Location

Cayman Brac Reef Resort 383 Channel Road Cayman Brac

Event Time

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

See contact details and website below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 945-8111

Email: programme@nationalgallery.org.ky

Website: https://www.nationalgallery.org.ky/whats-on/events/seniors-morning-little-cayman/







NATIONAL GALLERY SENIORS MORNING

4 APRIL 2025

Seniors 60+ can socialise and engage their creativity with exhibition tours, hands-on art activities, and complimentary snacks.

Admission: Free

Location

Little Cayman Museum Blossom Village

Event Time

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

See contact details and website below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 945-8111

Email: programme@nationalgallery.org.ky

Website: https://www.nationalgallery.org.ky/whats-on/events/seniors-morning/







CAYMAN INSTYLE FASHION WEEK

10 - 13 APRIL 2025

Cayman InStyle Fashion Week is an immersive celebration of creativity and style, bringing together designers, influencers, and fashion enthusiasts on the vibrant canvas of the Cayman Islands. It is a weekend filled with fashion, art and music. This year the hosts will be international celebrities Jermey Meeks from the USA and Yendi Phillips from Jamaica.

Admission

https://www.caymaninstylefashionweek.com/tickets

Locations & Event Times: (Vary)

See contact details and website below for more information and event schedule.

Telephone: (345) 928-0344

Email: info@caymaninstylefashionweek.com

Website: https://www.caymaninstylefashionweek.com/







STORIES IN ART: EAST END



11 APRIL 2025

The National Gallery of the Cayman Islands will be hosting a 'Stories in Art' event courtesy of the Ministry of Youth, Sports and Heritage geared for children aged 5 and under where they can explore shapes, colours, and subjects to support early development. The event includes a short story book reading followed by an art workshop exploring a related National Collection artwork, or the work of a related local artist.

Admission: Free (Children must be accompanied by an adult)

Location

Sunrise Intergenerational Cottage East End Grand Cayman

Event Time

10:00 am - 11:00 am

See contact details and website below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 945-8111

Email: education@nationalgallery.org.ky

Website: https://www.nationalgallery.org.ky/whats-on/events/stories-in-art-east-end-2/







NATIONAL GALLERY FAMILY FUN DAY

12 APRIL 2025

Visit the Gallery with the little ones at this free family day. Enjoy in-gallery activity sheets, guided studio workshops and pop-up outdoor art stations.

Admission: Free

Location

National Gallery of the Cayman Islands Esterly Tibbetts Highway Grand Cayman

Event Time

10:00 am - 1:00 pm

See contact details and website below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 945-8111

Email: programme@nationalgallery.org.ky

Website: https://www.nationalgallery.org.ky/whats-on/events/family-fun-day-21/







CAYMAN ISLANDS INTERNATIONAL FISHING TOURNAMENT

29 APRIL - 6 MAY 2025

The Cayman Islands International Fishing tournament features a mix of local and international anglers competing for cash and prizes in various categories. Eligible species include Wahoo, Yellowfin Tuna, Dolphin, and Billfish. Base entry fee is CI \$420.00 (US \$500.00) per boat, this makes teams eligible for over CI \$54,600.00 (US \$65,000.00) in cash prizes. The Cayman National Jackpot entry is CI \$2,940.00 (US \$3,500.00) per boat and payout is estimated at over CI \$84,000.00 (US \$100,000.00).

Locations

- George Town Yacht Club (GTYC), George Town, Grand Cayman
- Captain's Table, Cayman Brac

Fishing Hours

1 May: 7:30 am – 4:30 pm 2 - 4 May: 6:00 am – 4:30 pm

See contact details and website below for more information, registration and schedule of events.

Telephone: (345) 945-3131 or (345) 916-6940

Email: info@fishcayman.com

Website: https://fishcayman.com/event/cayman-islands-international-fishing-tournament-2025/





BATABANO JUNIOR CARNIVAL 3 MAY 2025

Junior Batabano is a family-friendly celebration of Cayman's youth featuring a vibrant parade with costumes inspired by Caribbean and Caymanian culture. The event includes fun activities, live entertainment, and delicious food, while promoting the preservation of cultural traditions for future generations. This year, the parade theme is "Island Hopping: Visit the islands through the eyes of Junior Batabano".

Locations

Cardinal Avenue George Town Grand Cayman

Event Times

Family Fun Day & Parade: 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Teen Jam: 7:00 pm – 11:00 pm

See contact details and website below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 949-7121

Email: batabanocaymancarnival@gmail.com

Website: https://www.caymancarnival.com/junior-batabano-street-parade-family-fun-day





BATABANO ADULT CARNIVAL

5 - 10 MAY 2025

Batabano Adult Carnival is a kaleidoscope of music, dance and pageantry, rooted in the region's diverse historical influences. Colourful costumes reflect the vibrant landscapes, heritage and culture, with the music the very rhythm of island life. Cayman Carnival Batabano features night fetes, costume parades and a food festival. This year, the theme is called 'Dis is Cayman'.

Schedule of Events

5 May	J'ouvert Road Parade	4:00 am	Secret location: TBA
6 May	Pan on d' Avenue	7:00 pm – 10:00 pm	Cardinal Avenue, George Town
8 May	The Ivory Experience	7:00 pm – 11:59 pm	Location: TBA
9 May	Friday Night Fete	9:00 pm – 2:00 am	Location: TBA
10 May	Adult Street Parade	1:00 pm	7Mile Public Beach to George Town
10 May	Food Festival	12:00 pm – 11:59 pm	Cardinal Avenue, George Town
10 May	Las Lap Street Dance	7:00 pm	Waterfront, George Town

See contact details and website below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 949-7121

Email: batabanocaymancarnival@gmail.com

Website: https://www.caymancarnival.com/batabano-costume-parade





NATIONAL GALLERY SENIORS MORNING

14 MAY 2025

Seniors 60+ can socialise and engage their creativity with exhibition tours, hands-on art activities, and complimentary snacks.

Admission: Free

Location

National Gallery of the Cayman Islands Esterly Tibbetts Highway Grand Cayman

Event Time

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

See contact details and website below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 945-8111

Email: programme@nationalgallery.org.ky

Website: https://www.nationalgallery.org.ky/whats-on/events/seniors-morning/



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BRACCANAL CARNIVAL

15 - 19 MAY 2025

Five fun-filled days of events, costumes, t-shirts and revelers from all places, enjoying the sweet sounds of soca music and the smell of local Caymanian dishes fill the air.

Location

Route: TBA

Parade Start Time

17 May – 12:00 pm

See contact details and website below for more information and schedule of events.



Telephone: (345) 947-3090

Email: cybbraccanalcommittee@gmail.com Website: https://www.braccanal.com/





CLASH OF THE LEGENDS **FOOTBALL**

19 MAY 2025

This year the Clash of the Legends Football tournament will feature matches with Latinos vs England and Cayman vs Jamaica. There will also be a family fun day and CI \$10.00 raffle tickets can be purchased on the day of the event or at select Foster's locations. Donations accepted at the gate.

Event Times

Family Fun Day: 3:00 pm Game Kickoff: 5:00 pm

Location

Ed Bush Stadium West Bay **Grand Cayman**

See contact and website details below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 939-0025 / (345) 916-3977 / (345) 926-4040

Email: brenthydes60@yahoo.com





CAYMAN ART WEEK

20 - 25 MAY 2025

Cayman Art Week (CAW) 2025 is a week-long, annual event designed to celebrate and encourage the appreciation and collection of art across the Cayman Islands.

Locations

(Vary across the three islands – *To be announced*)

See contact details and website below for more information.





Email: events@caymanartweek.com

Website: https://www.caymanartweek.com/



OUT OF THIS WORLD FEST

31 MAY 2025

Out of this World Music Fest is a live entertainment experience, immersed in Caribbean urbanism and Pop nostalgia featuring the Cayman Islands' top performers and DJs alongside international artists. This year's international headliners are Ludacris and Shenseea.

Admission

Courtyard (Tier One): CI \$100.00 (US \$119.00)
Premium Access (Tier One): CI \$180.00 (US \$214.00)
Ultra Lounge: CI \$375.00 (US \$387.00)

Location

Festival Green, Camana Bay George Town Grand Cayman

Event Time: 4:00 pm – 12:00 pm

See contact details and website below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 938-9900
Email: info@renegademas.com
Website: https://ootwmusicfest.com/



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NATIONAL GALLERY SENIOR MORNING

4 JUNE 2025

Seniors 60+ can socialise and engage their creativity with exhibition tours, hands-on art activities, and complimentary snacks.

Admission: Free

Location

National Gallery of the Cayman Islands Esterly Tibbetts Highway Grand Cayman

Event Time

10:00 am – 12:00 pm

See contact details and website below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 945-8111

Email: programme@nationalgallery.org.ky

Website: https://www.nationalgallery.org.ky/whats-on/events/seniors-morning-2/



CAYMAN

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BILLFISH BASH

6 - 8 JUNE 2025

The Billfish Bash features exciting fishing days, cash prizes and a grand prize ceremony. Compete in a premier tournament targeting Blue Marlin, White Marlin, Sailfish, Spearfish and Dolphin. More event details to be announced soon.

Location

George Town Yacht Club – Grand Cayman

Fishing Time: 6:00 am – 4:00 pm

See contact details and website below for more information about registration and prizes.



Telephone: (345) 945-3131 or (345) 916-6940

Email: info@fishcayman.com

Website: https://fishcayman.com/event/billfish-bash-2025/





33RD ANNUAL FLOWERS ONE MILE SEA SWIM

14 JUNE 2025

The Flowers Sea Swim is Grand Cayman's flagship sporting event — each year hosting almost 1000 registered participants. Participants vary in age from 8 to 80 years old and in skill from novices and first-timers to gold medal Olympians and world championship open water specialists from around the globe. The Flowers Sea Swim welcomes Swimmers from all strokes of life. The race is the world's richest open water event with over \$100,000 in cash and random prizes. The special Olympic and elite athletes attending this year are Roland Schoeman from South Africa, Alex Meyer, Maritza Correia and Lexie Kelly from the USA.

Course: (*To be announced*)

Event Time: 12:30 pm – 4:00 pm

See contact details and website below for more information about registration.

Telephone: (345) 623-0000 **Email:** info@flowersseaswim.com

Website: https://flowersseaswim.com/





EASTER IN CAYMAN

For many years, the Cayman Islands has celebrated the Easter season through a variety of traditions and activities. It is a time that brings the family together to commemorate the sacred events of the season from Good Friday through to Easter Monday.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY DATES

Good Friday 18 April 2025 Easter Sunday 20 April 2025 Easter Monday 21 April 2025

TRADITIONAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE FAMILY

- Camping (feat. Egg Hunt and other fun activities)
- ☐ Potluck Family Dinner
- ☐ Easter Brunch
- ☐ Accommodation Staycation
- ☐ Easter in the Sister Islands
- ☐ Church on Easter Sunday

WEBSITES FOR EASTER ACTIVITIES

- Camping in the Cayman Islands (PLC Permit)
- Explore Cayman: Easter Events
- Cayman Parent: Easter Camps
- Cayman Resident: Community Churches
- Cayman Good Taste: Brunches & Events



NEW FOOD & BEVERAGE BUSINESSES





ARBUTUS EXPRESS FOOD TRUCK

The Arbutus Express food truck is the newest edition to Arbutus Galley's restaurant experience. They specialise in Caribbean cuisine.

Location

Wahoo Close George Town Grand Cayman

Business hours

Daily: 6:00 am - 10:00 pm

See contact and website details below for more information.



Telephone: (345) 943-1100 | (345) 943-1300 | (345) 927-8239

Email: Arbutusgalley345@gmail.com

Websites: https://www.facebook.com/people/Arbutus-Express-Wahoo-Close-behind-Cayman-Auto-Clinic/100064112949090/





ASCIARESTAURANT

Ascia is the newest Asian restaurant to the Grand Cayman Marriott Resort's dining experience. They specialise in dinner serving signature sushi, fresh ramen and exquisite Nikkei creations crafted to captivate the most refined palates.

Location

Grand Cayman Marriott Resort George Town Grand Cayman

Business hours

Daily (Dinner): 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm

See contact and website details below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 949-0088

Website: https://www.marriott.com/en-us/dining/restaurant-bar/gcmgc-grand-cayman-marriott-resort/7187217-ascia.mi





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BROOKIE'S COOKIES

BAKERY

Brookie's Cookies bakery offers a variety of freshly baked cookies, from classic chocolate chip to creative custom designs. Their menu includes everything from sugar cookies with royal icing to gourmet flavors, and they're

always experimenting with new ideas.

Location

878 Caribbean Plaza (Unit A12) George Town Grand Cayman

Business hours

Tuesday – Thursday: 11:00 pm – 8:00 pm Friday & Saturday: 10:00 am – 9:00 pm

Sunday: 10:00 am - 6:00 pm

See contact and website details below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 928-3313

Emails: cookies@brookiescookies.ky
Website: https://brookiescookies.ky/





CARNIVORE SMASH

FOOD TRUCK

Carnivore Smash food truck is Carnivore Premium Meats newest addition. Their specialties are burgers, fries and boneless wings peered with there signature 1981 Brewing Co. beer.

Location

273 Dorcy Drive George Town Grand Cayman

Business hours

Monday – Saturday: 11:00 am – 8:00 pm

See contact and website details below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 527-6274 Email: info@carnivore.ky

Websites: https://www.instagram.com/smash.ky/





FRESHUP CAFÉ

Fresh up the newest café to George Town. They are passionate about serving the finest coffee, refreshing tea, delicious sandwiches and freshly baked pastries.

Location

3 Dr Roys Drive George Town Grand Cayman

Business hours

Monday – Thursday: 6:00 am – 5:00 pm

Friday: 6:00 am – 9:00 pm

Saturday: 7:00 am - 9:00 pm

See contact and website details below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 233-1218

Email: freshupcayman@gmail.com

Websites: https://www.facebook.com/p/Fresh-Up-Cafe-61571484822959/







GUSTORESTAURANT, BAR & FARM SHOP

Gusto is the newest farm-to-table, bar and farm shop experience in the Cayman Islands. Enjoy amazing cocktails, great company and an unforgettable time on their cozy back deck.

Location

352 Shamrock Road Red Bay Grand Cayman

Business hours: Bar Open (Restaurant Launch SEPTEMBER 2025)

Wednesday – Saturday: 12:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Sunday: 1:00 pm – 10:00 pm

See contact and website details below for more information.





KOJIMA IZAKAYA RESTAURANT

Kojima Izakaya is where traditional Japanese flavors meet modern dining. Enjoy fresh sushi, sashimi, ramen, tempura, fire-grilled yakitori, steaks, and seafood for an unforgettable culinary experience in a warm, inviting atmosphere.

Location

127 North Church Street George Town Grand Cayman

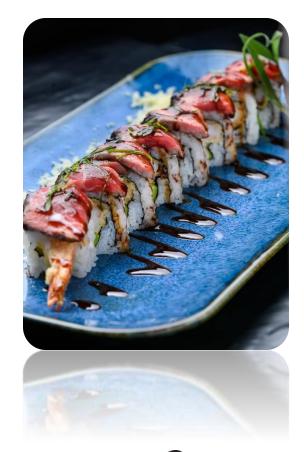
Business hours

Tuesday - Sunday: 11:30 am - 10:00 pm

See contact and website details below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 938-4133 Email: info@kojima.ky

Websites: https://www.facebook.com/people/Kojima-Izakaya/61571615352768/







THE FOUNDRY RESTAURANT

The Foundry specialises in tacos with handmade tortillas made freshly daily. You can enjoy them with a refreshing Foundry Margarita or sip on something from their wide range of whiskey and tequila.

Location

The Shoppes at Grand Harbour George Town **Grand Cayman**

Business hours

Monday – Saturday: 11:30 am – close

Sunday: 12:00 pm – 8:00 pm

See contact and website details below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 945-5200

Email: manager@ghrestaurants.com

Websites: https://www.saltysbar.ky/thefoundry







FARM-TO-TABLE EXPERIENCE

HIDDEN HARVEST

GARDEN & GATHERING

Ditch your typical brunch spot for a one-of-a-kind garden to gathering experience in the shaded oasis of Plantation Organics. Tour the garden with Joel Walton, then indulge in a tapas-style brunch featuring prosecco, wines, and signature cocktails—all crafted with the freshest local organic ingredients by local culinary talents.

Location

35 Doubloon Drive, Shamrock Road George Town Grand Cayman

Garden Tour, Brunch or Dinner Hours: (To be announced)

See contact and website details below for more information and next event date.

Telephone: (345) 925-1408

Websites: https://www.instagram.com/plantationorganics/









ARBUTUS GALLEY RESTAURANT



Wahoo Close George Town Grand Cayman

Business hours

Daily: 6:00 am – 10:00 pm

See contact and website details below for more information.

Telephone: (345) 943-1100 | (345) 943-1300 | (345) 927-8239

Email: Arbutusgalley345@gmail.com

Websites: https://www.facebook.com/p/Arbutus-Galley-Restaurant-School-Road-100064112949090/







CORAL BEACH

RESTAURANT

No longer at location West Bay Road Grand Cayman





YUMMY TUMMY FOOD TRUCK

No longer at location
Prospect
Grand Cayman





ACCOMMODATION & ROOM STOCK UPDATES



NEW DEVELOPMENTS

Developments	Rooms	Location	Estimated Completion
Kailani, Grand Cayman (NCB Group) https://ncbgroup.ky/wp- content/uploads/2018/01/Luxury-Condo-Hotel- Overview.pdf	80 (1, 2 and 3 bedroom suites)	Almond Tree Site, North Church Street, GCM (Broke Ground)	December 2026 (Q2)
Grand Hyatt Grand Cayman Hotel & Residences http://grandhyattgran dcaymanresidences.com/seven- mile-beach/	357	Pageant Beach, George Town, GCM	2025 Q4
Marea https://marea.ky/little-cayman/	30 (10 - 3 bedroom suites)	Little Cayman	Broke Ground Q4 2025



NEW DEVELOPMENTS

Developments	Rooms	Location	Estimated Completion
One GT	177 Rooms	Goring Ave, George Town, GCM	2025 (Q3)
St. James Point, Mandarin Oriental Hotel	100 hotel rooms 89 Residences	Beach Bay, Bodden Town, GCM	Committed Broke Ground
Eco-Resort at Barefoot Beach	89 Cottages	Barefoot Beach, East End, GCM	Committed



NEW DEVELOPMENTS

Developments	Rooms	Location	Estimated Completion
Cayman Enterprise City Zone	TBD	South Sound, GCM	TBD
Hotel & Canal District Planned Area Development (PAD)	TBD	West Bay, GCM	TBD
Barkers Beach Resort	20 Rooms	West Bay, GCM	Committed



ROOM STOCK BY ISLAND

March 2025

Category	GCM		LYB	Total
Apartment (Condos)	4,097	56	47	4,200
Guest House (Villas	1,296	95	42	1,433
Hotels	2,656	85	67	2,808
Total	8,049	236	156	8,441



