

Art Box Artist of the Month: Mariela Estevez

Mariela Estevez was raised in Venezuela, South America and has created art as far back as she can remember. Her parents were very creative: her mother was an artist and father an engineer.

Mariela attended art school in Montreal, Canada. After graduating from art

school she spent 25 years doing what she loves: creating art and teaching children. Through her work, people can see that she is passionate about art.

Mariela is a mother and grandmother; she has a beautiful daughter and granddaughter. She is challenged to find the time and energy for

her work, and finds inspiration in her family.

She recently moved to the Keys, where she has a studio space in which to be creative. When people view her work, it communicates that she is a caring person who cherishes life and wants to leave a positive mark on the world.

Mariela never stops learning about art. She hopes to continue to make artistic discoveries and to stretch and grow. She encourages everyone to create and enjoy the process, and make your mark on the world.

You can have the opportunity to meet Mariela Estevez at the third Thursday art walk in Islamorada. Please come in and see her work at the Art Box in Key Largo.



The Art Box's summer kids art program starts June 9th and sessions are held Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday from 9:30 am to noon or 12:30-3 pm; or both. Ages 5-12. The classes cover media from watercolors, acrylics, and drawing, to clay pottery. The summer program runs weekly throughout the summer; please call for reservations and pricing 305-451-5461.

Key Largo Rotary Club Welcomes New Members

The Key Largo Rotary Club is pleased to welcome its newest members, Lt. Alberto Ramirez and Henry Menendez.



Lt. Ramirez, shown here with Nancy Alvarez, is Station Commander of the Monroe County Sheriff's Office, having worked for the Sheriff's Office since 1989. Prior to that he served as a military police officer in the US Army.



Henry Menendez, pictured here with Jennifer Miller and Esther Fernandez, is the owner of HNO Productions, an event production company. His team currently provides assistance in the production of the Miami Marathon and the coordination of events for Hard Rock Cafe, City of Deerfield Beach and Life Time Fitness.

The Key Largo Rotary is honored to have both Alberto and Henry as our newest Rotarians. Information about the Key Largo Rotary Club can be found at www.keylargorotary.org.

Scott Youngberg IDLE SPEED BENEFIT

Sunday
June 15
(Father's Day)
at **(oo-tray)**
no cover



Live Music outside on the porch 11-11

Music Videos playing inside 11-11

Lunch & Dinner served inside & outside

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All proceeds to benefit
Scott Youngberg and
offset medical expenses



Scott has been diagnosed with a very rare form of bone cancer called *chordoma*. He went in for minor surgery in March to remove a pilonidal cyst he had since birth. A month later, the pathology revealed that it was not a pilonidal cyst after all. It was a chordoma. And, they didn't get it all.

Scott and his wife Suzie will be dealing with at least a year's worth of treatments including surgery, chemotherapy and proton beam radiation. He will not be able to perform during much of this time. There will be survival income lost.

Scott has a great positive attitude, he is young and strong and otherwise healthy. We know he will beat this and we are here to help.

Scott Youngberg has been a well-loved Keys musician for many years. He performs everywhere and contributes his time to all the various charitable causes. Scott's unique style, wit, and positive energy have made him a favorite performer everywhere.



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