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# LADY'S ISLAND MARINA DIGEST

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## July 2024 News

### **THE** July event in downtown Beaufort, SC:

The 68th Annual Beaufort Waterfront Festival runs from July 12 - July 21st this year. With an Arts and Crafts Market, a river raft race, bocce and badminton tournaments, a children's toad fishing tournament, shrimp boat display, ski show, air show, bed race, parade, live music every night, and food trucks, there is surely something for everyone at Beaufort's largest annual festival. Located at the Henry Chambers Waterfront Park in downtown Beaufort. For a complete schedule, visit [www.bftwaterfestival.com](http://www.bftwaterfestival.com). Some highlights are listed below:

Daily: Arts and Crafts Show  
Nightly: Concerts in the Park  
7/13: Raft Race, Bocce, Badminton, and Children's Toad Fishing Tournaments.  
7/13 & 7/14: Shrimp Boat Display  
7/14: Ski Show  
7/19: Bed Race  
7/20: Parade and Air Show  
7/21: Blessing of the Fleet and Parade of Boats

July, 2024: The summer is in full swing here at Lady's Island Marina. Beaufort's big event this month is the 68th Annual Beaufort Waterfront Festival. We're booked solid for the first weekend of the festival and close to it for the second one, so give us a call as soon as you can if you want to come down to check it out. We are also keeping a waiting list for the first weekend in case there are any cancellations.

Call us at (843) 522-0430 or you can book on Dockwa. We hope to see you soon!



Did you know we have laundry facilities here? We have two washers and two dryers available for our guests to use. Washers are free and dryers are only \$2.50 for 65 minutes. We also have plenty of quarters available in the office if you need them. Feel free to take care of your full laundry bag while you stay with us!

Do you have any suggestions or comments for us? Do you want to send us a photo of Lady's Island Marina to be featured on our Facebook page? You can send suggestions, comments, or photos to [kthomas@ladysislandmarina.com](mailto:kthomas@ladysislandmarina.com). Thanks!

Featured Local Business of the Month:



Located here at Lady's Island Marina on the second floor of our main building, One Salon shows Beaufort, SC the best of hair and beauty. Offering haircuts for women and men, coloring, treatment, waxing, facials, and makeup, let Liesle, Nicole, and Zyra give you a respite from the "boat hair don't care" lifestyle.



To learn more about One Salon or make an appointment, visit <https://www.onesalonbeaufort.com> or call (843) 379-4499.

## meet our team



Aaron Martin - Director of Marina Operations

Originally from Dallas-Fort Worth, TX, Aaron grew up spending the weekends on the lakes of East Texas fishing for bass and tubing. Professionally, he made his career in marketing for Six Flags theme parks before leaving the hustle of corporate life after 10 years for the shores of Oahu, Hawaii. There, he built a startup company that specialized in technology-driven tourism via moped rentals. It was on the banks of Waikiki, where Aaron would draw inspiration for his next chapter in life...sailing!

Aaron arrived here on his Hunter 340 "SV Kaimana" in late December, 2020. He left Deltaville, VA earlier in the year with a plan to go to the Bahamas, but Covid threw a wrench in his plans. He stopped in Lady's Island Marina for what was supposed to be a short stay, but when Tom Daniels (the Owner) met him, he offered Aaron a job. Nearly four years later, he's still here!

After spending two years as the Dockmaster, he was promoted to the Director of Marina Operations. Aaron is responsible for property development and managing the several properties on Lady's Island Marina, along with coordinating future development.

When he's not working at the marina, Aaron likes to swing in a hammock at Hunting Island State Park, hike, and try out different restaurants throughout the state. In addition to being a regular at Ryan's Pizza & Hibachi, he's tried almost every restaurant in the region, so if you need a recommendation he's your go-to!