



**NGCC 2011 Preliminary Itinerary**  
**Information and Itinerary: April 30-May 6, 2011**

**Cruise Communications:** VHF Channel 71 Family Band Channel 7

- Campfires:**
- Spectre Island (Saturday):
  - Big Lagoon (Monday):
  - Spectre Island (Thursday):

**Itinerary:**

- **Friday: 5:30 PM:** Welcome Cookout for cruise participants at the Ft Walton Yacht Club gazebo hosted by Fleet 77.
- **Saturday:** Rendezvous at Spectre Island. This is about a five hour sail. Supper on boat or beach. **6:30 PM --** Group meeting for updates, questions, and distribution of **Navarre Bridge Boat Formation Assignments.**
- **Sunday, depart at 8 AM or earlier:** Sail to Quietwater Beach/Pensacola Beach (Beach Anchor) or Little Sabine for available dock slips. Group formation picture from the Navarre Bridge. A copy of boat formation assignments will be distributed at the campfire meeting on Spectre Island. Stop for lunch if you like in Navarre at Juana's or Sailors' Grill (southwest corner of Navarre Bridge – no dock) or dock at the Public Boat Ramp/Dock for access to Restrooms and convenience store (ice, fuel, groceries). Also at Navarre (NW corner) there is a shallow water dock with access to public restrooms and Butterfly Park; or fast food, grocery store and shopping center across Highway 98. Sailing time is approximately 8-10 hours. Showers available at the Pensacola Beach Yacht Club. Ice, supplies, groceries, etc are available. Fuel available at Little Sabine dock area adjacent/behind the Pensacola Beach Yacht Club. Variety of restaurants and shops on the Boardwalk.
- **Monday, depart at 8 AM or earlier:** Sail to Big Lagoon. Cross Pensacola Pass into cut to Big Lagoon. Exit cut, then immediately turn south and then east into small, protected cove where we beach anchor. Sailing time is approximately 5 hours including time to anchor. Supper on boat or beach. Evening campfire.
- **Tuesday, depart at approximately 10 AM or earlier** (After the Blue Angels Flight Demonstration over Big Lagoon and Gulf of Mexico-Weather Permitting): Sail to Bear Point Marina for group picture and dinner at Flipper's Restaurant. Sailing time is approximately 3 to 4 Hours. Feel free to sail a while longer west toward Wolf Bay and return to Bear Point; or sail out in Perdido Bay; or head over to Pirate's Cove for some afternoon R & R ("Rest & Refreshments"). Dinner begins promptly at 5:30 p.m. Wear Cruise T-Shirt to dinner for group picture. Showers/Restrooms available, and Marina Store for fuel, ice, soft drinks, beer, wine, and miscellaneous supplies.
- **Wednesday, depart at 8 AM or earlier:** Sail back to Quietwater Beach or Little Sabine. Sailing time is approximately 7 to 8 hours. Consult the tide tables to avoid outgoing tide at Pensacola Pass during the afternoon hours. Dinner on your boat or at local restaurants.
- **Thursday, depart at 8 AM or earlier:** Sail to Spectre Island. Stop for lunch in Navarre if you like. Dinner at Spectre Island on boat/beach, or maybe we might put together a pot luck dinner on the beach, enjoy the campfire, and receive cruise certificates. Sailing Time approximately 8-10 hours.
- **Friday, depart 8 AM or earlier:** Return to Ft Walton Yacht Club and load boats on trailers.  
**4 PM --Yacht Club Lounge-Cash Bar. 5 PM --** Post cruise dinner at the Ft Walton Yacht Club---  
Order and Pay for Dinner from Yacht Club Restaurant Menu -- Casual dress.

**THERE WILL BE ADDITIONAL UPDATES TO THIS ITINERARY AS WE MOVE CLOSER TO OUR CRUISE DATE.**

