



# **VISITOR CENTER**

OPEN DAILY 10AM-6PM

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### **EXPLORE THE BEACH**

Pompano Beach is more beautiful, exciting and welcoming than ever. Embrace the sunshine on the 3 miles of wide sandy shoreline. Enjoy the tree-shaded promenade where you may come across a concert on the great lawn or see children playing in the interactive splash pad. Have some fitness fun using the outdoor gym equipment. Bring a picnic lunch to enjoy under one of the gazebos, or grab refreshments from one of the many nearby eateries.

Walk a few beach blocks along the promenade and you'll find the nearly 900', iconic Fisher Family Pier perfect for people watching, strolling, fishing or visiting some friendly pelicans. Fishing rods and bait are available at the Bait Shack located at the entrance of the pier.

The Pier anchors the Pompano Beach Fishing Village where you'll find street and garage parking, both casual and upscale dining, a tiki bar, a fabulous coffee hub and other shops. Stop by the Visitor Center, at the southwest corner of the Beach Garage for recommendations, information and discount coupons.

#### **DIVING**

The warm waters of the Gulf Stream help maintain comfortable water temperatures year-round, making it a perfect place for snorkelers and divers. Explore the natural reefs and colorful marine life they support. Visit any of the 18 shipwrecks of Shipwreck Park that lie beneath the waves. Dive sites are easily accessible, with many located just a short boat ride from the shore.

#### **FISHING**

You might expect that a city named after a fish enjoys the salt life. You would be correct. In fact, Pompano Beach has some of the world's best sport fishing. The topography and the temperature of the Atlantic Ocean are the perfect habitat for sport fish like mahi-mahi, wahoo, tuna and many others. Daily fishing charters offer reef fishing and deep-sea fishing that can accommodate all levels of experience.

## **WATER ADVENTURES**

The inviting clear waters of Pompano Beach provide ideal conditions for enjoying your favorite watersport, be it in the ocean or the intracoastal waterways. Local vendors can equip you for your next adventure whether for kayaking, stand-up-paddle boarding, jet skiing, sailing, or kiteboarding.

## **GOLF**

Pompano Beach is home to five 18-hole golf courses. The Pompano Beach Golf Course has two courses, including The Pines Course, designed by World Golf Hall-of-Famer Greg Norman. Palm-Aire Country Club holds three 18-hole courses. All courses are open to the public.

#### **POMPANO BEACH GOLF COURSE**

Palms Course 6,820 yards, par 71 Pines Course 7,100 yards, par 72

#### **PALM-AIRE COUNTRY CLUB**

Cypress Course 6,810 yards, par-72
Oaks Course 6,910 yards, par-71
Palms Course 6,944 yards, par-72

#### **PARKS & RECREATION**

In addition to golf, Pompano Beach has 50 parks with 700 acres of green space. Pompano Beach Community Park is just a short drive from the main beach and is home to the Pompano Beach Amphitheatre, ball fields, an aquatic center, fitness trails, a playground as well as tennis and pickleball courts. Sgt. Kip Jacoby Park provides an all-accessible playground allowing children of all abilities to play with their peers.













#### ENTERTAINMENT

There's no shortage of entertainment in Pompano Beach, with an ongoing diverse lineup of shows and concerts at any of the City's five cultural arts venues, including a 3,000-seat covered amphitheater. Restaurants, bars and hotels host live, local bands and entertainers, featuring an assortment of musical styles.

#### GAMING

Harrah's Pompano Beach is home to over 1,200 slots machines and electronic table games, a WSOP Poker Room with 40+ live action poker tables, a high-tech sports bar and wagering/simulcast area, and an openair gaming terrace, along with a 14-seat video poker bar and more than 30 televisions broadcasting news, sports and racing. The casino houses two restaurants; a casual eatery featuring NY-style deli favorites and the other a classic American steakhouse.

#### **FESTIVALS**

Experience world-class jazz, delicious seafood and nautical markets that herald Pompano Beach's water-loving lifestyle. Vibrant celebrations of cultures from the Caribbean islands to far-flung India. Plan your vacation around these family-friendly Pompano Beach events and festivals.





#### **CULTURAL ARTS**

Pompano Beach is a dynamic cultural hub. Our city offers a rich tapestry of artistic experiences, including world-class venues, galleries, live music, and public art, for art lovers of all kinds. The Pompano Beach Cultural Center includes a 300-seat theatre which can convert to a cabaret style venue with table tops and chairs. The gallery at the Center has achieved acclaim for its curatorial showcasing of regional, national and international artists.

The Pompano Beach Amphitheatre (Amp) is a 3,000-seat outdoor venue that offers an amazing concert experience with one epic act after another. The "Amp" is known for hosting a wide variety of concerts ranging from hard rock, country, soul, rap and everything in between.

Ali Cultural Arts Center is a unique venue offering public visual art exhibits, musical and dance performances, providing a glimpse into the heritage of the Pompano Beach African-American community, and has become a center for the arts and history of Pompano Beach.

Bailey Contemporary Arts Center (BaCA) is a beautiful contemporary art gallery. On the second floor there are working studio spaces for BaCA's resident artists, who range from collagists to potters, painters to sculptors. Patrons can venture upstairs to watch them create. The center area provides lounge places for brainstorming or small meetings. It is the second oldest historical building in Pompano Beach.





# **PLACES TO STAY**

Pompano Beach offers a variety of lodging options to suit your preference and budget. Whether you prefer a charming boutique property, a lavish 4-star beachside resort, limited-service hotel, extended-stay accommodations, or vacation rental, you will find what you are looking for in Pompano Beach.

Hotels often have special hotel packages that coincide with special events, festivals and performances.



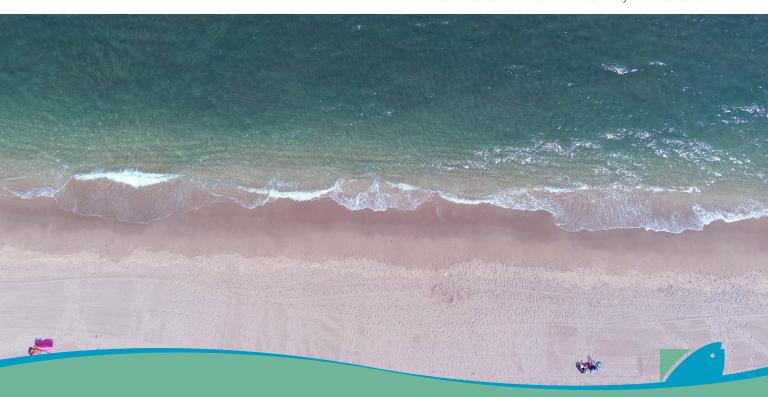
# **FOOD & DRINK**

Pompano Beach is a dining destination that offers options for every taste. Take your pick from restaurants serving freshly caught seafood, prime steaks, and international cuisine.

Whether its tropical drinks with your toes in the sand, fine dining at beachfront restaurants, or brunch with friends and family. No matter the experience, our food and drink scene extends a warm welcome to all.

Go on a bucket-list worthy bar crawl through Pompano Beach's bars and breweries.

Beer aficionados will appreciate Pompano Beach's five local breweries. And, while some are off the beaten path, they're definitely worth going the extra distance. Each has its own distinct vibe and style of craft beers.





# **PLACES OF INTEREST**

Sample-McDougald House is a 4,700 square foot historic home built in 1916. It is currently located at 450 Northeast 10th Street, but was originally built on Dixie Highway and moved by the Sample-McDougald House Preservation Society. In 2004, it was added to the U.S. National Register of Historic Places. The house is open to the public and welcomes visitors. Visit samplemcdougald.org for more information.

Pompano Beach Air Park has many services including flight training, aircraft rental, air taxi/charter, scenic tours and aerial photography. A jogging/walking path around its perimeter is very popular with both visitors and residents.

**Goodyear Blimp**, one of only three, the Wingfoot Two is based in Pompano Beach. The general public is welcome to visit the base, however rides are by invitation only. Visit goodyearblimp.com for more information.

The Historical Society keeps history alive with its monthly, 2-hour narrated bus tour of the City's most historic sites, including some familiar landmarks that have been recently revitalized. The private tours of the historic Kester Cottages Museum are also available by appointment.

**Top Golf** is the perfect place to work on your swing, with its three stories of pure fun! Boasting 102 outdoor, climate controlled hitting bays, a full-service restaurant, multiple bars, an outdoor patio, a rooftop terrace, music and family-friendly special events. Top Golf is a modern golf experience, where anyone can participate, even if you've never golfed before.

# IT'S EASY TO VISIT POMPANO BEACH:



Accessible by three international airports, with Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport just 30-minutes away. Private planes may travel through Pompano Beach's own Air Park.



Easily accessed by car via I-95 or Florida's Turnpike.



The Tri-Rail Train offers a Pompano Beach Station while the Amtrak has service to Fort Lauderdale and is around 20- minutes away by car. Pompano Beach is also easily accessed via high-speed railway from Miami or Orlando, as the City lies almost directly between Brightline's Fort Lauderdale and Boca Raton stations.



Once here, utilize the Circuit, a free, on-demand, City-sponsored micro-transit option, to explore the coastal area. Service may be ordered via the Circuit App.



E-bike rentals and electric vehicle chargers are available throughout the beach.

#### **WEATHER:**

Pompano Beach enjoys a year-round, tropical climate. Winters are typically warm and dry with low humidity. Summer travelers experience more intense temperatures, sultry air and a higher chance of intermittent rain.

ENJOY TROPICAL
TEMPERATURES
ALL YEAR LONG:
76°F / 25°C 84°F / 29°C

For a daily beach conditions report, call 954-786-4005 or check out our website to watch our live beach cams.

#### **ACCESSIBILITY:**

Pompano Beach has access mats at each of the 6 beach entrances and offers complimentary beach wheelchairs seven days a week, on a first-come, first-serve basis at Lifeguard Towers 2 and 7.

Pompano Beach is a designated Autism Friendly City.

The Pompano Beach Golf Course is proud to offer the Solo Rider Adaptive Golf Cart, available for rent.







#### **WRECK LOCATIONS**



2. Miller Lite (L-5)

3. Mariner II Tug (L-6)

4. Union Express (L-6)

5. Mary St. Philip (M-6)

6. Rodeo 25 (M-7)

7. Quallman Tugs et al. (L-7)

8. RSB-1 (L-7)

9. RBJ (M-7)

10. Chris Corey (M-7)

11. Renegade (M-8)

12. Lowrance (M-9)

13. Captain Dan (L-9)

14. Guy Harvey (M-9)

15. SS Copenhagen (K-10)

16. Caicos Express (M-10)

17. Lady Luck (K-7)

18. Okinowa (K-7)



#### **DIVE LOCATIONS**

1. Pompano Trench (M-4)

2. Lost Ledge (M-5)

3. Suzzane's Ledge (K-6)

4. Pompano 3<sup>rd</sup> Reef Ridge (M-6)

5. Steve's Twin Ledges (L-7)

8. Pompano Drop Off (K-8)

6. Shark Reef (L-8)

9. Grouper Bend (M-8)

7. Touchdown Reef (L-8)

10. Nursery (K-9)

