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DESCRIPTION	Hawks Cay Resort is a 60-acre true resort destination located midway down the island chain of the Florida Keys. Situated on the secluded and intimate isle of Duck Key where guests enjoy watching both the sunrise and sunset, the resort is the ideal vacation spot for families, couples, and groups interested in the quintessential Florida Keys experience, centered on fun in the sun with virtually every water-related activity imaginable. A member of the Preferred Hotels & Resorts Lifestyle Collection and an AAA Four Diamond Award winner, the resort boasts a total of 387 villas and hotel rooms, six restaurants, a saltwater lagoon, five swimming pools, a full-service spa, as well as onsite watersports, fishing charters, and Dolphin Connection facility.
ACCOMMODATIONS	The main hotel has 177 guestrooms, each equipped with wireless internet access, large flat-panel 55” LCD TVs and oversized tumbled marble showers and baths. Guestrooms incorporate a modern style to an island ambiance with soft hues and tropical accents throughout. Natural elements celebrate the resort’s island location with inspiration from the ocean and lifestyle that surrounds Duck Key.

Most accommodations have balconies with ocean views or direct access to the adults-only pool in Oasis Cay or the main Resort Pool. There are eight room categories: Hawks Cay Guest Room (King/2 Queens/2 Queens with fifth sleeper), Family Guestroom (king with bunkbed), Water View Guestroom (King/2 Queens), Lanai Guestroom (King/2 Queens), Captain Suites, One-Bedroom Presidential Suite and Two-Bedroom Penthouse Suite.

A collection of 210 two- and three-bedroom Hawks Cay Villas are perfect for groups and families. Most villas feature complete kitchens with granite countertops and stainless-steel appliances and oversized decks with water views.

DINING

Hawks Cay offers a variety of dining options, all showcasing a variety of flavors unique to South Florida.

- **Sixty-One Prime** is a Florida Keys-style chop house. Signature elements of the Sixty-One Prime experience include warm, buttery rolls and world-class selections of USDA prime cut steaks, along with fresh seafood and local ingredients. The menu celebrates the restaurant's commitment to the "Fresh from Florida" initiative created by the Florida Department of Agriculture with a refined farm-to-table approach. Menu favorites include the Key West pink shrimp with white bean cassoulet and smoked tomato oil, Kurobuta pork belly with apple turnip chutney and blackberry pearls, and McCoy Ranch grass-fed Delmonico with bone marrow fritter and tobacco onions. The restaurant is also open for breakfast daily.
- **Angler & Ale**, overlooking Hawks Cay Marina, is the resort's casual, Keys-style dining outlet. The menu concept pays tribute to its Florida Keys home by focusing on the quality and freshness of its locally sourced ingredients. Menu favorites include the Whole Fried Snapper, Grouper Cheeks, ceviche of the day, and Tuna Nachos. Guests also have the option to 'Hook N Cook' where they can bring in their fresh catch of the day and have the chef prepare it that evening. A Florida Keys dining experience is not complete without a drink, and Angler & Ale delivers an impressive craft cocktail menu with an extensive beer selection that includes a signature Angler's Ale brew.
- **Coral Grill**, located at Coral Cay Activities & Adventure, provides quick snacks and drinks for the whole family.
- **Pilar Bar** is the resort's Hemingway-inspired bar that offers specialty Pilar Rum-based drinks and bar bites for easy ocean-side dining.
- **Hawks Cay Marketplace** is home to Hawks Cay's Starbucks outpost. Guests can purchase pre-made grab-and-go meals, order pizza fresh out of the pizza oven, and buy grocery items, snacks, and pool necessities throughout the day.
- **Tiki Grill** services the saltwater lagoon and main pool and offers cocktails, sandwiches and salads available poolside, at the bar or in a lounge chair.

WATERSPORTS

From the full-service marina, Hawks Cay Resort offers guests access to some of the world's finest diving and snorkeling, sandbars, and eco-adventures on both the ocean and bay sides. From the marina, guests can access:

- Solé Watersports, the official provider for water-based activities including standup paddleboard and kayak rentals, snorkel trips, sunset cruises, island tours, as well as private boat charters with a captain.
- Better Than Most SCUBA, the official partner for scuba diving, discovery, certification, refresher, advanced, rescue, lobstering, and spearfishing courses and excursions.

DOLPHIN CONNECTION

The on-site Dolphin Connection is the only resort-based program of its kind where guests can interact and swim with dolphins in their natural environment and it is the only facility in the mainland U.S. that offers free public viewing of trained dolphins. Guests can enter the water, interact from the dock, or spend the entire day getting an up-close perspective and understanding of the dolphin and trainer relationship.

MARINA & FISHING

Home to Discovery Channel's *Saltwater Experience*, one of the highest-rated television shows for outdoor and fishing enthusiasts, Hawks Cay Resort is an ideal destination for anglers of any skill level.

Hawks Cay Marina can accommodate boats up to 110 feet with drafts up to five feet and beams up to 20 feet. Guests can book fishing excursions through the resort's charter captains operating from Hawks Cay Marina. Guests who bring their own boat can rent slips in the resort's back basin, located behind the Harbor Villas.

TENNIS & PICKLEBALL

Featuring four lighted tennis courts and eight lighted pickleball courts, the resort's Cliff Drysdale Tennis program offers guests a world-class experience with a dynamic synergy of learning, match play, game strategy, team competitions and camaraderie. The highly skilled team of racquet sports professionals, led by a Cliff Drysdale Tennis Pro, offers clinics, mixers, camps, and lessons for all ages and skill levels.

SPA

Hawks Cay's Calm Waters Spa creates an ambiance of relaxation with head-to-toe rejuvenation in a gracious, unpretentious atmosphere. The 7,000 square foot spa has eight treatment rooms including two couple's suites, three facial rooms and a tropical rain room with Vichy shower for body treatments. The spa menu features Elemis products. Additionally, the spa has a fitness room with a complete schedule of group exercise classes, relaxation room, candlelit whirlpool, eucalyptus steam room and dry sauna.

FOR THE KIDS

Named the #1 Family Resort by USA Today 10Best, Hawks Cay offers programming and activities for kids of all ages. Coral Cay is the activities and adventures center for younger guests. Complete with soccer field, basketball courts, putting greens, and its iconic Pirate Ship Pool with slides, tunnels, and water cannons. With a shallow, beach-style entry and only

reaching a depth of eight inches, the Pirate Ship Pool is a great place for babies and toddlers to splash around and explore while the older children are at the helm of the ship.

At Coral Cay Activities & Adventure, there's something for everyone in the family to do, even on rainy days. Coral Cay offers experiences not found anywhere else in the resort, like swimming with mermaids and hunting for hidden treasure with a gang of pirates. Stop by Coral Cay for board games, foosball contests, or to check out the 'sea creature friends' in its Keys Touch Tank. Arts and crafts projects, interactive games, and other unique programs are scheduled for all resort guests to enjoy daily. There's also a wide variety of activities outside, including basketball, volleyball, soccer, and mini golf. For a full list of activities, visit the resort's website.

Camp Hawk (ages 5-12) is where kids get to enjoy Hawks Cay with guests their own age. Travel + Leisure named Camp Hawk one of its "Best Hotel Kids' Programs." Kids can have some big-time fun at our Florida Keys family resort, and parents can be certain knowing their children are safe, supervised by trained counselors, and having an absolute blast. Camp Hawk runs Monday through Thursday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Adding an educational component for kids, Camp Hawk's Environmental Education Program gives campers the chance to learn about the unique Florida Keys ecosystem. Offered daily at no extra charge, the hands-on classes focus on the Florida Everglades, creatures of the sea, and local flora and fauna. Guests not participating in Camp Hawk for the day can also join.

Kids Night Out is a great way for kids to meet other kids staying at our Florida Keys family resort. They have access to the entertainment room, which has a PlayStation, foosball table, and board games. Kids Night Out also includes a movie, pizza, and assorted beverages. Kids Night Out runs Friday and Saturday nights, from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.

MEETINGS

The sprawling resort is ideal for groups and delivers seamless meetings, weddings, and family reunions. Hawks Cay Resort has the largest waterfront meeting space of any resort in the Florida Keys with 48,760 square feet of indoor and outdoor meeting and banquet space, accommodating up to 480 guests in the Dolphin Ballroom and 450 guests in the Overseas Ballroom. The combination of indoor waterfront meeting space, a variety of outdoor venues and even a private-event catamaran ensures groups will never have to meet in the same space twice. State-of-the-art audio, video and modern technology capabilities are available, and an on-site technology director and dedicated event team ensure flawless operation.

WEDDINGS

With a variety of venue options and an assortment of activities to keep wedding guests engaged throughout the weekend, Hawks Cay Resort makes a couple's special day an experience no one will ever forget. Venue options range from sunset celebrations alongside the water's edge to a

	luxurious waterfront ballroom, perfect for those couples looking to host a classic indoor reception without sacrificing the magnificent ocean views. From rehearsal dinner to bridesmaid and groomsmen lunches to farewell brunches, and more, the resort's dedicated wedding specialists assist in making tropical dream weddings a reality.
LOCATION	Located at mile marker 61, Hawks Cay Resort is approximately 90 miles south of the Miami International Airport and 60 miles north of Key West. Marathon is just 15 minutes south and Islamorada is 15 minutes north, both offering shopping, dining, and Keys attractions.
STORY ANGLES	Family travel, multi-generational travel, romance, couples, weddings, meetings, fishing, eco-adventure, and more.
SOCIAL MEDIA	Hashtags: #HawksCayVacay, #FindWhatLuresYou, #HookedatHawksCay (fishing), #HitchedatHawksCay (weddings), #ThePreferredLife

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