



# JW MARRIOTT®

## JW Marriott Marco Island Beach Resort Fact Sheet

### **OVERVIEW:**

Like no other resort in Southwest Florida, JW Marriott Marco Island is the perfect island within an island escape. The Balinese-styled resort evokes complete tranquility and harmony; featuring four pools, an exclusive Spa by JW, inspired restaurants with indoor and outdoor dining as well as event space and two Championship golf courses - the Rookery at Marco and Hammock Bay Golf & Country Club. Currently in the last phase of an extensive \$320 Million renovation project, the resort will welcome a new 93-room adult-exclusive tower with rooftop pool, gourmet restaurant and 12,000 sq. ft. entertainment center. Following the completion of the tower, the resort will boast 100,000 square feet of innovative event space and 809 finely appointed rooms and suites. Located 20 minutes south of Naples and just a 50-minute drive from Southwest Florida International Airport; the JW Marriott Marco Island Beach Resort is the ultimate sanctuary for relaxation and rejuvenation.

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### **LOCATION:**

Known for its soft white sand beaches and natural environment with the Everglades at its door, Marco Island has repeatedly been named one of the top ten islands in the U.S in TripAdvisor's annual Travelers' Choice awards.

### **IMAGES:**

<http://marriottdam.com/cd/lightbox/view/id/21449>

### **RESORT AMENITIES/OFFERINGS:**

- Three and a half miles of pristine beach frontage on the Gulf of Mexico in Southwest Florida, just south of Naples
- Two private 18-hole championship golf courses, The Rookery and Hammock Bay, a Gold Certified Signature Sanctuary™ by Audubon International, one of only 45 designated in the world.
- Nine dining venues offering innovative and immersive culinary experiences
- Balinese Inspired full-service SPA by JW concept
- A range of unique indoor and outdoor meeting spaces
- Four pools
- Kids club
- 24-hour fitness center

- Water activities including: sailing, parasailing, kayaking, jet skiing
- 20 Beach Chickee huts
- Two large event Chickee huts

### **RENOVATIONS AND ENHANCEMENTS**

The property is in the midst of a multi-phase \$320 Million renovation project:

#### ***Phase I: Resort reopened after a three-month closure on Aug. 1, 2015, with the following renovations completed:***

- Redesigned Porte Cochere, lobby and grand front entrance
- New restaurant MAIA showcasing a Chef's ingredient-driven menu
- Refreshed state-of-the-art fitness center
- Expanded Quinn's and Tiki Pool Decks
- Roof top penthouse suites equipped with new glass railings on all balconies for enhanced views
- Enhanced and expanded guestrooms

#### ***Phase II: Completed renovations during the period Aug. 1, 2015 – Dec. 31, 2016***

- Menchies Frozen Yogurt shop – opened September 2015
- New signature fine-dining restaurant ARIO – opened October 2015 – led by Chef du Cuisine Gerald Sombright, contestant on Season 14 of Top Chef
- Redesigned guestroom bathrooms, allowing for larger shower, vanity and private water closet
- The new Kane Tiki Bar & Grill featuring rum inspired food and beverage debuted June 2016
- Spa renovations completed in October 2016 revealed a taste of the new, exclusive SPA by JW concept
- Casual Italian eatery 400 Pazzi's was refreshed and redesigned with sleek new interiors and an all new menu

#### ***Phase III: 2017-2018***

- The resort officially converted to a JW Marriott property on January 1, 2017 – the JW Marriott Marco Island Beach Resort
- SPA by JW opened to the public (2017)
- New Banyan and Calusa Ballroom and expanded meeting space totaling 100,000 sq. feet - Opened March 28, 2018
- New 93-room adult-exclusive Tower, featuring a rooftop pool, gourmet restaurant and 12,000 sq. ft. state-of-the-art indoor entertainment center to debut in late 2018

### **WHAT'S TO COME**

Upon completion, the property will boast:

- A total of 809 casually luxurious guestrooms and suites across three towers
- 100,000 sq. ft. of innovative event space, featuring ceiling heights up to 24-feet and full-length windows to provide an open feel and sense of place
- All-new adult-exclusive tower with 93 luxurious guest rooms and suites
- Rooftop gourmet restaurant in the new tower
- A 12,000 square foot indoor entertainment zone
- New adult-exclusive pool

### **SIGNATURE CULINARY OFFERINGS**

## **ARIO**

ARIO is built upon the passion of a primal dining experience for the discerning global nomad. Chefs are focused on the unique techniques of dry aging meats, utilization of local seafood selections; and featured salts and spices from around the world –allowing for globally inspired flavors. Guests are invited to the back of the house to view and learn more about the dry-aging process for a fully immersive dining experience in the restaurant’s private dry-aging room. ARIO also features an impressive selection of handcrafted cocktails and wine collection, three sommeliers in house, a private wine tasting room and a private Chef's Table, offering Chef's Whim menus.

## **Quinn’s on the Beach**

With the upscale "castaway" feel of the legendary Quinn's, the beachside restaurant and bar makes dining memorable with tropical island food, breathtaking Gulf views and spectacular Florida sunsets. Enjoy the casual atmosphere, fresh breezes and large selection of Caribbean-inspired seafood and steak specialties, appetizers, sandwiches and delicious tropical drinks – all accented by a stunning fire dancer display everyday at sunset.

## **Korals**

Korals delivers a memorable dining experience with an inventive menu featuring locally inspired, decadent sushi accompanied by artistic cocktails fashioned by expert mixologists. The centerpiece of Korals is an 11-foot tall column filled with bright tropical fish beneath a sculpted ceiling of freeform, backlit cherry wood ribs. The space is highlighted by floor-to-ceiling windows with picturesque views of the Gulf of Mexico, and upbeat music as the perfect complement. Guests can toast to an amazing view with craft, domestic, and specialty beers; great wines; Bourbon and whiskey; or signature handcrafted cocktails, followed by amazing sushi and Asian-inspired small plates.

## **Kane**

With one of Marco Island’s most extensive collection of rums and savory Balinese-inspired fare, the new Kane Tiki Bar & Grill debuted in June of 2016. Kane, named after the Polynesian god of creation and growth, inspires a trendy tiki bar vibe in an open-air setting found just steps from the resort’s Tiki pool and the Gulf of Mexico. Kane is the perfect outpost to enjoy an unforgettable sunset while savoring a selection of nearly 60 distinct rums, expertly crafted cocktails and savory small bites and shared plates with a mash up of Indonesian and Polynesian inspired flavors. Peer out across the sparkling waters of the Gulf of Mexico as you are delighted by the sunset with a cool drink in your hand – appropriately dressed with the classic umbrella.

## **Maia**

The passion of Maia derives from an ingredient driven menu, while the Chef’s simply crafted dishes feature an abundance of local and regional resources. A highlight of breakfast at Maia is the *Build Your Own Bloody Mary Bar*. Maia infuses vodka spiked with pickled peppers, garlic and other spicy vegetables to create the bases for its Bloody Marys. Guests can choose from a selection of several base mixes and an extensive arrangement of house made pickled vegetables, smokey bacon and cured meats, as well as more than 30 types of hot sauces, to craft their own cocktail perfectly tailored to their individual tastes. Maia also crafts fresh, house made biscuits daily with a selection of homemade jam accompaniments.

## **400 Pazzi’s**

The recently renovated 400 Pazzi's restaurant offers an authentic brick-oven pizzeria and hearty Italian specialties, along with seating overlooking the beach and the Gulf of Mexico. A wide variety of gourmet pizzas, panini’s, salads and more round out this traditional, rustic menu.

## **Café San Marco**

For some caffeine or something sweet, stop in San Marco Cafè for the island's best coffee. The barista will whip up a favorite hot or cold coffee drink, including latte, espresso and cappuccino. Freshly baked pastries, gourmet sandwiches and salads are offered as well.

## **Menchies**

Menchie's serves up delicious frozen yogurt and gourmet toppings just steps from the kid's pool, perfect for cooling off on a warm, sunny day.

### **SPA by JW**

Located on the north end of the resort, SPA by JW offers guests the utmost in a relaxing and individual spa experience, with treatments specifically designed by world-renowned experts inspired by the tropical environs. The Balinese-style spa, with its elegant yet laid back setting, features a mineral tub overlooking the Gulf of Mexico, state-of-the-art fitness facilities, salon services and a Spa Shop.

All of the spa's treatments are organized by four distinct benefit states: renew, calm, invigorate, and indulge, with express and full-length treatments. Whether a guest is fatigued from a long journey, or simply desires a well-deserved retreat, the SPA by JW will offer a personalized spa experience that is as effortless as it is rewarding.

### **RECREATION**

#### **Wave Runner Tour through the Ten Thousand Islands**

Take a guided wave runner tour through the Everglades' Ten Thousand Islands with. An expert guide will be on hand to share more about the natural environment and geography of the region. During the thrilling tour, you'll have the opportunity to spot much of the area's diverse wildlife including dolphins, manatees and a variety of native birds.

*Tour Length: 1.5 hours*

#### **Sailing and Shelling Tour**

Set sail aboard one of our two spacious six-passenger catamarans as a USCG Captain escorts you on an unforgettable journey along the shimmering Gulf of Mexico and Marco Island nearby attractions. Dolphins, manatees and sea turtles routinely make appearances on your voyage to find some of the world's finest seashells. These 2.5-hour daily activities leave directly from the resort's beach each day with three timeslots available.

#### **Scenic Cycling Tours**

Explore the natural beauty of Marco Island with scenic cycling tours hosted by Certified Naturalist Guides. Ride through this idyllic paradise and view rare tropical plants and trees, protected wildlife including Burrowing Owls and Gopher Tortoises, as well as the Eagles, Osprey, Frigates and many other tropical birds make this area their home. Guests can walk among ancient Indian shell mounds where early pioneers settled this untamed area to hunt, fish and farm as they pedal through the Caxambas area. There are also opportunities to view manatees and dolphins from the land.

*Offered three days a week. Tour length: 2 hours*

#### **Golf**

JW Marriott Marco Island Beach Resort offers guests two private golf courses - the recently renovated Rookery and Hammock Bay, a world-class, Audubon gold signature, par-72 course. Both courses have earned Marriott's Environment Sustainability Performance Award (ESPA).

The Rookery, recently redesigned by acclaimed golf course designers Peter Jacobsen and Jim Hardy, now features wall-to-wall Platinum Paspalum turf enhancing visual appeal and overall playability; newly designed bunker complexes and upgraded clubhouse with an "Old Florida" interior theme. Appropriately named The Rookery, meaning bird sanctuary, the golf course is nestled in shallow wetlands that attract many bird species.

The Hammock Bay course is designed to provide an enjoyable challenge for golfers of all levels. Designed by Peter Jacobsen and Jim Hardy, the contours, shape and orientation of the course greens are designed with the approach shot in mind and present golfers with a range of shot options. Hammock Bay is recognized as a "Gold Certified Signature Sanctuary" by Audubon International, one of only 45 designated in the world. The gold certification is the highest level of the Audubon Signature Programs, recognizing sustainable communities within the natural environment.

**Tiki Tribe Discovery Day Camp**

Kids get the chance to become wildlife explorers in a small, nurturing day camp setting. Trained activity coordinators lead campers while they receive individualized attention while participating in swimming, crafts, sports, nature lessons, video games, and back of the house tours. The goal of the program is to create an environment in which campers have fun while growing as individuals and as members of a group through participation in a variety of activities focused on the theme of the day. The camp welcomes children ages 5 through 12 years old.