

CARIMAR CHRONICLE

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An update from Fred....

Dear Guests and Friends of Carimar,

As we look ahead to an exciting and fun filled summer and fall, the Staff and I join in extending greetings and an invitation to share our summer/fall specials and packages. There is room at our Beach Club and your very own beach lounge waits just outside your door on what is arguably Anguilla's best beach, Meads Bay.

For those of you who have not yet witnessed the spectacle of an Anguilla Boat Race, the best place to do this is from our beach where the boats depart and return just steps from your door on Meads Bay. Although late for the peak of the boat race season, events take place all year round and from other beaches as well.

This summer's Family Special includes tennis and sailing instruction for the beginner to those who never stop learning. My intention is to encourage participation in our favourite pastime, from the the beach or on board.

Hope to see you here!

Sincerely,
Alfred Thompson
General Manager
Carimar Beach Club



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www.carimar.com

Our new TOLL-FREE incoming number for reservations (USA & CANADA) :
866-270-3764

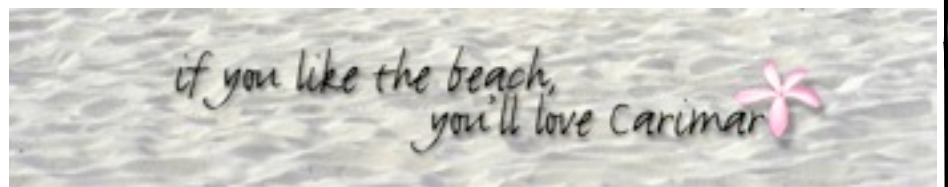
SPECIAL VACATION PACKAGES located on our website: www.carimar.com



Wake up in Anguilla

by Mary Ellen Furlong
Carimar Guest

According to Mary Ellen Furlong of Louisville, KY, "we arrived at Carimar late at night, so it was totally dark and we couldn't see anything. We woke up the next morning and the colors of the water and flowers and everything were just so vivid and stunning, and there was a sailboat right out in the ocean, too. It brought tears to my eyes. So this painting is called **Wake up in Anguilla.**" Mary Ellen and her husband, Mark, are looking forward to their next trip to Anguilla.



About our staff...

Our guest feedback constantly mentions our fantastic staff, whether they work in the office, in housekeeping, or around the property. We are proud of our committed and dedicated staff and think of them as family....looking for familiar faces each time we return to CBC. In this issue, we'd like to celebrate:

Mr. Keithley Hodge



The unsung heroes of guest and property safety at Carimar are the Security personnel. We'd like to take a moment to recognize Mr. Keithley Hodge who has done the graveyard shift for more than 20 of his 23 years employed at CBC Keithley who is our third longest serving employee, covers the midnight to 7a.m. shift and has walked the grounds (literally) at the Beach Club many more times than most. He began working for Carimar in July of 1987. Mrs. Dorothea Richardson was the General Manager at that time.

Alert and awake when most of us are sleeping, Keithley can and does relate some of his experiences and encounters with guests and owners over the years and a recap of Carimar's night life. He has been our eyes and ears around Carimar and his reliability, trustworthiness and loyalty has been unsurpassed.

Keithley and his wife, Audrey, have been married for 25 years. They have 3 children and live in Long Bay.

CARIMAR TURNS 25!



Fran Jacobs sets up shop to begin selling units on Mead's Bay in December of 1983.

Memories of the Early Years by Warren Colville

Our first encounter with Anguilla came in 1982 or 1983 when we visited with some close friends of ours who flew over to Anguilla to find a nice beach. They came upon the first villas at Malliohana as the hotel was not yet built. They raved about it so much that they insisted that we come over from St. Martin and see it. One look at the beach and we were sold!

At our rented villa in St. Martin we were experiencing break-ins and the traffic was becoming unbearable, so in the winter of 1984 we decided to see what had transpired on Mead's Bay. We flew over with the intent on renting a villa for the next winter vacation. Local cabdriver, Franklin Richardson, picked us up at the airport and proceeded to show us available rental units on the island. After many stops and not finding anything like what we remembered he took us to Meads Bay.

There, next to Malliohana with the beautiful expanse of beach and blue water, were two women. Fran Jacobs and Dottie Corwin were sitting with big brimmed hats in beach chairs with a hand lettered sign, CONDOS FOR SALE. We walked up and asked to see the plans.

The plans we saw were nothing like what we have at Carimar now! The original plans called for a motel like layout: three floors with twelve units on each floor. We loved the beach so much that we indicated that we were interested in purchasing. Fortunately, the Island Zoning Board would not allow the density which that plan called for and the developers had the architect, Mr. Stott, draw up some new plans which resulted in that which we now enjoy at Carimar.

Building One is completed on the beach in 1985 and opens in time for Christmas 1985



Consider joining us for your special occasion. Our staff is eager to help accommodate any special request to help make your celebration memorable. We love weddings, anniversaries, birthdays and family reunions!



Carimar Beach Club....

a perfect destination for your special event!

2010 Closing Dates

Carimar will close for only 6 weeks this fall.... Sept 1-Oct 15, 2010.

Consider joining us the last 2 weeks of October and take advantage of low season prices.



Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kendall recently celebrated their 10th visit to Carimar. Cindy, Avon, Hermia and Heather (behind the camera!) helped them celebrate this past June.

We love hearing from our guests!

Dear Heather,

Our visit this May was just like all the others--perfect. Our 10 Visit Honoured Guest plaque and its presentation with the best staff we know was very nice.

Our first visit was in 1992 after seeing the island first on a sailing charter. We had visited most of the Caribbean, but have since only visited Anguilla and Carimar.

Carimar has done such a great job of keeping the villas as up to date as necessary. Your staff always exceeds our expectations and you have become good friends.

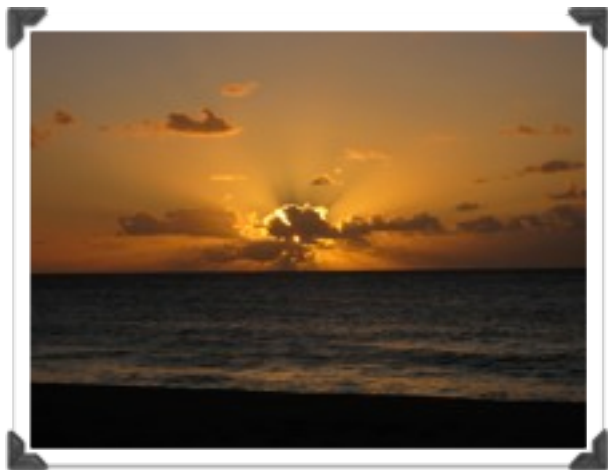
Anguilla and Carimar are special and we are looking forward to more visits in the future.

*Patsy and Skip Kendall
Durham, New Hampshire*

Remember.....

Guests that stay with us 10 times receive a plaque of recognition, a lunch for two and 5 complimentary days taken between April 1st and November 15th. This gift is valid for up to 3 years. **Book your next visit today!**

Your favorite photos from Mead's Bay...



Another day in paradise..

(photo by Nancy Vandenberg)

A group of girlfriends gather for yoga early in the morning in front of Carimar. A great way to start the day!

(photo by Jill Sternard)



New Kitchen

Appliances installed



The final phase for our 24 new kitchens will be completed during closing in September. New stoves and refrigerators will be installed in each unit...a welcome addition for those who like to prepare some of their meals during their stay. Thanks to our handy maintenance crew for all their hard work!

Newsletter submissions wanted!


Did you have a great trip?
Please send photos, articles or suggestions/ideas of what you'd like to see in our future issues.

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SAVING IS SIMPLE THIS WINTER!

CARIMAR BEACH CLUB

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Now, more than ever, there's
a lot to be said for planning ahead!

CARIMAR BEACH CLUB'S NEW RATES GO INTO EFFECT ON
NOVEMBER 16, 2010 AND OUR VALUED CUSTOMERS ARE OFFERED THIS OPPORTUNITY
TO BOOK NOW AT CURRENT RATES FOR NEXT YEAR'S WINTER VACATION.

Don't delay! Reservations will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis.
Book between June 15, 2010 and November 15, 2010 and
we'll guarantee current 2010 rates through March 31, 2011!*

As always you will find a unique vacation experience at Carimar.
Call **866.270.3764** or visit www.carimar.com to reserve your vacation now.

WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU NEXT WINTER IN BEAUTIFUL AND SUNNY ANGUILLA!

*If you like the beach,
you'll love Carimar.*

*Must book between June 15, 2010 and November 15, 2010. All reservations start on November 16, 2010 thru March 31, 2011.