

Sea Turtle Activity Oct0ber 5-11, 2026

Beach	Nests		False Crawls		Hatched Nests		
	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year	Disoriented
Barefoot	247	300	257	280	200	257	13
Delnor Wiggins	61	65	63	99	59	65	3
Vanderbilt	204	274	228	205	165	236	26
Parkshore	242	217	182	272	193	188	50
City of Naples	316	268	291	224	248	230	31
Keewaydin Is.	633	558	851	735	511	463	0
Sea Oat Island	37	19	36	24	24	12	0
Marco Island	170	118	251	310	121	77	18
Kice and Cape Romano	183	187	306	214	138	67	0
10,000 Islands	138	155	166	171	97	117	0
Collier County Totals	2231	2161	2631	2534	1756	1712	141

To report dead, injured or disoriented sea turtles on Marco call 239-289-9736 or 239-289-9687

a total of nine breaches to the newly installed berm. Marco City Manager McNees used his emergency authority to have the City fund an emergency repair for \$47,528 to reclaim beach sand displaced by TS Idalia.

It all began on November 1, 2022. The Tigertail Lagoon/Sand Dollar Island Ecosystem Restoration Project started and was completed in June 2023. This is a 15-year Joint Coastal Permit (JCP) issued by the FDEP, US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), and FWC and provides for periodic maintenance and allows for event driven emergency repairs and will expire on February 2037.



Prior to its completion in May, 2023, the City of Marco Island released this statement:

“When the project is completed, sea turtles and other wildlife will have a larger beach habitat on which to nest, mangroves will be restored, and water quality in the lagoon will be improved for recreational activities.”

Artisan from A/16



Photos by Brittany Richards
Art and Murals by Jennifer Haver.



Fun artwork by Gil Sanchez.



Art by Deborah Mendez.

Arts and Murals by Jennifer Haver (Permanent Vendor)
Haver is known to capture the calm, serene, and peaceful feelings of coastal landscapes in her original pieces. Her artwork brings that serenity to life, be it on canvas, furniture, glassware, custom murals, and more. “Let’s bring your dreams to life together!”

The Artisan Market of Naples is located at:
8793 Tamiami Trail East,
Naples, FL 34113
(In the Saint Andrews Plaza)

Hours of Operation:
Wednesday-Sunday 10:00
AM to 4:00 PM and is closed
Monday-Tuesday.

Artists on Display:

Gil Sanchez – Sanchez’s work can be seen on display at the market, bringing his quirky, colorful, and unique art to the homes of first-time customers or loyal collectors. Using a combination of Bondo, Styrofoam, and wire, his pieces can transform any space into one that is memorable and fun!

Debora Mendez – Featured on a wall at the market, Mendez describes her art with phrases such as ‘painting possibilities’, ‘creating with intention’, and ‘letting wonder lead the way’. Her work invites viewers into moments of stillness and magic, encouraging them to pause, breathe, and reconnect with a sense of beauty and inner wonder.



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