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Florida Keys

Thursday, May 20th, 4-6pm: Snapper's

Friday, May 21st, 4-11pm:

Cactus Jack's, Sundowners, Jimmy Johnsons' Big Chill, Caribbean Club

Saturday, May 22nd, 3-11pm:

Cactus Jack's, Sundowners,

Jimmy Johnsons' Big Chill, Caribbean Club

Sunday, May 23rd, 5-7pm: Snapper's











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Music for all ages and tastes

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Multiple venues & stages

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\$10.95 all you can eat 5 - 7pm Come out for BBQ! Saturday and Sunday afternoons, 12 - 3pm Sunday Hawaiian Show 12 - 4pm, with JR and Iwalani 305-664-8400 • MM 85.5 Oceanside At Snake Creek Bridge

Summer at the Grill

Friday Night Fish Fry

Ten Ways to Make Quick Cash

- 1. Dig out the jewelry box. If its not a family heirloom and you haven't worn it in ages you don't need it. Put the gold and silver item in a bag and take it to Coral Financial Jewelry and Pawn Shop. You will get the most money there. Do not mail it away or trust some fly by night that is here one day and gone the next.
- 2. If your jewelry is costume or vintage you can easily sell it on ebay.
- 3. Clothing is optional In this case that means get rid of anything you haven't worn in a year. Consign it or have a yard sale.
- 4. Do you have a green thumb? One lady I know grows and sells beautiful plants from her home.
- 5. Turn you hobby into cash. Do you sew? Paint? Bake? For a mere \$10 a month you can advertise in the Coconut Telegraph's classified page. You'll reach thousands of readers locally and on the internet.
- 6. Baby sit or dog sit....
- 7. Volunteer to wait tables at the Legion, VFW, ELKS or Moose Lodge.
- 8. Rent out a room. It's a steady income.
- 9. Rent out your dock space or driveway. Many snowbirds are looking for a place to store their boat or car for the summer.
- 10. Clean houses or detail cars and boats

Artist of the Month

Photo by Robert Gintel

Barbara Gintel

Artist, award winning photographer, philanthropist.

Barbara Gintel loves people, life and the beauty of the world around her. Originally from New York State she majored in art at at the Bennett Junior College in Millbrook where she became the school's photographer. A long-time resident of Key Largo's Ocean Reef Club, Barbara has won many awards for her photography.

The famous photo on this issue's cover is a perfect example of Gintel's creative talent. Just 50 yards past Alabama Jack's Card Sound Restaurant sat an old man and his dog, every day for years just watching the cars go by. One day in 1996 Barb grabbed her camera and took off in search of the old man.

He agreed to allow her to photograph him and like most people sat up straight to pose. She took a couple of shots and turned away as she did not want a posed photo, she wanted a natural one.

The old man relaxed but the dog was looking away at approaching traffic. In order to get the dogs attention Gintel began to growl and bark till the dog looked in her direction and she got the shot she was looking for.

Several years later Gintel gave an exhibition of 67 of her photographs, donating the proceeds to the Ocean Reef Art League who sponsored the event. The Card Sound Man far outsold every other picture in the gallery. You cannot purchase that picture, as it is only available through selected charitable events and it brings in over \$1,000 per copy. Why do people love it so much? It is reminiscent of of the old Florida Keys and it looks more like a painting than a photograph.

Barbara and her husband Bob have traveled the world and you can see it through their eyes at www.GintelPics.com. It is a collection of their best!

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