



# ST THOMAS

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## 19th Hole Bar: **Closed**

► Marcel8004, Sep 2, 2009: At 27 Main St & entrance to the Royal Dane, the 19<sup>th</sup> Hole Bar, is closed due to lease expiring. Its owners, Gene & Harriet, were great.

## BUSHWACKER

► Marcel8004, Jul/7/09: At **10 Main St.** for Bushwhackers, directly behind Imperial Jewelers. Excellent place even though the owner is a Red Sox fan.

► Marcel8004, Sep 2, 2009: This recipe comes from the "19th Hole" in St. Thomas (now closed). So, if you can't wait to dock in St. Thomas and have a well-stocked bar, go ahead and indulge but, please, don't drive.

Slash of Vodka

Splash of White rum

Splash of Amaretto [Amaretto is a sweet almond-flavored liqueur of Italian origin. It is made from a base of apricot or almond pits, or sometimes both.]

Splash of Rum cream

Splash of Kailua

Healthy splash of Dark Creme de Cocoa

Splash of Frangelico [Frangelico is a hazelnut and herb-flavored liqueur (colored with caramel coloring) which is produced in Canale, Italy.]

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### ☐ Splash of Coco Lopez Creme of Coconut

Put all ingredients in a blender with ice until you have something that looks like a milk shake then you are done. If it gets too thick put in more alcohol. Pour is straight up and enjoy. Top off with ground nutmeg.

➤ GottaGoCruzing, Sep/6/09: "When we were in St. Thomas the last time, they sold the **Bushwacker "kit"** which we found to be much cheaper than buying it all separately at home. Our friends bought the kit and said no duty on it since it was from a U.S. property.

## COCONUTS BAR & GRILL

➤ Marcel8004, Jul/7/09: At 10 Main St. for Bushwhackers. It is directly behind Imperial Jewelers. Excellent place even though the owner is a Red Sox fan.

## COKI BEACH

➤ WannaSail4Ever: Taxi to Coki Beach and go snorkeling

## SKY RIDE TO PARADISE PEAK

➤ Coupons: <http://bit.ly/9ea0iF>

➤ afcj1, Sep/20/2010: Here's a link for a \$2 off coupon at the restaurant at the top of the Sky Ride for a Bushwacker: <http://bit.ly/b9qhLW>

➤ DarryDFL, Sep/18/09: If you enjoy photography, you have got to place the Sky Ride to Paradise Peak on your list of must-do events when you visit this island. Not only will you see breath-taking visions of the island, but you'll be able to take photos of your ship that are unmatched. To the right is a photo of the *Freedom of the Seas* from Paradise Peak. (Yes, the photo wandered into my Photoshop Elements to gain the panels.) It is available for free at <http://DarryD.com/Wallpaper>.



## MAPS

- Snorkel2Much, May 29, 2010:
  - ★ Dive shop at Secret Harbour, <http://www.aadivers.com/>
  - ★ Map to Secret Harbour: <http://www.secretharbourvi.com/maps.asp>
- Snorkel2Much, June 7, 2010:
  - ★ Crown Bay Marina map: <http://tinyurl.com/25fh6z5>
  - ★ Map of St Thomas: <http://tinyurl.com/25fh6z5>
  - ★ Map of St Thomas: <http://tinyurl.com/2drxusx>

## MORNING STAR BEACH

- 2Dogs, Jul/10/09: \$6 cab ride. Taxi from beach to downtown every ½ hour.

## PHOTOS

- NZDisneyMom, Oct/29/09: <http://tinyurl.com/yjo6juy>

## PORT TIMES

- Cruise Wizard, Aug/11/09: On the Oct/21/08 Cruise: 11 AM – 7 PM

## SHOPPING

- Gator0178, Sep/9/16: LOTS of shopping within walking distance from the ship. Some of the best scuba diving around. My sister took the tram ride to the top of some mountain and got great pictures of flowers and of the ship from above.

## SNORKEL ADVENTURE

Full Day — <http://www.newhorizonsvi.com/snorkeladventures.htm>

- Lynyrd: 9:15 AM to 4 PM — \$120 per person.

## SNOKELING

- Gator0178, September 2008: The wife and I did a scuba diving excursion through RCCL. We did a wreck dive which was good and a reef dive. They took us to Buck Island. The wreck was the *Senior Cartanza*. It was neat to go into the cargo hold and out the top of the hatch. We also saw the 2 big diesel engines that used to power the ship. After diving the wreck, I had a close en-

counter with a hawksbill sea turtle! Then we dove Wye Reef. Lots of fish and coral. A black tip reef shark that hung around made the wife a little nervous. Great Diving Trip!

## SUNNY LISTON TOURS

- ▶ 1Cruiser2004, July 8, 2010: Last time we went, Sunny Liston \$25.00 pp, 1 hour shopping, tour of Island, drinks at Mountaintop, snorkeling for the afternoon, beach of your choice < <http://SunnyListonTours.com> >. Loved the beach where we went. Have to refresh about where. Not Magen's Bay.
- ▶ JaneRN, Jul/11/2010: Tuesday — St. Thomas 10am–8pm, we did the Island Tour with Sunny Liston. I'm going to tell you, if you want to have a fun tour, go with Sunny! We were supposed to be ported by 10am; but, didn't get clearance from Port Auth. until 10:30. Sunny (and Elvis) was there waiting for us. Took us downtown to shop for 1½ hours, then on to the island tour which was sooo much fun. With his island music blasting & everyone singing along. From the tour to over 2 hours of beautiful beach time. We choose to go to Sapphire beach. One of the locals told me if we didn't go to Megan's Bay to go to Sapphire. Since we had seen Magen's Bay the last time, we chose Sapphire — beautiful beach & great snorkeling! So for \$30, our tour lasted from 10:30am–5:45pm, it was a great day!! (Lunch was not included, so either bring something with you or you'll have to buy lunch.)

## WEBSITE

- ★ Air Force One Tours — <http://www.havefunwithus.net>
- ★ Coral World Ocean Park, St Thomas:  
<http://www.coralworldvi.com/activities/sea-lion-swim.html>
- ★ V.I. Scenic Tours, St Thomas, <http://www.viscenictours.com/>