

# Our Local Favorites in Bonita Springs

We gathered some of our favorite spots in the Bonita Springs area to help make your trip an unforgettable adventure!

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## Beaches

### Bonita Beach

[www.leegov.com/parks/beaches/bonitabeach](http://www.leegov.com/parks/beaches/bonitabeach)

Parking: 5901 Bonita Beach Rd, Bonita Springs, FL

*Located 2 miles from the house, only a 9 minute bike ride! Bikes provided. Classic public beach great for swimming, shelling, playground, volleyball, and beachside relaxation.*

### Barefoot Beach Preserve

[www.collierparks.com/collier\\_park/barefoot-beach-preserve/](http://www.collierparks.com/collier_park/barefoot-beach-preserve/)

Parking & Kayak Launch: 505 Barefoot Beach Blvd, Bonita Springs, FL

*Located 2.4 miles from the house, only a 12 minute bike ride! Bikes provided. A protected undeveloped gem. Serene dunes, waters and wildlife with walking trails.*

### Lovers Key State Park

[www.floridastateparks.org/Lovers-Key](http://www.floridastateparks.org/Lovers-Key)

Parking: 8700 Estero Blvd, Fort Myers Beach, FL

*Located about 10 minutes south, but worth the drive. Peaceful stretch of white sand surrounded by mangroves. Perfect for swimming, sunbathing, and spotting dolphins.*

## Attractions

### Wonder Gardens

[www.wondergardens.org/](http://www.wondergardens.org/)

27180 Old 41 Rd, Bonita Springs, FL

*A rescue sanctuary where you'll encounter flamingos, alligators, parrots, tortoises! A more in a relaxed, natural setting.*

### Six Mile Cypress Slough Preserve

[www.sloughpreserve.org/](http://www.sloughpreserve.org/)

7791 Penzance Blvd, Fort Myers, FL

*Scenic wetland featuring a peaceful 1.2 mile boardwalk that winds through towering cypress trees*

### IMAG History & Science Center

[www.theimag.org/](http://www.theimag.org/)

2000 Cranford Ave, Fort Meyers, FL

*Interactive museum with hands-on exhibits blending science and technology. Live animal encounters, a touch tank, virtual reality experiences, and exhibits on Southwest Florida's ecosystems.*

## Grocery

### Publix

[www.publix.com/locations/1449-the-center-of-bonita-springs](http://www.publix.com/locations/1449-the-center-of-bonita-springs)

3304 Bonita Beach Rd Bonita Springs, FL

## Breakfast

### Hole in 1 Bagels

[www.facebook.com/holein1bagels](http://www.facebook.com/holein1bagels)

28441 S Tamiami Trl, Bonita Springs, FL

New York-style bagels and breakfast sandwiches. and deli options. Casual vibe, quick service for a laid-back morning or grab and go.

### Skillets

[www.skilletsrestaurants.com](http://www.skilletsrestaurants.com)

9174 Bonita Beach Rd Se, Bonita Springs, FL

Skillets is a longtime local favorite known for fresh, made-from-scratch breakfast and lunch.

## Lunch & Dinner

### Doc's Beach House

[www.docsbeachhouse.com](http://www.docsbeachhouse.com)

27908 Hickory Blvd, Bonita Springs, FL

Casual beach-front restaurant with great food! Beachside tables with umbrellas, great place to watch the sunset.

### Coconut Jack's Waterfront Grille

[www.coconutjacks.com](http://www.coconutjacks.com)

5370 Bonita Beach Rd SW, Bonita Springs, FL

Waterfront tiki themed bar and grill with lots of local seafood options. A great spot for spotting dolphins and other wildlife too!

### The Fish House

[www.thefishouserestaurants.com](http://www.thefishouserestaurants.com)

4685 Bonita Beach Rd SW, Bonita Springs, FL

Local waterfront patio dining with fresh flavor and unbeatable views!

## *Lunch & Dinner*

### Fernandez the Bull

[www.fernandezthebull.com](http://www.fernandezthebull.com)

3250 Bonita Beach Rd SW #207, Bonita Springs, FL

Delicious traditional cuban cuisine with a unique atmosphere! A great spot for a casual meal or a fun night out.

### Enzo's Italian Restaurant

[www.enzofbonita.com](http://www.enzofbonita.com)

4351 Bonita Beach Rd SW, Bonita Springs, FL

Cozy authentic Italian restaurant with something for everyone! A large menu with delicious dishes, including brick-oven pizza.

### Flippers on the Bay

[www.flippersotb.com](http://www.flippersotb.com)

8767 Estero Blvd, Fort Myers Beach, FL

A hidden gem overlooking Estero Bay. Fresh international inspired menu with great views!

## *Boat Ramps & Kayak Launches*

### Imperial River Boat Ramp

[www.leegov.com/parks/boat%20Ramps/imperialriver](http://www.leegov.com/parks/boat%20Ramps/imperialriver)

27551 S Tamiami Trl, Bonita Springs, FL

Two boat ramps, canoe and kayak launch, a small wooden walking path to a fishing pier.

### Barefoot Beach Canoe and Kayak Launch

505 Barefoot Beach Blvd, Bonita Springs, FL

## Rental Companies

### Bonita Boat Rentals

[www.bonitaboatrentals.com](http://www.bonitaboatrentals.com)

26395 Hickory Blvd, Bonita Springs, FL

Pontoon boat rentals to explore New Pass, Lover's Key or slower trip up the Imperial River

### Bay Water Boat Rentals

[www.bwboatclub.com](http://www.bwboatclub.com)

5124 Bonita Beach Rd SW Bonita Springs, FL

Pontoon or deck boat rentals to explore Mound Key, Coon Key

### Twinkle Twinkle Little Store

[www.twinkletwinklelittlestore.com/rentals](http://www.twinkletwinklelittlestore.com/rentals)

4172 Tamiami Trail North, Naples, FL

Beach, family and beach equipment rental. Offers delivery

*Want more suggestions?*

We're always happy to point you in the right direction!

