



The Bath Club: The Return of True Luxury The Ultimate Destination



Just minutes north of South Beach's lavish 1,000-person poolside soirees and hotel lobbies where Page-6 names pose for paparazzi, Miami Beach's last great social landmark, The Bath Club has managed to retain its incipient elite standards and regain its title as the most coveted entry to social standing and posh parties, without losing its vintage 1920's charm. Founded in 1926 and the oldest private club in the southeastern United States, the Club has hosted some of nation's most recognized names and social gatherings, serving as a restrictive members-only playground for social and corporate elite, including Herbert Hoover, John Knight, the Vanderbilts and Nancy Jean Davis of MacArthur Farms. Shortly after becoming The Bath Club's first African-American member, R. Donahue Peebles purchased the property with the vision of restoring the privileged gathering place for a new generation of society - movers and shakers, fashion glitterati, A-list celebrities and ladies who lunch.

Under the Historic Preservation of Miami Beach, architect Allan Shulman was hired to design/oversee the clubhouse restoration, revealing the restored ceiling, terrazzo floor, tile flooring terrace and wrought-iron railings. From the dramatic mahogany fireplace in the Governor's Lounge to the central open-air loggia and the concrete framed boardwalk providing access to exclusive cabanas, The Bath Club offers the ideal blend of elegance and old world charm.

Without question, The Bath Club stands alone as the location for upscale occasions. Providing six separate venue areas and able to accommodate from 30 to 280 guests, this exclusive club is also the only Miami Beach location that holds an ongoing permit to host semi-private oceanfront affairs, making it popular spot for beach nuptials.

Menus are delicately created and provided by The Bath Club's private team, always to include the signature avocado spoon dish and a wine selection where 90% of the menu is on the top 100 wines list in Wine Spectator.

In addition to offering semi-private oceanfront affairs, the event planning team provides the services to match such a regal backdrop. Beachfront nuptials may include a florist providing a bamboo runner for the ceremony and wood or turf flooring placed over the sand. Limo and/or shuttle service is readily available for guests and special packaging is pre-arranged through the nearby Fountainebleau and Ritz-Carlton SOBE, including bridal/junior/hospitality suites. Prior to the main event, a catered rehearsal dinner by yacht just steps from The Bath Club is a given, as well as coordinating Bride/Groom spa treatments on the beach and even 6-week training sessions through the spa.

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