



PLAYBOOK

Your guide on where to train, hold your sports event and take your game to the next level.

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AREA OVERVIEW

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TAKE YOUR GAME TO THE NEXT LEVEL

A winning Florida sports destination.

Welcome to the emerging all-star of sports in the state of Florida. And for good reason.

The area has been a perennial favorite for athletes, teams and their coaches for years. The area's superb weather, welcoming attitude and tremendous value all combine to



make it the top sports destination. But just beneath the surface is a community removed from the hustle, bustle and hassle of the rest of the state. The area is easy to get to and get around. And for many sports, the area offers the finest facilities for training and sports events in the nation.

This is your invitation to learn more about how the Bradenton Area can help you take your game to the next level, as it has for athletes and teams – from amateur to pro – for decades.

In the Bradenton Area, we don't just make a great place to train or hold your event – we make champions.



Superb, year-round weather and environment

The region's weather offers over 240 days of sunshine a year and some of the most moderate winter temperatures in the country, ensuring your training or event plays in the sunshine. From the beaches to the mainland, the Bradenton Area offers a relaxed, tropical ambience that makes the perfect place to play.



A community centered on sports

Long chosen by amateur and professional teams and athletes alike, the Bradenton Area draws thousands annually for training, competitive play, performance enhancement and sports research. The community is used to and enjoys welcoming and hosting athletes from all over the world, ensuring that you, your athletes and their families will be welcomed as well.

Easy to get to. Easy to get around.

Centrally located on Florida's west coast, the Bradenton Area is easily accessed by three area international airports offering daily non-stops via all major carriers. Highway access allows easy drives to and from the area. Plus, the area provides convenient proximity to the rest of Florida.

A value that maximizes your budget

Unlike other areas and facilities in the state, the Bradenton Area is known for its value and reasonable costs. You'll find hotels and other accommodations reasonably priced, and food and entertainment more in the budget-friendly range you need.

The perfect environment for your athletes

It's great to know your players are in a community where you can have peace of mind. Although loaded with plenty to do, see, explore and enjoy, the Bradenton Area allows players to train and compete in a safe environment. Additionally the area offers some of the finest, most readily accessible health, medicine and sports therapy facilities available in the state.

The choice of others, from amateur to pro

Some of the top names in amateur and professional sports have already examined, carefully vetted and selected the area. Its superb facilities, budget-friendly costs, and welcoming attitude continue to gain international attention and interest. Even world leaders in sports research and the top brands in athletic development such as Gatorade and Under Armor have selected the area for their research and development efforts.



A center of the sports performance industry

Several key sports performance leaders and performance brands now call the Bradenton Area home. These individuals and organizations have made the area one of the country's top centers for the sports performance industry.

The world's top performance institutions

Led by world-renowned IMG Academy, the Bradenton Area is home to some of the world's top performance training institutions in a variety of sports. Beginning as the famed Nick Bollettieri Tennis Academy, IMG has exploded into sports-specific athletic development through nearly all sports and all levels – from amateur to pro.

The world's top performance brands

World-leading companies such as Gatorade and Under Armor have established performance research labs in the area, perfecting their products and the athletes that use them.

Leading-edge performance professionals

The Bradenton Area is home to leading sports medicine and therapy experts, manufacturers and retailers that help push athletes to their highest levels of performance, and keep them in the game.

The area's Coastal Orthopedics & Sports Medicine is a world-class sports medical facility that provides sports medicine and rehabilitation for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, the Pittsburgh Pirates, U.S. Soccer and more, and is just one example of the many state-of-the-art sports medicine institutions in the area. National sports retailer, Champs Sports, is headquartered in the Bradenton Area.

Area training facilities that take performance seriously

When you bring your athletes to the Bradenton Area to train or compete, you'll find that several of the area's training venues have dedicated facilities and staff available to help you push your athlete's development and take their performance to the next level. From technical analysis of specific skills to nutrition to strength and endurance development, your athletes can take advantage of opportunities provided to the world's top competitors.

OUR SPORTS

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***THE PLACE TO BRING
YOUR "A GAME."***



From Major League Soccer, to collegiate to Little League, the Bradenton Area is the choice for soccer tournaments and training in the state of Florida. The area continues to draw thousands every year to its superb, expertly run facilities

operated by some of the biggest names in American soccer, from private to public, and offers an array of training and event-related services and support.

Just some area facilities and organizations are shown here. For help, guidance or advice for your event, please call Bradenton Area Sports at **1-813-747-0000** or email us at **lisa@brasports.com**.



IMG Academy

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IMG Academy annually attracts nearly 200,000 athletes, coaches, event participants and spectators from 100 countries. In addition to its boarding preparatory school, IMG Academy offers sports camps and training programs for adult, collegiate and professional athletes and teams. IMG Academy is also the host venue for countless international amateur and professional sporting events.

Individual MLS and international clubs have long sought the facilities; IMG was recently named the Eastern Hub of the MLS Pre-Season. Additionally, IMG is the host site for the United Soccer League's (USL) largest events, including the Super-Y and Super-20 North American Finals, the W-League and W-20 Championships, PRO Combine, Olympic Development Program camp, and more. The U.S. U-17 Men's National Team is also based on the campus.

Combining a proven training methodology with expert instruction, professional-grade facilities, and the latest in sports performance innovation, IMG Academy truly sets the standard for soccer training and events.

- College preparatory academy
- Home to U.S. Soccer's U-17 residency program
- State-of-the-art, TV-ready 5,000 seat stadium with hospitality suites, press box, 8-lane track
- 12 professional soccer fields
- Goalkeeper training area
- Cutting-edge, 10,000 sq. ft. weight room
- Gatorade Sports Science Institute
- Covered turf facility
- Game strategy/film rooms
- Conference/meetings rooms
- Sports Therapy Center
- Health Clinic
- State-of-the-art residence hall
- Multiple dining halls
- Wellness Spa



Premier Sports Campus at Lakewood Ranch

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Located in Lakewood Ranch, Florida, the FIFA regulation fields of this 140-acre campus annually draw thousands for professional and amateur soccer tournaments and training. Home of the US Soccer Winter Showcase & NIKE International Friendlies, the complex is a winner at every level.

- 23 FIFA regulation, Celebration-seeded, grass fields
- 65,000 feet of underground state-of-the-art irrigation piping
- Easy, ample parking
- Concessions
- 8 fields with lighting for night play





Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources

Soccer fields in 8 county parks throughout the area.

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The Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources Department provides a number of well-maintained soccer fields for training, tournaments, clinics, camps or other events at exceptionally reasonable rental fees.

- 25 regulation-size fields
- 17 fields with lighting for night play
- Restroom facilities
- Spectator stands
- Many located within area parks
- Family and group environment





When it comes to lacrosse, the Bradenton Area is a great choice for training, tournaments and events. The area offers professional training and instruction, team camps and superb fields and facilities.

The area offers you a broad selection of fields and facilities to choose from along with an array of training and event-related services and support, all backed by some of the most experienced names in American lacrosse.

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IMG Academy annually attracts nearly 200,000 athletes, coaches, event participants and spectators from 100 countries. In addition to its boarding preparatory school, which offers the United States' only dedicated lacrosse residence program, IMG Academy offers sports camps and training programs for adult, collegiate and professional athletes and teams. IMG Academy is also the host venue for countless international amateur and professional sporting events.

Combining a proven training methodology with expert instruction, professional-grade facilities, and the latest in sports performance innovation, IMG Academy truly sets the standard for lacrosse training and events.

- College preparatory academy
- State-of-the-art, TV-ready 5,000 seat stadium with hospitality suites, press box, 8-lane track
- Multiple practice fields
- Specialty training area for goalies, face-offs
- Cutting-edge, 10,000 sq. ft. weight room
- Gatorade Sports Science Institute
- Covered turf facility
- Game strategy/film rooms
- Conference/meetings rooms
- Sports Therapy Center
- Health Clinic
- State-of-the-art residence hall
- Multiple dining halls
- Wellness Spa



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Located in the Bradenton Area's Lakewood Ranch community, the complex offers 22 fields on its 140-acre campus and consistently is the choice of several lacrosse organizations, including national lacrosse training groups such as 3D Lacrosse. From team training to multi-team tournaments, Premier Sports Campus provides the perfect location.

- 22 Celebration-seeded, laser-leveled grass fields
- 65,000 feet of underground state-of-the-art irrigation piping
- Easy, ample parking
- LB3 and All Out Lacrosse camps
- Concessions
- Field lighting for night play
- Summer Clinics



Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources

Lacrosse fields in 8 county parks throughout the area.
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- 17 fields with lighting for night play
- Restroom facilities
- Spectator stands
- Many located within area parks
- Family and group environment



LACROSSE



When it comes to football, the Bradenton Area is the choice of the NFL, BCC bowl program, CFL, collegiate and high school programs. Whether personal training, team training, or events; the area draws thousands every year to its expertly

run facilities. Along with those facilities, you'll find superb training and event-related services and support, managed by some of the most experienced names in football.

Just some area facilities and organizations are shown here. For help, guidance or advice for your training event, please call Bradenton Area Sports at 941-755-2200 or email us at info@bradentonareasports.com.



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Combining a proven training methodology with coaching by former NFL players and coaches, professional-grade facilities, and the latest in sports performance innovation, IMG Academy truly sets the standard for football training and events. IMG was recently ranked the #1 high school football facility in the nation by MaxPreps.

- College preparatory academy
- State-of-the-art, TV-ready 5,000 seat stadium with hospitality suites, press box, 8-lane track
- Multiple practice fields
- Cutting-edge, 10,000 sq. ft. weight room
- Gatorade Sports Science Institute
- Covered turf facility
- Game strategy/film rooms
- Conference/meetings rooms
- Sports Therapy Center
- Health Clinic
- State-of-the-art residence hall
- Multiple dining halls
- Wellness Spa



Premier Sports Campus at Lakewood Ranch

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Located in Lakewood Ranch, Florida, the complex offers 22 fields on its 140-acre campus, providing the perfect facility for hosting football team training, camps or events, large or small, with professional lining capabilities and pristine surfaces.

- 22 Celebration-seeded, laser-leveled grass fields
- 65,000 feet of underground state-of-the-art irrigation piping
- Easy, ample parking
- Concessions
- 8 fields with lighting for night play
- Professional lining capabilities

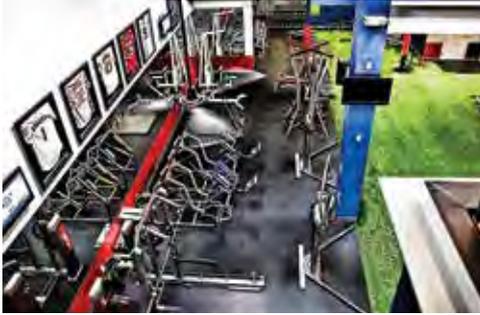


Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources

Five football fields in County Parks throughout the area.
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The Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources Department provides a number of well-maintained fields suitable for football training, tournaments, clinics, camps or other events at exceptionally reasonable rental fees.

- 5 regulation-size fields with lighting for night play
- Restroom facilities
- Spectator stands
- Many located within area parks
- Family and group environment



Athletic Edge Sports

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The Center provides a private training experience for elite amateur and professional athletes, including a specialized program to prepare for NFL Combine and NFL Pro Day. Their training protocols and techniques have been designed to elevate strength, speed, agility and flexibility. Founded by Mike Gough, who has trained Olympic, NFL, MLB, NBA and NHL athletes.

- State-of-the-art 8,500 sq. ft. training facility
- Advanced treadmills, strength equipment, jump platforms
- Team meeting, video room, athlete's lounge, sports medicine room
- Customized nutritional plans
- 22 Celebration-seeded, laser-leveled grass fields





From professional training and instruction, team camps to superb fields and facilities, the Bradenton Area is the choice for tournaments and training in the state of Florida. The area's rich baseball tradition spans six Major League teams.

Long the winter home of Major League Baseball National League's Pittsburgh Pirates, the area draws thousands every year to its superb, expertly run facilities operated by some of the biggest names in baseball. Whether amateur to pro, individual instruction to team training or tournaments, the area gives you a broad selection of fields and facilities, from private to public, and offers an array of training and event-related services and support.

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Pirate City

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pittsburgh.pirates.mlb.com/pit/ballpark/pirate_city.jsp
(941) 747-3031



Hold your training, competition or event at the Pittsburgh Pirates own state-of-the-art training facility. Participants can eat, sleep, train and compete at the complex. Four professionally maintained playing fields, one half field, and one utility field featuring two infields on one playing surface and all 100% Bermuda grass.

- Professional dining hall; On-site catering
- Dorm facilities with private baths, HDTV, Wi-Fi, laundry services
- Overnight suites
- Team locker rooms, separate umpire and coaches locker rooms
- Training room, Weight room
- Conference and meeting rooms



LECOM Park

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(941) 747-3031



Host your baseball event at the winter home of Major League Baseball's Pittsburgh Pirates. The 7,500-seat park is the Winner of the 2013 Design Excellence Award by the Florida Planning and Zoning Association.

- Eight bullpen mounds and four batting cages
- Clubhouses include a locker room, coaches' room and kitchen
- Umpires' locker room
- Press box for up to 20 people
- Sound system, wireless microphone, Wi-Fi and message board
- Five pre-built positions for radio and TV broadcasts
- Two, 20-person suites for baseball events or private rentals



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IMG Academy combines a proven training methodology with coaching by former MLB players and coaches, professional-grade facilities, and the latest in sports performance innovation to truly set the standard for baseball training and events.

- Three full-size fields and four practice fields
- Indoor and outdoor batting cages
- Multiple bullpens and practice mounds
- Sports Therapy Center
- ProBatter PX2 professional pitching machine
- Cutting-edge, 10,000 sq. ft. weight room
- Conference/meetings rooms



Bradenton Baseball Academy

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Offers a complete indoor training facility open to the public by appointment, and includes private lessons.

- Iron Mike pitching machines
- 65 and 60-foot batting cages
- Sliding divider net for team defense practice
- Soft-toss cage, pitching mounds
- Outdoor area for fly ball practices
- Air-conditioned parent viewing/waiting room with televisions
- Weekly hitting, pitching and catching camps and summer camp programs



Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources

Baseball fields in 5 county parks throughout the area.

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The Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources Department provides a number of well-maintained small and regulation baseball fields suitable for training, tournaments, clinics, camps or other events at exceptionally reasonable rental fees.

- 15 Little League fields, 7 high school fields with lighting for night play
- Restroom facilities
- Spectator stands
- Many located within area parks
- Family and group environment



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- State-of-the-art 8,500 sq. ft. training facility
- Advanced treadmills, strength equipment, jump platforms
- Team meeting, video room, athletes' lounge, sports medicine room
- Customized nutritional plans
- 22 Celebration-seeded, laser-leveled grass fields



From opportunities for training and instruction, team camps to superb fields and facilities, the Bradenton Area is the choice for softball tournaments and training in the state of Florida.

Whether individual instruction to team training or tournaments, the area gives you a broad selection of fields and facilities, from private to public, and offers an array of training and event-related services and support.

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State College of Florida

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 (941) 752-5261



State College of Florida offers a well-maintained regulation softball field suitable for training, tournaments, clinics or other softball events.

- Year-round availability
- Bullpen, dugouts, and concession stand
- Field screens, drags, tractor, rakes and brooms
- Seating for over 200



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Softball fields in 5 county parks throughout the area.

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The Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources Department provides a number of well-maintained softball fields for public and league play, and is available for training, tournaments, clinics, camps or other events at exceptionally reasonable rental fees.

- 14 regulation-size fields with lighting for night play
- Restroom facilities
- Spectator stands
- Many located within area parks
- Family and group environment



Whether a tournament expected to draw crowds regionally or the perfect court to train your team in Florida's tropical environment, the Bradenton Area has the hardwood. Your choices run from a 4,000-seat arena, to professional-level indoor courts, to the outdoors. So whether you're looking to improve a player's shot from downtown, or a place to hold the big event, this is where to make the fast break.



The Bradenton Area Convention Center

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Play where the pros play. The area's regional facility has hosted the Harlem Globetrotters, Arena Football, NCAA tournaments, Diamond D Rodeo and more.

- 32,400 sq. ft. main arena can seat up to 4,000
- Full Basketball Court package
- Ample parking
- Large lobby area, two full-service concessions, separate dressing rooms
- Table tennis, badminton, wrestling, boxing



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IMG Academy annually attracts nearly 200,000 athletes, coaches, event participants and spectators from 100 countries. In addition to a boarding preparatory school, former D-I and NBA coaches and players offer camps and training programs for individuals and teams.

- Four regulation hardwood courts
- Cutting-edge, 10,000 sq. ft. weight room
- Gatorade Sports Science Institute
- Conference/meetings rooms
- Sports Therapy Center
- Game strategy/film rooms



Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources

Basketball courts in 9 county parks throughout the area.

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The Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources Department provides a number of well-maintained courts available for training, tournaments, clinics, camps or other events at exceptionally reasonable rental fees.

- 18 full-size outdoor courts, 9 lighted for night play
- 1 full-size, lighted indoor court
- Restroom facilities
- Spectator stands
- Many located within area parks
- Family and group environment



Area golf courses

A number of area courses are available for your consideration for practice or your golf event.

Many area courses have been designed by the biggest names in the sport, recognized

nationally, USGA rated, and are experienced in tournament and event play. For more information and introduction to local courses and clubs for your training or golf event, call Bradenton Area Sports at 12- * 'D+2&2* 00D or email us at Li hkh9 ; : <O; \ hf .



GOLF



The Bradenton Area makes the ideal destination for field hockey training, tournaments and events. From the perfect field in the gorgeous Florida outdoors, to a facility able to handle multiple teams and thousands of spectators, the

area provides a variety of fields, facilities and options.

Just some area facilities and organizations are shown here. For help, guidance or advice for your event, please call Bradenton Area Sports at 1-800-222-0011 or email us at info@bradentonsports.com.



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Located in Lakewood Ranch, Florida, The Premier Sports Campus is designed from the ground up for field sports. The campus offers 23 fields on its 140-acre campus, perfect for field hockey training or tournaments. Home of the US Soccer Winter Showcase & NIKE International Friendlies.

- 23 Celebration-seeded, laser-leveled grass fields
- 65,000 feet of underground state-of-the-art irrigation piping
- Easy, ample parking
- Concessions
- 8 fields with lighting for night play



Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources

Field hockey fields in 8 county parks throughout the area.

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The Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources Department provides a number of well-maintained fields suitable for field hockey training, tournaments, clinics, camps or other events at exceptionally reasonable rental fees.

- 25 regulation-size fields
- 17 fields with lighting for night play
- Restroom facilities
- Spectator stands
- Many located within area parks
- Family and group environment





FIELD HOCKEY



Seles, Courier, Agassi, Williams, Sharapova – the greatest names in tennis all seem to have one thing in common – The Bradenton Area.

Recognized internationally for years as the epicenter of the tennis training world, and the original home of the legendary IMG Academy Bollettieri Tennis program, the Bradenton Area seems to own tennis at every turn. This may be the country's perfect environment for tennis – from tournaments to training – especially for those looking to improve their game.

The area is renowned for several tennis academies, taking players to the next level. And numerous complexes, public and private, are available for tournament play. Bradenton Area Sports can provide information and introduction to local complexes for your training or tennis event. For more information, call 1-800-282-0000 or email us at [Li hkh9 ; : <O; \hf .](mailto:info@bradentonsports.com)



IMG Academy Bollettieri Tennis

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Nearly 35 years ago, the IMG Academy Bollettieri Tennis Program set the standard by which all tennis training programs are measured. A pioneer in the industry, it continues to develop champions at every level of the game by combining a proven training methodology with instruction by some of the game's greatest players and coaches, professional-grade facilities, and the latest in sports performance innovation.

- College preparatory academy
- 52 tennis courts (indoor, hard and clay)
- Swing analysis rooms complete with V1 Pro video systems
- “Mission Room” provides an inspirational setting for match play strategy and instruction
- Cutting-edge, 10,000 sq. ft. weight room
- Gatorade Sports Science Institute
- Covered turf facility
- Conference/meetings rooms
- Sports Therapy Center
- Health Clinic
- State-of-the-art residence hall
- Multiple dining halls
- Wellness Spa



United Tennis Academy

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With both full-time and summer programs, including partial or full day, the United Tennis Academy provides training of the complete individual in every aspect of the sport.

- 8 full-time, professional coaches
- 8 hard and 2 clay courts
- Full-time and summer programs, including partial or full day



Pro Tennis Academy

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Led by former IMG Academy Bollettieri Tennis Program Head Coach, Dennis Pelegrin, the Pro Tennis Academy offers full-time, and summer programs as well as individual training.

- Full-time, and summer programs
- Individual training



Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources

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The Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources Department provides 41 regulation-size courts, 30 lighted for night play, at eight locations throughout the area, most notable being those within the G.T. Bray Recreation Center:

- 8 clay and 7 hard courts with lighting for night play
- Pro shop services
- Fitness Center, Olympic pool, teen center and more





From Olympic hopefuls to professional hockey, the Bradenton Area makes a terrific choice for training and events in the state of Florida. Led by the expansive Ellenton Ice and Sports Complex, the destination offers the perfect mix of warm, Florida environment combined with state-of-the-art facilities for tournaments and training.

For help, guidance or advice for your event, please call Bradenton Area Sports at 813-747-2200 or email us at info@bradentonareaspports.com.



Ellenton Ice and Sports Complex

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One of the most state-of-the-art facilities in the Southeast, the 115,000 square foot Ellenton Ice and Sports Complex is the area's premier facility for ice sports of all kinds, from figure skating to hockey, curling and more. Easily accessed from I-75 and three international airports. The facility is located adjacent to the area's regional shopping center, Ellenton Premium Outlets.

- 2 NHL-size ice rinks
- Fitness center and locker rooms
- Conference rooms
- Event rooms
- On-site Pro Shop
- Massage therapy



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The Center provides a private, off-ice training experience for elite amateur and professional athletes, including players from the National Hockey League. Their training protocols and techniques have been designed to elevate strength, speed, agility and flexibility. Founded by Mike Gough, who has trained Olympic, NFL, NHL, MLB and NBA athletes.

- State-of-the-art 8,500 sq. ft. training facility
- Advanced treadmills, strength equipment, jump platforms
- Room dedicated for yoga and Pilates classes
- Team meeting and video room
- Athletes' lounge, sports medicine room



Whether you're planning for the perfect place to train, or want to ensure that you've found the best location for your track and field or cross country meet, the Bradenton Area makes one of the best choices in Florida. The area is continually chosen by some of the sports top athletes and coaches who are drawn to the area by its world-class facilities and unbeatable weather.

For help, guidance or advice for your event, please call Bradenton Area Sports at 2- * 80+282* 00 or email us at Li hkrh9 ; ; <O; \ hf .



IMG Academy

5500 34th St W (East Entrance)
Bradenton, FL 34210

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imgacademy.com

800-872-6425



IMG Academy annually attracts nearly 200,000 athletes, coaches, event participants and spectators from 100 countries. In addition to its boarding preparatory school, IMG Academy offers sports camps and training programs for adult, collegiate and professional athletes and teams. IMG Academy is also the host venue for countless international amateur and professional sporting events.

Combining a proven training methodology with instruction from the world's top speed coaches, professional-grade facilities, and the latest in sports performance innovation, IMG Academy truly sets the standard for track and field training and events.

- College preparatory academy
- State-of-the-art, TV-ready 5,000 seat stadium with hospitality suites, press box, 8-lane, 400m track
- Multiple training areas for jumps and throws
- Cutting-edge, 10,000 sq. ft. weight room
- Gatorade Sports Science Institute
- Covered turf facility
- Biomechanical analysis and film rooms
- Conference/meetings rooms
- Sports Therapy Center
- Health Clinic
- State-of-the-art residence hall
- Multiple dining halls
- Wellness Spa



The Bradenton Area’s superb year-round weather and temperate winters make it one of the country’s ideal locations for triathlons, marathons and endurance sports of all types.

The area offers a variety of course options from challenging road courses, to off-road trails to open water (both fresh and open Gulf). Area beachfront parks offer ample parking and facilities and provide the perfect staging area. The area even has dedicated complexes available, specifically designed for the events with experienced staff and coordinators.

Bradenton Area Sports is available to help and guide you in your steps to planning and producing your event in the area, providing assistance with permitting, road closures, police assistance and more. Please call Bradenton Area Sports at 941-762-0000 or email us at info@bradentonsports.com.



Nathan Benderson Park

North Cattlemen Road
Sarasota, FL 34243

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Train and race in a safe, controlled, environment. This state-of-the-art facility has been designed to be the perfect location for distance run competitions, triathlons and open water swims. Host of International Triathlon Union and USA Triathlon events.

- 600-acre facility offers a shell loop trail, 15ft. wide asphalt trail
- Fully landscaped course, 2000+ meter lake



Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources

Locations throughout the area

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(941) 742-5923

The Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources Department provides a number of well-maintained parks and facilities suitable for your triathlon, marathon, or endurance sport – from Gulf front to wooded trails, and more.

- Ample parking
- Event facilities

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The Bradenton Area makes a great location for cycling events and training. The area's moderate year-round temperatures and great road conditions make it an enjoyable area in which to ride. Additionally, the area offers a variety

of course options – from challenging road courses to off-road trails. You have a choice of staging areas providing facilities and ample parking.

Bradenton Area Sports is available to help and guide you in your steps to planning and producing your event in the area, providing assistance with permitting, road closures, police assistance and more. Please call Bradenton Area Sports at **1-813-748-0000** or email us at **Li hkrh9 ; : <O; \hf .**

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Recognized nationally as Florida's center for rowing training and competition, the area is rapidly gaining international attention. From some of the world's finest training and event facilities, to rivers, lakes and open water; crews

find the perfect environment to compete and take their sport to the next level. Superb year-round weather; calm, warm waters, and a welcoming "rowing-centric" community add up to the perfect choice.

For help, guidance or advice for your event, please call Bradenton Area Sports at 813-747-2822 or email us at [Li hkrh9 ; : <Q; '\ hf .](mailto:info@bradentonsports.com)



Ft. Hamer Rowing Facility

1605 Ft. Hamer Road
Parrish, FL 34219

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WorldClassRowing.com
(941) 358-7275



This unique rowing facility offers calm, flat water in one of Florida's most pristine and natural settings. A favorite of high school and collegiate teams from around the country, and set on the less-trafficked upland waters of the region's Manatee River, Ft. Hamer offers over 15 (one-way) miles of rowable water. Although set within a park in a quiet rural area, the facility is within a short distance of hotels, restaurants and entertainment.

- 8,000 sq.ft. four-bay boat house with racks
- Restroom and changing facilities
- Low-profile docks, cleaning stations
- Large team exercise area



Nathan Benderson Park

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One of the world's most advanced facilities, this multi-million 2,000-meter Albano course and rowing regatta center sits on 600 acres, providing access to its 400-acre lake. Open for paddle sport competition and training – from dragon boats to canoe and kayak – as well as triathlon and cross country.

- 2,000-meter Albano course and regatta center
- 1,500-meter practice course, with wave attenuation system
- Starting huts and finish towers
- The 30-acre Regatta Island offers multi-function boathouse, athlete training center and grandstands
- Launch and recovery docks ready in 2015



From teams traveling internationally, to seasoned swimmers training for the next Olympics, to college and high school teams from around the country, the Bradenton Area is the choice for swimmers looking to take their sport to the

next level. Excellent facilities combine with Florida's year-round perfect weather to create the ideal training environment. Each winter, the area's G.T. Bray Aquatic Center hosts Team Erlangen, an Olympic swim team from Germany.

Just some area facilities and organizations are shown here. For help, guidance or advice for your training or event, please call Bradenton Area Sports at **1-813-747-2822** or email us at **Li hkrh9 ; : <O; \hf .**



G.T. Bray Aquatic Center

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A beautiful aquatic center designed to meet all your team training needs, consistently chosen by teams world-wide to improve their skill. Additionally, the Manatee County Parks and Natural Resources Department provides a number of other well-maintained pools and aquatic facilities available at extremely reasonable fees.

- Six-lane, 50-meter pool
- Heated to 80 degrees in the winter
- Locker rooms and shower facilities on site
- Center provides session time for up to two daily workouts
- Available November through March



From Indy cars, stock cars, drag racing to bikes and more, the Bradenton Area is the perfect location for those with a need for speed. The area is home to a range of pro and amateur tracks offering both public competition and

closed courses, accustomed to offering a variety of events, competitions, trials and training.

The area gives you a broad selection of facilities offering an array of event-related and motorsport support services. Superb, year-round weather helps ensure great track surfaces and event attendance.

Have a question about the area or its motorsports facilities and offerings? For help, guidance or advice on your event, please call Bradenton Area Sports at **1-888-282-0000** or email us at **Li hkh9 ; : <O; \hf .**



Andersen RacePark

10101 U.S. 41 North
Palmetto, FL 34221

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AndersenRacePark.com
(941) 723-3900



Set on 18 acres, the facility includes a 1-mile test track, 22 garages on pit lane, a full-service karting store and an 8,000-square-foot shop where professional open-wheel race cars are prepared. Track adaptable to many configurations for both karts and small formula cars. Training and testing programs available. Andersen Promotions is the organizer and promoter of the USF2000 National Championship, the first step on the IRL's Mazda Road to Indy.

- One-mile test track
- Driver training
- On-site Pro Shop, kart sales and service
- Private testing and track rentals



Bradenton Motorsports Park

21000 SR. 64
Bradenton, FL 34212

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BradentonMotorsports.com
(941) 748-1320



One of the most popular tracks in the southeast, offering drag competition and events for stock cars, modifieds, bikes, and more. IHRA and NHRA sanctioned, the track hosts numerous association series. Professional track rental available.

- Fuel, compressed air and water available
- Racing fuels, alcohol and higher octane nitrous fuel available
- Concessions and restrooms
- Overnight parking available (no hookups)
- V.I.P. and Media parking
- Handicap seating
- Track PA broadcast over FM



Freedom Factory

21050 SR. 64 E
Bradenton, FL 34212

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events@FFFL.com



The facility was constructed in the early 1970's and includes a 3/8-mile paved oval with 12 degree banking through the turns. Major upgrades and improvements were completed in 2021, making the Freedom Factory a premier multifaceted entertainment venue. With seating for 5,000, the fans are able to see the entire infield of the facility. Fans will enjoy the entire Freedom Factory entertainment experience, including great food and a clean facility.

- 60-foot wide, 3/8-mile oval asphalt track
- Grandstands with seating for up to 5,000 fans
- Concessions open at all events
- Restrooms



We're thrilled to introduce the TerraNova Equestrian Center, which will host its inaugural international competition for US Equestrian in fall of 2021. This world-class facility has received rave reviews from leaders in the sport for its quality of grounds and footing. The ability to hold events in a variety of disciplines, including dressage, show jumping and eventing, makes TerraNova one of the top equestrian venues in the nation.

Tucked into the picturesque countryside of Myakka City in Manatee County, TerraNova is a welcoming setting for all levels of horse enthusiasts to enjoy equestrian sports. The team at TerraNova built a family-friendly facility designed to deliver an unparalleled experience for competitors and horses while keeping safety a priority. No detail was overlooked with six state-of-the-art arenas and a sprawling cross-country course designed by Olympic gold-medalist Capt. Mark Phillips and built by master craftsman Eric Bull.

Have a question about the area or its equestrian offerings? For help, guidance or advice on your event, please call Bradenton Area Sports at **!2- *!D+282* 00** or email us at **Li hkrh9 ; : <Q; \hf .**



TerraNova Equestrian Center

31625 Clay Gully Rd
Myakka City, FL 34251

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TerraNovaEquestrian.com
(941) 737-5518



A world-class multi-discipline equestrian competition facility in Manatee County, near Bradenton and Sarasota. Set on one of Southwest Florida's most picturesque properties, TerraNova provides a beautiful backdrop for all levels of a range of equestrian disciplines, from top international to national and regional competition in a relaxed, family-friendly atmosphere with spectacular amenities.

ARENAS & TRACKS

- Custom cross-country footing, drainage and irrigation
- Six gold-standard all-weather arenas
- Sprawling 300 x 420 main arena
- Two 200 x 300 arenas
- A 175 x 300 arena
- A 175 x 250 arena
- A 175 x 600 arena
- The TerraNova Cross-country course
- Expansive cross-country schooling area

LAND & ESTATES

- A 225-acre facility
- Four-acre lake servicing innovative drainage and irrigation systems
- Raised areas for spectator viewing
- VIP hospitality and vendor area
- TourTech sound system plan
- Adjacent to TerraNova Estates development
- Walking distance to clubhouse
- Only 25 minutes to dining, shopping and hotel

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ARRANGING YOUR TRAINING OR TOURNAMENT

Put our winning team behind you

Get easy access to all the resources you need from local, experienced professionals. Everything from pre-trip planning to post-event follow up, accommodations advice, logistical support and more is available from Bradenton Area Sports.

Booking accommodations for a large group is easy.

Bradenton Area Sports' own Housing Bureau can make it easy to find area lodging for your group. If you're looking for the perfect property to suit your needs, one call does it all.

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Bradenton, FL 34202
athleticedgesports.com
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GolfManatee.com
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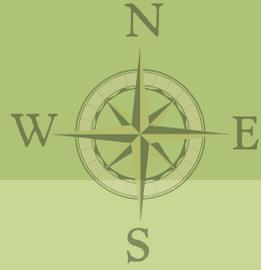
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MANATEE COUNTY

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SARASOTA COUNTY

COUNTY PARKS

- 1 Bennett Park
400 Kay Road NE
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- 2 Blackburn Tennis Courts
3904 17th Street East
Palmetto, FL 34221
- 3 Blackstone Park
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- 4 Braden River Boat Ramp/
State Road 64 Boat Ramp
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Bradenton, FL 34208
- 5 Braden River Park
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Bradenton, FL 34203
- 6 Buffalo Creek Park
7550 69th Street East
Palmetto, FL 34221
- 7 Bunker Hill Community Park
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- 8 Coquina Bayside North
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- 14 Ft. Hamer Boat Ramp
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- 15 G.T. Bray Park
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- 16 Greenbrook Park
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- 17 Highland Shores Boat Ramp
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- 21 Kingfish Boat Ramp
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- 24 Lincoln Park
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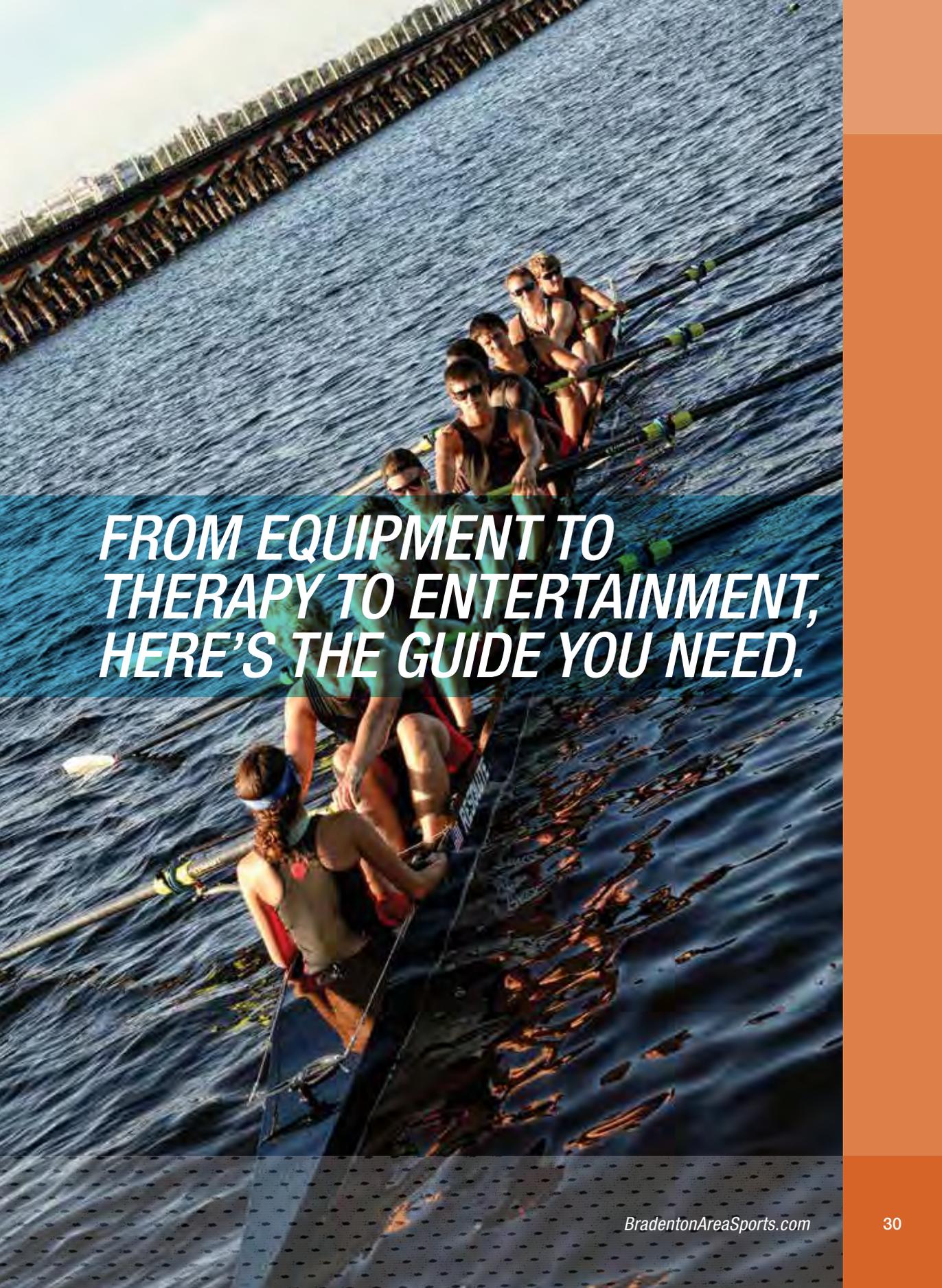
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A high-angle, slightly tilted photograph of a rowing team in a blue boat on a body of water. The team consists of several people, mostly women, wearing athletic gear and sunglasses. They are all leaning forward in a synchronized rowing motion. The water is dark blue with some ripples. In the background, a long, dark wooden pier or bridge structure extends across the horizon. The overall scene is dynamic and captures the intensity of the sport.

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No matter how well prepared you are, you may need some last-minute supplies, apparel or equipment.

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Weather

Even though the area has more sunny days than almost any other area in the country, you will still want to keep tabs on the forecast.

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The Bradenton Area offers a diverse array of dining options, from family-friendly, to Florida fresh to reservations-only, white-glove. Whether a night out with the team, or a serious executive power lunch, you'll find intriguing culinary options in a league of their own. The best part? Most all provide offsite catering to your residence, office or setting of your choice.

Here's just a taste...

Beach Bistro – Located right on the white-sand beach of Anna Maria Island, the Beach Bistro is consistently awarded the highest ZAGAT scores in the state of Florida for “best food” and has been honored with inclusion in ZAGAT’s “Top Restaurants in America”. The Bistro also boasts a long-standing Wine Spectator Award and is enthroned in Florida Trend’s “Golden Spoon Hall of Fame”.

Euphemia Haye – One of Florida’s best culinary experiences lies deep among lush landscaping on Longboat Key. A bit out of the way, and slightly epicurean, Euphemia Haye delights with a regional American menu rendered with an eye toward classical techniques. Owned and managed by Chef Raymond Arpke, the cuisine delights with items such as smoked salmon on buckwheat crêpes, fried green tomatoes and pistachio-crusting Key West Snapper.

Old Main Street, Downtown Bradenton – The city’s historic downtown bustles with a variety of dining and entertainment options and also hosts an ongoing calendar of events. An easy stroll from the area’s new Riverwalk and Twin Dolphin Marina.

Grove Restaurant, Patio and Ballroom – The newest offshoot of Pier 22, the award-winning waterfront destination headed by restaurateurs Hugh Miller and Greg Campbell, the Grove features an extensive range of gourmet dishes handcrafted from thoughtfully sourced, seasonal ingredients with a fresh perspective. House-made specialties include dishes like seared Ahi Tuna Nachos and Beef Brisket Poutine – two cross-cultural combinations that take Contemporary American cuisine to the next level. Private event spaces can accommodate 350+ guests and offsite catering is also available.

The Sandbar, BeachHouse and Mar Vista Restaurants – Enjoy the quintessential Florida waterfront dining experience at your choice of three of the area's most popular restaurants. Sink your toes into the sand or watch some of the most gorgeous sunsets on earth, while you dine on the area’s freshest seafood, all as the nearby Gulf of Mexico offers wave after gentle wave.

Pier 22 – This sophisticated, casual restaurant located on the Manatee River offers indoor and outdoor waterfront dining with an extensive menu ranging from sushi, fresh fish, choice steaks and wild game. Reservations are accepted for parties of 2-300. The venue offers multiple private dining rooms, an elegant ballroom, a casual patio or al fresco dining on its waterfront terrace.



For more dining options, check out BradentonGulfIslands.com/Eat



Golf – Florida’s known for golf. But the Bradenton Area offers some of the most highly rated courses in the state. Over 20 area courses offer a multitude of challenges and design, including The Concession; designed by Jack Nicklaus and Tony Jacklin, and currently in consideration to host the LPGA’s 2017 Solheim Cup.

Boating – A region more surrounded with and traversed by water than any area of the state, the Bradenton Area is a boater’s dream, offering marinas, facilities, off-shore islands, cozy inlets and up-river adventure. No boat? No problem. The area is dotted with rentals, charters and captains all experienced in getting visitors out onto the water and into the fun.

Fishing – Whether you just want to laze the day away or go for your next trophy, you’ve found Florida’s fishing paradise. From deep water, to flats, to fresh water; whether by powerboat or kayak, the area offers more ways to throw a line than most anywhere in the state. Charters and experienced Captains can get you or your group out on the water and posting your latest adventure on YouTube in minutes.

Sparkling Islands – From the quaint to the elegant, the region’s islands offer some of Florida’s top beaches as well as a chance to relax and recharge on some of the state’s less hurried shoreline. From the beach village of Anna Maria Island, to the relaxed coziness of Longboat Key, all offer some of the highest-rated beaches in the nation.

Polo – Since 1991, the Polo Club at Lakewood Ranch has been providing exhilarating polo matches at one of the most beautiful settings in Florida. Every Sunday afternoon during season, the public is invited to bring their picnic baskets and thrill to the Sport of Kings, “the fastest game on four feet.”

A Vibrant Arts & Culture Scene – The region exhilarates with world-class museums, art galleries, theater, performances and events. Bradenton’s Bishop Museum is one of the top-rated museums in the state and the largest natural and cultural history museum on Florida’s Gulf Coast. The area’s Manatee Performing Arts Center offers a top calendar of exhilarating performances, as does the Van Wezel Performing Arts Hall in nearby Sarasota. ArtCenter Manatee has three galleries with ever-changing exhibits and adult art classes and workshops. The Village of the Arts is an eclectic live-work community made up of colorful historic cottages that house Bradenton’s best art galleries, studios, specialty shops and more and offers monthly art walk events with live music, incredible food and unique indie art spanning every genre. And just minutes over the Skyway Bridge in nearby St. Petersburg, the internationally acclaimed Salvador Dali Museum offers the largest collection of Dali art outside of Europe.

An Annual Calendar of Exciting Events

– The Bradenton Area doesn’t sit still, and continually offers an exciting calendar of events annually. From Bradenton’s annual BluesFest, to art walks, to seafood festivals, wine festivals and more, there’s always a guarantee of something to see, explore and do.



For dates and locations, check out BradentonGulfIslands.com/Events



With everything from regional outlet malls to quaint antique districts, the Bradenton Area thrills visitors and locals alike with truly unique shopping experiences. Wonderful opportunities await those who look for shopping to entertain and indulge.

Here's just a few...

Ellenton Premium Outlets – Offering over 130 stores by major national and international brands, Premium Outlets is the region's power shopping headquarters, and draws thousands daily for some of the highest fashion at the lowest prices. Got a group? They'll even help you plan your visit.

University Park – Anchored by national stalwarts such as Total Wine and Marshall's, the shopping district also offers a range of restaurants such as the local favorite Bonefish Grill and the popular Linkster's Tap Room.

Main Street Lakewood Ranch – One of the area's favorite shopping districts, Main Street offers stylish boutiques and acclaimed restaurants. The area combines elements of the ideal downtown with easy-to-access stores that make year-round shopping a pleasure. Famous names and specialty shops line the streets and are offered in an open-air environment providing a unique plaza for strolling and shopping.

Pine Avenue, Anna Maria Island – Award-winning and still evolving, Pine Avenue is Anna Maria Island’s “walkable village center” offering a delightful mix of shops, boutiques and galleries in a charming tropical island atmosphere. Much of the district is “off the grid” operating under its own generated power and employing an advanced mix of sustainable energy technologies.

University Town Center – The 80,000-square-foot UTC is the region’s top mega-shopping experience offering top-flight shops, restaurants and entertainment venues, anchored by Saks Fifth Avenue.



For more options, go to BradentonGulfIslands.com/play/Shopping



*The perfect location
to experience the
rest of Florida.*

Residents and visitors alike know that the Bradenton Area's central location and easy access allow the area to serve as the perfect "home base" to see and experience the rest of Florida.

Here are just some of the many Florida destinations and attractions enjoyed by area visitors as nearby day trips...

The Tampa Bay Rays and Buccaneer Football

Besides Bradenton's own thriving professional sports, the nearby cities of St. Petersburg and Tampa offer Major League baseball and NFL football in season and just minutes away.

The Salvador Dali Museum and the Dale Chihuly Collection

Located in nearby St. Petersburg, the Dali offers the world's largest collection of Dali art outside of Europe. The Chihuly Collection features the stunning, permanent collection of glass artwork by Dale Chihuly.

Central Florida theme parks

Just 90 minutes away, Florida's famous theme parks are easily accessed and make an enjoyable day trip or pre- or post-visit.

The Ringling Museum of Art

Located in nearby Sarasota, the museum was built by John Ringling to house his personal collection of masterpieces, and now features paintings and sculptures by the great Old Masters including Rubens, van Dyck, Velázquez, Titian, Tintoretto, Veronese, El Greco, Gainsborough and more.



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Busch Gardens and Adventure Island

Just minutes away in Tampa, Busch Gardens is one of America's great theme parks offering thrilling rides, animal attractions, as well as the Adventure Island water park, offering a full day of fun.

The Edison and Ford Winter Estates

Located to the south in Fort Myers, visitors enjoy a glimpse into the lives of two of America's great inventors while touring their former winter homes. Twenty acres of historic buildings, gardens, the Edison Botanic Research lab and the Edison/Ford Museum.



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