

PIGEON KEY

An Isle of Education & Recreation



Opportunities for Boy Scouts

Merit Badges

The Pigeon Key Foundation is authorized to award the following merit badges:

- Ocean
- SCUBA
- Geocaching
- Nature
- Camping
- Fish & Wildlife
- Fishing
- Emergency Preparedness
- Wilderness Survival
- Railroading
- Architecture
- Fire Safety
- Bird Study
- Art
- Athletics
- Collections
- Fly-fishing
- Pulp and Paper
- Weather
- Plant
- Public Speaking

On-Island Opportunities

- Marine Science Programs
- Casting competitions
- Underwater obstacle course
- Large field for activities
- Volleyball court and basketball net
- Bocce ball, football, horseshoes, tidepooling, and snorkeling (gear provided)
- Fire pit
- Service projects available
- Opportunities exist to take your scouts off-island to snorkel at Sombrero Reef, kayak through mangroves, visit the Turtle Hospital and/or Dolphin Research Center, or conduct beach clean-ups at Bahia Honda.



On-Island Accommodations

Your troop has the option of camping or staying in our historic buildings. Dorms include bunk-style sleeping arrangements, bedding, full bath facilities, air conditioning and more. Meals are optional. Island is accessible by ferryboat or backpacking 2.2 miles on the bridge.

About Us

Pigeon Key is a five-acre island nestled in the heart of the Florida Keys. The Pigeon Key Foundation & Marine Science Center is a 501(c)-3 non-profit organization whose goal it is to protect the cultural history of the Florida Keys by promoting its healthy future. We host a variety of groups and have daily historical tours. All staff are CPR/first aid certified with an Eagle Scout on staff. In addition, we only host **one group on island at a time** giving you a personalized experience.

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