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## Blazing Mako Tournament & Festival, Islamorada

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*The inaugural Blazing Mako Tournament & Festival is scheduled for June 16-19, 2015, at the Islander Resort in Islamorada FL. From a press release:*

ISLAMORADA, FL - MARCH 15, 2016: They say the family that fishes together stays together, and for South Florida's Davis family that tradition also includes supporting the Blazing Mako Tournament & Festival a June event that will combine fishing, conservation, research and marine science scholarships.

Nova Southeastern University (NSU) and Guy Harvey Outpost Resorts announced today that Miramar,

Florida-based C. Davis Electric has joined the tournament as a Presenting Sponsor, which includes two entries for the offshore tournament division and a shirt sponsorship. In total, a \$25,000 commitment.

The goal of the non-profit tournament and festival, scheduled for June 16-19 2016, is to raise \$100,000 for marine science scholarships. NSU's Halmos College of National Sciences and Oceanography, home to the Guy Harvey Research Institute (GHRI), the Guy Harvey Oceanographic Center research building, the Center of Excellence in Coral Reef Ecosystem Research and the Save Our Seas Shark Research Centre, will administer scholarship funds donated through the Guy Harvey Ocean Foundation (GHOF).

C. Davis Electric and the Davis family have been friends of NSU for many years, and this new tournament and festival is yet another way they can combine their love of NSU with their love of

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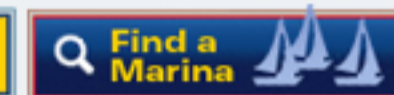
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