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A renewed effort to

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A grassroots group is going all in on its mission to protect and restore mangrove islands and stop the damage to a threatened habitat in its own backyard.

The recently formed Jupiter Narrows Conservation Alliance is working to save the deteriorating mangrove islands and surrounding seagrasses of

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Celebrating Mom

A Festive Lineup of Mother's Day Events

Mother's Day Specials at The Spa at PGA National invite moms to indulge in the spa amenities and enjoy the serenity of the rejuvenating Waters of the World Spa pools. From 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m. daily through May 31, the spa offers three specials designed to pamper mom:

Mommy Me Time: Choose between a 50-minute customized facial or a tranquil 50-minute aromatic massage, paired with a pedicure and including a cocktail or mocktail.

Mommy To Be Time: A 50-minute expecting mother's facial or a 50-minute expecting mother's massage, served with a thoughtfully crafted mocktail.

Ultimate Mommy's Pampering: A 50-minute customized facial and a 50-minute aromatic massage, and a manicure/pedicure. A crafted cocktail/mocktail is included.

The Spa at PGA National, 450 Ave. of the Champions, Palm Beach Gardens. Reservations: 561-627-2000 or email spareservations@pgaresort.com. Book online at <https://na.spatime.com/pgs33418/4926362/offering/17156328>.

ernmost extent of the Indian River Lagoon.

"I call it the backbone of the whole ecosystem," said Sue Panella, founding member of



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mangroves. Panella says the mangroves act as nurseries for juvenile fish, filter water and clean out pollutants.

"People love to come here for the pristine waters," she said. And the al-



JUPITER NARROWS CONSERVATION ALLIANCE / COURTESY PHOTO

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