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GENERAL EMERGENCY NUMBERS

General

General Emergency – 066 from land phone or 113 from cellular phone **Green Angel Roadside Assistance** - 983-1184

JAPAY (Water) - 930-3450 CFE (Electricity) - 071 Telmex (Phone) - 01-800-123-0000

Merida Fire Department- 924-9242 or 923-2971 **Merida Police Department** - 942-0060

Hospitals

CEM Hospital - Calle 60 and Ave. Colon, (near Hyatt Hotel) (emergency room and small Hospital)

Clinica de Mérida (Hospital)- Ave. Itzaes, (near the Donde circle) 942-1800 (they have their own ambulance service, Emergency room and Hospital)

CMA - Calle 54 y Perez Ponce, (near WalMart) (Emergency room and Hospital) **Star Medica** (Hospital) - Calle 26 #199 x 15 Fracc. Altabrisa - 930-2880 ext. 5

Ambulances

Red Cross (Cruz Roja) **Free Ambulance** - 065 or 924-9813 (they accept donations)

Alfa Ambulance Service (serves Star Medica) - 924-1322 Sami Ambulance Service (serves Star Medica) - 925-4048

Taxis

EconoTaxi: 945 00 00 **Taxi Santa Ana**: 928-**56**00 **TaxiMetro**: 922-7575



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Editor's Introduction: Mario Heredia is a local architect who was born in Merida, Yucatan and studied architecture at FUAUDY, the Yucatan's prestigious school of architecture. Mario has extensive experience, both in Yucatan and in Quintana Roo and he often serves as the general contractor to build his designs. He was one of the architects for the Clinica Merida building, has designed many commercial and residential buildings in Merida and for the last few years, has been developing a specialty of highly ecofriendly designs and construction of beachfront homes. Most of his residential beach homes can be seen in the small coastal town of Sisal, Yucatan.

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Editor's Introduction: The husband and wife team of Salvador Reyes Rios and Josefina Larrain got started in the Yucatan by renovating, decorating and landscaping

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some of the area's largest and most magnificent haciendas. In the process of transforming these into luxurious hotels and private homes, they learned all the best practices of working with traditional time-tested materials for both traditional and modern designs. The firm has a wide range of skills and experiences in their portfolio, including the design, renovation and construction of multiple haciendas,



the luxury hotel Rosas & Xocolate, various colonial and modern houses in Merida Centro and private residences throughout Mexico.

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Interior Design



Editor's Introduction: The combined team of Mercedes Sanchez, Alvaro Cervera and Michael Reper is a perfect combination of intelligence, experience and style... everything you need for a successful construction or design project in the Yucatan! Mercedes and Alvaro are both graduates of UADY's School of Architecture, with additional years of working in the local area. Their knowledge of local practices, their connections with local businesspeople and their experience with local materials and climates is invaluable when building or renovating a home here. Michael Reper brings a refreshing design sensibility from his years of experience in the United States as an interior designer. The combination of these three skilled people, who have completed multiple projects together, is a proven formula for success.

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CHURCHES AND RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS

According to the 2000 census, 75% of the population of Merida is Roman Catholic; 7% are Protestant.

Catholic

Most downtown old churches:

Mejorada, Calle 50 at Calle 59, Centro San Cristóbal, Calle 50 at Calle 65, Centro San Sebastián, Calle 70 at Calle 75, Centro Cathedral, Calle 60 at Calle 61, Centro Santa Ana, Calle 60 at Calle 45, Centro Santa Lucia, Calle 60 at Calle 55, Centro La Ermita, Calle 66 at Calle 77, Centro San Juan, Calle 64 at Calle 69, Centro

Others:

Itzimná, Colonia Itzimná San José

Baptist

Baptist Church "El Mesías" Calle 28 x 16 Colonia Morelos Oriente

Baptist Church Berea Calle 35 Diag. No. 361 X 46 y 48. Centro

Baptist Church Jesucristo es El Señor Calle 22 x 29 y 31, No. 108 Dptos. 2 y 3. Colonia México

First Baptist Church Calle 62 No. 538 x 67 y 69 Centro



Jehovah's Witnesses

Jehovah's Witnesses arrived in Progreso in 1952, originally from the United States and central Mexico. The congregation now has at least 17,000 members, about 6000 of who speak Mayan.

Salón del Reino de los Testigos de Jehová Calle 90 # 482-B x Avenida Jacinto Canek x 47. Colonia Inalámbrica.

Methodist

La Rosa de Saron Calle 62 No. 300-F x 35. Merida Centro Phone: (999) 912-27-91

Christian

Christian Church "Emmanuel" Calle 112 No. 425-A x 59-H. Colonia Bojorquez

Christian Community "Príncipe de Paz" Avenida Itzáes por 71 y 73. Centro

Centro de Fe "Sinai" Calle 66b #889 por 109-D Colonia Obrera

Centro Cristiano "La Nueva Jerusalén" Calle 20 No 106 x 23 y 25 Colonia Chuburná

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

Calle 45 # 527, Merida Centro. Phone: (999) 92415-81

Presbyterian

Shalom

Calle 26 No. 215 x 27 Colonia Garcia Gineres, Merida

El Verbo de Dios Calle 20 entre 21 y 19 Colonia Chuburna, Merida

El Divino Salvador Calle 66 No. 520 x 63, Merida Centro



Antioquia Calle 74 No. 468, Merida Centro

Episcopal

Saint Mark's Anglican Church (English spoken)
Serving Mérida, Progreso, & Northern Yucatan
Calle 21 No. 116 (between Calles 58 & 60) Progreso, Yucatán
Phone: (01-998) 845-36-24
Cancun Cellular: (044 – 998) 845-36-24
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Other

Adonai de Mexico Calle 35 Diag No. 361 X 46 y 48 Colonia Mérida

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Iglesia de Dios en México Calle 38 No. 464 Colonia Jesús Carranza Phone: (999) 926-07-91

El Nazareno Calle 57 No. 380 x 34 y 36 centro



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Tel: 938-00-18

Colegio Gastronómico del Sureste Av. Camara de Comercio (C. 49 # 303 x 46 y 48) Frac. Villas la Hacienda

Culinaria del Sureste Calle 19 #34 x 1-H Fracc. Montecristo C.P. 97133 Tel: (999)948.26.81

Los Dos Cooking School (classes in English) Calle 68 # 517 x 65 y 67

MexicaChica (classes in English as part of tour) In Merida: 999-901-5430

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Linea Peninsular Shipping

Calle 25 #151-A x 80 y 82, Col. Centro Progreso, Yucatan

Tel: 969-935-5520

Email: neydyv@lineaships.com Website: www.lineaships.com

Agencia Aduanal del Valle Sureste

Termina de Carga Aérea Edificio "A" Local

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Merida, Yucatan C.P. 97259

Tel: 969-930-1760

Email: jorgeb@aadelvalle.com.mx Website: www.aduanaldelvalle.mx







DENTISTS

Dr. Javier Cámara Patrón Telephone: 999-925-3399

Address: Calle 17 #170 x 8 y 10, Col. Garcia Ginerés

English-speaking receptionist: Sometimes. If not, ask for one & they'll get her.

English-speaking dentist: Yes Emergency services: Yes

Specialty: Rehabilitation and orthodontia

Dr. Jesús Manuel Sanchez Ruz

Telephone: 999-924-9895

Address: Calle 53 #518-B x 64 y 66, Centro

English-speaking receptionist: Yes English-speaking dentist: Yes Emergency services: No

Specialty: Rehabilitation and orthodontia

Dr. Diana Navarro Zapata

Website: www.meridadentist.com

Telephone: 999-924-9895

Address: 508 Calle 15 #491 x 22, Fracc. Altabrisa

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English-speaking receptionist: Yes English-speaking dentist: Yes Emergency services: No

Specialty: Restorative Dentistry

Dr. Felipe Mena

Telephone: 999-925-3606 or 3707

Address: Avenida Itzaes # 258-A x 29 y 31

English-speaking receptionist: No English-speaking dentist: Yes Emergency services: No

Specialty: General







Dr. Cecelia Vazquez

Website:

www.yucatanliving.com/sponsors/doctora-

cecilia-vazquez.htm Telephone: 999-121-6934 Email: cvn25@hotmail.com

Address: Calle 19 #115 x Prolongacion Montejo

English-speaking receptionist: No English-speaking dentist: Yes Emergency services: No

Specialty: Restorative Dentistry

Dr. Rodrigo Flores Flores Telephone: 999-943-6010 Address: Piso 7, Consultorio 720

Star Medica Hospital

English-speaking receptionist: No English-speaking dentist: Yes

Specialty: Oral Surgery & Dental Implants



FURNITURE

Yucatan Custom Furniture Custom built furniture made locally

Phone: 999-286-3427 or (cel) 999-105-2859

Website: www.yucatancustomfurniture.com

Colomer (Modern designs, locally produced)

Calle 20 #99 x 19 y 21, Col. Itzimná

Phone: 999-926-9977

Gringo Furniture (Delivered furniture purchased from the web) www.gringofurniture.com

Marbol (locally manufactured, modern designs)

Phone: 999-948-3048





Nasström (modern designs by local IKEA manufacturer) Calle 31 #104 x 20 y 24, Col. Mexico

Phone: 999-927-2354

Triunfo (Wacky, wonderful and weird) Paseo Montejo at Calle 39

Luna del Oriente (antique Asian imports) Calle 65 # 541A x 66 y 68 Phone:(044) 999-247-2953

Tropical Cocoon (Mexican-manufactured and designed) www.tropicalcocoon.com

GROCERY SHOPPING

Bodega Aurrera Avenida Itzaés x Calle 90, also in Progreso on Calle 78 downtown

Chedraui

Paseo de Montejo by Monumento a la Bandera; Ave. Itzaes; Plaza las Américas and Norte (across from Gran Plaza)

Costco Calle 60 north of Circuito Colonias

ISSTEY Calle 60 by 49 and 51

Mega & Comercial Mexicana North Calle 60 and Circuito Colonias, and Gran Plaza

Mercado Grande (traditional market) Calle 56 at 65 Downtown



Neighborhood markets:

Santa Ana (Calle 60 and 47) Santiago (Calle 72 and 59) San Sebastian (Calle 70 and 77)

Saturdays A.M. ONLY: SLOW Food Market (organic, locally grown fruit, vegetables and flowers, fresh bread and more) Located at Calle 31 at Calle

12, Col. Chuburná. Phone: 195-6413

Sam's Club

Prolongación Montejo by La Gran Plaza

Superama (owned by WalMart)
Prolongación Montejo going north, before the Club Campestre

Tendejones

Find one near to your house, they're everywhere!

WalMart

Paseo de Montejo y Avenida Colón and in front of Plaza Dorada. (and other locations)



IMMIGRATION

Yucatan Expatriate Services

Calle 25 x 28 y 30, Col. García Ginerés.

Phone: (999)-927-2437

Website: <u>www.yucatanyes.com</u>

Mexican Immigration Office (INM) Av. Colón at calle 8. Colonia García Ginerés



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Cel: 044 99 91 295902

Expat Global Medical (specific health insurance for American expats) John McGee 336-998-9583 Telephone



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establish the legal firm of Puerto y Pino. Along with his partner, Raúl Pino Navarette, a distinguished Merida notario, Ignacio has grown his firm into a multi-associate office of experienced lawyers with varying areas of expertise. Years of servicing the needs of multinational corporations with businesses in Mexico, as well as years of public service on the state and local level, have given Puerto y Pino the knowledge and associations needed to support their corporate and personal clients in their business endeavors.



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Biomedicos de Mérida

Services: 12 branches around Merida (one in Progreso) that provide clinical test services. Make house calls.

Phone: 925-2178, 920-8515

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twelve offices in the city, including one n Progreso, Biomedicos is able to provide quick, reliable and personal service for all your medical laboratory needs. English speaking operators and in-home service providers are available.

Healthstar Medical Tourism

Services: Medical Tourism Services

Website:

www.healthstarmedicaltourism.com

Telephone: 1 (800) 801-5039 (Toll Free

USA and Canada)

<u>Editor's Introduction</u>: Healthstar Medical Tourism prides itself on having the best relationships with the best doctors in



Merida. English-speaking, internationally-trained doctors, surgeons and specialists are made available for quotations, consultations and medical services. Healthstar provides excellent concierge service from beginning to end, from your free quote to your recovery. Services provided include cosmetic surgery, bariatric surgery, knee and hip replacements and CCSVI Liberation Treatment for those suffering from MS.

Medical Specialities Center (CEM)

Services: Emergency room, Hospital, Doctors, Pharmacy.

Address: Calle 60 #329 across from Hyatt Hotel

Telephone: (999) 920-4040

Medical Center Las Américas (CMA) (Across from WalMart)

Services: All specialties. Associated with Mercy Hospital, Miami, Florida. Emergency

room, Hospital, Doctors, Pharmacy. Address: Calle 54 # 365, Centro Telephone: (999) 926-4716 / 926-4710

Pensiones Medical Center (IMSS)

Services: Emergency room, Hospital, Doctors, Pharmacy.

Address: Avenida 7 #215-A, Colonia Pensiones

Telephone: (52-999) 925-8108

Chiropractor - Dr. Danny Martin Degraff

Services: Chiropractic, Nutrition

Address: Calle 52 # 379 X 33-A Y Av. Perez

Tel: 999-926-4545

Pediatric Clinic

Services: Consultation

Address: Calle 57 #474-C, Centro

Telephone: (999) 924-9133 / 923-0738

Clinica Merida

Services: Emergency room, Hospital, Doctors, Pharmacy

Address: Avenida Itzaes #242, Colonia García Gineres, Mérida.

Telephone: (999) 925-7398 / 925-4308

María José Clinic for mothers and babies

Services: small clinic for baby delivery

Address: Calle 53 #484, Centro Telephone: (999) 928-5325

Santa María Clinic

Services: Small clinic, Consultation, Emergency room,

Address: Calle 69 #430, Centro Telephone: (999) 924-2624

Clínica Yucatán

Services: Small clinic, Emergency room

Address: Calle 66 # 528, Centro Telephone: (999) 924-9391

Mexican Red Cross (Cruz Roja)

Services: Emergencies and ambulance

Address: Calle 68 #533, Centro

Telephone: (999) 924-9813 / 928-5391



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Blood test in your home Jose Alberto Ordoñez (044-9999-924579)

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Website: www.fahorro.com.mx

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Farmacias Homeopáticas Hernandez

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Phone: 01-800-900-1100

Pegaso Express Fiesta Americana Phone: 925-1660

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Santiago: Avenida Reforma x 37

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Website: www.mexintl.com

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estate agency in the area, headed up by trained, licensed real estate agents and brokers. Mexico International is a team of multilingual real estate, architecture, legal, construction, relocation, property rental and property management professionals who observe U.S. standard professional business practices and are dedicated to the success of their clients.

Buena Vida Realtors Calle 51 #490 Merida Centro Phone: (999) 924-4288, (999) 928-8809

Quality Bienes Raíces C. 27 # 93 Local 1y2 x 18. Col. México.

Phone: (999) 926-0777

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Phone: (999) 928-9009, (999) 129-3815

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Tierra Yucatan C. 66 # 417 B x 49 y 47 A. centro. Phone: (999) 923-7615

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RESTAURANTS



Yucatan Living: Merida Restaurant Listings

MERIDA Website: www.yucatanliving.com/category/merida-

restaurants.

A comprehensive list of local restaurants, with hours, addresses, phone numbers, directions from the Centro and reviews.



SCHOOLS

American School

Phone: +52-999-941-9371

Location: North Merida just off the road to Progreso

Address: Calle 3B #244 x 20 y 18, Colonia Xcumpich C.P. 97204

English Speaking Contact: According to Sra. López, there is always someone

around who speaks English who can come to the phone. There is also someone who

speaks some French and German. Levels: Kinder and Primaria

Centro Educativo Palmerston Phone: +52-999-944-5457

Location: Buenavista (across from Rogers Hall - see above)

Address: Calle 21 #144

English Speaking Contact: Victor Avila (administrator)

Levels: Kinder, Primaria

Centro Educativo Renacimiento (CER)

Phone: +52-944-4808 Location: North Merida

Address: Calle 33 #468 x 10 y 14, Fraccionamiento Montebello

English Speaking Contact: Rosalinda Gonzales is the secretary, and she does NOT speak English. María Teresa García is the English coordinator and can come to the

phone to speak with you.

Levels: Primaria, Secundaria and Preparatoria

Website: www.cerenacimiento.edu.mx

Colegio Iberoamericano de Merida, A.C. Phone: +52-925-2712 and 925-3112

Location: García Gineres

Address: Avenida Colón #196-A x 12 y 14, Merida

English Speaking Contact: None

Levels: Kinder, Primaria

Website: www.iberomerida.com



Colegio Iberoamericanode Merida, A.C.

Phone: +52-999-911-0101

Location: Periferico

Address: Avenida Colón #196-A x 12 y 14, Merida

English Speaking Contact: None Levels: Secundaria, Preparatoria Website: www.iberomerida.com

Colegio Peninsular Roger's Hall Phone: +52-999-944-5364 Location: Colonia Buenavista

Address: Calle 21 #131 (just down the street from Office Depot) English-speaking Contact: Pilar Gutierrez phone 944-5434 x 107

Levels: Kinder, Primaria, Secundaria, Preparatoria

Educrea

Phone: +52-999-925-7931 Location: Garcia Gineres

Address: Calle 23 #209 x 30 y Avenida Itzaes

English Speaking Contact: Carlos Monforte, who speaks some English. Better to ask

for Rebecca Góngora who is the English coordinator. Levels: Kinder, Primaria, Secundaria, Preparatoria

Website: www.educrea.com.mx

Escuela Modelo

Phone: +52-927-9833 and 927-9944

Location: Centro

Address: Calle 56A #444, Paseo de Montejo

English Speaking Contact: Marisol Bolio Perez, Director of English, after 3 pm

Levels: Primaria, Secundaria and Preparatoria

Website: www.modelo.edu.mx

Instituto Cumbres (Boys) Phone: +52-999-944-4090

Location: Fraccionamiento Montecristo (North Merida)

Address: Calle 5 x 18 S/N ("S/N" means "without a number") Glorieta Cumbres

English Speaking Contact: None

Levels: Primaria, Secundaria, Preparatoria



Instituto Godwin (Girls) Phone: +52-999-948-0096

Location: Fraccionamiento Montecristo (North Merida)

Address: Calle 5 x 18 S/N ("S/N" means "without a number") Glorieta Cumbres

English Speaking Contact: None

Levels: Primaria, Secundaria, Preparatoria

Instituto Gardner

Phone: +52-999-944-1881 Location: North Merida

Address: Avenida Villas La Hacienda #348 x Prolong. Montejo

English Speaking Contact: Dr. Carlos Nuñez Armesto speaks English, and all the

teachers speak English as well.

Levels: Kinder

The Workshop

Phone: +52-999-941-8900Workshop Merida

Location: Col. Ampliacion Revolucion (East of the Carretera to Progreso, north of the

Periferico)

Address: Calle 46 # 317 x 19 y 17

Levels: Preschool and Elementary (Primaria)

School year: September through June

50% of all teaching time in Kinder and Primaria is in English, 50% in Spanish. Each group has 10-12 students with one teacher for English, one for Spanish. English

program includes writing, speaking, reading and art.

Website: www.workshop.edu.mx

Instituto Moderno Americano (IMA) Phone: +52-999-943-0511, 943-5629

Location: San Pedro Cholul

Address: Calle 28 #202A x 23B y 25

English Speaking Contact: Sandra Padilla

Levels: Preschool thru Secundaria, (Preparatoria & Universidad is CELA)

Website: www.ima.cela.edu.mx

MJ - International

Phone: +52-999-984-3939 Location: La Ermita in Centro Address: Calle 66 #618-C x 77 y 79 Principal: Maria Eugenia Limon

English Speaking Contact: Maria Eugenia Limon (speaks English)

Levels: Kinder, Primaria



Saint Patrick's

Phone: +52-999-948-0985 Location: Colonia Mexico Address: Calle 31 #144

English Speaking Contact: Cindy Rey, English coordinator. Also, Emmy Dennis

speaks some English as well.

Levels: Kinder

Piaget

Centro Educativo Piaget, A.C.

Calle 33 No. 140 x 20 y 22, Chuburná.

English speaking contact: Martise Brown Spradlin Levels: Kinder, Primaria, Secundaria and Preparatoria

SPANISH CLASSES

Alianza Francesa

Phone: +52-999-927-2403

Website: none

Contact: Diana Castillo

Address: Calle 23 #117 x 24, Colonia México

Languages taught: Spanish, French

Benjamin Franklin Institute Phone: +52-999-928-6005

Contact: Rosy Cetina

Address: Calle 57 #474-A x 52 y 54, Centro

Languages taught: Spanish, English

CIS - Centro de Idiomas Sureste

Phone: +52-999-923-0954 (Centro), 926-9494 (Norte), 920-2810 (García Ginéres) Contact: Chloe Pacheco or Jose Luis Lopez Espinosa (Spanish Program Coordinator) Address: Calle 52 #455 x 49 y 51 (Centro), Calle 11 #203-C x 26, Col. García Ginéres,

and Calle 14 #106 x 25, Col. Mexico

Languages taught: Spanish, English, French, Italian, German, Japanese

ECORA - Language Institute and Cultural Center

Phone: +52-999-953-4974

Address: Calle 50 #361 x 53-B y 53-F, Francisco de Montejo

Contact: Susanna Villanueva



Habla! The Center for Language and Culture Address: Calle 26 No. 99 B x 19 y 21, Col. México

Telephone: (999) 948 1872

Instituto de Lengua y Cultura de Yucatan

Phone: +52-999-125-3048 Contact: Cecilia Novelo

Address: Calle 13 No. 214 x 28 y 30, Col. Garcia Gineres

Languages taught: Spanish

Institute of Modern Spanish

Phone: +52-999-911-0790 or toll-free 1-800-4MERIDA Contact: Miguel Ceron, Director. Our contact was Janese Ott.

Address: Calle 15 #520B x 16A y 18, Col. Maya

Languages taught: Spanish

Lengua Alternativa

Phone: +52-999-943-9181

Address: Calle 37 No. 539 x 72a y 74, Col. García Ginéres

Languages taught: Spanish

MI International

Phone: +52-999-925-4692 Contact: Gabriela Bojorquez

Address: Calle 13 #214 x 28 y 30, Col. García Ginéres

Languages taught: Spanish

UNAM

Centro Peninsular de Ciencias Sociales y Humanidades

de la UNAM en Mérida

Address: Calle 43 s/n X 44 y 46, Ex Sanatorio Rendón Peniche, Col. Industrial

Telephone: 01 (999)922-8446, 47 or 48 Ext. 115



SPANISH LANGUAGE TUTORS

Monica Tort

Phone: (999)-921-5230 Languages taught: Spanish

Rafael Curiel

Phone: 044-999-129-4017 (cel)

10 years experience teaching Spanish and English.

Ricardo Alfonso

Phone: 044-999-228-7310 (cel) Masters Degree in Education.

Zulai Marcela Fuentes

Phone: (999) 212-1235, 044 999-264-6765 (cel)

Published writer and poet with over 35 years translation experience for publishing

houses in Mexico City. Speaks Spanish, English and French fluently.

SPORTS FACILITIES

Yucatan Country Club

Tel: 999-800-4000 Tel: 01-800-4653-982

Website: www.yucatancountry.com
Email: jcmartinez@yucatangolf.com

Editor's Introduction: The Yucatan

Residential and Golf Club is located north of the city of Merida, in the more temperate climate zone on the way to Progreso and the



Yucatan Gulf Coast. This multi-faceted development has something for everyone: a Jack Nicklaus golf course, various sports academies, including the Mark Spitz Swim School, the Jack Nicklaus Golf Academy, as well as instruction in tennis, soccer and equestrian sports. The residential opportunities range from luxury apartment living in the Anthea section, luxury villas, lakeside properties and large premium residential lots.



Salvador Alvarado Sports Center Calle 60, four blocks north of the Hotel Zone Open air sports center, from 5 AM to approx. 10 PM

Kukulcan Sports Center Calle 6 x Circuito Colonias No. 315, Unidad Morelos Tel: 940-0306 y 940-0676

Complejo Olímpico Inalámbrica Calle 45 s/n x 90, col. Inalámbrica

Tel: 920-0043

TECHNICAL SUPPORT AND COMPUTER SERVICES

Eclectec SA de CV

Editor's Introduction: The Eclectec team has a team of professionals dedicated to website design & production, graphic design, photography, videography and internet marketing. The principals, Ellen and James Fields, bring over 25 years each of individual experience in software development,



recruiting, marketing, production, manufacturing and sales to assist their clients in achieving their business goals. In addition to the traditional work of creating business-to-consumer and business-to-business websites, Eclectec specializes in cross-cultural marketing and consulting, bridging the gap between the businesses providing services in Mexico and English-speaking consumers in Yucatan and around the world.

Calle 81 #522 x 70 y 72, Col. Centro

Tel: 999-176-6176

Website: <u>www.eclectech.com</u>

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José I. Díaz Centeno Phone: 044-999 2162901

Grupo Megaptera Ing. David Gomez

Phone: 928-4653 and 919-6188



VETERINARIANS AND ANIMAL SHELTERS

AFAD (Albergue Franciscano del Animal Desprotegido) (Dog and Cat Shelter)

Director: Lidia Saleh (she speaks some English) Phone: 920-5019. Cel: 044-999-947-6319.

Location: Just off the Periferico on the road to Cholul, on the left hand side.

Website: www.afad.org.mx

Evolución, Albergue y Santuario (Shelter and Sanctuary)(ask for Jill, who speaks

English)

Email: snjbenson@yahoo.com

Website: http://evolucion69.spaces.live.com

Phone: 044-9991-43-47-11

Asociación por Los Derechos de los Animales en Yucatán (ADAY)(Dog and Cat

Shelter)

Phone: 999-920-7501 Cel: 044-999-958-0583

Dra. Beatriz Carvajal Garcia (Vet in Progreso) Location: Calle 29 # 98B between 66 & 68, Progreso

Phone: 935-0775

Perrera Municipal (City Dog Pound... Look here for your lost dog)

Location: Periferico at 34.5 KM Poniente

Phone: 911-0250

Pets and Company

Location: Calle 17 #222, Depto 2 x 20-C Col. Jardines del Norte near the Periferico Sandra (for cats and dogs) and Jose (for horses)

Jose speaks English

Pets and Company carries Science Diet and Royal Canin food

Phone: 999-943-7787

Emergencies: 044-999-900-9445

Planned Pethood

Location: Calle 10 #344 x 3 y 3C

Colonia Gonzalo Guerrero, near Sam's Club Nelson and Tony (both speak English)

Phone: (999) 944 23 10 Emergencies: (999)156 98 06



Protección de Perros y Gatos A.C Apartado Postal No. 30 c.p 97320 Progreso, Yucatán. Phone: 969 935 55 84

24-Hour Vets

Tony or Nelson - 044-999-156-9806 (both speak English) Jose or Sandra - 044-999-900-9445 (Jose speaks English, Sandra understands English)



VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES

AFAD: Dog rescue

Contact: Lidia Saleh (she speaks some English)

Phone: 920-5019 Cel: 044-999-947-6319

Location: Just off the Periferico on the road to Cholul, on the left hand side

Merida English Library: Library Services Website: www.meridaenglishlibrary.com

Calle 53 # 524 x 66 y 68

Phone: 924-8401

Niños y Crías: Flamingo Banding, Education

Calle 33 D # 503 x 6 y 72 Col. Reparto Dolores Patrón

Phone: (999) 925-3947

Website: www.ninosycrias.org.mx

Patronato Peninsular Pro-Niño con Deficiencia Mental (PPPN): Caring for

children with mental and physical disabilities

A.C.T.C. 13018 Periférico Entre Carretera Cancun-Kanasin,

Col. San Pablo Oriente, Merida, Yucatán.

Phone: (999) 982-3858 (limited or no English)

Website: www.yucatankids.com

Pronatura: Environmental Activities

Calle 32 No. 269, Col. Pinzón II

Phone: (999) 988-4436

Website: www.pronatura.org.mx

"See Well to Live Better" Clinic of Visual Health

Colonia Fidel Velazquez on Calle 38, about 4 blocks North of Calle 59 in the DIF

Yucatán Humberto Lara y Lara facility.

Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Article: www.yucatanliving.com/culture/clinic-of-visual-health-merida.htm

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