



Grenada
*Sailing Week*TM 2020

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25 January to 31 January 2020

Grenada Sailing Week (the event) is organized by Grenada Sailing Week (the Organising Authority) under the auspices of the Grenada Sailing Association

NOTICE OF RACE
INCLUDING AMENDMENT 1
2 December 2019

1 RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.

2 ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3. VENUE

3.1 Race headquarters will be at **Camper & Nicholsons Port Louis Marina** from Saturday afternoon 25 January, 2020 to Thursday morning 30 January, 2020.

3.2 Race Headquarters will be at **Secret Harbour Marina** from Thursday afternoon 30 January, 2020 to Friday 31 January 2020.

4 SCHEDULE

The schedule is as follows:

PLM = Camper & Nicholson's Port Louis Marina **SH** = Secret Harbour Marina

Date	Time	Race / Event	Venue
Saturday 25 January	1400Hrs – 1600Hrs	Registration	PLM
Sunday 26 January	1000Hrs – 1600Hrs	Registration	PLM
Sunday 26 January	1830Hrs	Skippers Briefing	PLM
Monday 27 January	0955Hrs	Race Day 1	PLM
Tuesday 28 January	0955Hrs	Race Day 2	PLM
Wednesday 29 January	Layday	Layday	PLM
Thursday 30 January	0955Hrs	Race Day 3	PLM>SH
Friday 31 January	0955Hrs	Race Day 4	SH
Friday 31 January	1830Hrs	Final Prize Giving	TBA

5 **CLASSES** (Amendment 1)

Number of classes, division of classes, grouping of classes to start together and courses to be sailed by classes will be determined after close of registration by a Committee appointed by the Organizing Authority. The decisions of this committee are final.

5.1

- **Racing:** (spinnaker) **CSA Certificate** (CSA1)
- **Racer/Cruiser:** (spinnaker optional) **CSA Certificate** Boats may elect whether to use spinnakers or not, but must declare this intention on registration. The relevant CSA rating will apply for the entire event. (CSA 2 or CSA 3)
- **Cruising:** (non-spinnaker) **CSA Simplified Rating Rule** (Intended for boats without a CSA measurement certificate)
- **J24:** (spinnaker) One Design class provided there are sufficient entries. Boats must comply with their **Class Rules** or an agreed upon Local Rule. Separate Windward/Leeward courses to be included where possible.
- **Classic:** (non-spinnaker) **CSA Simplified Rating Rule**. This class to include Carriacou Sloops if less than 4 Carriacou Sloop entries.
- **Other:** Consideration will be given to PHRF/other classes, provided there are sufficient entries in that category.

5.2 Owners of boats less than 24 feet hull length are required to have written permission to enter the event from the organizing authority **PRIOR TO REGISTRATION**.

5.3 The number, division and grouping of classes and the courses to be sailed will be determined by the Organizing Authority (OA) at the end of Registration. The OA's decision will be final.

5.4 The Organising Authority reserves the right to add or remove any classes, including a Classic, Multihull and a simplified adjustable class to accommodate the entries into the regatta.

6 **REGISTRATION AND FEES**

6.1 Early Registration: up to 30 November 2019, register **and pay US\$90** online at: <http://grenadasailingweek.com/registration>

6.2 Registration: from 1 December 2019 until 1600 on 26 January 2020, register online or register in person (see 6.3 below) at the Grenada Sailing Week (GSW) office. The fee will be **US\$130**.

6.3 The GSW office will be open 1400-1600 on Saturday 25 January and 1000-1600 on Sunday 26 January.

6.4 Late Registration: Late registrations after 1600 on 26 January may be accepted at the sole discretion of the Organizing Authority. The fee will be **US\$150**.

- 6.5** For registration to be complete and an entry accepted, skippers must present a valid rating or class certificate, their certificate of insurance, and they must sign the Entry Confirmation Form stating their choice of sail configuration.

7 MEASUREMENT AND RATING CERTIFICATES

- 7.1** On 25 January and up to the end of registration on 26 January a certified CSA measurer will be on site to measure boats.
- 7.2** If you intend to race in the **CSA** classes a valid **CSA Certificate** is required. For **Cruising** and **Classics** classes, the **CSA Simplified Rating Rule** will apply. The **class rules** apply for the **J24** class. **(Amendment 1)**
- 7.3** If you intend to race in the **Classic** class, you must supply all the necessary details of your boat, including any previous racing or rating details.

8 SAFETY

- 8.1** Safety equipment will be entirely the responsibility of the skipper and shall comply with their class rules or rating certificates as applicable.
- 8.2** It is strongly recommended that, as a minimum, skippers pay close attention to the GSW Safety Guidelines which can be found on the event website.
- 8.3** No part of an anchor shall overhang the bow or stern while racing.
- 8.4** Boats shall have onboard charts covering the race areas.

9 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available online and as a printed copy in the Event Booklet at registration.

10 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. Neither the Organizing Authority nor the Grenada Sailing Association will accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

11 INSURANCE

- 11.1** Each boat shall be insured with valid, adequate third-party liability insurance for the duration of the regatta.
- 11.2** Viewing of the certificate of insurance by the OA (see NoR 6.5 above) does not constitute indemnification of competitors nor will GSW be held liable for misrepresentation of cover by participants.

12 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact:
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