



Grenada
Sailing Week™
2020



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

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 & Nicholsons 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

5.1 The regatta is open to boats which will be classed as follows:

a) **CSA** Monohull - spinnaker

b) **CSA** Monohull – non spinnaker.

Skippers must declare at registration whether they will use a spinnaker. This declaration will apply for the entire event – see 6.5 below

c) **J24** – a minimum of five boats are required for a separate start

d) **Classic** - spinnaker optional.

Skippers must declare at registration whether they will use a spinnaker. This declaration will apply for the entire event – see 6.5 below

e) **Carriacou Sloop** – a minimum of five boats are required.

e) **Other** – consideration will be given to PHRF or other classes, such as **Bareboat** depending upon sufficient entries (minimum of five boats)

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 at the end of Registration.

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 rating certificate is required.

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. Ratings, valid for this regatta only, will be issued by the measurer guided principally by the CSA Simplified Rating Rule.

7.4 If you intend to race in the **J24** class, your boat must comply with the class rules.

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 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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