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THE SPIRIT OF ST BARTH

GERY LANGLAIS AT LES ARTISANS

HEINEKEN REGATTA: MAELIA 2ND IN ITS CLASS

At least 211 sailboats were on the starting line for the 34th edition of the Heineken Regatta, which set sail on Friday, March 7 to Sunday, March 9 in the waters around Saint Martin and Sint Maarten. With ideal weather conditions the first two days, the winds of 17 knots weakened the third day. The 2104 edition of this annual regatta was dominated by Richard Wesslund's J-122 El Ocaso, which won the prize for Most Worthy Performance (another of Wesslund's J-122's won the Heineken Regatta two years ago).

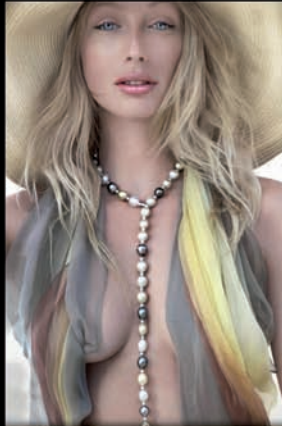


fourth out of five boats. In Class 4, the 18 boats included two from Saint Barth: David Cullen's J-109 Pocket Rocket, which finished ninth; and Albarcor IV, with the all-women crew "Voiles au Féminin," 16th across the finish line.

Five boats from Saint Barth par-

icipated including Raphael Magras' X-yacht, Maelia, sailing in Class 7, with 11 other competitors. Winner of its class last year, Maelia had a good race again this year, finishing in second place, while Raymond Magras' Speedy Nemo, a Dufour 34, took seventh place. Among the Melges 24 class, Boost'n Sail, owned by Mowgli Fox, was

On Thursday, March 7, the Gil Commodore's Cup kicked off the regatta, with 50 sailboats racing with spinners unfurled. These included Maelia, finishing third in its class. And Boost'n Sail, which took seventh place in its category. The 35th edition of the Heineken Regatta has been announced for March 5-8, 2015.



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La Plage.

JEAN TODT AND GÉRARD SAILLANT, OFFICIAL PATRONS OF LES VOILES DE SAINT-BARTH

Les Voiles de Saint-Barth, which is right around the corner (April 14-19), has unveiled the names of its two official patrons for the 2014 edition of the regatta: professor Gérard Saillant, president of The Brain & Spine Institute (ICM) and Jean Todt, a founding member and vice president of ICM. Todt, the former director of the Ferrari Formula 1 racing team, has been the president of the International Automobile Federation (FIA), since 2009. For their fifth edition, the organizers of Les Voiles de Saint-Barth wanted to

lend their support to this foundation created and presided by Saillant to advance research for treatment of lesions of the nervous system, with applications for Alzheimer's as well as Parkinson's disease. Saillant has noted that he is profoundly honored to fill the role of official patron for the event, and will be in St Barth during Les Voiles to present the goals of his foundation at that time. To date, 63 boats are registered to race, divided into six categories: Maxis, IRC 52, Spinnakers, Non Spinnakers, Multi-hull, and Melges 24.



Two official patrons for the fifth edition of Les Voiles de Saint-Barth are Gérard Saillant, president of The Brain & Spine Institute (ICM), and Jean Todt, president of the International Automobile Federation (FIA) and vice president of ICM. Les Voiles will raise money for ICM's research into lesions of the nervous system, with an eye toward Alzheimer's and Parkinson's disease.



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CHIKUNGUNYA EPIDEMIC

EPIDEMIC WEAKENS IN SAINT BARTH

With Carnival week postponing any news, it wasn't until Friday, March 14 that CIRE Antilles Guyana published its most recent report on the regional Chikungunya epidemic. In Saint Barth, there have been 410 cases, of which 34 were new—a number, which marks a slight decrease in the pace of the epidemic. Hopefully this trend will continue.

A Third Death In Saint Martin
On the neighboring island of Saint Martin, the chikungunya epidemic continued with an average of 200 new cases per week,

with an estimated total of 2560. A third death was indirectly attributed to the chikungunya epidemic in Saint Martin.

5680 Cases In Martinique
After a large increase of the epidemic in Martinique, and one related death, “we have seen a trend of stability,” indicated CIRE Antilles Guyana. With a progression on the order of 900 new cases per week, stability was more apparent during Carnival week, according to the epidemiologists. In Guadeloupe, the epidemic remains lighter, and experts referring to “local chains



of transmission of the virus.” With an average of 150 to 180 cases per week, with a total of 1800 cases diagnosed to date. In Guyana, the virus has been more moderate, and primarily limited to a zone along the coast. With 30 cases confirmed by blood tests, 21 cases were autonomous (not imported).

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NEW TERRITORIAL TRADEMARK TO BE UNVEILED ON MARCH 30

A new territorial trademark for the island of Saint Barth will be unveiled on Sunday, March 30, during a cocktail party for the end of the Saint Barth Bucket, at the Hôtel de la Collectivité (Town Hall). This trademark is a new communications tool designed to help position Saint Barth on the tourism market by way of a graphic identity and signature. Spearheaded by the Tourism Committee (CTTSB) in conjunction with communications experts, K Consulting, the trademark project is intended to confirm the position of Saint Barth as an exclusive destination, and to set it apart from other destinations that appeal to the same clientele. During the last Territorial Council meeting on February 21, Micheline Jacques, head of the cultural commission, noted that this trademark puts an accent on art, a characteristic of the island that will be accented heavily in the future.

CONCERTS BY THE CHORALE DES BONS CHŒURS

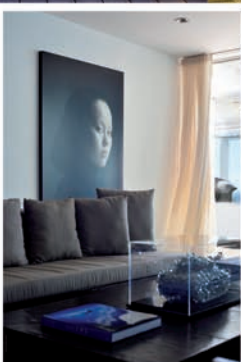


The Chorale des Bons Chœurs will hold its traditional spring concerts on March 28 and 29, at 8pm at the Anglican Church in Gustavia. The first part of the program is dedicated to classical music, with works Bach, Puccini, Vivaldi, and Verdi. The second half will be more contemporary and pop, with music by Supertramp, U2, Pink Floyd, Freddie Mercury, and a selection of Negro spirituals. Tickets on sale at the door, 15 euros; Free under 12 years old.

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WHALE WATCHING MISSION

A h u m p b a c k whale-watching mission in the northern Caribbean islands should draw to a close at the end of the month, according to the March newsletter issued by the Territorial Environmental Agency. The project consists of placing ARGOS data-emitting markers on the backs of the whales that swim through our waters. “The goal is to follow them, and determine their migratory route,” explains the newsletter. Do they go toward



North America or toward Europe? Another goal of this mission is to “take biopsies of these animals to establish their DNA profiles and

compare them to databases in the Americas and in Europe,” indicates the Territorial Environmental Agency. This program is widespread, “with all of the islands in the region participating in a joint mission about this species that does not know about frontiers.” The official boat for this project should be in Saint Barth, on Friday, March 28.

FRANÇOISE GRÉAUX: WOMAN OF THE YEAR



The Lyceum Club honored Françoise Gréaux as Woman Of The Year, during a ceremony at the Capitainerie on Saturday, March 8, International Women’s Day. Guests included the president of the Collectivity, Bruno Magras, as well as other elected officials. An author whose books include *La Petite Sardine et le Vieux Pélican* (Fleur de Corail), Gréaux replaces France Arnaudo, AKA “Madame Tortoise,” who was so honored two years ago.

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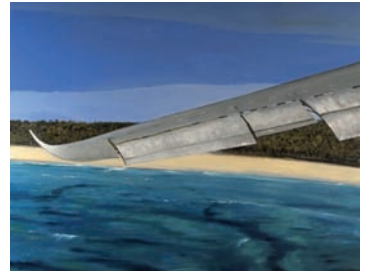
INTERNATIONAL ART EXHIBIT AT ISLE DE FRANCE THROUGH APRIL

The Hotel St Barth Isle de France presents a selection of leading internationally established artists in a temporary exhibition through the month of April. This exhibition is comprised of paintings and photography on the themes of the sea, the elements, and landscapes. The exhibit is presented by Space SBH Contemporary Art Gallery.

Presented in St Barth for the first time is photography by Christian Voigt. His large panoramas capture Gustavia's picturesque harbor by day and by night. Landscapes and architecture are his principle focus and he has photographed extensively different countries and cultures. A full portfolio of his work is available and he often works on a monumental scale. The large, textured blue paintings

by internationally renowned Mario Arlati are reminiscent of the island environment in which he lives. He attempts on his canvases to capture the symbiosis between the elements and nature and his blue pieces capture the movement and depth of the sky or the ocean or the surface of a cliff or rock face that has been formed by years of exposure to the sun and the wind and the sea. His works are striking in the simplicity yet profundity of their beauty.

Cuban artist Julio Larraz's work is also on view. Larraz is an artist who likes to create suggestion of what more is going on in the scene beyond what we see. His piece 'The Left Wing' captures a window view onto a tropical and idyllic landscape. We are intrigued and do not know whether we are arriving or leaving or where we are. Larraz



is best known for his precise and detailed technique, his imagination, and his unique subtle touch, all of which have helped affirm his reputation as one of the most important contemporary Latin American painters.

Local photographer Jacques Zolty has been photographing the St Barth Bucket for as long as can be remembered. Here, the J-Class Yacht Ranger is seen elegantly slicing through the waves— just one of his many iconic shots in this series of the most beautiful sailing yachts in the world.



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 - Lipbone Redding Trio from 9pm to midnight, Baz Bar
► Every Friday
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► Thursday, March 20
 - Lady's First avec live performance by Eric Mound (vocals), Mr B (violin) & David Dee Vision @ First
 - Diner Cabaret with show girls at Ti St Barth
 - Pierre Nesta in live @ Taïno Restaurant, Christopher Hotel
► Friday, March 21
 - I Love Friday, Music Dinner & Party with DJ Yo-One, Pole Dance Show, Fire Show & Wild Side Fashion Shows @ La Plage
 - DJ Maxx-C at Bonito
 - Live music with «Darshan» (Pierre Nesta & Bianca) from 5 at Zen Bar, Do Brazil
 - Madness Week End @ Ti St Barth, Pointe Milou
 - Soul Division Live @ The First
► Saturday March 22
 - Karaoke night from 20h @ Table de Jules
 - Bikini Brunch, from 12pm until 5.30pm, Music by DJ Vincent Daubas @ La Plage
 - Wine Tasting with the Wine Tasters of St Barth from 7 to 9pm, La Plage
 - Lunch with Live Music with Robb, from noon at Mango, Christopher Hotel
 - DJ Yo One at Bonito,
 - Live Music with Soley & Co from 8pm at Taiwana
 - Madness Week End @ Ti St Barth, Pointe Milou
 - Soul Division Live @ The First
► Sunday, March 23
 - Live music with Pierre Nesta & Papaguyo from 5 at Zen Bar,
 Do Brazil, Gustavia

- Live music for the Brunch with Robb from 11am @ Toiny Hotel.
 - Sunday C'est Chic ! Beach Lunch, Music by DJ Yo One @ La Plage Restaurant
 - Amazing Sunday «Funky Groove Party» from 1pm @ Nikki Beach, St Jean
 - Live Music with Soley & Co from 8pm at Bonito
 - Madness Week End @ Ti St Barth, Pointe Milou
 - Black Sunday @ First
► Monday March 24
 - An evening of Jazz & Golden oldies with Christian at the piano @ Le Sereno
► Tuesday March 25
 - Diner Cabaret with show girls at Ti St Barth
 - Brazilian Evening : Live Music with Soley & Caravan Style, bossa-nova, samba... from 7:30pm @ Christopher hotel
 - Live Music with Pierre Nesta from 5 to 7 pm @ Do Brazil, Zen bar
 - Live performing by Manu Lanvin @ The First
► Wednesday, March 26
 - Diner Cabaret with show girls at Ti St Barth
 - Live Music with Soley & Co from 8pm at Taiwana
 - Sunset with Pierre Nesta from 5 to 7 pm @ Zen bar Do Brazil
 - Dinner on the beach with an Ocean Menu & Music By Robb Tito at Saint Barth Hotel Isle de France

Night Club

► Saturday, March 22
 - Dj Classy D/DJ Martial @ Le Yacht Club
► Wednesday, March 26
 DJ Rockbaze @ Le Yacht Club

Fashion Show

► Daily Fashion Shows
 - Fashion Show: every lunch & dinner, La Plage
► Tuesday March 25
 Fashion Show around the pool from 6:00pm, @ Hotel Isle de France, Flamands

Exhibitions

► Through April 30
 Splendor Solis: an exhibit of work by Douglas White organized by Art St Barth at Eden Rock Gallery
► Through March 30
 - Photo exhibit by Chrystèle Escore @ Christopher Hotel
 - Dave Stevenson, Alain le Chatelier, Jean Yves Lefort

at Les Artisans
 - Exhibition 'Lithium Sunset' nudes and landscapes by Nicole Etienne. Oil paintings. @ Space SBH
 - Wolfgang Ludes, Jean-Philippe Piter, Antoine Verglas at Clic Gallery, Gustavia
 - Group show at Pipiri Palace, Gustavia
 - Olivia Lerolle & Johanna Astrie at Do Brazil

► Through mid-April
 Exhibit of Photography & Paintings on the theme of the sea, (Christian Voigt, Julio Larraz, Mario Arlati Jacques Zolty), at Saint Barth Hotel Isle de France
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