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St Barth Film Festival Celebrates 21st Anniversary



LES VOILES : LACK OF WIND FOR 7TH ANNUAL REGATTA

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St Barth has become a major epicenter for world-class regattas, and the seventh edition of Les Voiles de St. Barth, April 11-16, was meant to put the island's best foot forward on the international sailing scene. The first two days of racing, April 12 and 13, had winds up to 15 knots the first day and just 5-9 knots the second day. But after the official

day off on April 14, when the crews engaged in paddle boarding and a general good time at Nikki Beach, the wind died down completely on Friday, April 15, to the point where the race was cancelled. This was unusual as April in Saint Barth usually comes with strong trade winds, but not this year. After putting the 61 boats in the fleet on standby until 11am, the race organiz-



ers finally had to cancel the race; the first time this has happened in the history of Les Voiles.

On Saturday, April 16, the last day of racing, the boats coaxed what they could out of very light winds, as the first-place slots in many classes were still up for grabs. The final race was set at 20 nautical miles for Maxis 1 and 2, CSA 0, and Multihulls and 17 miles for CSA 1 through 4 plus Melges 24 and

Class 40, for a counter-clockwise sail around the island with just six knots of wind. Skippers had to keep their eyes out for slow-moving sailboats, while from the shore it was like a slow-motion parade of beautiful boats.

In the Maxi 1 class, the contenders were Momo and Proteus, with Momo leading the race most of the way, until they ran out of wind near the finish. Proteus sailed past

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to victory, taking home the winner's prize of a Richard Mille RM 60-01 Chronograph Flyback Regatta watch.

"It's a cliché, but it's never over until it's over," said Stu Bannatyne, a Volvo Ocean Race six-time veteran and three-time winning skipper,

who sails aboard Proteus. "The way the first beat panned out, we got caught in traffic and then snagged a lobster pot at the top of island, so we lost a lot of time there. I give full credit to the team; they never gave up. Near the end of the race, we had an opportunity present itself, and the afterguard made a

good decision. The wind went very light and shifty, and it was 200-300 meters from the finish line when the wind shut down. The line had been shortened by a mile and a half by the Race Committee, which was a good decision."

In spite of the light winds, Les Voiles is a

tightly organized race that puts on a good show on shore as well as during the races. Rendezvous April 10-15, 2017 for the eighth annual edition of Les Voiles de St Barth, with fingers crossed for higher winds and ideal conditions for this prestigious regatta.

LES VOILES WINNER'S CIRCLE

- Maxi 1: Proteus
- Maxi 2: Prospector
- CSA 0: Vesper
- CSA 1: Lazy Dog
- CSA 2: Humildad Zero
- CSA 3: Corrs Light
- CSA 4: Credit Mutuel-Maximarine
- Multihull: Triple Jack
- Melges 24: Team Island Water World
- Class 40: Eärändil



George Sakellaris, owner of the Maxi 72, Proteus, and winner of the Maxi 1 class


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LA CHORALE DE BONS CHOEURS GOES TO CANADA



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La Chorale de Bons Choeurs from Saint Barth is getting ready for a historic trip to Canada: specifically to the picturesque city of Brockville, Ontario, to sing with local choirs, and with the Brockville Concert Band. With passports in hand, they will travel to Canada from May 18-25.

Brockville, Ontario, is a city in the beautiful "Thousand Islands" tourist region on the St Lawrence River. It is also the home of Lloyd and Patricia Younger, who have been spending their winters in St Barth for many years. Lloyd Younger has been a member of La Chorale since 2006, and is also a member of the choir at St Paul's Angli-

can Church in Brockville.

The concerts will take place over the Victoria Day holiday weekend. The joint concert with the orchestra and other choirs will take place on Saturday, May 21, followed by the participation of La Chorale at the church service the following morning at St Paul's Anglican Church, along with the St Paul's choir.

La Chorale's Canadian program's includes: excerpts from "The Requiem" by British composer John Rutter; Funiculi Funicula with solo by tenor Laurent Cléquin; the duet "à quoi ça sert l'amour" by Edith Piaf with Laurent Cléquin and Patricia Deravin;

"Joyful Joyful" from Sister Act II; "Wishing You Were Somehow Here Again" from Phantom Of The Opera; and the "Hymn of Saint Barthélemy."

With the local choir, they will sing these pieces together: "Creator Rhythm" by Pepper Choplin, a medley by Richard Rodgers, and "Celebration of Wisdom" by James McDonald Gayfer.

"La Chorale previously took a wonderful field trip to New York City," says Lloyd Younger, "and they are very excited to have the opportunity to share in a new musical experience with musicians and singers in Ontario."



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ST BARTH FILM FESTIVAL CELEBRATES 21ST ANNIVERSARY



It was launched in 1996, the crazy idea of a film festival on an island without an indoor movie theatre. But the St Barth Film Festival took root, and here we are 21 years later. We have a very exciting program this year with a great lineup of Caribbean films, including a special focus on Cuba with *Sin Alas*, *Cuba Libre*, and *Havana Formell* plus the great music of *Los Van Van* in concert.

March 29 at 7pm on the dock by the Wall House in Gustavia is *Au Temps des Isles à Sucre (Sugar Milles)*, an award-winning documentary that takes us back in time to the days of sugar plantations across the region and is also sub-titled in English.

Then our multiple award-winning closing-night film on Saturday, April 30 at 7pm on the dock by the Wall House, *Vanishing Sail*, is an English-language film about the making and preserving of traditional



Au Temps des Isles à Sucre

Minshall “mas” in Trinidad and Tobago on film, and Montbars, a short that is 100% “Made in St Barth,” in French but easy to understand. We are also excited to collaborate with the Artists of Saint Barth for their Art Party at the Wall House Museum on Friday, April 29, with a welcome cocktail at 6:30pm and the pop-up art event and music by Sound Citizens after the film. A bar and good

food from Island Flavors will be available on April 29 & 30 on the Wall House Dock. Please join us as we embark on an enriching journey around the Caribbean basin by way of its arts and culture.

Full details about the St Barth Film Festival at www.stbarthff.org or 05 90 27 80 11

By Ellen Lampert-Gréaux



La Vie Pure (Pure Life)

For those who are strictly English speaking, there are quite a few films in English this year. On Tuesday, April 26 at 8pm at AJOE in Lorient, *La Vie Pure (Pure Life)* plunges us into the Amazonian forest in French Guiana, and is sub-titled in English. Then on Friday,

wooden sailboats, some of which will be right at the dock as part of this year’s West Indies Regatta.

We also have a terrific selection of shorter films, including *Dying Swan*, which is in English and captures a Peter

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► Every Day

- Dj from 8pm @ Bonito
- Diner Cabaret with show girls (Music Hall - New team - new artist) @ Ti St Barth

► Thursday, April 21

- Live Music with Meltin'Pop followed by Thursday Jazzy and "The Basics" music from the 70's to 90's. @ Bagatelle
- Live Music for Lunch with Dj Gabin Nogueira from 12pm @ La Plage restaurant
- Live acoustic with Laurent Nadal from 8pm @ La Plage restaurant

► Friday April 22

- Bagatelle for Her Evening:

Ladies night / complimentary champagne for ladies from 8pm to 10pm with Dj Gabin @ Bagatelle

- Live Music for Lunch with Dj Gabin Nogueira from 12pm @ La Plage restaurant
- Full Moon Party and Ladies Night with live music by Laurent Nadal, the magician Stephane Estrellas, free champagne for ladies until 10 p.m., Fashion show @ La Plage restaurant.

► Saturday, April 23

- Bikini Brunch, from 12 pm until 5:30 pm, bikini Fashion show, music by Dj Gabin Nogueira @ La Plage
- Live acoustic with Laurent Nadal from 8pm @ La Plage
- Full Moon Dinner with Live music by « Robb Tito & Friends» From 7pm

@ Le Sereno

► Sunday, April 24

- Sunday is chic! Beach Lunch on the beach, music by Dj Laurent Perrier @ La Plage
- Amazing Sunday «Saint-Tropez» Music by DJ Patris Gero /DJ Philippe Paris + Jimmy Sax along Magician Stephane Estrellas, fashion Show by Pop St Barth @ Nikki Beach, St Jean
- Live acoustic with Laurent Nadal from 8pm @ La Plage restaurant,

► Monday April 25

- Italian Aperitivo with Live Jazz by Christian from 7pm @ Le Sereno
- Live Music for Lunch with Dj Gabin Nogueira from 12pm @ La Plage restaurant

► Tuesday April 26

- Live Music for Lunch with Dj Gabin Nogueira from 12pm @ La Plage restaurant
- Live acoustic with Laurent Nadal from 8pm @ La Plage
► Wednesday, April 27
- Dj Gabin Nogueira from 12pm @ la plage restaurant,
- Live acoustic with Laurent Nadal from 8pm @ La Plage restaurant

Fashion Show

► Daily Fashion Shows

- Fashion Show, every lunch, Nikki Beach
- Fashion Show every lunch @ La Plage, St Jean

► Tuesday April 19

- Fashion Show around the pool of White Bar from 6pm @ Hotel Cheval Blanc Isle de France, Flamands

Night Club

► Friday April 22

- Guest DJ Master Gee - Full Moon Night @ First Class
► Saturday, April 23
- All Night Long with DJ resident Julien Roussel @ First Class

Exhibitions

► Through April 24

«Moons And Music» Daniel Arsham @ Eden Rock Gallery, St Jean

► Through June 21st

Francesco Clemente After Omeros
At Fergus McCaffrey
► Through April 30, 2016
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- David Kracov, Natan Elkanovich, Yoel Benharrouche, Calman Shemi, Dorit Levinstein, @Eden Fine Art Gallery, Gustavia
- Space SBH at Taiwana Hotel - Arno Elias, Hunt Slonem, Mikhail Baryshnikov, Nicole Etienne, Philippe Pasqua, Marco Glaviano

- Space SBH Gustavia : Giuseppe Veneziano, Marco Glaviano, Hunt Slonem, Arno Elias, Philippe Pasqua and Pierre Carreau
- Space SBH at Guanahani Barto Restaurant - Kieran Walsh the St Barth Series - Géry Langlais, Stanislas Defize, Alain le Chatelier, Sculptures by Dave Stevenson @Les Artisans

► Art Galleries

- Eden Rock Gallery
- Eden Fine Art St Barts
- Fergus Mc Caffrey
- Les Artisans, Gustavia
- Jabuti Art Gallery
- SpaceSBH Gallery
- Ortega Art Gallery
- Galerie Asie, Gustavia
- Modernisme art & Antiques, Camaruche Gallery
- Clic Gallery, Gustavia
- Pipiri Palace, Gustavia

► Artist's Collection

- Pompei, Petit Cul de Sac
- Hannah Moser, Cul de Sac
- Mitchell Summer, Toiny
- Kay Quattrocchi, Salines



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For sale, this charming two bedroom villa is set on the hillside, has a nice view and is very close to St Jean Beach. The terrace offers a pretty pool and warm Jacuzzi. There is also a studio apartment on the lower level which can be rented annually. Offered at 1 700 000 €.

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For sale, this recently renovated two bedroom villa is perched high in Grand Cul-de-Sac with expansive ocean views of the turquoise waters in the lagoon below. If you are seeking complete privacy then this could be the property for you. Offered at 2 500 000 €.

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