

## BUCKET EXCITEMENT

ou can feel it in the air! The excitement of the annual Bucket Regatta is palpable. The fabulous boats are lined up at the dock and in the harbor, flags flying, masts stretching to the sky. Hundreds of owners, skippers, sailors, and guests have flown in from around the world to sail in this one-of-akind nautical event. This issue of The Weekly is our Bucket special, with all the news you need to know, from the boats themselves to where to watch them sail around the island.

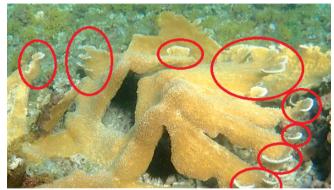
There are very few places in the world where you can walk right up to boats like this, but that is one of the nice things about the Port of Gustavia. You can get up close, and really admire these incredible sailboats, some built to race, others for comfortable cruising. So please remember, on shore, like at sea, to respect these boats while they are our guests in Saint Barth.

Also in this issue is a little article about some of the work done by Didier Laplace and the non-profit organization, Coral Restoration. Please heed his advice, and when visiting the beaches where vegetation has been replanted since Irma, do not walk on the plants or spread your towel on them, as they need tender loving care to thrive and play their role in the island's fragile ecosystem. The same goes for suntan lotion, read what ingredients to avoid and help save the coral reefs.

You'll also find stories about two wonderful artists who love Saint Barth and capture the island in their work: Antoine Heckly and Gery Langlais. While strolling in Gustavia be sure to visit Heckly's galley and Les Artisans. What better way to remember the island than taking home a beautiful piece of art!

Ellen Lampert-Gréaux

## Resilience Of Vegetation and Reefs



Regrowth of Acropora palmata in Grand-Cul-de-Sac in August 2018. ©ATE

he February newsletter of the Territorial Environmental Agency (ATE) includes a reassuring report that 18 months after hurricane Irma hit the island, vegetation on the beaches is coming back and coral reefs are improving. Encouraging news about the resilience of nature!

In terms of vegetation, the report notes that several species that had disappeared, torn up by Irma, had come back 13 months later on the beach in Grand Fond. "Certain plants have even taken advantage of the new configuration of the beach to spread out more, such as the beach moonflower (Ipomoea violacea) and beach morning glory (Ipomoea pescaprae)," indicates the ATE, which also points out that the return of beach rosemary has been more timid.

If the beaches are improving, so are the coral reefs. It might take years, if not decades, until the underwater damage caused by Irma can no longer be seen. However, on dives done during



Regrowth of Acropora cerviconis at Pain de Sucre and Petits-Saints. ©ATE

2018, ATE specialists could see that the coral has started to grow again, especially the elkhorn. The staghorn coral, which was thought to have disappeared, is coming back little by little where it was before, at Pain de Sucre, as well as new sites where some fragments survived (Baleine de Pain de Sucre for example). "This is what they call reproduction by fragmentation," explains the ATE. "In spite of the strength of hurricane Irma, these two species that grow quickly have shown us how they adapt and are resilient to this sort of phenomena. On the other hand, things that they are exposed to every day (anchoring, pollution, modification of the milieu's (temperature, turbidity...) have a more destructive impact in the long term."

### News Briefs

### A Rare Zawag Observed



A Zawag, the deep blue midnight parrotfish, which was considered almost extinct in the waters around the island, was seen in the marine park. A magnificent specimen!

## Two Saint Barth Hotels Nominated For Hotel & Lodge Awards

Two luxury properties in Saint Barthélemy could be winners at 2019 Hotel & Lodge Awards, presented by the magazine of the same name. Villa Marie in Colombier (photo) was nominated in "boutique hotel" category along with eight other hotels, while Manapany in Anse des Cayes is in the running in the "eco-responsible hotel" category, also with eight competitors. The awards ceremony will take place on March 21 at the prestigious Pavillon Vendôme in Paris.





## Protection For Us, But Bad For Coral: Choose Your Sun Screen Carefully

Even if individual action against the acidification of the oceans and the rise in water temperatures is difficult, everyone can limit damage to coral reefs by buying the right kind of suntan lotion.

his is a new battleground for the Territorial Environmental Agency (ATE), led by their two new recruits, Heike and Flora. "Sun screens protect us but their ingredients are harmful to coral reefs. Three ingredients in particular: paraben, oxybenzone, and octinoxate. "These are chemical products that are also bad for the skin," says the ATE. These substances cause deformation and discoloration of the coral, and kill it little by little by modifying its DNA.



### A Little Like Oil

"We are just starting to understand the impact of suntan lotions on the natural milieu," admits Flora. "It is difficult to quantify, and it must be noted that the biggest cause of damage to coral is modification of the ocean temperature." Heike adds: "But what is interesting with sun screen, is that everyone can easily change their habits. The ideal solution, of course, is to protect yourself with hats, clothing, parasols.."

Most of the pharmacies on the

island sell creams that are good protection against UV, but do not attack the coral. It is not always easy to find these products. "There is a range of creams that are not any more expensive that the others, and protect just as well. They carry a certain logo. Otherwise, simply read the list of ingredients. In general, organic products do not use chemicals," indicates Flora. "In Saba, that is all they sell," notes Heike.

The two ATE agents hope to get their message across to those who sell suntan lotion on the island, especially super markets and hotel boutiques. As for monoi, or other oils said to be good for tanning, they are no better for the environment. "It's a little like putting petroleum in the water. It leaves a film that prevents fish and coral from breathing."

### **New Regulations?**

In 2021, the state of Hawaii will completely ban the sale of suntan lotions containing oxybenzone and octinoxate. "When they announced that, the entire world was talking about it. To make it

a law, is a way to communicate positively about the images of the islands. People said, look they are taking care of their environment," says Flora. Adding it to the regulations for the future environmental code in Saint Barth is not yet a reality. "But that could be a great thing for the island." In addition to helping the reefs that surround Saint Barth. Legislation or not: a joint effort by those who sell and those who use these products can make a little difference.



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### News Briefs

## Street Art Coming To Territorial Museum



The exhibit by Kay Quattrocchi, "Between Art and Science," can be seen at the Territorial Museum in the historic Wall House until March 23. Next on the schedule should be an exhibit by Cyril Phan AKA

Kongo, starting March 30. Born in Toulouse, France, this artist has a decidedly urban style: he is a champion of street art, specifically graffiti, which he does on walls, canvas, glass, or furniture. In 1991, he catapulted into the spotlight when his work was shown on the esplanade of the Pompidou Center in Paris. This launched an international career, which now encompasses fashion as he works in collaboration with Paco Rabanne and has created a design for the famous Hermès silk scarves. His exhibition has not yet been officially announced, but the executive council of Saint-Barthélemy recently approved its funding.

### A Millionaire Creates A Yacht To Collect Trash



Who said that preservation of the planet wasn't high on the list of concerns for millionaires? Kiel Inge Røkke, one of the richest men in Norway, is proving otherwise with an unusual project. He decided to build a yacht called REV Ocean. But this boat is not like other yachts: it will set sail with research teams and be capable of collecting five tons of plastic trash from the ocean every day. This will be the largest scientific expedition boat in the world, at 182-meters-long, it can carry up to 82 people. Røkke's second goal is to create a worldwide database to include all research done about the oceans on a global basis. Finally, his dream is that the company, REV Ocean, can create a world headquarters to assemble all of the knowledge and experiences from every country. The company promises that the yacht will be built and operated with a "green philosophy," as much as possible in light of its size and ambitions. The first expedition for the yacht is planned for 2021.





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## St Barth Bucket Sets Sail

et out your binoculars: you don't want to miss the show when the 25th edition of The St Barth Bucket Regatta sets sail on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, March 22, 23, and 24 with impressive entries and competitive racing for some really big boats.

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The Bucket is an unusual regatta. All of the boats are over 100' in length, which makes for a very impressive sight, from the moment they line up on the starting line to the end of the race, as they sail around the island on Friday and Sunday, or wind their way around the wiggly course on Saturday. Catch them with their spinnakers unfurled into the wind and it's simply incredible to watch the power and prowess of these mighty sailboats. The organization of such an event is major in and of itself.

"As Event Manager, my biggest challenge is the six months of planning and preparing for the Bucket," says Jeanne Kleene, who comes to the island every year for race week. "Many details need to be as perfect as possible but no two years are ever the same. Seeing it all come together in beautiful St Barth is my biggest joy."

Over the past 25 years the Bucket has grown into a major international event, and now has four Stewards: major yacht builders Royal Huisman, Perini Navi, Rybovich, and Vitters Shipyards. "The Stewards play a major role supporting the Bucket through their commitment to bringing a world class superyacht event to



St Barth every year," explains Kleene. "They believe in and exemplify the true Spirit of the Bucket"

So what attracts the owners of these prestigious boats to the Bucket? "Camaraderie, fair and safe racing, festive social activities in a non-commercial setting in one of the most beautiful places in the world," Kleene points out.

When the 2019 St Barth Bucket sets sail there will be 34 yachts on the starting line. The smallest at 30 meters is Varsovie; the largest at 60 meters is Hetairos. There are six classes, with 31 of the yachts racing under the ORC-sy rating rule in these classes: Les Gazelles des Mers (performance oriented), Les Elegantes des Mers ("modern classic"), Les Mademoiselles des Mers, Les Femmes des Mers, and Les Grandes Dames des Mer (Largest, heaviest yachts).

The remaining three yachts will

race in the Corinthian Spirit class race under the ORCcs rating rule in Les Voiles Blanche class. These are Child of Lir, Ohana, and Q.

One new yacht to keep an eye on: Pink Gin VI, a 54m sloop, built by Baltic Yachts, and designed Judel Vrolijk. This Baltic 175 is the largest carbon fiber sloop in the world. Another new entry is Aquarius, a 56m ketch built by Royal Huisman and designed by Dykstra NA, featuring a classically elegant appearance. Also new to the Bucket: Aurelius, a 34m sloop built by J.O.M, designer Dykstra NA; Columbia, a 34m schooner built by Eastern Shipbuilding, designer Starling Burgess; My Song, a 40m sloop built by Baltic Yachts, designer Reichel-Pugh; and Nakupenda, a 33m sloop built by Danish Yachts, designer Fontaine.

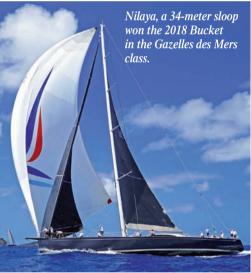
Kaori, a 38m schooner, built by Palmer Johnson, and designed by Brierly/Paine, makes a historic return to the regatta. Formerly



known as Mandalay, the yacht raced in the very first St Barth Bucket 25 years ago, and as Kaori took overall honors in 2007.

Other overall winners racing in the 2019 Bucket: 2018—Nilaya, 34m Baltic Yachts/Reichel-Pugh; 2017—SPIIP, 34m Royal Huisman/Frers: 2015 – Visione, 45m Baltic Yachts/Reichel-Pugh; 2013 - Adela, 55m Pendennis/Dykstra NA, all adding to an impressive list of entries for this year's Bucket, one of the highlights of the nautical calendar in Saint Barth!

The Bucket Regatta will make its annual donation of monies from entry fees to a meaningful non-profit



activity in St Barth. This year the donation goes to two such organizations: Help St Barth and Coral Restoration St Barth. Help Saint Barth offers assistance to victims of hurricane Irma, including reconstruction and helping nature take its course though the

ongoing restoration of the island's beautiful resources. The Coral Restoration program is engaged in the restoration and repopulation of the damaged marine reefs and beach vegetation.

For additional information: bucketregatta.com

### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### 1 Thursday, March 21

- 9am-5pm: Boat Registration, Bucket Marquee on the Quay (BMQ)
- 5pm-5:30pm: Captains' Briefing (BMQ)
- 5:30pm: Bucket Bar Open (BMQ)
- 7pm-9pm: Fleet Welcoming Party, main dock

### Friday, March 22

- 8am-6pm: Race office open (BMQ)
- 11:30am: First signal race 1
- 4:30pm Bucket Bar Open (BMQ)
- 7pm-7:10pm: Daily Awards Presentation
- 7pm-9pm: Bucket Yacht Hop - Invitation Only

#### Saturday, March 23

- 8am-6pm: Race office open (BMQ)
- 11:30am: First Signal Race 2 Pursuit Fleet
- 7pm-7:10pm: Daily Awards Presentation
- 7pm 9pm: Bucket bash (Collectivite)

### Sunday, March 24

- 8am-6pm: Race office open (BMO)
- open (BNQ) - 11:30am: First Signal – Race 3 Pursuit Fleet
- 7pm-9pm: Final Awards Ceremony & Party

Note: The Bucket Marquee at the Quay (BMQ) The Event Organizer and Race Committee reserve the right to modify the above schedule depending on weather conditions or other unforeseen ¬circumstances.



### BUCKET PRIZES

In addition to the trophy for the overall 2019 Bucket winner, there are lovely prizes for class winners and special awards presented by Royal Huisman and Perini Navi.

he Bucket Trophy will be presented to the overall winner of the 2019 St Barth Bucket. Yachts eligible for the prestigious award will be the ORCsy class winners with five or more yachts in class. The class winner who prevails in the 'most competitive, closely contested class' will be the overall winner.

The class with smallest series point differential between first and fourth place finishers will receive 1 point with each class in succession receiving 2, 3, 4 or 5 points. Additionally, the class with the least overall time differential (total time/total distance for all races) between the first and fourth place finishers will receive one point, with each class in succession receiving one additional point as above.

The above-mentioned points will be added together for the overall competitive class score. The class with the lowest number of points will be considered the 'most competitive, closely contested class'. The winner of this class will be the overall winner of the 2019 edition of the St Barth Bucket.

Should there be a tie, the class winner with the most yachts in class wins. In the event the tie remains unbroken, starting prowess will determine the overall winner (total time for all starts, from scheduled start to crossing the line— with the smallest total time prevailing).

The Class Winners of the 2019 St Barth Bucket Regatta will be awarded beautiful ship's bell clocks from Chelsea Clock

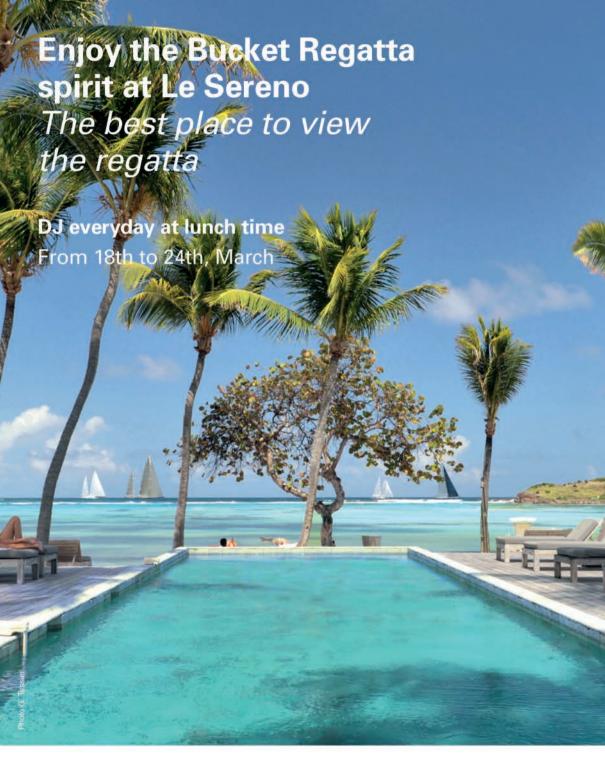
This distinctive, handcrafted timepiece signals the passing of time with gentle, rich-sounding chimes – eight bells at 4, 8 and 12 o'clock to mark the end of a mariner's four-hour watch, with one bell the first half-hour after, plus one additional bell with each subsequent half-hour. Behind its classic, handsilvered dial, 364 precision brass spirit of the Bucket Regattas. The selection is absolutely subjective but considers sportsmanship, safe seamanship, best hospitality and overall contribution to the event. The Bucket Regatta was really started as a Club of yacht owners who loved nothing more than sailing their yachts well, getting the best out of them, and then sharing



parts-many plated with goldand an 11-iewel movements, all of which are made in Chelsea, Massachusetts, ensure accuracy in time and enduring quality for years to come. Since the first patented Ship's Bell left our factory in 1900, it has been held as the standard by which all other Chelsea clocks are measured. 4.5" dial; lacquered solid forged brass case; hinged bezel; American hardwood mahogany base. Dial custom engraved with Bucket Regatta insignia.

Royal Huisman presents the Royal Huisman Spirit Award each year to the yacht that best exemplifies the great yarns and libation at the end of the day. There are a group of owners who have contributed a lot to the event over the years, from tenders to parties, committee boats, etc. It is this Spirit that sets this event apart from all others. It is in recognition of this Spirit that the Wolter Huisman Memorial Trophy is awarded.

The Perini Navi trophy is awarded to the best placed Perini Navi yacht competing in the St Barth's Bucket. Designed and handcrafted by Italian silversmiths, Perini Navi owners the world over hope to take this prestigious trophy home.



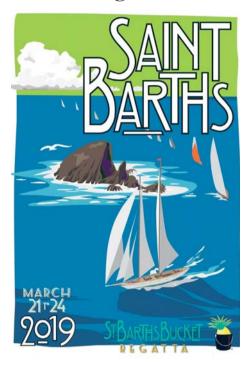




# Space Gallery Sells Official Bucket Poster To Benefit SBYC Sailing School

With the boats for The Bucket lined up in the harbor, it's just a short walk over to Space Gallery St Barth in the Carré D'Or, which is partnering with The Bucket Regatta for the third year to offer the limited 2019 edition of the commemorative poster, designed by artist Andy Smith. The poster has become something of a collector's item for visitors to the island and aficionados of the annual regatta.

As always, Space Gallery St Barth and The Bucket will donate 100% of sales proceeds to a local charity. Last year 11,200.00€ was raised and donated entirely to fund rebuilding projects on the island as identified by the



Collectivity following Hurricane Irma. This year, the St Barth Yacht Club (SBYC) and its Youth Sailing School will be the recipient of all poster sales revenue.

The poster is a limited edition and due to popular demand, the number of posters available has been increased to 200, and priced at 80€. They can be purchased directly at the gallery, or you can reserve copy bv email: info@spacestbarth.com. A celebratory cocktail will be hosted at the gallery on Thursday, March 21, for visitors and participants of the regatta, from 6pm-8pm. For additional information: info@spacesbh.com.

### AROUND THE BUCKET

### Security For Bucket Spectators On Boats

It is a wonderful opportunity to be able to follow the St Barth Bucket fleet in your own boat. However, please be aware that these giant sailboats move at great speeds and their capacity to maneuver quickly in case of emergency during the regatta is extremely limited—that is to say, virtually impossible!

### **Security Notice**

The Port of Gustavia would like to remind its clients that during the St Barth Bucket on March 21-24, a fleet of 34 sailboats between 30 meters and 60 meters creates an impressive sight for three days of racing, Friday through Sunday, with the races starting at 11:30am. Please remember to

remain extremely prudent and stay clear of these boats as they make their maneuvers, especially during the races. In addition, from 9:30am to 11:30am, as these sailboats move away from the docks, they have priority over all other boats in the port, except ferries. The same is true during their return in the afternoon. All charter boats should organize their departure and return times outside of these hours. Private boats moored in the inner harbor are not authorized to maneuver during these time periods. The port staff will be very vigilant in enforcing these rules, as divers will frequently be in the water and everyone's safety is the top priority. The port staff thanks you in advance for your cooperation, and hopes that this magnificent

regatta sails smoothly under the best possible conditions for the safety and security of all involved.

### The Best Spots to Watch

The best spot on the island to watch the fabulous show put on by the 2019 Bucket boats is the gendarmerie in Gustavia, which will be open on Friday and Saturday from 8am-12pm and 2pm-6pm, and on Sunday from 9am-12pm and 3pm-6pm. Other good spots: The hills of Lurin, Toiny, Pointe Milou, the top of Anse des Caves, and the lookout point in Colombier, as well as the new park behind the hospital in Gustavia. You can also see the boats sail by from the tables of your favorite beachfront restaurant as you enjoy your lunch.

## Who's in the Bucket?

Check out The Weekly's complete portfolio of the 34 magnificent yachts sailing in the 2019 St Barth Bucket Regatta, March 21-24. These fabulous sailboats are divided into six classes this year, with 31 of the yachts racing under the ORCsy rating rule in these classes: Les Gazelles des Mers (performance oriented), Les Elegantes des Mers ("modern classic"), Les Mademoiselles des Mers, Les Femmes des Mers, Les Grandes Dames des Mer (largest, heaviest yachts), and the remaining three yachts in the Corinthian Spirit class race under the ORCcs rating rule in Les Voiles Blanche. Our exclusive listings include name, length in meters, shipyard, and type of boat, as well as a photo of each entry to try and help you identify these beauties as they race around the island this weekend.

### LES ELEGANTES



**A**DELA

**Type:** Schooner - **Designer**: Dykstra & Partner - **LOA**: 44m **Builder :** Pendennis Shipyard - **Launch** : Reconstructed 1995



**A**OUARIUS

Type: Ketch - Designer: Dykstra NA Launch: 2018 Builder: Royal Huisman - LOA: 56m



**AURELIUS** 

**Type:** Sloop - **Designer**: Dykstra NA **Launch**: 2011 - **Builder:** J.O.M. - **LOA**: 34m



ELFJE

**Type:** Ketch- **Designer**: Hoek Design- **LOA**: 37m **Builder:** Royal Huisman - **Launch**: 2014



REBECCA

Type: Ketch - Designer: Frers - Launch: 1999 Builder: Pendennis Shipyard - LOA: 43m



VELSHEDA (J7)

Type: Sloop - Designer: Nicholson - Launch: 1933 Builder: Camper & Nicholsons - LOA: 38m



### LES GAZELLES



**HETAIROS** 

**Type:** Ketch - **Designer**: Dykstra / R/P - **Launch**: 2011 **Builder**: Baltic Yachts - **LOA**: 67m



или

**Type:** Sloop - **Designer**: Philippe Briand - **Launch**: 2013 **Builder**: Vitters - **LOA**: 33m



My Song

**Type:** Sloop - **Designer**: Reichel/Pugh Yacht Design **Launch**: 2014 - **Builder:** Baltic - **LOA**: 33m



Νιι ΔΥΔ

Type: Sloop - Designer: Reichel Pugh- Launch: 2010 Builder: Baltic Yachts Ltd - LOA: 34m



PINK GIN VI

**Type :** Sloop - **Designer** : Judel Vrolijk **Launch** : 2017- **Builder :** Baltic - **LOA** : 54m



**VISIONE** 

**Type:** Sloop - **Designer**: Reichel/Pugh Yacht Design **Launch**: 2002 **Builder:** Baltic Yachts - **LOA**: 45m



WIN WIN

**Type:** Sloop - **Designer**: Javier Jaudenes **Launch**: 2014 - **Builder**: Baltic - **LOA**: 33m

### LES VOILES BLANCHES



**O**HANA

**Type :** Sloop - **Designer** : Dubois - **Launch** : 2012 **Builder :** Fitzroy - **LOA** : 50m



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Type: Frers - Designer: Beiderbeck - LOA: 32m Launch: 2014 - Builder: Nautor's Swan



Q (EX MONDANGO 2)

Type: Ketch - Designer: Dubois - LOA: 52m Builder: Alloy Yachts - Launch: 2008





### LES GRANDES DAMES



COLUMBIA

**Type:** Schoon - **Designer**: Starling / Burgess **Launch**: 2014 - **Builder:** Eastern - **LOA**: 33m



HYPERION

**Type:** Sloop - **Designer**: Frers - **Launch**: 1998 **Builder:** Royal Huisman Shipyard - **LOA**: 47m



Perseus^3

Type: Sloop - Designer: Perini / Holland - LOA: 60m Builder: Perini Navi - Launch: 2015



ROSEHEARTY

**Type:** Ketch - **Designer**: Ron Holland Design **Builder:** Perini Navi - **LOA** 56m - **Launch**: 2006



THE AQUARIUS

**Type:** Ketch - **Designer**: Perini Navi **Launch**: 2014 - **Builder:** Perini Navi - **LOA**: 47m



SEAHAWK

**Type:** Sloop - **Designer**: Holland **Builder:** Perini Navi - **LOA**: 58m - **Launch**: 2013



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### LES FEMMES



Bella Ragazza (ex drumbeg)

Type: Sloop - Designer: Dubois - Launch: 2004

Builder: Vitters Shipvard - LOA: 43m



**BLUE TOO** 

**Type:** Ketch - **Designer**: Holland **Builder:** Alloy Yachts - **LOA**: 34m- **Launch**: NC



GENEVIEVE

Type: Sloop - Designer: Dubois - Launch: 1995 Builder: Alloy Yachts - LOA: 37m



KAORI

**Type:** Shoon - **Designer**: Brierly/Paine - **LOA**: 38m **Launch**:1991 - **Builder:** Palmer&Johnson -



NAKUPENDA (EX AVENTURA)

**Type:** Sloop - **Designer**: Fontaine Design Group **Launch**: 2005 - **Builder**: Danish Yachts - **LOA**: 33m



SUNLEIGH

Type: Sloop - Designer: Castro Launch: 2002 Builder: Jongert - LOA: 33m

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### LES MADEMOISELLES



**F**ARFALLA

Type: Sloop - Designer: Farr - Launch: 2014 Builder: Southern Wind - LOA: 32m



**M**ISSY

Type: Sloop - Designer: McKeon - Launch: 2016
Builder: Vitters - LOA: 33m



**LADY B** 

Type: Sloop - Designer: Dubois NA - Launch: 2009 Builder: Vitters Shipyard - LOA: 45m



SPIIP

**Type:** Sloop - **Designer**: Frers - **LOA**: 34m - **Builder:** Royal Huisman - **Launch**: 2000



SOJANA

**Type:** Ketch - **Designer**: Farr - **LOA**: 35m - **Builder:** Green Marine - **Launch**: 2003

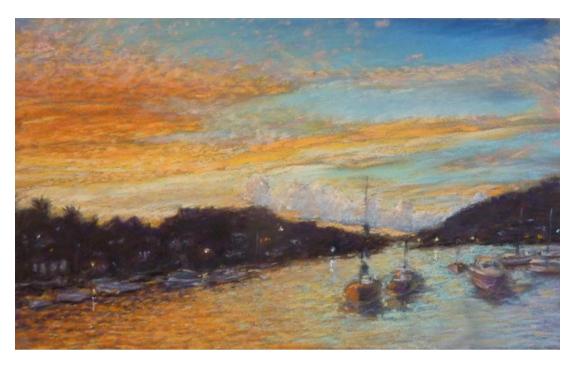


**V**ARSOVIE

**Type:** Sloop - **Designer**: Frers - **Launch**: 2008 **Builder:** Nautor Swan - **LOA**: 30m



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## Gery Langlais: Painting With Pastels

ery Langlais is back in Saint Barth for the winter, his annual retreat from the cold weather in France. He crisscrosses the island on his scooter, a keen eye on the lookout for landscapes he would like to capture in his paintings. The island serves as a never-ending source of inspiration for this visual artist who paints with dry and oil pastels, a medium that allows him to capture the light and nuance of each scene, from a full moon over Pointe Milou or the wild beauty of dawn in Grand Fond to dusk on the mountains in Petit Saline or the island of Saba with a surprising sky.

His annual show at Les Artisans in Gustavia also features a painting of the Tremendous Johnson Blues Band playing at Le Select, landscapes of beaches, and boats during The Bucket. Langlais likes to quote Baudelaire to describe his work: "The sky's fullness, the mobile architecture of the clouds, the sea's shimmering colorations...." His work brings these words to life.

Having studied at the Beaux Arts in Paris, and trained as an architect, Langlais was immediately captivated by the colors and landscapes of the island as soon as he discovered Saint Barth. "The nature in Saint Barth is magical, especially the vegetation with the mix of cactus of old trees—the contrast is incredible. We stayed much longer than we planned the first time," he recalls. "And you always want to go back when there is someplace you like. I enjoy painting on site, where I get inspiration, and finishing

details back at the house."

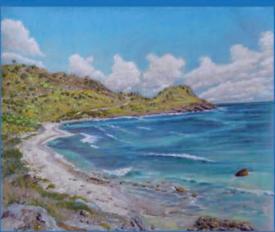
Langlais is still as taken by the light and scenery of the island as he was the first time he saw Saint Barth—and fell in love with its rocky coastlines, palm trees, and traditional architecture, all pictured in his work. His postcard-pretty pastels evoke the soul of the island, as seen through the eyes of someone who values its heritage and natural beauty.

Géry Langlais Pastels Monday-Saturday 10am-1pm and 3pm-7pm Les Artisans, Gustavia

## Gery LANGLAIS

EXHIBITION - PASTELS







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### Hear It From The Kids!

A Euro-Caribbean class of eighth graders in Saint Barth was asked to write about their island — in English! We think they did a great job (only a few small edits were needed...) and we are pleased to share their comments, this week about leisure activities, wildlife and restaurants. So even if you are a frequent visitor, or perhaps a resident, and know the island rather well, it's actually quite charming to see Saint Barth through the eyes of these kids who are lucky enough to live here!



### Leisure activities

On our island, there are lots of sports activities, whether they are nautical or terrestrial. Nautical activities are more accessible than anywhere else thanks to our calm. warm, and turquoise water. To start, Grand-Cul-De-Sac lagoon is the most magical place to practice windsurfing and kitesurfing. From your board you can sometimes see turtles and a lot of different fish in the water. It is also possible to rent boats to explore all the small islands around St Barth: Pinel, Fourchue, Tintamarre. But our very special treasure is a natural pool in Petit-Cul-De-Sac. To find it, you need to climb a beautiful mountain. Its crystal blue water is just amazing. But never go there when there are big waves, it can be very dangerous. If you like to go for a walk, you will have a lot of fun along our incredible beaches, like in Flamands. We also have an amazing sports area in Saint Jean with a beautiful stadium. This is where you will meet our rugby club and our soccer team created by volunteers. There is also a tennis club, two steps away, where you can rent equipment and practice with professionals. If you want to try a new activity, you should go to our beach tennis club. You will have a lot of fun and new sensations. The

goal of everyone on the island is to satisfy the dreams and desires of their guests, so that each trip to St Barth is a moment of peacefulness, far from anxiety and stress.

### Restaurants

In Saint Barth, there are different types of restaurants to enjoy while you are here. Typical French cuisine is often really appreciated by tourists. The majority of these restaurants are located in the capital city of Gustavia. The others are located all around the island, especially in beach hotels and in different districts like Saline, Flamands, Saint Jean, Lorient, etc... Apart from those restaurants, you can find more typical ones. Those restaurants are really appreciated by tourists too because they offer authentic Caribbean food. You should also try the first restaurant opened on the island: Le Select. It was opened in 1949! It serves cheeseburgers, fish burgers, chicken, and much more. If you feel like cooking at home, you can find certain ingredients such as lobster and excellent fish, fruits and vegetables on the island. The fishermen of Saint Barth go fishing every morning from 4am to 6am and then sell the fish to restaurants or residents.

Be careful! If you want some fish, you have to go there really early in the morning!
Bon appétit!

### Wildlife

Welcome to Saint Barth! We are going to present to you the endemic species that are found in Saint Barth. First, you can easily find some medicinal plants. The leaves are used to treat burns and as a purgative, they are extremely thick and succulent. Their presence in gardens is said to keep parasites off. There are also some fruits like the malayan apple, as well as a local type of lemon and finally the physalis that we mostly use for pastry cooking and the quenette that we can savor as a syrup with rum. Furthermore, we can find the sapodilla, whose fruits and seeds are valued for their medicinal properties. You can also find the clammon-cherry, whose fruit was used as paper glue to paste stamps or seal envelopes, and the tamarind, whose fruit was used for jam, juice, or punch. There are also some protected species like the guayacan, which has a hard green wood very warm. Finally, you can find the last existing mangrove in Saint-Barts, in Grand-Cul-De-Sac, where we find four kinds of mangrove tree or a very particular crab called "the sand fiddler crab," whose one pincer is very big. Finally, you can find the red-footed tortoise and the lesser Antillean iguana as you take a walk along the road. As you can see, our island possesses a vast amount of wildlife and flora that the visitors can enjoy if they stop along the way.

## Antoine Heckly ART WITH A DASH OF FUN

ntoine Heckly, a selftaught visual artist who has lived on the island for over 25 years, does not like to be pigeonholed when it comes to style. His work ranges from island scenes to collages, frequently with a serious dash of fun, such as Cuban cigar bands or flying fish. Hyperrealism, Dadaism, and surrealism can all be found in his work. Now with a gallery in Gustavia (Passage de la Crémaillère), visitors can discover his latest work, which comprises surrealist superimpositions, collages, landscape drawings, and watercolors that are preparatory for his large oil paintings. He also has a sharp eye for photography.

Heckly's father was an architect, his mother a painter, so it stands to reason he might follow in their artistic footsteps. Once he moved to Saint Barth, he was charmed by the rugged landscapes of the island and its traditional architecture. But when he painted the small cottages, it was in his tongue-in-cheek way, such as windows looking into a house filled with the sea, and waves in the living room.

Heckly's work was part of an exhibit, "La nouvelle figuration Antillo-Guyanaise autour de Georges Rohner," which traveled throughout the Caribbean and Paris as part of the "2011 Year Of Overseas France" celebration. In 2012, the Les Voiles de St-Barth selected one of his paintings for the official poster of the regatta, and several years earlier in 2007, another of his works won a competition run by the association St-



B'Art for a pre-stamped envelope that was sold at the island's post offices. He also enjoyed a special commission from the Collectivity to create a painting for French president François Hollande when he visited the island in 2015. Heckly stepped back in time to paint a St Barth woman wearing a long dress and white pleated bonnet, the traditional mode of dress that has now vanished.

From classic to eclectic, the work of Antoine Heckly always catches

the eye. From a hyperrealist scene in bright oils to something more exotic, such as the effects of water and bubbles superimposed on languorous bodies of nude women lying on the sand, the artist never ceases to surprise.

Antoine Heckly Gallery Open Monday-Friday 10:30am-12:30pm and 5:30pm-7:30pm Passage de la Crémaillère Gustavia THE REFERENCE FOR ST BARTH





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### Live Music

**Description** Every Day

- Diner Cabaret with show girls Show at 9:30pm @ Ti St Barth (Closed on Sunday & Monday)
- DJ Sebastien Roche@ Bonito St Barth.
- Wednesday March 20
- Music by by Jérome Barthélémy for lunch, fashion show by Pop St Barth @ Pearl Beach
- Live Music with Emy & Robb from 7pm @ François Plantation, Villa Marie. Colombier
- Thursday March 21
- Enjoy Sunset Lounge from 5pm. DJ Set, Cocktails and Tapas around pool @ Christopher Hotel

- Music by Laurent Perrier at lunch Fashion show by Pop St Barth @ Pearl Beach
- Baga Boom! Forever Young, by Fabien Lanciano,
- © Bagatelle
   Music live Dj @ Bar WTF
  from 6pm to 9pm
- from 6pm to 9pm @ Le Barthelemy, - Full Moon Dinner with
- Live music with the Trio
  "Lina & Robb" @ Le Sereno

  Friday March 22
- Music by Laurent Perrier at lunch Fashion show by Pop St Barth @ Pearl Beach
- Ladies Night with Champagne for her. from 8pm to 10pm @ Bagatelle
- Thanks God it's Friday! Live Music with Don Soley for dinner @ Pearl Beach
- Music live Dj @ Bar WTF from 6 to 9pm

- @ Le Barthelemy
- Saturday March 23
- Bikini Day, Music by Gabin Nogueira, fashion show by Pop St Barth,
- @ Pearl Beach, St Jean
- Live Music with Don Soley @Baz Bar, Gustavia
- Music live Dj @ Bar WTF from 6 to 9pm @ Le Barthelemy,
- Sunday March 24
- Amazing day "Escape to India" DJ Set by Patris Gero, Philippe Paris & Jimmy Sax, with Fashion Show Nikki Beach Lifestyle @ Nikki Beach
- Music by Gabin Nogueira, at lunch, fashion show by Pop St Barth @ Pearl Beach
- Live Music with Don Soley, from 8pm; Mixologist show, DJ music until 1pm. Flair bartending @ Ociela
- Music live Dj @ Bar WTF from 6 to 9pm
- @ Le Barthelemy,Monday March 25
- Wine tasting from 6.30pm
- @ Le Barthélemy- Sunset Lounge with Don
- Soley, from 5pm and Fashion show @ Christopher
- Music by Gabin Nogueira for lunch Fashion show by Pop St Barth @ Pearl Beach
- Live Music with Don Soley @ Le Sereno
- Tuesday March 26
- Music by Gabin Nogueira for lunch, fashion show by Pop St Barth @ Pearl Beach
- Wednesday March 27
- Music live for dinner@ Le Barthelemy,
- Music by by Jérome Barthélémy for lunch, fashion show by Pop St Barth @ Pearl Beach

### **Exhibitions**

- Group exhibition including works by Hunt Slonem, Marco Glaviano, Arno Elias, Philip Colbert and Through March 23.
A retrospective of work by
Kay Quattrocchi "Between
Art And Science"
Territorial Museum

Jean-Philippe Piter. @ Space SBH

- David Kracov, Natan Elkanovich, Yoel Benharrouche, Calman Shemi, Dorit Levinstein, @Eden Fine Art Gallery, Gustavia
- Bronze Sculptures @ The Collectivity
- Gery Langlais @ Les Artisans, Gustavia
- Jean-Michel Lengrand @ Villa Créole, St Jean
- Artist's Collection
- Pompi, Petit Cul de Sac
- Hannah Moser, Cul de Sac
- Kay Quattrocchi, Salines
- Art Galleries
- Antoine Heckly ArtGallery
- Clic Gallery, Gustavia
- Eden Fine Art St Barts
- Les Artisans, Gustavia
- Camaruche Gallery
- SpaceSBH Gallery
- Pipiri Palace, Gustavia
- Pati's Gallery, by Artists of Saint-Barth

### Fashion Show

- Daily Fashion Shows
- Fashion Showy every lunch @ Pearl Beach
- Fashion Show every nightTi St Barth
- Fashion Show every lunch@ Nikki Beach
- Fashion Show every lunch from 1pm@ Le Barthelemy

### Night Club

- @ Modjo St-Jean@ Casa Night Club
- @Tavern TiBar. Ti St Barth



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Bet Yam - 3 Bedrooms - Toiny - € 2,200,000



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For sale, this stylish contemporary three bedroom villa located

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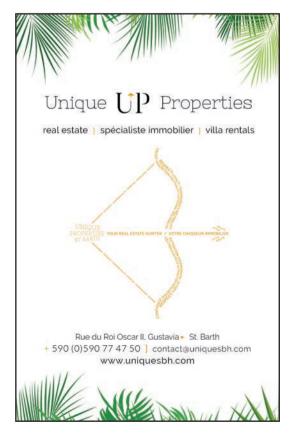
For sale, this privately ensconced two bedroom villa, located in

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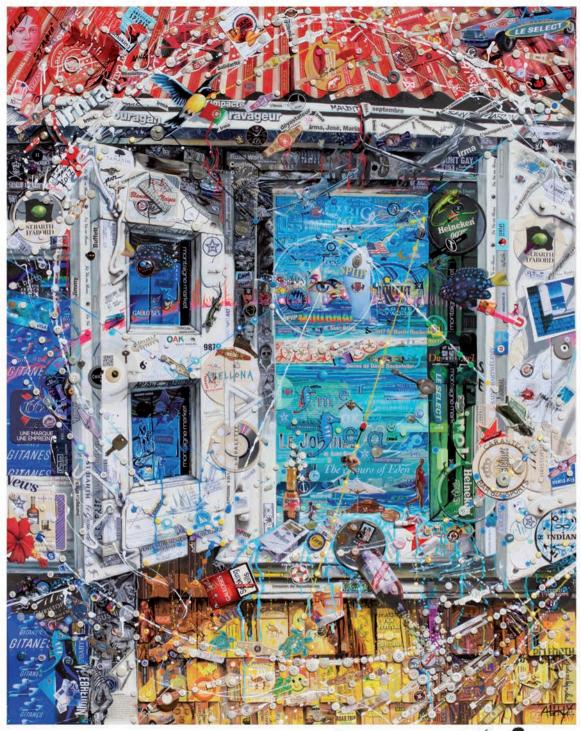
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