

# La Course de L'Alliance



4 and 5<sup>th</sup> of December 2021. Sailing Instructions.

## 1. Contact:

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## 2. Schedule of events:

Date	Time	Where	What
Fri 4 Dec	1630	SMYC	Registration until start of Skippers Briefing
Fri 4 Dec	1800	SMYC	Skippers Briefing
Sat 5 - Sun 5 Dec	See below		Racing
Sat 5 Dec	17.15	Dock of the Marina	Daily Prize-giving
Sun 5 Dec	17.00	SMYC	Prize-giving

## 3. VHF Channel: 71.

## 4. Official Notice Board and Announcements:

Official notices will be posted on the Official Notices section of the Regatta Website. At the Daily Prize-giving, the intended start area for the next day's racing will be announced. Other changes to the Sailing Instructions may be announced by VHF.

## 5. Schedule of races, start area and finish area:

Date	Approximate Start area	1st Warning	Approximate Finish location	Time limit
Sat 5	Simpson Bay ~18°01.9N, 063°06.5W	not before 10.15	Simpson Bay (racing mono) Oyster pond (Cruising and multihull.) ~18°01.9N, 063°06.5W	0.5 hrs after 1st in Racing mono class (1.5 Cruise and multi)
Sat 5	Simpson Bay ~18°01.9N, 063°06.5W	After the first race ( Racing Mono only)	Oyster Bay ~18°3.036'N, 63°0615'W	1.5 hrs after 1st in racing mono class
Sun 8	Oyster Bay ~18°3.036'N, 63°0615'W	not before 10.15	Simpson Bay ~18°01.9N, 063°06.5W	1.5 hrs after 1st in each class

6. **Table Rock coordinates:** ~17°58.409'N, 62°55.540'W

**Molly Beday coordinates:** ~18°1.307'N, 62°59.873'W

**Ilhe Roche:** ~ 17\*.58.398 \ N 62.\*55.502 w

**Pelican rock:** ~ 18\*1.084 \ N 63\*1.181W

**Cable mark Greatbay:** ~ 18\*0.645 \ N 63\*3.379w

**Ilhe Roche Creole:** ~ 18\*7.097 ' N 63\*3.428 W

## 7. Start and Finish line description:

- 7.1. The location of the start and description of the start line will be announced each evening for the following morning.
- 7.2. The finish line will be on a transit of an orange flag ashore and an orange mark at the entrance to the channel (to be left to port).
- 7.3. The committee boat for finishing may not be the same as the committee boat for starting.
- 7.4. The description of the finish line will be announced each day with the course description.

## 8. Classes, Class flags, Order of starts:

Start order	Class	Rating System	Class Flag
1	Racing	CSA	Pink
2	Cruising	CSA	Lt Blue
3	Multihull	Multihull	Lt Blue

## 9. Other rules:

- 9.1. Turns penalty: 2 turns for Racing, 1 turn for Cruising and Multihull.
- 9.2. Discards: None.
- 9.3. Prizes: Prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd each day, and 1st, 2nd, and 3rd of the series in each Class.