

La Course de L'Alliance

4 & 5 December 2021

Notice of Race



Incorporating:
SMYC Standard Clauses for Notice of Race - Offshore.

Schedule of events

Date	Time	Where	What
Fri 3 December	1630	SMYC	Registration
	1800	SMYC	Skippers Briefing
Sat 4 Dec - Sun 5 Dec	See below		Racing
Sun 5 Dec	1700	SMYC	Prize-giving

Schedule of races

Monohull Racing.

Day	Races Start	1st Warning	Finish
Saturday	2 Simpson Bay, St Maarten	not before 1015	Race 1: Simpson Bay
			Race 2: Oyster Pond
Sunday	1 Oyster Pond, St Maarten	not before 1015	Simpson Bay, St Maarten

Monohull Cruising and Multihull

Day	Races Start	1st Warning	Finish
Saturday	2 Simpson Bay, St Maarten	not before 1015	Race 1: Oyster Pond
Sunday	1 Oyster Pond, St Maarten	not before 1015	Simpson Bay, St Maarten

Classes

Class	Entry Fee	Notes
CSA Monohull	US\$ 100	May be sub-divided into 'Racing' and 'Cruising'.
CSA Multihull	US\$ 100	Any multihull with a Multihull rating

Contact

Entry and result	www.smyc.com/coursedelalliance
Organising Authority	Sint Maarten Yacht Club (SMYC)
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Sint Maarten Yacht Club

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7. RULES

- 7.1. The regatta is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-20.
- 7.2. The regatta is also governed by
 - a) For any class identified as a 'CSA' class, the *CSA Rating Rules*.
- 7.3. The Sailing Instructions may also change rules.

8. ADVERTISING

- 8.1. Boats may be required to display advertising supplied by the organizing authority.

9. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 9.1. The regatta is open to boats in the classes listed.
- 9.2. Boats may enter on by email to : Saskia@smyc.com

10. FEES

- 10.1. See Information above.

11. IDENTIFICATION

- 11.1. All boats shall provide their sail number or other identification at registration.
- 11.2. If bow numbers are issued by the Race Committee, a deposit as stated in the NoR will be charged, payable at registration and refunded when numbers are returned within thirty days after the regatta.

12. CLASSES

- 12.1. Classes may be subdivided or combined at the discretion of the Race Committee and not subject to protest.

13. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 13.1. Sailing Instructions will be provided at registration and may be available on the regatta website.

14. THE COURSES

- 14.1. The intended courses are described in the Information Attachment.
- 14.2. Detailed courses and a list of marks will be available on the SMYC website: www.smyc.com/coursedelallaince

15. PENALTY SYSTEM

- 15.1. The Protest Committee may, at its discretion, impose an alternative penalty in lieu of disqualification for any infringement, including safety requirements, with the exception of an infringement of the Racing Rules parts 1 and 2. This changes RRS 64.
- 15.2. For protests involving an alleged breach of a Rule of Part 2, arbitration will be held prior to a protest hearing if all parties agree. This changes Part 5, Section B of the Rules.
- 15.3. A boat that could have taken a penalty under Rule 44.1 but has not taken such a penalty may accept a 30% exoneration penalty prior to arbitration or a 40% penalty prior to the opening of a protest hearing about the incident calculated in the same way as a scoring penalty under Rule 44.3. This changes Rule A4.2.

16. PRIZES

- 16.1. 1st, 2nd and 3rd place prizes will be awarded in each class.

17. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 17.1. Competitors participate entirely at their own risk. The organising authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

18. PHOTOGRAPHIC AND MEDIA RIGHTS

- 18.1. The entrant and all crew grant to the organisers the right to use their name and image and that of the entered boat in all media for for the purposes of editorial or advertising.

Additional information

Racing Rules of Sailing <http://www.sailing.org/documents/racingrules/index.php>

CSA Measurement <http://caribbean-sailing.com>
