

THE 81ST ANNUAL
**MOUNT GAY
 ROUND BARBADOS
 RACE SERIES**

SPECTATORS GUIDE



MOUNT GAY
 Est. 1703 Barbados Rum



BARBADOS
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**MOUNT GAY ROUND BARBADOS RACE
 JANUARY 21ST**

THE ABSOLUTE RECORDS

Monohull: 4 hours, 42 minutes, 20 seconds
 Record Holder: "Monster Project", VO70'

Multihull: 2 hours, 37 minutes, 38 seconds
 Record Holder: "Ms. Barbados, Concise 10", MOD 70

Classic: 6 hours, 11 minutes, 19 seconds
 Record Holder: "Elena", A Class Schooner 55 metre

Double Handed Monohull: Open; 7 hours,
 29 minutes, 51 seconds.
 Record Holder: "Hallucine", Pogo 40

Single Handed Monohull: Open; 9 hours,
 46 minutes 42 seconds,
 Record Holder: "Bunga Bunga", J24

Single Handed Multihull: Open; 7 hours,
 53 minutes 55 seconds, Record Holder: "Stiletto", 46

Windsurfer: 5 hours, 34 minutes 16 seconds,
 Mr. Charles Hunte, Barbados.

The C.S.A Handicap: 6 hours, 23 minutes, 24
 seconds Record Holder: "Idea",
 Reichel Pugh Maxi 78'

MONOHULL CLASS RECORDS

Unlimited: 4 hours, 42 minutes, 20 seconds
 Record Holder: "Monster Project", VO70'

60' and under; 5 hours, 29 minutes, 0 seconds
 Record Holder: "Conviction", TP 52
 Barbados Offshore Sailing Syndicate, Barbados.

50' and under; 6 hours, 39 minutes, 16 seconds
 Record Holder: "Katanga", Farr 40

35' and under; 6 hours, 52 minutes, 27 seconds
 Record Holder: "Bruggadung", Beneteau First Class 10

One Design J/24; 8 hours, 37 minutes, 26 seconds
 Record Holder: "College Fund\$"

Schooner: 6 hours, 11 minutes, 19 seconds
 Record Holder: "Elena", A Class Schooner 55 metre

Brigantine: 13 hours, 58 minutes
 Record Holder: "Tres Hombres", 32 metre
 Fairtransport bv, The Netherlands.

MULTIHULL CLASS RECORDS

Unlimited: 2 hours, 37 minutes, 38 seconds
 Record Holder: "Ms. Barbados, Concise 10", MOD 70

60' and Under: 4 hours, 24 minutes, 27 seconds
 Record Holder: "Silver Bullet", Supercat 30'



**TRACK THE RACE
 ONLINE**

www.mountgayrumroundbarbadosrace.com

VIEWING TIMES

Carlisle Bay Starts 0700 – 1130 Finishes 1530 onwards	Cattlewash area 1100 – 1500
Holetown / Beach House 0800 – 1200	Crane 1300 – 1630
Speightstown area 0900 – 1300	Oistins or Tapas Finish 1500 – 1800
North Point/ Animal Flower Cave 1000 – 1400	● VIEW POINT SYMBOL

COASTAL RACING

JANUARY | 16TH - 19TH

(SEE OTHER SIDE FOR MAIN EVENT, ROUND THE ISLAND RACE)

FEATURED YACHTS

J/24 Class

Small keelboat yachts, 24 feet long, competing within strict class rules meant to keep all yachts competitive using the same racing equipment. Many local yachts and some from St Lucia, Grenada, and other islands.

Mod70

A new breed of racing yacht built with the latest technology including foils to lift the boat out of the water. These multihulls nearly always have at least one hull out of the water! Some of the fastest sailing you'll ever see.

Schooner Ruth

Based on a traditional 'Grand Banks' Schooner, Ruth was built on the beach in Barbados. At 100' long and made of steel, she's one of the most ambitious vessels ever constructed in the Caribbean. Watch for her blue hull, two masts and beautiful white sails passing by on the west coast. She's yet to make it round but this year may be her year!

Windsurfers

Once popular in the 1980's, (it was even an Olympic sport in 1984), windsurfing is seeing a minor resurgence. Last year, two windsurfers took on the challenge of rounding the island, with Trevor Hunte the victor, and current record holder.

Map of All Marks



ABOUT COASTAL RACING

Our Coastal Racing series comprises 3 days where yachts race set courses around Carlisle Bay, the South Coast and West Coast. The course marks are large orange tetrahedrons and the yachts must round these marks without hitting them. Handicaps are applied to each competing yacht, so it is not always first across the finish line that wins. Yachts race in 5 different classes each flying a different coloured flag.






WHERE TO WATCH THE COASTAL RACING

Tuesday 17th January: The fiercely competitive J/24 Class will be sailing in Carlisle Bay, watch from the Barbados Cruising Club. All other yachts will be heading out of Carlisle Bay and along the West Coast to The Beach House Restaurant, St James.

Wednesday 18th January: Marks will be placed off both The Beach House Restaurant, St James and Tapas, Christ Church. Why not make a reservation for lunch and take in the action?

Thursday 19th January: All yachts will head down the South Coast and round a mark at Oistins before heading back to Carlisle Bay, watch the action from Oistins, Tapas or the South Coast boardwalk.

BOAT CLASSES

- Racing Class (CSA Rating) Orange Flag 
- Cruising A (CSA Rating) White Flag 
- Non CSA Rated (Local Rating) Yellow Flag 
- Multihull (Local Rating) Pink Flag 
- J/24 Class (One Design) Blue Flag 

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

MONDAY 16TH JANUARY

From 1200 Hrs: Registration and Skippers "Weigh in" at the Barbados Cruising Club
 1800 Hrs: Skipper's Briefing - Radisson Aquatica Beach Resort
 1900 Hrs: Welcome Party at the Barbados Cruising Club.

TUESDAY 17TH JANUARY

Race Day 1: Starting at 0930 Hrs
 1700 Hrs: Post Race Party at The Barbados Yacht Club.

WEDNESDAY 18TH JANUARY

Race Day 2: Starting at 0930 Hrs - Two Restaurants Races
 1800 Hrs: Post Race RED CAP Party at Mount Gay Rum Visitors Centre. (tours avail.)

THURSDAY 19TH JANUARY

Race Day 3: Starting at 0930 Hrs
 1700 Hrs: Post Race Party at Copacabana Beach Bar and Grill, Bay St.
 1800 Hrs: Skipper's Briefing - Radisson Aquatica Beach Resort

FRIDAY 20TH JANUARY

Lay Day
 1500 Hrs: Regatta Polo Match, Holders Polo Field, St James

SATURDAY 21ST JANUARY

First start 0700 Hrs: The Mount Gay Rum Round Barbados Race.
 1700 Hrs: Post Race Party - Barbados Cruising Club

SUNDAY 22ND JANUARY

Lay Day
 1900 Hrs Regatt Dinner* - The Beach House, St. James (**ticketed event**)
 2100 Hrs: The Grand Prize Giving** - The Beach House, St. James followed by live music with dancing till late (All welcome).

MONDAY 23RD JANUARY

1800 Hrs: Barbados to Antigua Ocean Race Briefing - Radisson Aquatica Beach Resort.
 1900 Hrs: Farewell Party - Barbados Cruising Club with live music.

TUESDAY 24TH JANUARY

0900 Hrs: Staggered Starts: Barbados to Antigua Ocean Race

*The Regatta Dinner is a ticketed event. Each competing yacht will be provided with an allocation of tickets. Additional tickets may be purchased directly from the Regatta Organisers or The Beach House, St. James.


**The Grand Prize Giving and party follows the Regatta Dinner - and is open to all, just come along. No tickets required.


JOIN US AT HOLDERS POLO FIELD

from 3pm on January 20th for
our exhibition polo match.

Free admission to all.



 Mount Gay Rum Round Barbados Race

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SEE YOU NEXT YEAR! - SAME DATES, SAME GREAT ISLAND!