

**A Taste of Pure Grenada Music Festival at Grenada Sailing Festival Westerhall White Jack Workboat
Regatta 2016**

Local musicians who will be performing at this year's first ever Pure Grenada Music Festival will be on stage on Saturday 30 January at the Grenada Sailing Festival Westerhall White Jack Workboat Regatta with a 'Sunset Session' to entertain the crowd.

"We are delighted to be collaborating with the organisers of this exciting new music event. It will be a great way to finish our first day of racing – It will be a Pure Sail, Pure Spice, Pure Grenada Music Festival experience," said Sarah Baker, Regatta Co-ordinator. Once the crowd has enjoyed the excitement of the last race of the day from Grand Anse Beach, they will be able to move into Camerhogne Park & enjoy great music from some of Grenada's most talented musicians who, from 5 – 10 April, will be on stage supporting the International acts taking part in Pure Grenada Music Festival 2016.

Grenada Sailing Festival's high action, high fun Regatta has been a 'Must Go-To' event on Grand Anse Beach for twenty-three consecutive years and over these years the event has become extremely important as a showcase of the strong sailing heritage of Grenada & its sister islands, and an integral part of the culture, with music playing a very important part.

There will be a full day of Community Class Racing on Saturday 30 January and again on Sunday morning, 31 January, when all crews will be going full throttle to win first place in their community races to qualify for Sunday afternoon's GSF16 Match Race Final – for the highly prized overall title of 'Champion of Champions' & a cheque for US\$1,000.00. There will be more action on Sunday in Grenada Sailing Festival's own fleet of GSF16 Workboats, when each community nominates a Junior & Senior crew to compete to be 'National Team Sailing Champion' for 2016. Once again, Carib is sponsor of the Senior National Team Sailing Race and Budget Marine is the Junior Team Sailing sponsor.



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There will be great action on the beach as well, with Festival favourite DJ Blackstorm keeping the atmosphere to 'D'Max'. Fit For Life Gym will be running the ever popular Fitness Challenge, and thanks to Macdonald's Amusement Park from Calivigny there will be a fun Bouncy Castle for children to enjoy. There will also be a new area of 'Eco Info' booths where the Nature Conservancy & the Environment Division of the Ministry of Agriculture will be providing a great display of information about the range of projects being undertaken in Grenada. Century21 will also be taking part with fun give-aways & all the information you need about Real Estate.

Community Kitchen food stalls will have all the best traditional dishes on offer from Oil Down to Lobster, and there will be bars featuring the range of Westerhall Rums, plus ice-cold Carib beers and Aqua Blue water for refreshing drinks throughout both days. The whole event will be rounded off with a wonderful firework display courtesy of Spice Island Fireworks - a true high spot to start the week of Independence celebrations.

The Westerhall White Jack Workboat Regatta will be staged on Saturday & Sunday 30-31 January on Grand Anse Beach and Camerhogue Park. Grenada Sailing Festival wishes to thank Sponsors, Supporters & Festival Friends who make the event possible: Westerhall Rums; the Grenada Tourism Authority; Budget Marine; True Blue Bay Resort's Dodgy Dock; Carib; Spice Isle Fish House; Guardian General OECS; Waggy T; DeSign Factory; Horizon Yacht Charters; Courts; Aqua Blue; McIntyre Brothers & Yamaha; Bryden & Minors with Campari, Smirnoff & Monster; BOSS FM; Jeans & Co; Republic Bank; L.L Ramdhanny & Harris Paints; Grenlec; Digicel; Andy's Soup House; Bulk Buy; Victory Bar; Camper & Nicholsons Marinas; Grenada Marine; Amalgamated Security Services; Century21; Savvy Grenada Sailing Charters; Island Dreams Yacht Services; SVG Air; Clarke's Court Marina & Boatyard; Sunsation Tours; Cashwiz Grenada; and Spice Island Fireworks.

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