

Brigantine Florette Information

Leeward Islands

ANTIGUA – SAINT KITTS & NEVIS
SINT EUSTATIUS (STATIA) – SABA
SAINT BARTHELEMY (ST. BARTHS)
SAINT MARTIN & SINT MAARTEN



14 days Caribbean Adventure Sat. 15.2.2020 - Sat. 29.2.2020



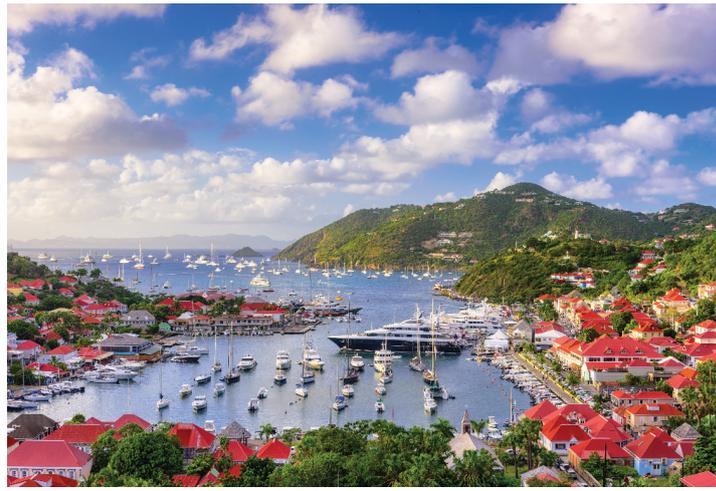
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We continue our journey north sailing through the Leeward Islands. By this time we will have sailed almost 500nm from Grenada. With the remainder of the 30+ islands left for us to explore many new experiences and hidden gems await us.

Come sail with the Haynes family! Great memories are made by stepping out of your comfort zone and sharing new experiences with great people!

There will be so many factors that will influence our day to day schedule. The wind that freshens up for a nice sail, the fish that is caught for the perfect evening BBQ, or we just fall in love with a quiet bay. We have allowed plenty of time to enjoy and appreciate the islands.





Adventures, trade winds, sailing, relaxing and enjoying the Caribbean lifestyle...

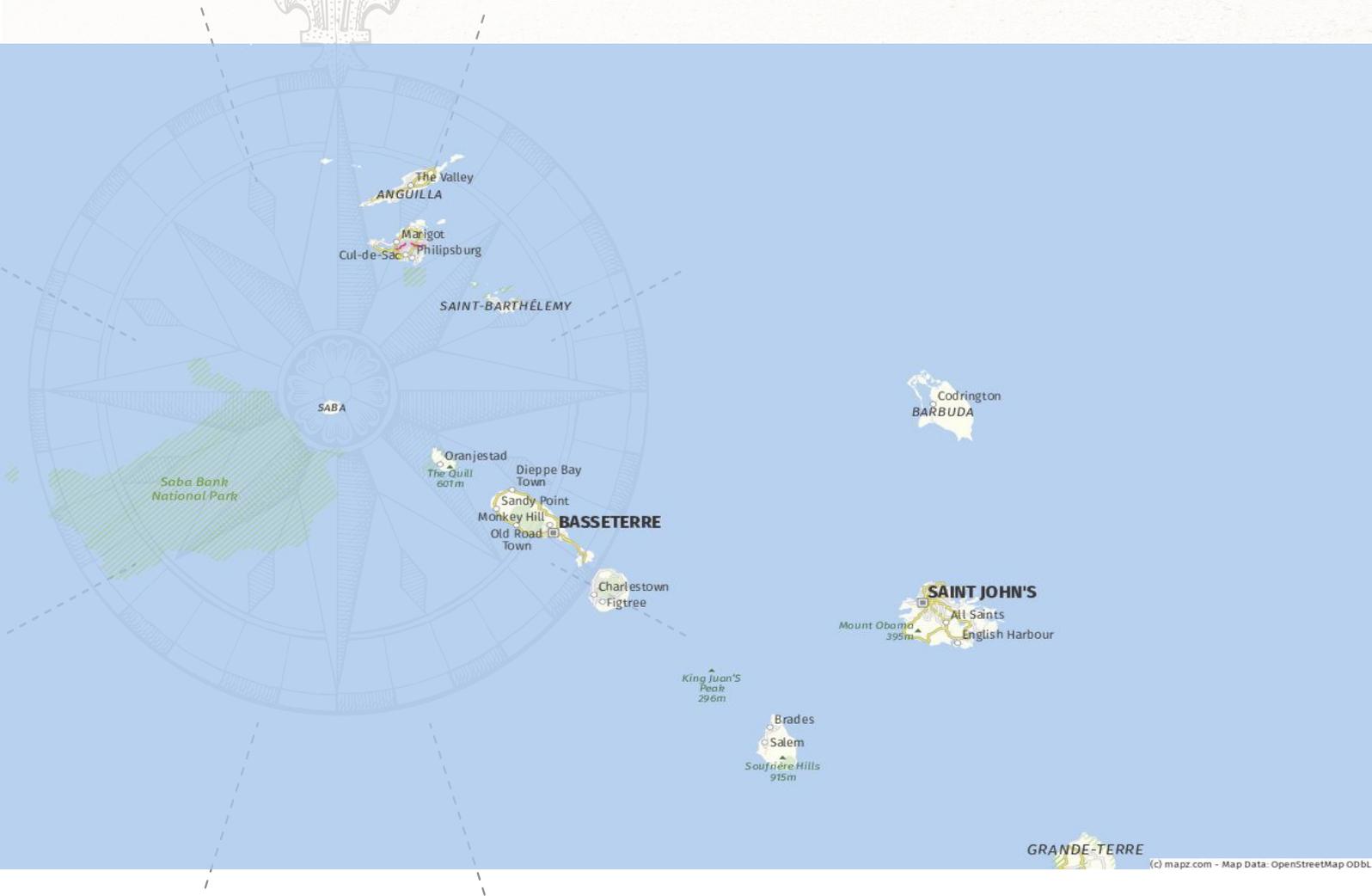
The Route

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You will join the ship on a Saturday in Antigua. Revel in Sunday at Shirley Heights with its spectacular views while dancing to steel drums and drinking the local rum punch, Monday can be a lazy beach day. After spending our first few days enjoying the island we will set sail heading north. Our only commitment is arriving in St.Martin (approx 200nm) before the 29th of February.

These diverse islands are famous for their beaches, flowing rum punches and reggae, marine parks brimming with colourful corals, tropical fish, turtles and sharks, and majestic national parks abundant with overgrown tropical forests home to many protected rare and exotic wildlife.

The distances between the islands are 10 to 65 nautical miles. The steady trade winds from the Atlantic normally are between 15 to 20 knots which should allow for near perfect sailing conditions.



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Highlights

- Active sailing on a 100-year-old windjammer
- Leave your everyday life completely behind you (digital detox)
- Enjoy Florette Top galley
- Blue water sailing means nature, stars and weather experience
- Route with good time buffer calculated to explore country and people
- Be part of the Florette Crew we are family and professional.
- Islands with stop-over to discover volcanoes, nature and culture.
- Snow-white beaches, in contrast to the lush green of the tropical vegetation.



Antigua:

Home to 365 beaches and the iconic Nelson's Dockyard (UNESCO) and Shirley Heights, Antigua is definitely a place to have fun!

Kitts & Nevis:

This pair of islands offers everything from the impressive Brimstone Hill Fortress (UNESCO), a round of golf, to rum punches on the beach and impressive landscapes and tropical vegetation.

Sint Eustatius (Statia):

Priding itself with ecotourism (STENAPA), the Quill is home to over 35 endangered or rare species and is overgrown with tropical rainforest. The real treasure lies beneath the surface of the water though. Its protected Marine Park is a diver's paradise.

Saba:

This impressive volcano rises from the sea. Probably the reason that it was used as 'Skull Island' from the 1933 original King Kong movie. Unforgettable marine life is hidden below the waterline. Colourful corals, tropical fish, turtles and even sharks.

St. Barthelemy:

An escape destination for the rich and famous. Gustavia tiny streets are lined with posh boutiques and restaurants. Luxury yachts line the marina and the bays. The famous Nikki beach is a hotspot for beach goers and cocktails. \$\$\$

St.Martin & Sint Maarten:

The famous Maho beach where people flock to experience the famous airplane landings

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Life onboard

We offer you an active part as voyage crew on board a working Tallship.

Individual bookings for couples, single travellers and also families with children.

No previous sailing experience needed.

You are expected to actively participate in the sailing and life on board.

On the first day there is a voyage crew introduction, safety briefing and sailing school.

The trip will include many highlights and a bit of adventure.



Meals

Depending on the daily program and our route we will provide breakfast with the possibility of half or full board. This leaves the option to try the local cuisines on many of the islands.

Breakfast is included in the price.

All other meals onboard are 15 euros per meal. If individuals would like to remain on the ship instead of going onshore, please speak to Nicole in advance to see if it is a possibility to arrange a meal onboard (these are not guaranteed).



Voyage Information and Prices

Caribbean Adventure Leeward Islands

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Prices from 1,980 Euros

- 14 days travel dates: 15/02/2020 – 29/02/2020
- includes breakfast
- Single cabin supplement is 50%
- 15 euros per meal

Embarkation: Sat. 15/02/2020 in Antigua

Boarding time is 18:00. Exact location will be determined on the day of arrival. You will be notified by mobile or by AIS (marine traffic on the internet).

Disembarkation: Sat. 29/02/2020 in Saint Martin after breakfast at 09:00.

The price does not include: passports or visas, travel insurance, any local taxes including departure and landing tax, personal clothing, medical expenses, items of a personal nature, drinks, alcohol and individual arrangements for travel to or from point of departure or arrival.

This price does not include: land excursions, entrance fees into nature reserves, extra recreational fees including organised diving and snorkelling, extra harbour fees, and extra services.

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Cancellation:

Your deposit will be non-refundable after the date of booking. If you cancel your booking 45 days or more before the date of departure we will refund 50% of money paid, excluding your deposit. If a cancellation is made within 45 days of departure no refund will be made.

Miscellaneous:

Each participant requires a passport that is valid for a minimum of 6 months before travelling, travel health insurance, and a medical certificate. You should be healthy and fit (see voyage crew form), have visited a dentist before travelling, and have the necessary vaccinations. Just drop a line to Captain Rony and he will gladly advise you personally if this is the right adventure for you.

Captain Rony Haynes

