



Line of Sight

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Summer has drawn to a close in the north, but here in the sunny Caribbean islands, we are finalising our preparations for the start of our 2004/5 season.

In this 12th edition, we present you with winter temptations and news of additions to our fleet to help you plan your next sailing vacation. Whether you're thinking of a Fall get away or a special Christmas or New Year celebration, we offer you a choice of stunning bases, a fleet of immaculately maintained yachts and first class customer service ensuring that you enjoy world class sailing with Horizon Yacht Charters.

We look forward to hearing from you.

With best wishes,

The team at Horizon Yacht Charters

Boat Show News

Jacqui Pascall from our Grenada base was present at the Southampton Boat show from September 10 – 18, 2004 and was happy to report that there was a lot of interest in sailing with Horizon Yacht Charters.

Al Ashford, owner-operator of the Antigua base looks forward to meeting you at the London Boat show January 6 – 16, 2005 too. Watch out for him at the Cosmos Yachting stand.

Andrew Thompson, will be at the Toronto show January 9 – 18, 2005.



Special Offers

Don't forget to check out our exciting offers!



BVI News



We're delighted to introduce this beautiful air-conditioned Bahia 46 cat late 2004 build - 2005 model (6 cabins/4 heads/AC) which accommodates either four couples and two children or a skipper and cook.

Don't miss the opportunity to book one of our brand new Bavaria yachts ready for charter from December 15:



Bavaria 36 (2 cabins/1 head)



Bavaria 42 (3 cabins/2 heads)

The BVI fleet now also has a comfortable and well appointed 2002 Beneteau 473 (3 cabins / 2 heads).

A big welcome to Kate Robertson and Milton Felix who joined the Horizon team in the BVI earlier this month. Kate is a charter co-ordinator, fluent in German – great for our growing German speaking market!

Milton is a technical supervisor and with more than ten years' experience in the industry, he is a valuable addition to the technical team.

[Click here to visit the BVI](#)



Antigua News



As we celebrate the first anniversary of the opening of our Antigua & Barbuda base at Jolly Harbour marina, we are pleased to announce that we are increasing the size of our fleet as well as enhancing our sailing options available to you.



Why not start 2005 with a luxury sailing vacation on this [stunning air-conditioned 1999 Leopard 4500](#) cat (4 double cabins / 4 heads? *Hound Dog* will be sailed down from her current base in the BVI to Jolly Harbour and will be available for charter from January 14, 2005. We are offering 15% off the rack rate for the first three direct bookings made

with [Horizon Antigua](#).

We introduce two further additions to our fleet:

-  a [Dufour 44 \(4 cabins / 2 heads\) 2003](#), which, with three new Quantum Spinnakers, makes this a great choice for those wishing to participate in spinnaker class racing.
-  a Beneteau 40CC (2 cabins / 2 heads) 1998 is an ideal choice for 2 couples looking for space and comfort.

Both of these yachts are available for charter from November 1, 2004.

One Way Charters to St Martin

We are delighted to invite you to book a [one-way charter from Antigua to St Martin](#) (or vice-versa!) and add another dimension to your Caribbean sailing plans. Experience the different cultures and contrasts offered by the islands of Nevis, St Kitts, St Barts and Anguilla as you sail on a fabulous reach to your final destination. This is blue water sailing at its best!



Karl Bryan is one of our experienced, friendly skippers.

Whether you need an extra pair of hands, a local guide around the many bays and anchorages, or just to be able to sit back and relax, in Karl's capable hands, we can provide all of that, and more.

Special Offers

MOBY Special Offer

Enjoy an amazing \$1000 off a superb Bavaria 50 (5 cabins / 3 heads) 2001 plus a free two man kayak. Charter this yacht for either 7 or 10 day charters in October and November and pay only \$2995 - offer subject to availability.



Christmas is just around the corner...

We still have some yachts available for a fun Christmas and New Year in Antigua ... parties, champagne, sunshine.... Escape the winter and revel in this perfect combination for a wonderful celebration.

[Click here to visit Antigua.](#)



Grenada News

The passage of Hurricane Ivan hit the island of Grenada hard but thanks to the ample warning of Ivan's approach, we were able to effectively hurricanize our charter fleet and base.

The stunning sailing grounds of the Grenadines have been largely unaffected by Ivan and, thankfully, our proper preparations meant that the majority of our fleet survived the battering that affected the island. We are pleased to announce that charters that are booked will go ahead and all future guests can be assured that the same level of service, quality yachts and attention to detail will be offered.

Whilst we work towards the full recovery of True Blue Bay Marina, we are pleased to inform you that we will be opening a satellite base in Tyrell Bay, Carriacou on the 1st of November 2004 from where we will provide service

through the end of the 2005 season.

Our secondary base means that we are able to offer you the option of starting your Grenadines sail from the lovely sister island of Carriacou, just a two hour sail from Union Island - the gateway to the Grenadines. We will also continue to offer charter starts and finishes at our base in True Blue Bay Resort & Marina.

There are flights available in and out of Grenada to Carriacou and from St. Vincent and Barbados into Carriacou on local airlines. In addition, Osprey Ferry Lines will be running a daily round trip ferry service between Grenada and Carriacou, departing from Grenada at 9.00a.m. and from Carriacou at 3.30p.m.

The really exciting news is that in addition to our current fleet this coming season we are adding four yachts, two of which are brand new Bavarias, [the two cabin 38'](#) and a [four cabin 46'](#)!

Thanks again for your good wishes. We look forward to hearing from you.

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