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Welcome to the Spring 2012 edition of the Jamann Sailing Adventures Extraordinaire (JSAE) newsletter. You are receiving this newsletter because you have already joined us for a sailing adventure (for which we thank you) and/or you have expressed an interest in joining us on a future adventure. Please feel free to share this newsletter with anyone whom you think has the same adventurous spirit that you do and whom you think would enjoy a Jamann Sailing Adventure.

2012 Full Time Living in Paradise!

Monday, Dec. 19th, 2011 was a tremendous day for us. Our good friends the Dorsey's drove us to the airport where we boarded a one way flight to St. Thomas beginning the next phase of Jamann Sailing Adventures. We are now locals and residents of St. Thomas! Our yacht Jamann has completed her service in Sunsail's charter fleet and after some maintenance and TLC she was handed over to us and we literally sailed off into the sunset. We brought her over to St. Thomas and we are now happily moored



in Muller Bay off Red Hook which is on the eastern tip of St. Thomas, USVI. So we are now full time live aboards and yachties! This will be our base of operations and home port, at least for the near future. It is still taking some time to settle in. Downsizing from a 4 bedroom house down to a 43 foot yacht has not been easy. We are still waiting for more of our stuff to be delivered although we don't know where we are going to put it all. Can you say "beach" sale?

In the meantime, we've been busy checking out



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the USVI side finding lots of great anchorages on St. Thomas and St. John and finding lots of fun things for our guests to do if they'd like to tour the US side rather than the British side. Besides, you don't even need a passport to come to the USVI (if you are an American, anyway). So for new as well as return guests we have even more adventure options available for you now on both the British and US sides.

A new JSAE Feature – Captain HiHo's Blog

To capture all of the new excitement Captain HiHo has started a blog for those who are interested in hearing a bit more detail about our day to day adventures in living in paradise. Her blog can be found at <http://jamannsailingadventru.es.blogspot.com>. There are still a few places where we can hide out for a few days and not have access to cell phone coverage and internet access. So updates and entries to the blog may happen a couple of times a week but not always every day. Lots of good info is included in the blog including some historical info, general info about the places we visit and hints about some of the things to do and places to see that you, our guests, would be interested in. So check out the blog and feel free to add your comments. Let us know what you think of this new feature.

More Photos!

While Captain HiHo's been busy with the blog, Captain Grey Beard keeps busy with the camera. You can find postings of our "Photo of The Day" collection at <https://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=a.2971620291003.152665.1276622202&type=3&l=3f46417148>. Although this is a photo album on Facebook it is open to the public and you do not have to have a Facebook account to access it and look at the pictures.



AAA Central Penn Travel Winter Escape Trip 2012

Wow! We completed a fabulous charter week Feb. 26 to Mar. 3 with a group of great people who participated in the trip organized by Craig "Peg Leg" Haberle at AAA Central Penn Travel bringing the group to Cooper Island Beach Club here in the British Virgin Islands. Everyone, including us, had a great time as the weather was great and the sailing phenomenal all week long. Of course accommodations at the Cooper Island Beach Club (www.cooperislandbeachclub.com) continue to exceed expectations as they continue to improve on an already fabulous resort. Thanks to Sam and Andy and the rest of the CIBC resort staff for providing such a great experience for the group. Each day we took part of the group out sailing with us visiting some of the popular sites around the BVI. Each group participant had the opportunity during the course of the week for one full day and two half days of sailing allowing for plenty of other time to just relax at the resort. Check out Kathy's blogging about the trip as well as the write up and photos in the Past Adventures section of our website for more details about the trip. Plans

are already being made to repeat this trip in 2013 if you know of anyone interested in a great land based adventure.

2012 and 2013 Charter Schedules

So our 2012 charter season is off to a great start. For those of you who are still considering the possibility of chartering with us in 2012 we still have some available time slots for you to choose from. Here is our remaining regularly scheduled 2012 charter dates:

May 12-19 - 1st cabin booked, 2nd cabin available, sailing the BVI

May 26-June 2 - 1st cabin booked, 2nd cabin available, sailing the BVI

June 9-16 – Available

June 23-July 1 – Booked, sailing the BVI

July 7-14 - Available

We do have a special request charter scheduled for November 24-December 1 with the 1st cabin booked and the 2nd cabin available if that time slot would work better for you than our regularly scheduled dates. We have already begun accepting charter reservations for our main 2013 charter season running from January 5th through July 13th. With the sailing in the Virgin Islands being good all year round it might be possible to schedule charters at other times of the year depending on other things that JSAE might be involved in. Just ask and we'll see what we can do. While our focus is on offering week long adventures for our guests we are available for shorter charters down to 1 night/2 day charters. We are also available for half and full day charters for guests who may be visiting the islands aboard a cruise ship or staying land based at one of the many resorts around the US and British Virgin Islands.



If any of these available dates in 2012 or 2013 will work for you for a Jamann Sailing Adventure please let us know as soon as possible, even if you cannot commit right away, so that we can work with you, begin discussing the details and answer any questions to help you make a decision and ultimately to confirm a date and reservation. We can be somewhat flexible with the schedule. If the dates described above don't exactly work for you let us know which dates will and we will review your request to see if we can make adjustments to the schedule to accommodate your date requests. This would apply for dates beyond this schedule as well.

Living the Dream!

Thanks for all of the great support and encouragement from all of our friends, new and old! We're living the dream and loving it down here in paradise. We're hoping you'll come down and let us share our adventures in this beautiful part of the world with you.

Thanks and see ya in da islands, mon!!!

Life is GREAT! Arrrgghhhhh!

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