

## Government of Bermuda

## Ministry of Tourism Transport & Municipalities



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The Ministry of Tourism, Development and Municipalities welcome participants and visitors to the 21st Marion to Bermuda Yacht Race.

We are thrilled to host this prestigious Atlantic Ocean crossing event, marking 40 years of Marion to Bermuda Yacht Race history.

The 2017 Marion to Bermuda race is a tradition of goodwill, comradeship and great competition. We applaud the dedication, sportsmanship and tremendous support from the sailors and crew, not to mention the hard work and dedication of the race committee to support this event biannually.

Bermuda's sailing pedigree is undeniable, making it the perfect destination and host. From our renowned friendliness to the exquisite beauty of our island, your stay is sure to be a memorable one.

Once on land, set your course east to explore the distinctive architecture and tiny lanes of our 17th century Town of St. George, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, or centrally to the tree-lined streets of the vibrant and cosmopolitan City of Hamilton or west to the nautically inspired Royal Naval Dockyard. We encourage you to immerse yourself in this uniquely Bermudian twist of British charm and island soul.

So drop anchor, flake your sails, coil those sheets and let the island's culture and charm unfurl as you navigate your way through this idyllic Atlantic port called Bermuda.

Sincerely,

The Hon. Michael M. Fahy, JP

Minister of Tourism, Transport & Municipalities