



SAFETY ALERT

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Applicability: All vessels in the vicinity of the North Sound, Virgin Gorda BVI

Date of Issue: May 28, 2021 (First Notice)

Swim and SUP the Sound 2021

Annual fundraising event organized by Virgin Islands Search and Rescue

Date of Event: Sunday, June 6 | Competitors will be in the water starting at **10:00am**, with a total of three (3) hours to complete the race.

Designated area of competition: The 2-mile swim and 2.5 mile stand up paddle board (SUP) race will begin at the fuel dock at Bitter End Yacht Club. The 1-mile swim will begin in the water off of Prickly Pear at 18° 30' 20" N, 064° 22' 5" W. The .5 mile swim will start at the end of the t-dock at Leverick Bay heading towards Prickly Pear then at 18 29' 53" N / 64 23' 13" W swimmers will return to the beach at Leverick Bay. All races will end on the beach at Leverick Bay Resort and Marina. Course guides are on page two and three of this safety alert; red and green dots indicate race marker placement.

Support Vessels:

- VISAR's rescue vessels Spirit of Tortola and Gorda Peak.
- Dive vessels from Sunchaser Scuba, Dive BVI and Sail Caribbean Divers.
- 10-12 Safety Kayaks

1-Mile Course



2-Mile Course



SUP Course

