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British Virgin Islands

Yacht Charter Guide

CRAFTING SIGNATURE CHARTER YACHT EXPERIENCES

BVI Yacht Charter
Region: Caribbean
Gateways: EIS - VIJ
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BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS

Overview

BVI yacht charter is the classic Caribbean short-hop archipelago - Village Cay or Nanny Cay embarkation on Tortola, North Sound and Virgin Gorda nights, Jost Van Dyke beach bars, and EIS door-to-deck. We hold winter peak berths, mooring balls and APA before you fly.

BVI yacht charter - Village Cay, Nanny Cay, North Sound & Jost Van Dyke. Berths, moorings and APA with Blue Ocean Club.

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WHEN TO GO

Season & rhythm

- How a BVI week actually runs.: Short sails, snorkel mornings, one North Sound night, one Jost beach afternoon.
- Tortola embark: EIS transfer, APA open, safety brief.
- Island hops: Norman / Peter / Virgin Gorda - light miles.
- Beach bars: Soggy Dollar / Leverick held when the brief wants them.
- Balls by default; quay when it earns it.: Most refined weeks mix mooring balls with one or two marina nights.
- Village Cay / Nanny Cay: Embark, fuel, provisioning.
- North Sound: Virgin Gorda overnight energy.
- Norman / Cooper: Snorkel and swim-platform days.

ON THE WATER

Cruising grounds

Sir Francis Drake Channel
Tortola-Virgin Gorda-Norman spine of short hops.

North Sound, Virgin Gorda
Protected sound with club docks and Baths day-trips.

Jost Van Dyke
Beach bars, White Bay and Great Harbour nights.

Anegada
Remote flat island - lobster and reef approaches.

QUAY NIGHTS

Marinas & berthing

Village Cay Marina, Tortola
Road Town harbour marina - classic BVI embark. - Max LOA ~60 m - Draft ~4.5 m - Gateway EIS - Transfer 15-25 min from EIS - Peak lead: 6-12 weeks winter; longer for New Year

Yacht Club Costa Smeralda / Scrub Island Marina
East End Tortola luxury marina near North Sound approaches. - Max LOA ~80 m - Draft ~5 m - Gateway EIS - Transfer 25-40 min from Beef Island - Peak lead: 4-12 weeks for peak season slips

Yacht Harbour / Leverick Creek area, Virgin Gorda
North Sound gateway for Virgin Gorda clubs and baths. - Max LOA ~50 m - Draft ~4 m - Gateway EIS - Transfer Ferry or yacht from Tortola - Peak lead: 4-12 weeks for peak season slips

Nanny Cay Marina
Full-service Tortola marina south of Road Town. - Max LOA ~50 m - Draft ~4.5 m - Gateway EIS - Transfer 20-35 min from EIS - Peak lead: 6-12 weeks winter peak

Great Harbour, Jost Van Dyke
Classic BVI beach-bar harbour - moorings preferred over deep docks. - Max LOA ~40 m - Draft ~3.5 m - Gateway EIS - Transfer Day sail from Tortola - Peak lead: 4-12 weeks for peak season slips

DAY WATER

Anchorages

The Bight, Norman Island
Pirate caves and protected overnight.

White Bay, Jost Van Dyke
Beach-bar day-hook - swell can roll.

Saba Rock / North Sound
Club-centric overnight in the sound.

Anegada Setting Point
Lobster-shore overnight after careful approach.

Salt Island roads
Wreck and quiet day-stop.

SHORE TABLES

Restaurants

Pusher's / Sidney's Peace & Love
Jost Van Dyke
Jost beach-bar classics.

The Bath & Turtle
Spanish Town
Virgin Gorda harbour pub plates.

Brandywine Estate
Tortola
Tortola hillside dinner.

CocoMaya
Virgin Gorda
Virgin Gorda beach dining.

Anegada Reef Hotel restaurant
Anegada
Lobster night on Anegada.

DAY ASHORE

Beach clubs

Saba Rock
Virgin Gorda
North Sound club dock energy.

Bitter End Yacht Club
Virgin Gorda
Historic North Sound shore club.

White Bay beach bars
Jost Van Dyke
Jost sand-and-sundowner scene.

DOOR TO DECK

EIS to Tortola marina.

Beef Island arrivals into Village Cay, Nanny Cay or Scrub Island - timed to embarkation.

EIS gateway
Primary Tortola fixed-wing gateway - VIJ / STT only when the brief demands. EIS Village Cay 15-25 min EIS Nanny Cay 20-35 min

Taxi / chauffeur
Luggage first when ferries and tradewinds complicate timing. Night-before Road Town hotel when late Ferry plans for Virgin Gorda embark rare - prefer Tortola start

Embark utility covers meeting points and winter lead times.

NUMBERS - BVI

BVI fees & APA - the short version.

Cruising permits, moorings and APA - confirm commercial structure before contract.

Permits
BVI cruising permits and park fees sit in APA - captains arrange.

APA
Winter peak often 25-35% once fuel and moorings are honest.

Berths
Indicative marina ranges on request only - draft until confirmed.

WITHIN THIS COAST

Local guides

Tortola

Tortola is a core British Virgin Islands charter stop - marina nights, day-anchors and shore tables we hold in advance. Berth context: Village Cay Marina, Tortola - Day-anchor: The Bight, Norman Island - Table: Pusher's / Sidney's Peace & Love

Virgin Gorda

Virgin Gorda is a core British Virgin Islands charter stop - marina nights, day-anchors and shore tables we hold in advance. Berth context: Yacht Club Costa Smeralda / Scrub Island Marina - Day-anchor: White Bay, Jost Van Dyke - Table: The Bath & Turtle

Jost Van Dyke

Jost Van Dyke is a core British Virgin Islands charter stop - marina nights, day-anchors and shore tables we hold in advance. Berth context: Yacht Harbour / Leverick Creek area, Virgin Gorda - Day-anchor: Saba Rock / North Sound - Table: Brandywine Estate

EXPLORE FURTHER

Child destinations

- Tortola - Crewed yacht charter in Tortola - berths, day-anchors and shore days our captains favour inside British Virgin Islands.
- Virgin Gorda - Crewed yacht charter in Virgin Gorda - berths, day-anchors and shore days our captains favour inside British Virgin Islands.
- Jost Van Dyke - Crewed yacht charter in Jost Van Dyke - berths, day-anchors and shore days our captains favour inside British Virgin Islands.

BEFORE YOU FLY

FAQ

Village Cay or Nanny Cay for embarkation?

Village Cay for Road Town proximity; Nanny Cay for full-service yard and west-end access - we match to yacht and flight.

Do we need mooring ball reservations?

Peak winter nights at popular bays benefit from early holds - captains confirm VHF on arrival.

Can we clear into the USVI?

Yes on longer programmes - Yacht Haven Grande / Cruz Bay when clearance and weather align.

What APA should we budget?

Winter peak: plan ~25-35% once fuel, moorings and beach-bar nights are real.

Best airport?

EIS (Beef Island) is the Tortola gateway - chauffeur or taxi to Village Cay / Nanny Cay.

New Year's weeks?

Treat like an event week - berths and popular moorings need months of runway.

OPERATIONAL

Mooring notes

Village Cay Marina

Busy in peak winter and holiday weeks. 6-12 weeks winter peak; longer for New Year. Holidays densify Road Town berths. Practical Road Town embark - provisioning and crew access.

Nanny Cay Marina

Full-service - still book ahead in peak. 6-12 weeks winter peak. Regatta and holiday weeks. Yard + berth hub - strong for technical stops.

Leverick Creek / North Sound

Popular overnight - mooring culture. Hold preferred nights early in peak. New Year North Sound is an event week. Virgin Gorda hinge - combine with Baths day-stop.

Berth fees, APA budgets and event lead times are indicative and move with LOA, season and harbour policy. Blue Ocean Club confirms live figures in writing before deposit. Not a substitute for captain pilotage or marina contracts.

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