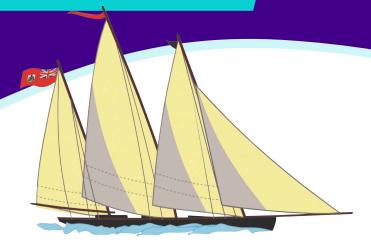
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# BERMUDA BOAT DESIGN CHALLENGE

ENTRIES CLOSE
SUNDAY MAY 1, 2022



YOUR CHALLENGE:
CAN YOU DESIGN A MODERN
DAY BERMUDA SLOOP THAT
CAN OUTPACE THE F50?

(Think of the Spirit of Bermuda)

- A Make it **FASTER**
- **B** Make it **SAFER**
- **C** Improve its **SUSTAINABILITY**
- D Make it **BERMUDA** themed

The innovative Bermuda rig boat design, dating back to the 1600s, created the ability to zig-zag upwind becoming the basis for most modern day sailing boats. Still used today, the design has also been implemented in SailGP's very own F50 foiling catamarans!

#### There are two ways you can design:

- 1. Draw your design.
- 2. Create by using recycled materials from home.

The **TOP 10** creative and innovative designs will **WIN A PAIR OF TICKETS** to the Bermuda SailGP event on May 14/15, 2022, so don't forget to share your designs!

Winners will also receive a tour of the SailGP Technical Base during the event week. **How cool is that?!** 

**RIG:** Consists of the mast, sails and ropes which form a shape to capture the wind.

**BERMUDA SLOOP:** The combination of triangular sails and the boat or hull that carries it.

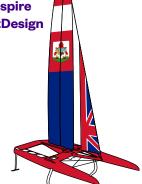
Even the boat emoji is a Bermuda Sloop.

### **HOW TO ENTER?**

Submit photos or videos of your **Boat Design Challenge** creation by Sunday May 1, 2022 to:

#### SailGP.com/BDABoatDesignApply

or email inspire@sailgp.com
or share on socials
by tagging @SailGP
and using #SGPInspire
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# **FUN FACTS**

Bermuda Cedar is an incredibly strong resilient form of wood but also incredibly lightweight which allowed most early designs to be singularly planked instead of the traditionally double planked vessels.

## Did you know?

Bermudians refer to traveling up and down the island in reference to the average wind direction. So, if traveling from Somerset to St. Georges you would normally be going with the wind - "down the country".

99%

of the world uses the Bermuda Rig design.



Two triangular shaped sails make up the foundation of what we call the Bermuda Rig.



The Bermuda Sloop used to be the fastest sailboat in the world. Now, thanks to it's original design, and the addition of hydrofoils, the F50 is the world's fastest sail racing boat.