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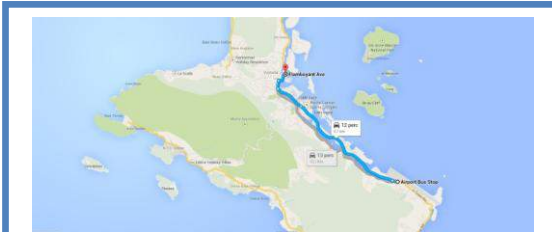
Silhouette Cruises Information Sheet



Silhouette Cruises Ltd.

Silhouette Cruises, Seychelles no.1 sailing charter-company offers weekly charters since 1997. The cruises are following regular itinerary adapted to the monsoon seasons, with departure on Saturdays from the Inter-Island Quay, Victoria, Mahe.

The company offers whole boat charters, special dive safaris and daylong fishing trips.



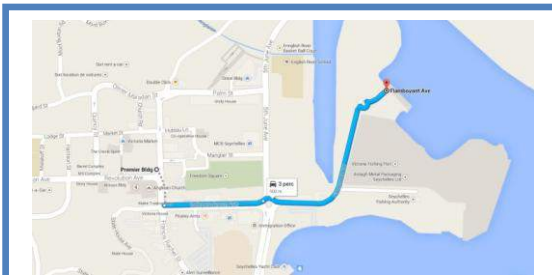
Picture 1 - Inter-Island Quay's distance to Victoria International Airport

The Inter-Island Quay's distance to the Airport is less than 10 km, it is about 20 minutes drive.

Its distance from the City Center is less than 1 km, it is about 15 min by foot, or 2 min drive.

The Inter-Island Quay does have a public parking, its use is for free of charge.

Transfer by taxi can be arranged by Silhouette Cruises at an extra cost, this need to be booked in advance.



Picture 2 – Inter-Island Quay's distance to the city center

Check-in time (embarkation time) is from 10:30AM to 12:00AM.

Check Out Time (disembarkation time) at 8:30AM.



Description of the vessels



Picture 3 – Traditional sailing vessel Sea Pearl



Picture 4 – Traditional sailing vessel Sea Shell



Picture 5 – Kayaking



Picture 6 – Diving with Silhouette Cruises

Sea Shell/Sea Pearl

Facilities

- All our vessels are fully equipped PADI Dive Resorts each with their own diving instructor onboard

Other facilities

- 01 Salon
- 01 Sundeck
- 01 Back-deck
- 03 Showers, 04 Toilets
- 01 Deck shower
- TV/DVD, video, stereo
- Ica machine
- Washing machine and dryer
- Air conditioning

Crew

- Total of 08 pax
- Captain
- Chef
- Mechanic
- Deckhands
- Stewardesses
- Dive instructor

Language Spoken

- English
- French



Picture 7 – Dining Salon Sea Pearl



Picture 8 – Dining Salon Sea Shell



Picture 9 – Triple cabin Sea Shell/Sea Pearl



Picture 10 – Triple cabin Sea Shell/Sea Pearl

Sports and recreational activities, offered on our cruises

- Island visiting and excursions. "Conservation Fee" for the island visits, guided tours, marine-, national park and port fees has to be paid on board upon arrival.
- Snorkeling, bottom-fishing equipment, kayaks and stand-up paddle-board are available for the guests, free of charge.
- Diving and diving equipment are available at an extra cost.

Cabins on Sea Shell

- Total of 08 Air-conditioned cabins (maximum occupancy per cabin: 2 or 3 pax)
- 05 Double-bed cabins with 01 double bed and 01 single bunk, with washbasin
- 01 Single-bed cabin with 02 single bunks, with washbasin
- 02 Single-bed cabins with 03 single bunks, with washbasin

Cabins on Sea Pearl

- Total of 08 Air-conditioned cabins (maximum occupancy per cabin: 3 pax)
- 02 Double-bed cabins with 01 double bed and 01 single bunk, with washbasin
- 04 Double-bed cabins with 01 double bed and 02 single bunk, with washbasin
- 02 Single-bed cabin with 03 single bunks, with washbasin

The story of Sea Shell

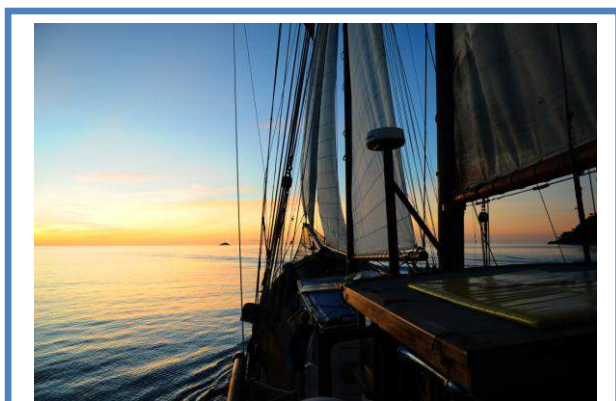


Figure 11 – Upper deck Sea Shell/Sea Pearl

SY Sea Shell was built in Holland in 1920 where she was used as a pilot vessel to guide foreign ships from Holland and France across the English Channel.

During the 2nd World War the owner sank the vessel to prevent her from being used in the war. After the war, in 1949, she was recovered and redesigned as a fishing boat. Long lines were used, together with nets to trawl for prawns.

In 1982, she was purchased by a Dutch sailor who named her “Elisabeth Louw” after his mother. He laboured for three winters, stripping the vessel to her hull and carrying out complete renovation. Upon completion, she was used as a sailing school in the English Channel and the North Sea.

In 1996 she was purchased for use as a charter vessel in Seychelles and re-named “Sea Shell”. SY Sea Shell sailed south to her new home. Central heating was replaced with air-conditioning, and accommodation was upgraded. Diving and water-sports equipment were installed.

Today the beautiful islands of Seychelles are able to offer visitors a unique experience: a subtle blend of the traditional and romantic atmosphere with modern amenities.

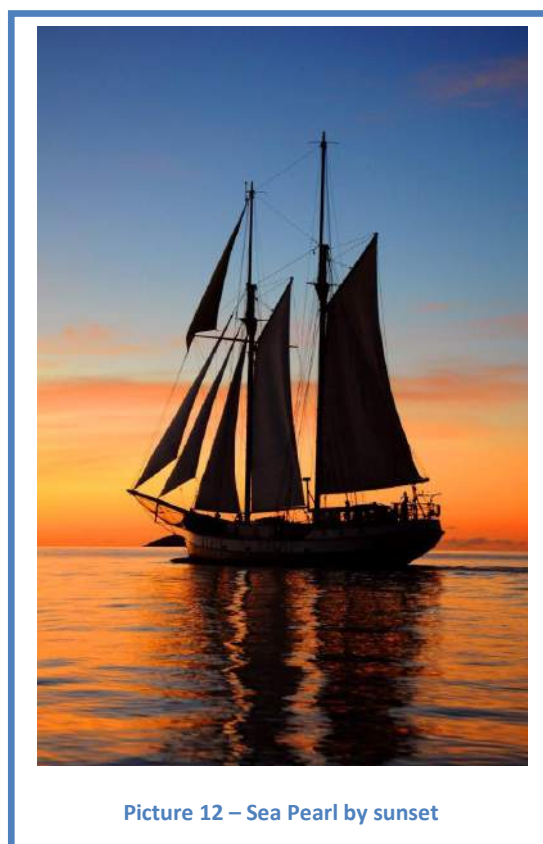
The story of Sea Pearl

SY Sea Pearl was built in Vlaardingen, Netherlands in 1915. Named “Dirk”, she was designed to serve as a sailing-fishing vessel. In 1930 she was the last sailing vessel in the Dutch herring fleet.

After decades of fishing the North Sea, she was re-designed in 1991 into a schooner rigged sailing ship, sailing the Caribbean islands and Canada and named “Regina Chatarina”.

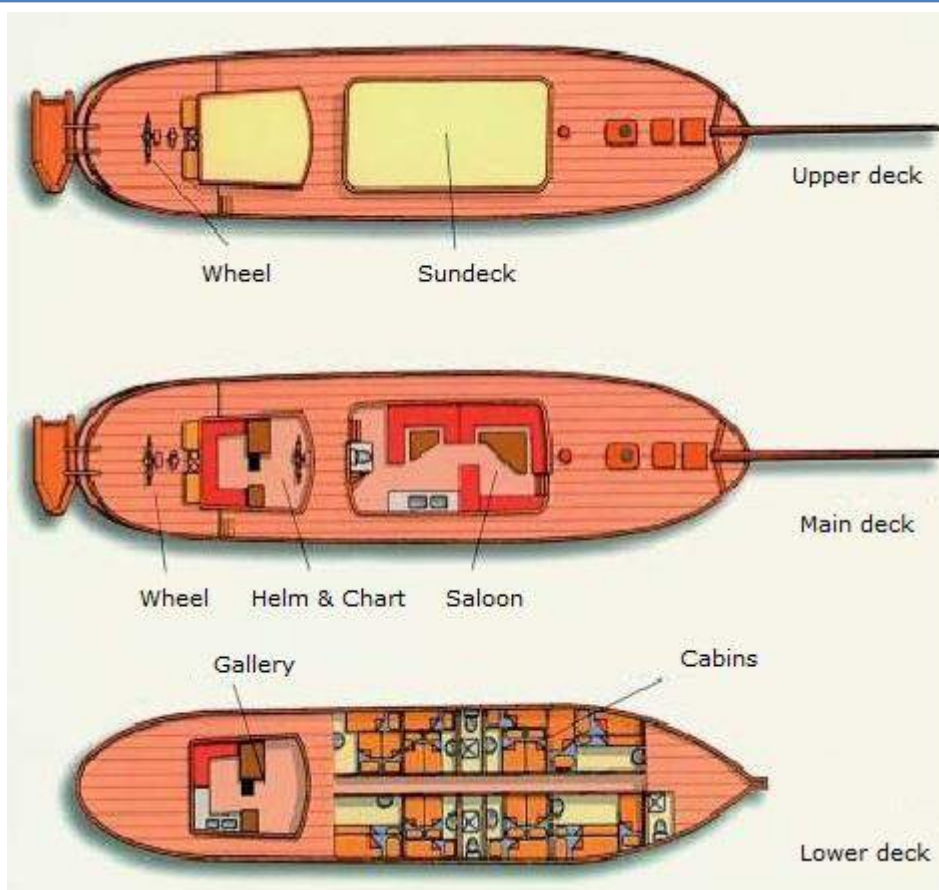
In 1999, she was refitted, re-named and delivered to Seychelles to start charter operations around the islands. In 2009, she commenced operations in Madagascar.

The Sea Pearl is 37 m long and is equipped with a powerful rig which enables her good speeds in most weather conditions. She is fully air-conditioned and her cabins can host comfortably up to 16 guests.



Picture 12 – Sea Pearl by sunset

On each vessel, we have a crew of 8 from Seychelles and other countries, fluent several languages and ready to take care of our client’s needs. Our chefs provide a variety of Creole and International cuisine.



Picture 13 – Flop-land of Sea Shell Two masts Top-sails schooner

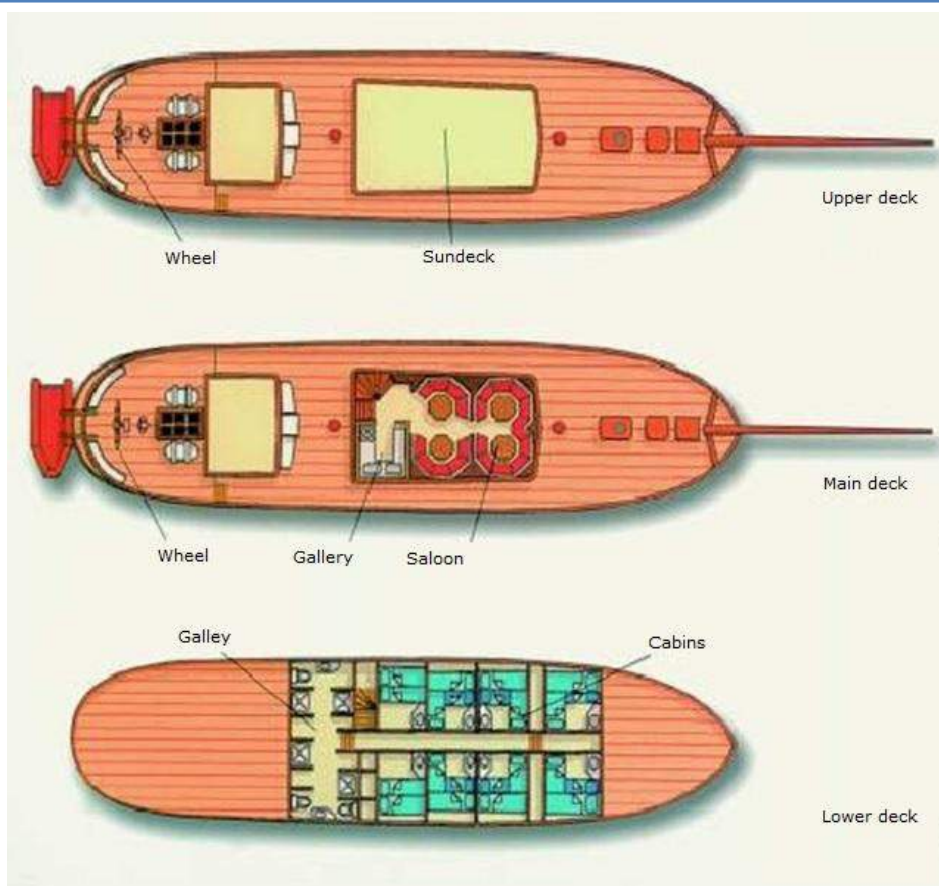


Figure 14 – Flop-land of Sea Pearl Two masts Top-sails schooner

Sea Star/Sea Bird



Picture 15 – Sea Star sailing



Picture 16 – Sea Bird sailing



Picture 17 – Sea Bird Bar Lounge



Picture 18 – Sea Star Bar Lounge

Facilities

- All our vessels are fully equipped PADI Dive Resorts each with their own diving instructor onboard

Other facilities

- 01 Bar Salon
- 01 Dining Salon
- 01 Sundeck
- 01 Back-deck
- 02 Deck showers
- TV/DVD, video, stereo
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- Total of 09 pax
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- Chef
- Mechanic
- Deckhands
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- Dive instructor

Language Spoken

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- French

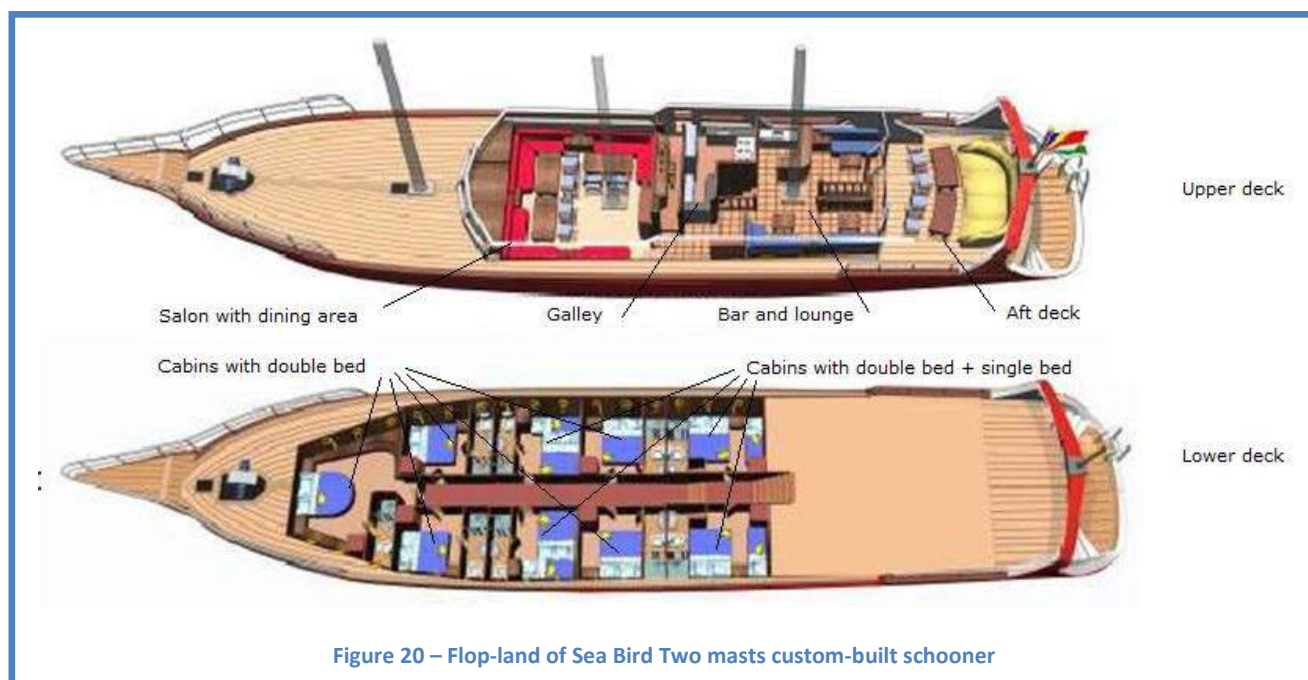
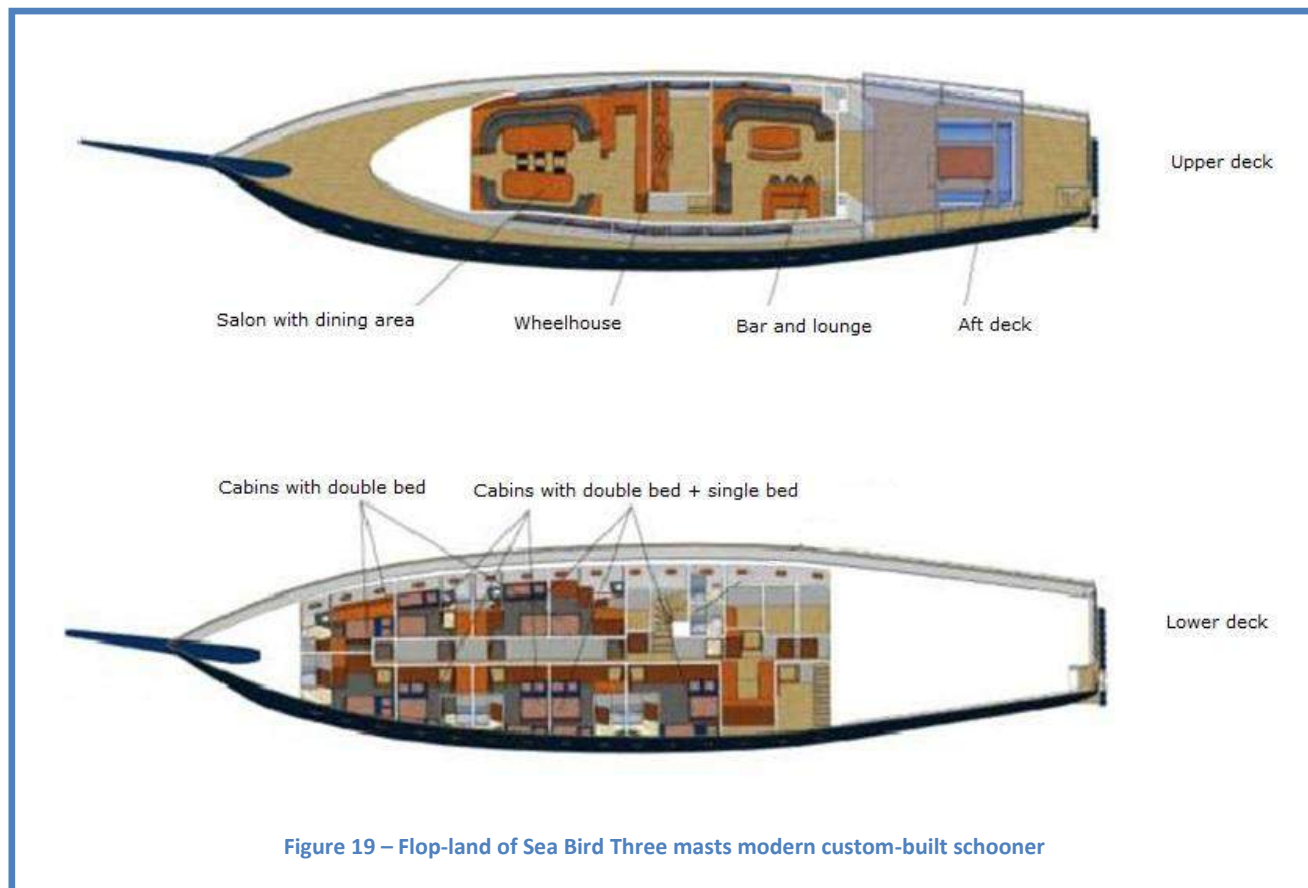




Figure 21 – Sea Bird Dining Lounge



Figure 22 – Sea Bird Dining Lounge



Figure 23 – Sea Star Dining Lounge



Figure 24 – Sea Bird Back-deck

Sports and recreational activities, offered on our cruise

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Cabins of Sea Star

- Total of 09 Air-conditioned cabins (maximum occupancy per cabin: 2 or 3 pax)
- 04 Double-bed cabins with 01 double bed, with ensuite bathroom
- 05 Double-bed cabins with 01 double bed and 01 single bunk, with ensuite bathroom

Cabins of Sea Bird

- Total of 09 Air-conditioned cabins (maximum occupancy per cabin: 2 or 3 pax)
- 03 Double-bed cabins with 01 double bed, with ensuite bathroom
- 06 Double-bed cabins with 01 double bed and 01 single bunk, with ensuite bathroom



Picture 25 – Sea Star/Sea Bird Double cabin



Picture 26 – Sea Star/Sea Bird Double cabin + 01 bunk



Picture 27 – Sea Star/Sea Bird Double cabin + 01 bunk



Picture 28 – Sea Star/Sea Bird Sun-deck



Picture 29 – Diving from Sea Star



Picture 30 – Diving from Sea Bird



Itinerary of the Cruises in the summer season

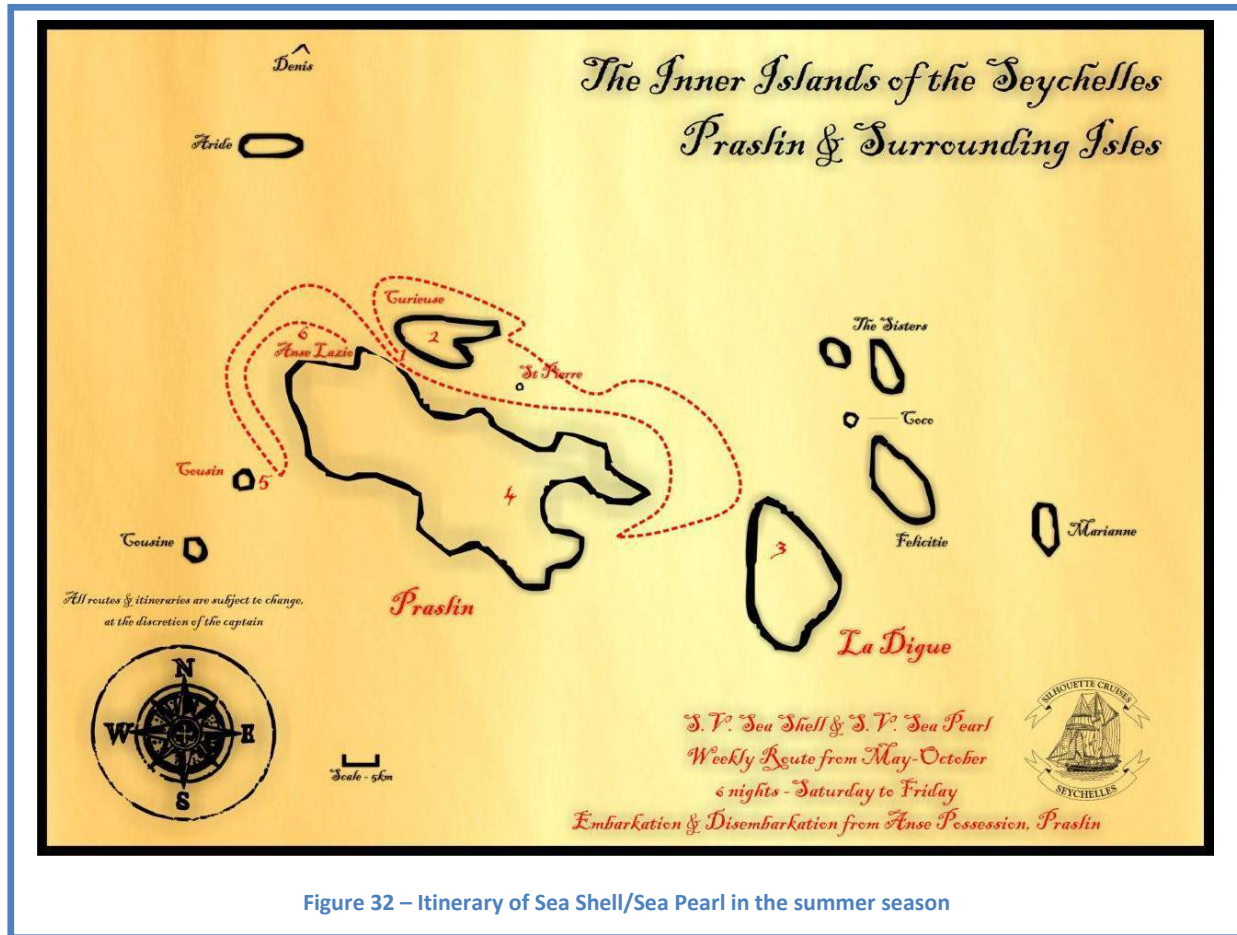


Figure 32 – Itinerary of Sea Shell/Sea Pearl in the summer season

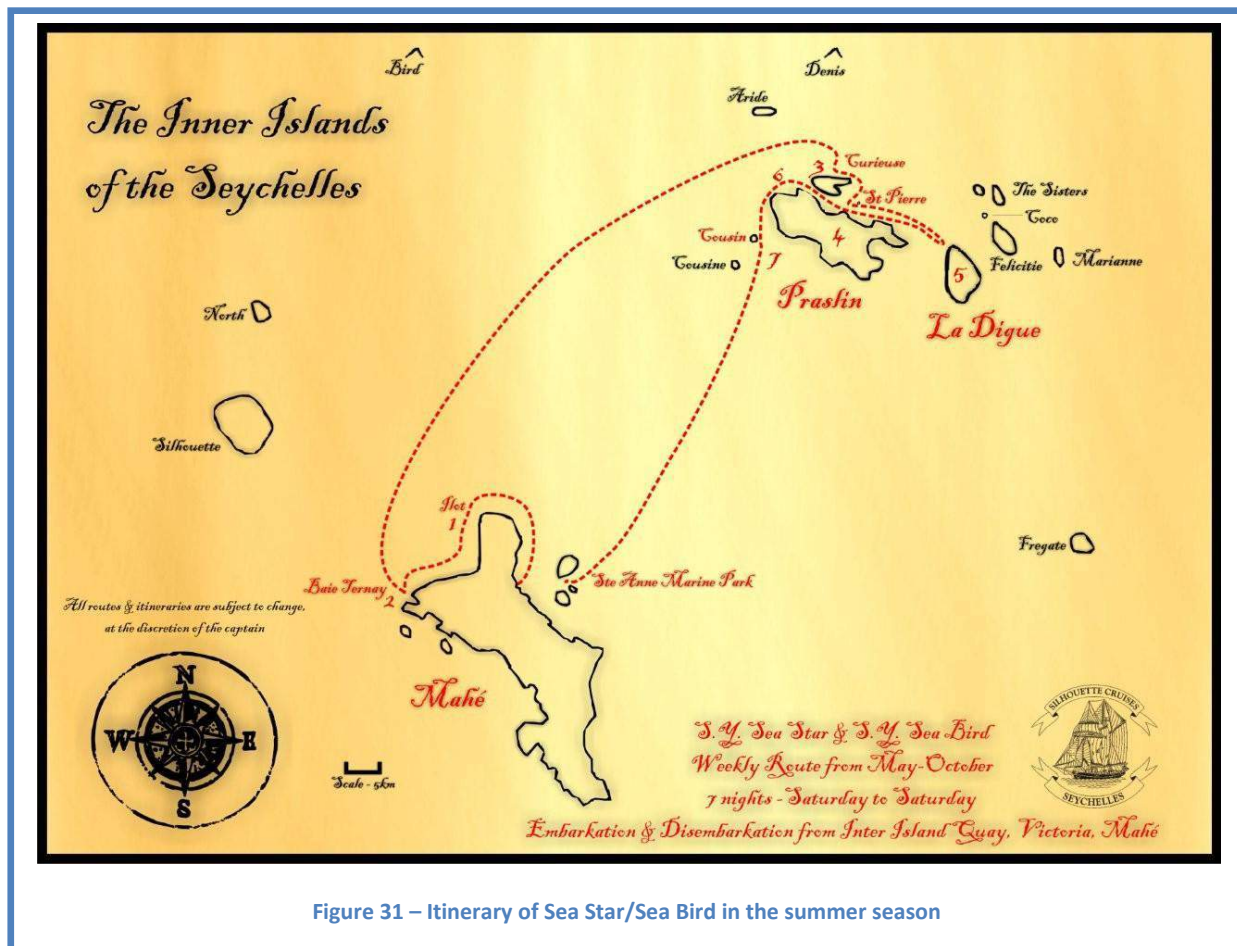
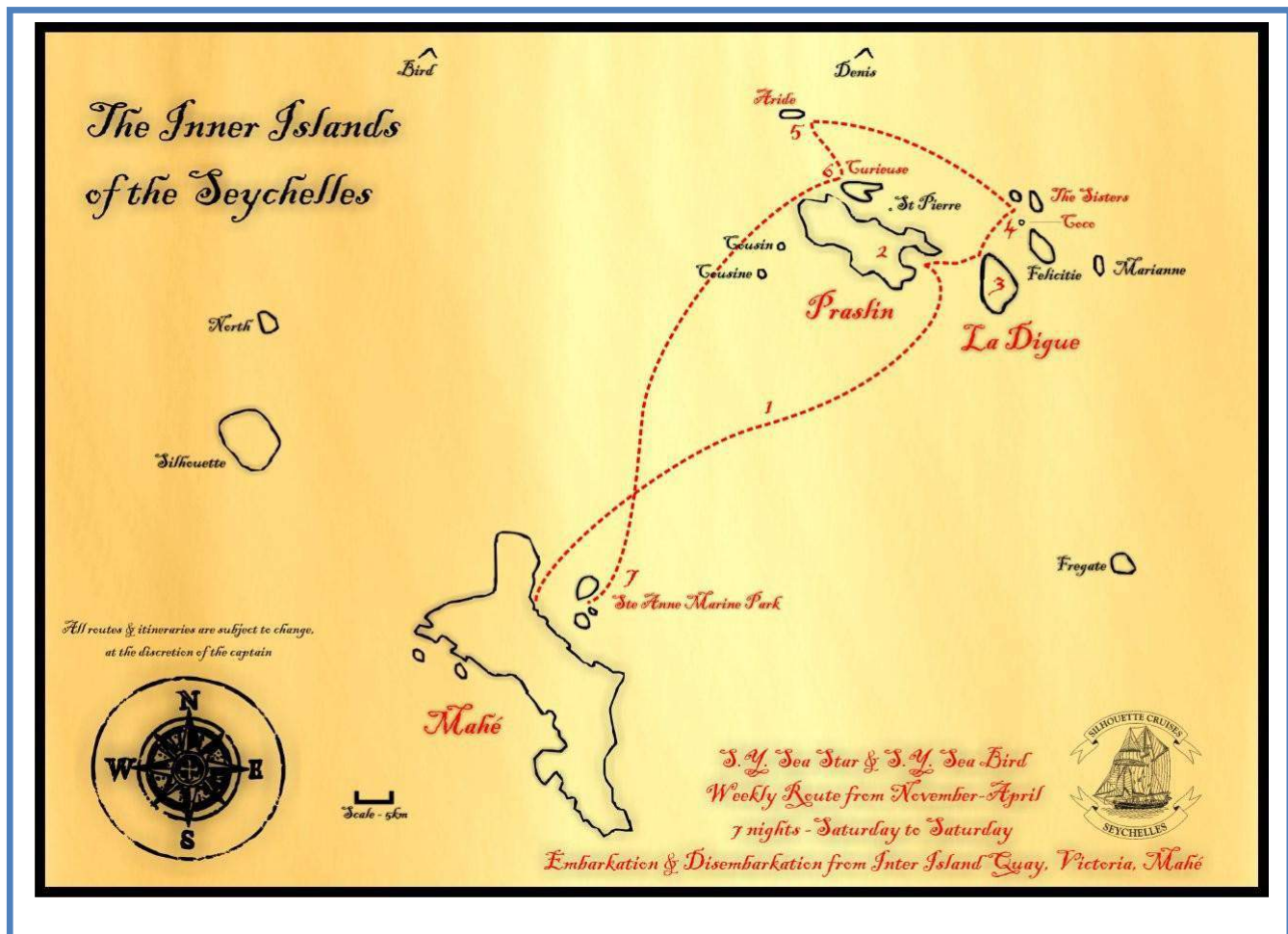
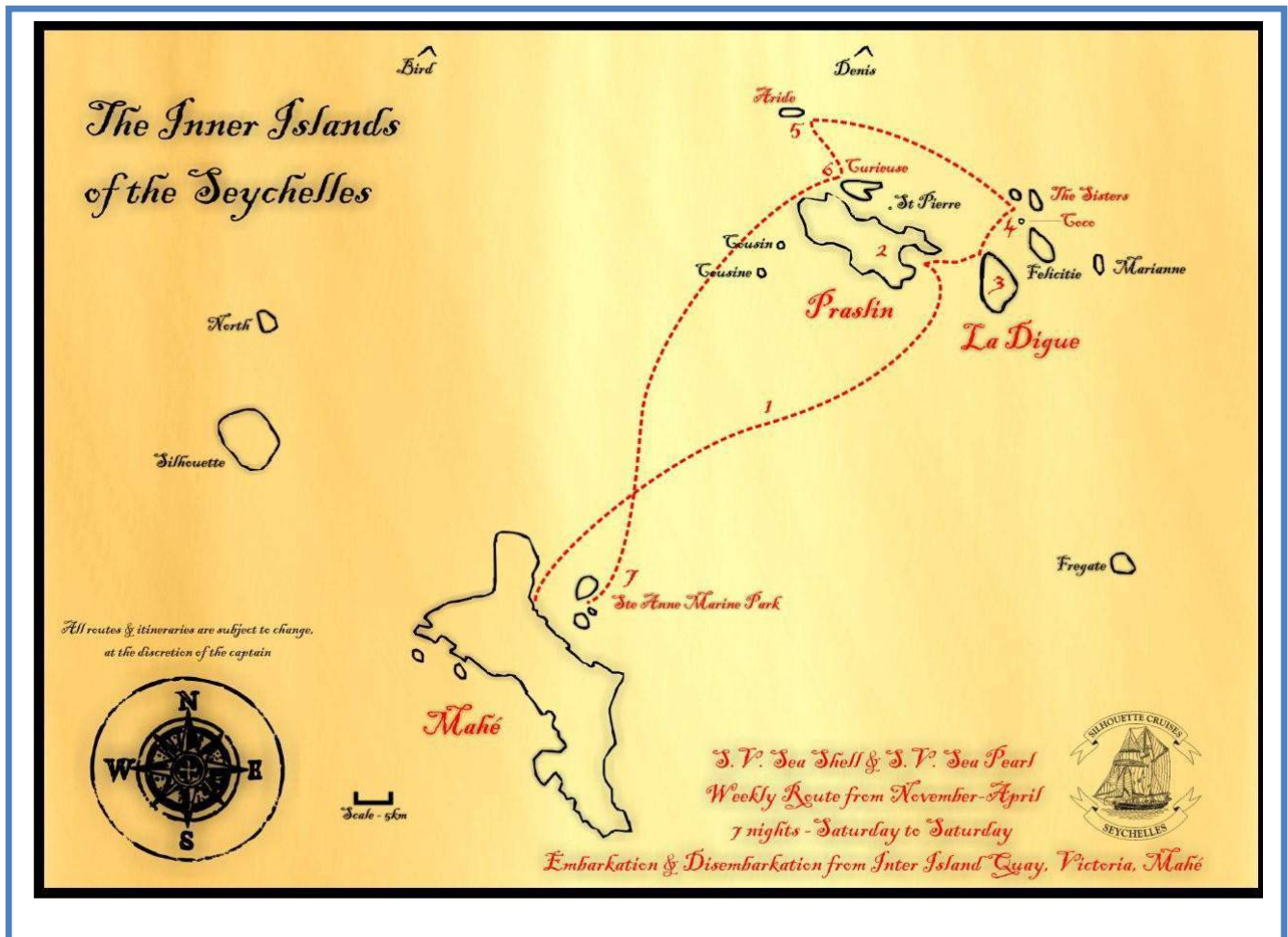


Figure 31 – Itinerary of Sea Star/Sea Bird in the summer season

Itinerary of the Cruises in the winter season



Images from the routes

