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# ANNUAL JET AROUND CAYMAN 2012 PRESENTED BY LIME CELEBRATES 16<sup>TH</sup> YEAR

# Gary "GJ" Whittaker Racing For Nuttin 2 Lose Claims First Place In Pro-Open Class

## Gary "GJ" Whittaker Also Nabs First Place In Expert-Open Class, Second Place Went To Javier Medina Racing For Nuttin 2 Lose And Third to Scott Hydes Racing For Wes-Tec

### Other Winners Include Kaleb Ebanks Racing For Wes-Tech As First Place In Amateur Class And Benjamin Cupid Racing for Nuttin 2 Lose As First Place In Rookie Class

**GEORGETOWN, CAYMAN ISLANDS, June 19, 2012** – Even with the on-and-off rains, race fans lined the beach at Public Beach on Queen's Holiday Monday, June 18, 2012 for the 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Jet Around Cayman 2012 Presented by LIME.

Monster Media executive Kenny Rankin comments, "Jet Around Cayman 2012 was a tremendous success. We had a record number of new riders enter this year in the rookie class with some as young as 17 years old," continued Rankin. "After 16 years, I am pleased to see that the sport of jet ski racing continues to grow in the Cayman Islands."

Prizes included a cash pool exceeding \$10,000, as well as iPhone 4S phones from LIME, airline tickets from Cayman Airways, gift certificates, Go Pro cameras and various other prizes from Kirk Marine, among others.

#### RACE RESULTS

Gary "GJ" Whittaker racing for Nuttin 2 Lose dominated the waters around Grand Cayman to become the champion of Jet Around Cayman 2012 presented by LIME. Whittaker napped first place in the Pro-Expert class with a time of 1 hour and 31 minutes.

The most popular class to compete in was the Expert-Open class touting 3 prize groups. Gary "GJ" Whittaker also nabbed the coveted first place trophy. Javier Media also racing for Nuttin 2 Lose came a close second with a time of 1 hour and 38 minutes to garner second place and Scott Hydes racing for Wes-Tec earned third place with a time of 1 hour and 40 minutes.

The Amateur trophy went to Kaleb Ebanks racing for Wes-Tec with an impressive time of 1 hour and 36 minutes.

The fan favorite and most closely watched race, Rookie, introduced the next generation of jet ski champion as Benjamin Cupid racing for Nuttin 2 Lose captured first place with a time of 1 hour and 43 minues to a very enthusiastic crowd.

Jet Around Cayman 2012 Presented by LIME featured its largest marketing and promotional campaign to celebrate the event's 16 year history. 2012 sponsors included LIME, Cayman Islands, Ministry of Health, Environment, Youth, Sports & Culture, Cayman Airways, SPIN 94.9 FM, VIBE 98.9 FM, Guinness, Tropicana Tours, Red Bull, Westin Casuarina Resort & Spa, Caymanian Compass, Signs of Paradise, Kirk Marine, Westar TV, Paramount Carpets, Wes-Tec, Cayman Armoured Security Service, Tech Marine and the official event organizer, Monster Media.

Monster Media, a division of the Paramount Group, is a multi-faceted events and media company. Producing world class entertainment for Grand Cayman for over 15 years, the Monster Media team boasts members with extensive experience working with some of the biggest stars and brands from the worlds of fashion, music, sport and film. With events spanning sports, education, charity and music lined up for the remainder of 2012, and with projects in development in India, Honduras, Jamaica, UK, South America and Canada, the future looks bright for this established Cayman-owned company.

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