
AN IMPORTANT FLEET OF SOUTHERN WIND YACHTS IS EXPECTED FOR THE 17th EDITION OF THE SOUTHERN WIND RENDEZVOUS AND TROPHY

In the wake of last year's success, Southern Wind is pleased to announce that the 17th edition of the Southern Wind Rendezvous and Trophy will be held again in Porto Cervo from June 6th to 10th, 2023 within the cornice of the Giorgio Armani Superyacht Regatta, an event organized by the Yacht Club Costa Smeralda with the title sponsorship of Giorgio Armani.

As always at this unmissable event, participants will enjoy four days of sailing in Sardinia's stunning Costa Smeralda followed by a glamorous social programme ashore in the relaxed family atmosphere that only the Southern Wind Rendezvous and Trophy can offer. Confirming Southern Wind's vocation for building versatile yachts, participants can either race in the SWS Trophy or enjoy the exciting programme dedicated to the Rendezvous fleet.

The SWS Trophy is for racing owners who want to prove the performance potential of their yachts with the support of an experienced and professional crew. SWS Trophy yachts will race within the Giorgio Armani Superyacht Regatta in a Class of their own.

The SWS Rendezvous offers less racing-oriented owners the chance to enjoy sailing in the company of family and friends. While a bit of friendly competition with other Southern Wind owners may come into play, it will be in the form of a race to the beach. As safety is paramount for all of us, this year the Rendezvous formula has been officially regulated and incorporated in the Notice of Race released by Yacht Club Costa Smeralda.

"The enthusiastic participation of so many of our owners shows us how united the Southern Wind community is. It's always wonderful to see so many old friends and to welcome so many new ones. Owning a Southern Wind yacht also means this: performance sailing in a stunning fleet, not necessarily racing but challenging friends and like-minded owners. These SWS Rendezvous events focus on the ultimate essence of yachting: pure sailing enjoyment," said Southern Wind Commercial Director Andrea Micheli.

Almost eight Southern Wind owners have already expressed their interest in participating in this event and more are expected to confirm in the next few weeks.

NOTES FOR THE EDITOR

Founded in 1991, Southern Wind Shipyard is specialised in the construction of performance sailing superyachts that range in size from 25 to 40m and assure sailing comfort thanks to their sturdy and seaworthy construction. Southern Wind superyachts are built to cross the oceans in total comfort, style and safety while offering an exhilarating sailing experience. Southern Wind has a global outlook with European shareholders, an international management team and the shipyard itself in Cape Town, South Africa: a real crossroads of different cultures focused on building the world's finest sailing superyachts. Experience and flexibility are behind thirty years of brand history and our company values. With an ideal production capacity of two yachts per year, Southern Wind is a world leader in the production of performance sailing superyachts in carbon fibre. Over 55 Southern Wind yachts have been delivered so far, of which over 35 have an LOA over 27m. www.sws-yachts.com

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