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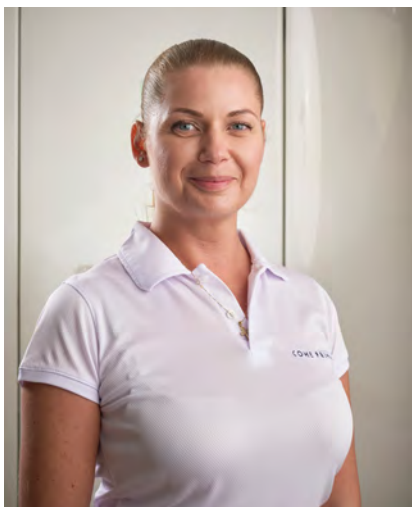
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Captain

Pascal Le Guillanton

Pascal has over 28 years of experience in the yachting industry and 21 of them - as a Captain on both private and charter yachts in the waters of Cote d'Azur, Corsica, Sardinia, Spain, Italy, Croatia, Turkey and Greece. Pascal is French and speaks fluent English and Italian. During the years of charter experience, and having served guests of various nationalities, he has learnt to adapt and reply efficiently to individual requirements. Pleasant, fun, professional, reliable, volunteer are just few words to describe him.

Passionate about his job, Pascal is a responsible Captain that will put every effort together with his crew into making the guests enjoy their stay on-board. He is always going to assure a professional and discreet service and receives great praise and feedback from previous guests.



Chief Stewardess

Anna Ivanova

Anna was born in Sochi, Russia, but grew up in Odessa, Ukraine. She spent her childhood by the sea and have found in yachting a perfect field to combine the ocean, her passion to travel and her hospitality skills. Anna has a bachelor degree in Tourism and always happy to share her travelling experiences with people.

Anna always take pride and extra mile to provide an excellent service, devoted to making your stay onboard an exclusive and unforgettable experience.



Chef

Richard Villareal

Richard was born and raised in France in the 70's but is originally from Vietnam. At a young age he gained his interest in cooking when he was living at home with his family, he would take pride in helping them cook as he was a true gourmet. He began his culinary studies in Paris, where he also achieved a diploma in French cuisine and began to grow in the food industry, he spent many years cooking in the homes of royalty from Monaco and Qatar. For four years in his lifetime, he was a chef in the immigration ministry in France and later worked in mandarin's oriental palace in Switzerland. After some time, he decided to open his own independent catering company, which was open for 12 years strong, but sadly closed due to the pandemic as well as his two restaurants in Thailand. His most popular catering client was the Paris yacht marina, where he provided exceptional food on many occasions, and in the summer seasons he would work on a yacht.

Richard loves to travel, carrying his tennis racket everywhere he goes hunting for a competition. During his travels, he discovers something unique from the culture and interpretes it into his recipes, as he thrives off a challenge. He shows passion in cooking Vietnamese, Japanese and Thai Dishes, however, is confident with all cuisines including Italian, Mediterranean and many more.



Chief Officer **Paolo Aramu**

Paolo was born and grew up in Sardinia (Italy), he started his maritime career in the merchant navy after having studied for 5 years at the nautical school, he joined yachting in 2012 and he has been sailing worldwide for several years.

His passion for the sea started when he was kid going fishing with his dad, yachting gave him the opportunity to travel in different countries and meet new people. Paolo always puts the maximum effort and commitment in to ensure the guest can enjoy their time on board and have an unforgettable experience.



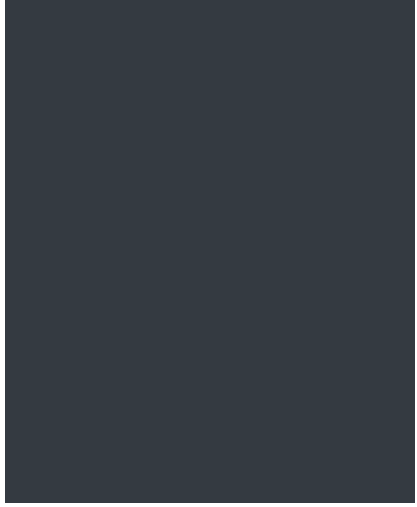
Bosun **Franco Pretorius**

Franco was born and raised in South Africa.

He grew up on the beautiful South Coast, where he's love for the ocean began.

He served in the South African Navy for 7 years from 2013, specializing in diving and Air Sea Rescue and then he decided to move over to the yachting scene.

Even though he hasn't been in the yachting scene very long, he has been working on boats for almost a decade. He is a hardworking, easy going individual, who goes out of his way for the guests and the crew, determined to make the trips memorable and as fun as possible



2nd Stewardess

Joining This Season



3rd Stewardess

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Junior Stewardess

Tayla Nixon James

Tayla was born and raised on farm in a quaint town in South Africa. She has a great passion for fitness and health as she believes it is the pillar to a positive mindset. Before pursuing her dreams in yachting she worked as a beautician/ gut health advisor and food photographer - collaborating with well known brands, influencers and celebrities. Tayla has a zest for life and exuberates in her natural habitat: people, food and wine. Her bubbly spirit is always up for a challenge and she takes great pride in her work ethic to ensure that guests are always happy.



Deckhand

Charl Du Plessis

Charl comes from a small fishing town on the West Coast of South Africa. Before he joined the yachting industry, he spent a few years travelling, working on farms across 5 states of the US, where he improved his mechanical skills, driving heavy vehicles and handling large machinery. His love for the ocean bought him into the yachting industry where he can grow, learning new skills and he hopes to put his engineering abilities to work in the future, one day crossing departments. Charl is a very likable person, being easy going and very positive, he is considered as rather optimistic, as he always see's the brighter side of things. He enjoys reading motivational books, with one of his focuses being manifestation, where he learnt how to use his intentional energy into bringing his goals to life. One of his favourite things about working on a yacht is his love for appreciation of foreign people, manners customs, or cultures. He also takes pleasure in participating in fishing, hiking and water sports where he can progress his physical fitness.



Chief Engineer **Paolo Aramu**

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2nd Engineer **Jonathan Dugan**

Jonathan was born in Pablo, officially known as the city of San Pablo, the 1st component city in the province of languages Philippines.

Jonathan graduated in the Philippines as a Bachelor of Science and business administration (BSBA). He started his career in the yachting industry in 2010, completing all necessary courses and began new adventures. He has a very positive outlook on life and being a very down to earth person, his smile is contagious. From working as a deckhand, he is ready for a new challenge, so he has changed departments into engineering as he is keen to gain more knowledge about the boat's functions.



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