



ENGINEERING CHALLENGE CUP 2025 BULLETIN 03 Entry list ECC 2025

Dear ECC Skippers,

The “**fast track**” ECC 2025 pre-registration has been successful.

We did not share updates for a long time. So, here we are with a early autumn bulletin...

We have **49 Skippers registered**

Other good news is that the Lithuanian operations of Revolut Bank is not a fake: all the entry fees transferred by Skippers reached the ECC-dedicated account, and funds have been temporarily used to secure the fleet by Sasha.
We have the Boats!

The **ECC 2025 fleet** has the following composition:

- 9 Commodores
- 5 Small Boats
- 23 Medium Boats
- 12 Large Boats

We are glad to welcome within the list of ECC permanent skippers four ECC good friends such as: **Arnoud van de Merwe, Dennis Coenmans, Jacques Fontaine and Tonno Van Bommel.**

We are also welcome, with great enthusiasm, two brand new ECC Skippers and first time ECC participants to the Sardinia 2025 event: **Taris Wilde** and **Rudolf Bültermann.**



We share below the list of the 49 registered skippers at 2025 ECC

Adrian Schervan	Julian Dersch
Allard de vos Klootwijk	Kay Heinrichs
Angelo Ottaviani	Kees Bakker
Arnoud van de Merwe	Lutz Weise
Arthur Boogaard	Malte Strohm
Bastiaan Timmer	Martin Fordham
Christian Bonk	Martin Schmoelders
Christian Sievers	Markus Bedenk
David Thomson	Max Panaro
Denis O'Brien	Michael Pleuser
Dennis Coenmans	Peter Bisschop
Dieter Kenkenberg	Philipp Conen
Dietmar Czerny	Pieter Hadjidakis
Dirk Demtroeder	Rainer Philipp
Elvira Luykx	Ralf Braune
Emiliano Boccaletti	Roland Locher
Fabio Tognola	Rudi Seibt
Francois Abiven	Rudolf Bültermann
Gilles Caprari	Seib Meijer
Jacques Fontaine	Steffen Breiter
Jan Gerd van Senden	Stefan Nufer
Joachim (Joe) Lindemann	Taris Wilde
Johan Cnossen	Tom Becker
John Hall Hall	Tonno Van Bommel
Juan Vacas	

We left 1 slot for a special “last minute” skipper (e.g. a new skipper that is eager to sponsor the initiative with a generous additional contribution, or a ECC skipper that we were not able to reach so far).

REECE

Boat 97 team and Sasha will perform the Reece between Oct 18 and 22 in North Sardinia. This area is well known by many of you; therefore, we are happy to collect any suggestion from the ECC community. Please send your ideas to OC@ECC2025.it

The Reece will allow us to define the ECC2025 route, that will be communicated early next year.

BOAT SELECTION

Unsurprisingly, the 9 Commodores will sail with a beautiful fleet of Bavaria 46C (*a proximis quisque minime anteiri vult*).

The lottery for each category is expected to happen at the end of October/early November

The skippers will receive the communication regarding charter from High Point Yachting as soon as the boats are chosen. Please be aware that to fully confirm the chosen boat, a 50% deposit will be required within one week of receiving the confirmation papers.

Sardinia is waiting for ECC 2025 Fleet



Max Panaro, Commodore ECC 2025 & Boat 97 team