



## **Atlantic Cup 2016**

### ***Logistically Easy, Affordable, Competitive, Fun***

The 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the U.S. Class 40 is just over a year away. Starting on May 28<sup>th</sup> and finishing on June 12<sup>th</sup>, the Atlantic Cup will visit three iconic ports: Charleston, South Carolina, New York City and for the first time **Portland, Maine**.

We are striving to make it as easy as possible for you to be a part of the Atlantic Cup following the Transat Jacques Vabre. We are investigating shipping from Itajai to the east coast, we are organizing Class 40 friendly yard and refit services and discounted storage in Charleston, South Carolina. Our public relations and hospitality team are available to assist with your communication and sponsor needs while in the U.S.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Thanks!  
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## Why Compete in the Atlantic Cup?

- **Prize money** awarded to the top finishers in each leg.
- Charleston is a very **low-cost option** for storing your boat after the TJV.  
Entry fee includes:
  - One month of dry storage, including haul out and re-launch for all competitors.
  - Dockage for the duration of the event.
- **Preparateurs with Class40 experience** are available to help with refit, delivery, and pre-race preparations.
- **Ship your boat from Itajai directly to the US.** We are investigating a shipping option. If you are interested in shipping after the TJV, please let us know as soon as possible.
- **Race the Americans** in their home waters while visiting three of the most iconic ports (Charleston, New York, Portland, Maine) in the United States.
- With **55 million impressions in four years globally**, including, L'Equipe, DesTop News, Canal+ and the Nautical Channel, The Atlantic Cup can give your sponsors the exposure they're looking for.
  - We can help customize a sponsorship plan to **help your sponsors meet their goals.**

# Post-Transat Jacques Vabre Options

## Option 1:

- Deliver boat via ship or sail to Charleston
- Dry Storage and ability to refit in a secure, full-service boat yard

## Option 2:

- Deliver boat to Antigua for Caribbean 600 in February
- After the Caribbean 600, deliver to Charleston.

## Option 3:

- Informal race/rally from Itajai to Charleston
- We would organize, along with the Class 40, an informal rally from Brazil to Charleston to safely receive the boats in the U.S.

## Class 40 Western Atlantic Races in 2016

### RORC Caribbean 600 – February 22- 25

Antigua, W.I.

<http://caribbean600.rorc.org/>

### Charleston Race Week – April 14-17

Charleston, S.C.

<http://www.charlestonraceweek.com/main.html>

### The Atlantic Cup - May 28- June 12

Charleston, New York City, Portland

<http://atlanticcup.org>

### Transat Quebec- St Malo – July 10-18

Quebec, Canada to St Malo, France

<http://www.transatquebecstmalo.com/>

# Charleston, South Carolina

Charleston Visitor Information Website: [www.charlestoncvb.com](http://www.charlestoncvb.com)

**\*\*\*All Atlantic Cup Competitors will get 1 month of dry storage and a haul out/launch upon signing up.\*\*\***

## **Dry Storage/Yards:**

### **Charleston City Boatyard**

Full-service yard familiar with Class 40s, further up the river and away from downtown Charleston than Pierside, but easier to work at, and run by nice people. Class 40 discount may be available, when inquiring please notify the yard that you intend to compete in the Atlantic Cup.

Phone: 843 884-3000

- Dry storage is \$10/ft per month = \$400/month
- \$8/ft to haul out (round trip)

### **Pierside Boatworks**

Full-service yard familiar with Class 40s. Class 40 discount may be available, when inquiring please notify the yard that you intend to compete in the Atlantic Cup.

Website: <http://www.piersideboatworks.com/>

Phone: 843-554-7777

- Dry storage is \$12/ft per month = \$480/month
- \$10/foot to haul out (round trip)
- \$3.75/foot for pressure washing
- Mention the Atlantic Cup to receive a 15% discount
- You can do your own work or use the yard services.

### **City Marina**

Marina close to downtown Charleston, rates include toilets, showers, water and wifi. This is the host marina for the start of The Atlantic Cup, and discounted rates may be available.

Phone: (843) 723-5098

- \$2.10/ ft / night = \$84/night
- \$12.60 / ft/ week = \$504/week
- January-February \$20 / ft / month = \$800/month
- March - April \$25 / ft / month = \$1,000/month
- May - June \$30 / ft / month = \$1,200/month

## Portland, Maine

### **Maine Yacht Center**

Maine Yacht Center in Portland is the premier Class 40 facility in the United States. It is the best yard to do any Class 40 preparations before the Quebec-St. Malo.

Maine Yacht Center, located in Portland Maine is pleased to offer Class 40's competing in the 2016 Atlantic Cup the following special offer:

- One-week free dockage
- 25% discount on haul out
- 25% discount on land storage
- 25% discount on dockage after first week.

MYC has extensive experience building, commissioning and refitting both Class 40's and Open 60's.

For more information please visit our website  
[www.maine-yacht.com](http://www.maine-yacht.com)

# Delivery Skippers and Preparateurs

## Guadeloupe

### ○ **Oliver Vigoureux of Guadeloupe Yacht Concierge**

- Since winning the Caribbean 600 with trimaran *Paradox*, Oliver is developing the shoreside logistics in Guadeloupe for the Mini Transat, the Jacques Vabre and the Route du Rhum. Offering deliveries to Europe, the Med and the East Coast of the US.
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## Charleston, SC

### ○ **Tim Fetsch**

- 10+ years of experience preparing and delivering yachts. 3 full seasons on Class 40s including Caribbean circuit, and Atlantic Cup. Based in Charleston, offering deliveries from the Caribbean to East Coast of the US. Also available to help with logistics and boat preparation in Charleston.
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### ○ **Dan Valoppi**

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## Newport, RI

### ○ **Dan Dytch**

- 10+ years of experience preparing and delivering yachts. 3 seasons in the Mini and 2 in the Class 40 including a Mini Transat, Les Sables-Azores, and full RORC circuit. Experience running and racing on 100' superyacht. Based in Newport, offering deliveries from the Caribbean to Europe, the Med and the East Coast of the US. Also available to help with logistics and boat preparation in Newport and Maine.
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# Delivery Skippers and Preparateurs Cont'd.

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## ○ Rob Windsor

- 10+ years of experience preparing and delivering yachts. 6 full seasons on Class 40s, including a Transatlantic Race, a TJV and every edition of The Atlantic Cup. Offering deliveries from the Caribbean to Europe, the Med or the East Coast of the US. Also available to help with logistics and boat preparation in the US.
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