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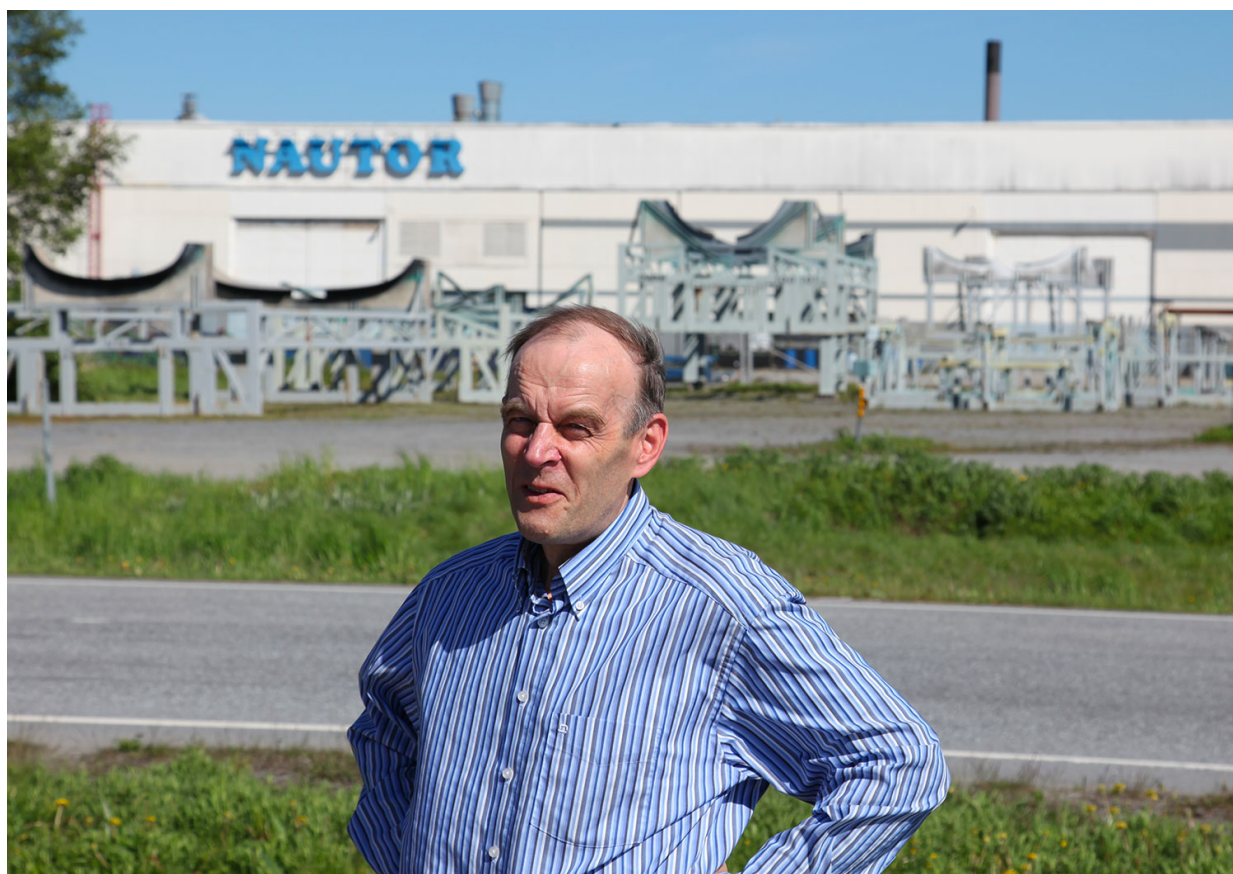
News from the Cockpit . 393/2023

Lars "Lasse" Ström. The engineer behind the quality of Swan boat

On 6th April 2022 Lars "Lasse" Ström, known as *Professor* by all of us S&S Swan owners and lovers, passed away, and left an overwhelming space among his family and friends.

We would like to share this obituary, written by our Finnish friends Esa Vesmanen, Tapio Lethinen and late Antti Muuronen, thanks to UK S&S Association.

(click on image).



46 Swan at the 10th S&S Swan Rendez-vous dedicated to Lars Ström

Marciana Marina, Elba Island, Mediterranean Sea

28 June . 2 July 2023

Invitational Regatta

Calling S&S Swan for 10th S&S Swan Rendez-vous.

Marciana Marina is a small place, but we still have a few available berths. If you are a S&S Swan Association Member and want to participate, please contact us as soon as possible!

Forty Six S&S Swan Owners confirmed their participation, they are:

36/007 **Josian**, Eugenio Alphantery, from Italy

37/031 **Tikka III**, Luca Alessandrelli, from Italy

38/013 **Ann**, Giorgio Setti, from Italy

38/017 **Mascalzone Latino**, Vincenzo Onorato, from Italy

40/043 **Teragram**, Maria Vittoria Destefanis, from Italy

40/047 **Star Swan**, Duarte Champalimaud, from Portugal

41/008 **Windrush**, Mikko Simola, from Finland

41/025 **Lithian**, Matteo&Federica Cattaneo, from Italy

411/031 **Riff**, Massimo Nadalin, from Italy

43/045 **Magia II**; Enrico Scopesi, from Italy

43/047 **Kokkola**, Vittorio Ghizzoni, from Italy

44/014 **Four Winds**, Leonardo Servi, from Italy

44/016 **Selene**, Bernabo' Visconti, from Italy

44/036 **Sehkraft**, Matthias Maus & Edith Lange, from Germany

44/051 **Safa**, Horace Dediu, from Finland

44/060 **Un Amour de Swan**, Giandomenico Iannetti, from Italy

44/047 **Solano**, Cesar Chuffart, from France

44/058 **Deneb**, Antonio Puntello, from Italy

44/067 **Joconde**, Saverio Rotella, from Italy

47/002 **Hypatia**, Giulio&Ariane Bergamaschi, from Italy

47/004 **Dream**, Francesco Pennisi Persio, from Italy

47/016 **Grampus II**, Matteo&Matteo d'Agostino

47/017 **MyLow**, Fiamma Briziarelli, from Italy

47/037 **Matilda**, Melanie Kohlhoff, from Germany

47/039 **Outrageous**, Fabrizio Saveriano, from Italy

47/041 **Iortuga**, Filippo&Alina Masci, from Italy
47/047 **Aorangi**, Jayne Kohoeler, from Italy
47/051 **Djata**, Antonio&Cristina Ortolani, from Italy
47/056 **Black Tie**, Massimo Crovetto, from Italy
47/069 **Vanessa**, Matteo&Giulia Salamon, from Italy
48/015 **Rendez-Vous**, Jose Aguinaga, from Spain
48/016 **Themis**, Ulli&Holger Meyer, from Germany
55/012 **Gandalf Wight Sorcerer**, Michele Bruno, from Italy
57/003 **Explorer**, Don McIntyre and Jane Zhou, from Australia
57/004 **White Shadow**, Jean-Christoph Petit, from France
57/006 **Matchless**, Giacomo Bei, from Italy
57/007 **Algol V**, Yves Mendegris, from France
57/015 **Lintu**, Jyrki Mäki, from Finland
57/025 **Yellowdrama**, Stephen Matthews, from UK
57/037 **Bianca di Navarra**, Camillo Manfredini, from Italy
65/005 **Saida**, Jurg Shneider, from Switzerland
65/020 **King's Legend**, John Vincent, from United Kingdom
65/029 **Nashira**, Davide Bizzi, from Italy
65/033 **Libelula**, Placido Arango, from Spain
65/039 **Mascalzone Latino**, Vincenzo Onorato, from Italy
65/040 **Joie de Vivre**, Riccardo Diomelli, from Brazil

Provisional schedule:

28 June: arrival day - Welcome Cocktail

29 June: Briefing and Race

30 June: Briefing and Race

1 July: Briefing and Race - Dinner and Prize Giving Ceremony (and Draw by Lot of *Carboway* full carbo gangway, only for present S&S Swan Owners)!

2 July: Bye Bye Day

Trophies*:

1: 1st . 2nd . 3rd, Classic, Class (36 to 44 ft)

2: 1st . 2nd . 3rd, Classic, Class (47 to 76 ft.)

3: 1st Overall Classic Classes, RTYC Olin Stephens Challenge Trophy

4: 1st Overall, White Sails Only Class

5: 1st Overall Racing Class

6: 1st . 2nd . 3rd, Best Maintained and Original S&S Swan

7: 1st . 2nd . 3rd, Zeppelin Trophy for the Most Elegant S&S Swan

**** All Challenge Trophies will be assigned to winners, and will remain at the S&S Swan Association premises***

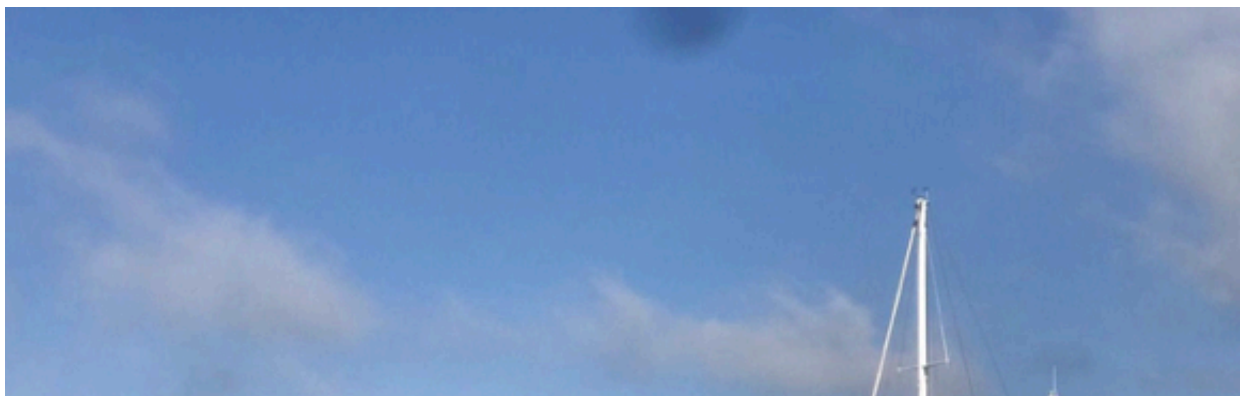
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S&S Swan 43/045 Magia II at the 2003 S&S Swan Rendez-vous

S&S Swan 65/035 Eve, calling for Women crew for Fastnet race

After sailing from Australia to UK, Steve Capell and his crew are now looking for women who would like to participate onboard this powerful S&S Swan 65 at the 2023 Fastnet race, click the image to contact Steve!





S&S Swan 65/035 Eve in Sydney

Members' S&S Swan at the Ocean Globe Race 2023

55/002 **Galiana**, Tapio Lehtinen and Team

55/009 **Nakamal**, Arnaud Lizop and Team

57/003 **Explorer**, Don McIntyre and Team

57/004 **White Shadow**, Jean-Christophe Petit and Team

65/036 **Evrika**, Dominique Dubois and Team

Designed to win: Ocean Racing deck layout

by Roger Marshall (introduction by Rod Stephens)

R. Marshall had his beginning as a designer at S&S Inc., and was considered a top racer and designer of deck layout, don't miss his his book on deck layout and manouvres!

Stay Connected with us, Coming Soon:

- . Baby Blake Toilet: *All you need to know*
 - . Roberto Biscontini: *Sparkman&Stephens and me*
 - . Olin, Rod Stephens and Hiro Nakajima, *Trim Tab*
 - . Rudder, *overhaul and maintenance*
 - . Fastnet 1979, *an analysis by a S&S Swan 47 (participant) Owner*
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