

# SKYSSIDE

## The Private Traveller

The Art of *Eating Well* On Board

The Science of Travel and Well-being

Touchdown:  
**SARDINIA**

Faces of the Flight:  
The People Behind  
Your Journey

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A WORD FROM THE EDITOR

# A Word From The Editor

## WELCOME ABOARD

**At 45,000 feet, time takes on a different rhythm. The noise of everyday fades, schedules loosen their grip, and the view shifts – both literally and figuratively. This is the rare space where progress and pause coexist; where productivity meets stillness, and where the journey becomes as meaningful as the destination. That balance is at the heart of this publication: a place to inspire, inform, and accompany you wherever you're headed next.**

Welcome to our very first issue of Skyside – The Private Traveller. Within these pages, we invite you to travel not just to places, but into the stories, details, and moments that define them. From the quiet precision behind seamless journeys to sunlit escapes, this is a celebration of how we move, where we go, and why it matters.

From inspired dining at altitude and the art of eating well on board, to lifestyle features spanning design, wellness, culture, and modern travel rituals, we bring you a collection for those who believe the journey itself should be as considered as the destination.

Whether you're crossing continents or simply stealing a quiet moment between departures, we hope this magazine becomes part of the experience rather than a distraction from it. Private aviation is about more than reaching a destination; it's about how you travel, how you think, and how you arrive.

We're delighted to have you with us at the start of something special.  
Thank you for letting us travel with you.

Enjoy the flight.  
Name, **Editor In Chief**

# Destination Highlight

## TOUCHDOWN: SARDINIA

Rising from the heart of the Mediterranean, Sardinia is a destination where untamed landscapes meet polished coastal glamour. Though part of Italy, the island feels distinct – rooted in ancient traditions, with a rhythm that invites you to slow down and explore.

Sardinia serves as a premier destination for business and private aviation in the Mediterranean, particularly as a key gateway for ultra-high-net-worth individuals traveling to the Costa Smeralda. Its role is defined by strong seasonality, specialised luxury infrastructure, and its strategic position within the region. For many of our clients, it is also a transition point, with journeys continuing directly from aircraft to yacht, requiring precise coordination to ensure a seamless experience from air to sea.

So why not consider touching down effortlessly on the island's most exclusive enclaves, where private transfers deliver you directly from jet to villa, or beach within minutes?

From the air, Sardinia reveals itself in cinematic

fashion. An endless palette of turquoise bays, granite headlands, and secluded coves that hint at the privacy waiting below. The allure of Costa Smeralda is immediate; the chic hub of Porto Cervo offers up-style dining; and the magical nearby coves like Spiaggia del Principe are arguably one of the island's most beautiful stretches of sand.

Sardinia is a must for history lovers, and foodies, too. The UNESCO-listed Su Nuraxi di Barumini is the most impressive, offering insight into a Bronze Age civilisation unique to Sardinia. For deeper cultural immersion, you can venture inland to the Barbagia region, where villages preserve centuries-old customs and festivals.

The food is central to the Sardinian experience with several must-try dishes such as Porceddu, a succulent roast suckling pig, Fegola Con Arselle, a toasted pasta with clams, or spaghetti topped with bottarga – cured fish roe that adds a rich, briny depth. Other favourites amongst locals and tourists include the Pane Carasau, a thin, crisp flatbread once carried by shepherds, as

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Fegola Con Arselle

well as the Seadas, a pastry filled with cheese and drizzled in honey. Pair them all with a glass of Cannonau, the island's signature robust red wine, and your taste buds will be forever grateful.

While eating and drinking your way through the island, make sure to also get your steps in by wandering through coastal towns like Alghero, where Catalan influences linger in architecture and language, or visiting Cagliari for a mix of history, markets, and vibrant street life. Inland hikes and empty beaches also offer moments of stillness, even in summer.

Sardinia's true appeal lies in its contrasts – luxury and simplicity, sea and mountain, and ancient and modern. It's not just a place to visit, but one to experience slowly, savouring every view, bite, and sunlit moment along the way.



Cagliari

### Did You Know?

- Sardinia is Italy's second largest island, known for its beautiful beaches, ancient nuraghe, and unique culture.
- To answer a question asked by many: Yes, sardines are named after Sardinia.
- Sardinia has a Blue Zone - areas where inhabitants often live to be 100 years old and beyond.
- Sardinia has one of the few primary forests left in Europe. It hasn't been influenced or touched by human hand and therefore exists in its original status.
- There are three national parks in Sardinia - Asinara National Park, Arcipelago di La Maddalena National Park and Gennargentu National Park.
- If you get car sick, brace yourself. Being so mountainous, roads in Sardinia can be very windy.
- Sardinia has around 300 caves, the most famous being the Sea Oxen Grotto in the Gulf of Orosei.
- Many movies have been filmed in Sardinia, including the popular James Bond film *The Spy Who Loved Me*.

# Taste at Altitude

## THE ART OF EATING WELL ON BOARD

Dining is no longer a logistical afterthought while travelling. Freed from the constraints of mass service and rigid schedules, dining becomes a deliberate, highly-personal expression of comfort and care. Eating in the air can be elevated into an art form – one that blends nutrition, design, ritual and restraint.

At altitude, the science of taste still applies. This is why the most successful onboard menus in private aviation are designed, not improvised. Rather than replicating restaurant dishes, skilled aviation caterers and flight crews engineer meals specifically for the environment, favouring clarity, balance and depth.

For Skyside, catering on board is a key part of the overall experience and must reflect both the timing and purpose of the journey. From lighter breakfast options to more curated lunch and dinner selections, our focus is always on quality, freshness, and flexibility. At the same

time, truly bespoke service requires a clear understanding of each passenger's individual preferences and needs, ensuring a tailored experience on every flight.

Yet, flavour alone is not the only focus point. Eating well on board is equally about pacing and proportion. While heavy, indulgent meals feel celebratory, they often leave passengers feeling fatigued and dehydrated. Clients favour light compositions: lean proteins, seasonal vegetables, whole grains and fresh herbs. The objective is quiet satisfaction; meals that sustain energy, support well-being and align with the rhythm of the flight.

Presentation takes on a heightened importance, too. Thoughtful plating, refined tableware and understated menu descriptions transform even simple dishes into moments of calm luxury. A well-set table signals intentions and care.





The human element remains central. Personalisation is where private aviation truly distinguishes itself. The experience is shaped around the passenger rather than the system – the art lies in restraint: offering choice without excess, sophistication without complication. Hospitality is deeply relational, too. A flight attendant who understands timing, discretion and nuance can elevate the entire experience. Knowing when to serve, when to suggest, and when to step back is as important as the food itself.

Ultimately, eating well on board is about intention. It becomes part of the pleasure of the flight; something to anticipate rather than merely accommodate. The art of eating well on board is no longer a luxury detail, but rather a quiet statement of how thoughtfully we move through the sky, and how well we take care of ourselves along the way.

“ONBOARD CATERING COMBINES QUALITY, FLEXIBILITY AND A PRECISE **UNDERSTANDING OF EACH PASSENGER’S INDIVIDUAL PREFERENCES.**”

#### **Hydration Is Half The Experience**

At cruising altitude, hydration becomes part of the journey itself. Cabin air is drier than most deserts, quietly drawing moisture from the body and intensifying fatigue, headaches, and jet lag.

Drinking water isn't just about feeling better after you land; it shapes how you experience the flight. From maintaining concentration and comfort to enjoying meals and rest, staying hydrated helps your body adapt to altitude and time zones more smoothly. In the air, hydration isn't an extra step in self care – it's half the experience of travelling well.

#### **Flavour That Soars Above the Clouds**

With meals being planned days before take-off, top private jet caterers often source ingredients specifically for each passenger – think same day truffles, bakery fresh bread, or sushi grade fish flown in just for the flight.

Did you know that the altitude also changes your taste buds – you lose 30% of your ability to taste salt and sweetness, which is why chefs design dishes with richer flavours and more aromatic ingredients to keep the food vibrant in the air. Passengers are able to request anything from low-carb meals to plant-based tasting menus, and even detox juices.

# Faces of the Flight:

**Kevin Korcz**

## Captain

**Skyside Managing Director and Captain Falcon 2000, Airbus A320/A330/A350**

With 25 years in the cockpit, Kevin Korcz's career as a pilot is the fulfilment of a dream that began in childhood. For Kevin, his passion turned professional fast – by the age of 15 he learned how to fly planes in Germany, and by 16, he got his licence.

Kevin earned his ATPL in Germany and started flying for Columbia in worldwide operation with Schoeller Holdings founder, Mr. Heinrich Schoeller. He later joined Air Berlin as Airbus 320 Captain and trainer, before moving on to Technical Pilot for the Lufthansa Group on the Airbus A330.

The time, however, came for something new when Kevin opened Skyside, his own business airline with Schoeller Holdings four years ago, now operating 13 planes with offices in Hamburg and Vienna.

So, what is a day in the life of Kevin Korcz like? "My day has almost 24/7 availability as I am the Head of Flight operations, responsible for CSM Aviation, as well as one of the Directors for Columbia Sky Procurement (CSP)," he shares, adding that he also has to fly on the Falcon 2000 to keep his license valid. He adds, "I am normally on rotation for seven days on the plane. Thereafter visiting clients, potential clients, and moving between the offices on Hamburg and Vienna."

And when he's not flying planes, Kevin starts his day with a school run, followed by a gym workout before making his way to the office at 08:30am to tackle the day ahead in his role as Managing Director.



# The People

**Silvia Cardoso**

## Cabin Crew

**Skyside Inflight Service Attendant**

Years of Service: Silvia started her career in 2016, with her first years mostly rock band tours around the world, and presidential flights in both BBJs and VIP Boeings. She later switched to smaller jets and solo flying, and has been with Skyside since January 2025.

With a unique blend of culinary skills, a keen eye for detail, and a deep understanding of the luxury service industry, Silvia takes pride in offering creative elements such as fruit carving and floral arrangements that add a touch of artistry and elegance to any experience. "I find joy in transforming simple details into beautiful moments, enhancing the overall atmosphere in a way that feels truly customised and thoughtful," she shares. "I have an innate ability to 'feel' what clients need even before they express it, which allows me to anticipate and respond to their requirements in a way that feels natural and effortless."

For Silvia, this is her dream job and passion. But when not flying, she finds inspiration in exploring new plating techniques, practicing yoga, and challenging herself through rock climbing, CrossFit and mountain biking. "These hobbies enrich my approach to life, bringing creativity and resilience to everything I do," she says.

BEHIND EVERY SEAMLESS JOURNEY IS A CREW WHOSE PASSION FOR AVIATION IS MATCHED ONLY BY **THEIR DEDICATION TO YOU.**

# Wellness & Well-being

## THE SCIENCE OF TRAVEL AND WELL-BEING

Travel is often thought of as a luxury, but its benefits go far beyond the comforts of first-class seating and exquisite destinations. Emerging research reveals that changing environments not only inspires the mind but actively promotes emotional and cognitive well-being.

One of the key advantages of private aviation is the ability to shape the travel experience around individual needs. By operating at lower cabin altitudes and flying above most weather systems, we can significantly enhance comfort and reduce physical strain during the journey. In addition, the controlled cabin environment and reduced passenger density contribute to a noticeably higher level of air quality and overall well-being. Our crews actively support this through tailored service and timing, ensuring that passengers arrive more relaxed, less fatigued, and with minimized effects of jet lag.

Stepping into a new environment stimulates the brain in ways our daily routines cannot. When we navigate unfamiliar streets, engage with different cultures, or even taste new cuisines – whether for business or leisure – our brains are challenged to process novel information. Travel encourages the mind to think differently, fostering creativity that can spill over into work, art, and everyday decision-making.

The benefits of travel extend beyond cognitive function as well. Scientific studies have shown that even brief vacations can significantly reduce stress hormones such as cortisol. Research shows that participants who took short trips experienced measurable drops in cortisol levels, accompanied by improved mood and reduced anxiety. Regular vacations have also been associated with lower risk of depression and higher overall satisfaction, making travel not just rejuvenating, but





## WELLNESS & WELL-BEING

genuinely making the body and mind healthier. In essence, travel is more than just a luxury; it is an investment in mental agility and emotional well-being. By embracing new environments, challenging the mind, and allowing for mindful relaxation, travellers can cultivate creativity, reduce stress, and embrace overall happiness.

So, the next time you fly with Skyside, and the next time the jet ascends towards the horizon, remember that each journey is an opportunity not just to explore the world, but to explore the untapped potential of your mind.

“FLYING PRIVATE MEANS LOWER CABIN ALTITUDE, SMOOTHER FLIGHTS ABOVE THE WEATHER, AND AN ENVIRONMENT THAT **HELPS YOU ARRIVE MORE RELAXED.**”

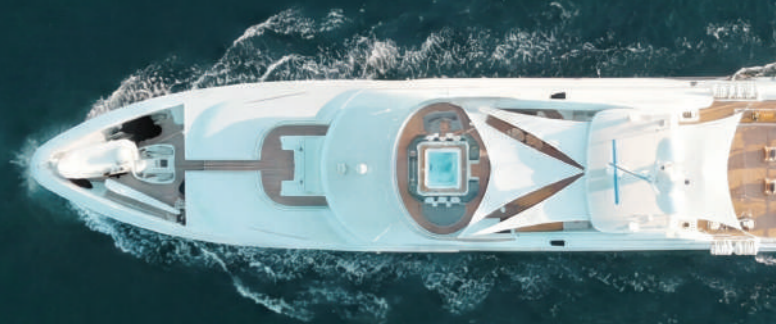


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# The Elegance of Effortless Travel

The illusion of seamless travel begins long before a passenger steps into an airport. Behind every 'on-time departure' is a quiet choreography of specialists working across time zones, languages, and systems to create a journey that feels effortless.

Effortless travel is one of the defining advantages of private aviation, particularly in terms of time efficiency and seamless processes. Avoiding queues, minimising waiting times, and enabling direct access to and from the aircraft fundamentally change the way travel is experienced. At Skyside, this is supported by precise planning and consistent operational coordination behind the scenes, ensuring that all elements of the journey are aligned for a smooth and uninterrupted experience.

Flight planning is the first invisible layer. A route is never just a line on a map – it's a living plan,

constantly adjusted as winds shift or storms gather. Dispatchers study weather patterns, air traffic congestion, fuel efficiency, and alternative airports in case conditions change midair. While passengers glance out windows at clouds, teams on the ground are already recalculating optimal altitudes and speeds to keep the journey smooth and punctual.

At the same time, catering teams are operating with precision that rivals fine dining kitchens. Meals are designed not only for taste but for altitude, where reduced cabin pressure dulls flavours. Timing is everything: food must be prepared, chilled, transported, and loaded within strict windows to ensure freshness and safety. One delayed truck or a miscounted tray could ripple into service disruptions, yet these are managed so quietly that most travellers never notice.

Another layer of coordination is security and customs. Passenger data is screened in advance, often before a passenger even arrives at the airport. The goal is to create a process that feels swift and predictable, even as it relies on complex checks happening behind the scenes. When it works well, it feels invisible – just a quick scan, a stamp, and a wave through.

Seamless travel is, in short, not the absence of complexity but the mastery of it. It is a carefully maintained illusion, where countless moving parts align so perfectly that the traveller experiences only ease, never the effort behind it.

“EFFORTLESS TRAVEL COMES DOWN TO SAVING TIME, AVOIDING QUEUES, AND **EVERYTHING WORKING SEAMLESSLY IN THE BACKGROUND.**”

### The Private Flight Advantage

- 1.** Massive time savings – private aviation eliminates security lines, early arrivals, boarding queues and baggage delays. Travellers can arrive just minutes before departure and board immediately.
- 2.** Privacy, comfort, and personal space – you only fly with invited guests. Cabins are quiet, spacious, and customisable, allowing you to relax, work, or hold confidential meetings without interruption.
- 3.** Personalised, tailored experience – everything from cabin layout to onboard entertainment is customised to your preferences.



# Beyond the Cockpit

## A FIRST OFFICER'S STORY

Constantly being on the move between time zones and countries presents a unique set of challenges for crew on board, requiring resilience, adaptability, and a disciplined approach to maintaining both performance and well-being.

Life as a First Officer, or co-pilot as it is often referred to, is a delicate balance of precision, discipline, and adaptability, where no two days are ever quite the same. As an essential part of the flight deck on a private jet, working closely with the Captain to ensure every flight is conducted safely, efficiently, and smoothly, crew navigate not only through changing skies, but also their own internal clocks, adjusting to easy departures, late-night arrivals, and fleeting moments of rest in unfamiliar cities.

Beyond the technical demands, there's a human side to this lifestyle – quick meals between flights, quiet reflections at cruising altitude, and the camaraderie built through shared responsibility. Each journey carries its own rhythm, shaped by weather, destinations, and the subtle unpredictability of travel. From sunrise takeoffs to midnight landings, life on board is a continuous motion, where routine and adventure exist side by side.

Skyside's First Officer on board Gulfstream G550, Miguel André Coutinho Correia, has been with the company since June 2024. Flying planes from 2017, Miguel started out with

turboprops in Angola before transitioning into long haul Gulfstream operations, building up several thousand hours on the G V platform. "I wanted to do something different and more challenging than most 'regular' office jobs," says Miguel, adding "something that would push me beyond a predictable routine. At the same time, aviation offered me the chance to travel to many countries, experience different cultures, and see the world with my own eyes, and that mix of challenge and freedom is what convinced me to become a pilot."

So, how does Miguel navigate the demands of life across constantly shifting time zones and countries? "It can feel a bit strange because our circadian rhythm never really seems to be in sync, and I'm constantly checking the clock to figure out what I should be doing next, especially forcing myself to go to bed," he says. "Changing countries is great because it means I'm always discovering new places and experiences, however one of the challenges is knowing what time it is back home and then coordinate calls and messages with my family back in Portugal."

Whether driven by long hours, travel across time zones, or sustained periods of high demand, requires a deliberate and proactive approach to manage effectively. In Miguel's case, he makes sure to get good sleep hygiene, eat healthy food, stay hydrated, and do some physical exercise, especially on duty, to help

him sleep better at night. "My way of dealing with stress or loneliness is to listen to music, read a book, or go for a short walk around the hotel, and I always try to have a quick call or video with my family to reset my head and keep things in perspective," he shares. And in order to create a sense of 'home' while constantly on the move, Miguel says "I try to keep a normal routine, especially on days when I don't have a flight; doing things that I enjoy and keep me motivated."

Miguel also stays in close contact with his family and friends and regularly looks at photos and videos on his phone, which help him feel grounded and connected even when he's constantly on the move. "With Skyside's 16/14 roster, balancing work and home life is much easier because during the 14 days at home, I'm 100% available for my family, and I still have plenty of time for myself and for studying. The hardest part to manage is the 16 days "ON", but nowadays, with modern communication technology, it's much easier to stay in touch and create a sense of presence, even when I'm on the other side of the world," he shares.

While Miguel has a deep passion for flying, he considers his most important role to be that of a husband and father. "On my days at home, I have breakfast with my wife and our two year old daughter. Since my wife goes to university, I usually take our daughter to daycare around 9:30 and then have the rest of the day for myself, taking care of household tasks, going for a bicycle ride or doing a workout at home, and studying a bit – it depends on the mood and weather." He adds, "At around 17:00 I pick up our daughter - we play or do some activity outdoors together - and at 19:30 we have dinner as a family. After my daughter goes to sleep, I have some time to play PlayStation or watch a movie or series with my wife."

Miguel also enjoys going to the beach, watching Formula 1, going for a bicycle ride, gaming, and chess. "I am always busy with something," he shares, adding, "weekends are always very active, with lots of outdoor activities."

When asked if he has any rituals or routines that help him stay connected with loved ones while travelling, Miguel says "if the time zones allow it, I usually start the day with a video call with my wife while she's still in bed, so I can talk to our daughter and see her face. Throughout the day we also exchange several more video calls, which helps me feel close to them even when I'm traveling far away." He adds, "I also try to share little 'in flight' moments, like a quick photo of an interesting airport, a beautiful place or food - keep them feeling like they're part of the journey, even if I'm far away."

As for his favourite destination, Miguel is drawn to places that offer a true sense of escape. "I absolutely love the Maldives for its nature, beaches, and tranquillity. It's the perfect place to slow down our lives that are always in a rush. I'd also love to visit more countries in Asia, especially Tokyo, to experience its culture and vibrant energy."



# A Boardroom at 45,000 Feet

“WITH RELIABLE CONNECTIVITY AND A DISCREET CABIN ENVIRONMENT, BEING ON BOARD OFTEN BECOMES THE MOST PRODUCTIVE PART OF YOUR DAY.”

At 45,000 feet, far above commercial flight paths and the noise of crowded terminals, a different kind of boardroom comes to life. The modern private aircraft cabin has evolved into a high-functioning workspace where executives, entrepreneurs, and advisors conduct business with the same precision and discretion they would expect on the ground – often with greater efficiency.

For high-level clients, travel is not downtime; it is an extension of the workday. Unlike commercial travel, private travel hours can transform into productive sessions – no delays or rigid schedules; instead a private cabin which allows clients to dictate both pace and agenda. Meetings begin when they are ready, not when a gate agent calls boarding.

For many of our clients, time on board is highly valuable and frequently used for work. Creating an environment that supports focus, discretion, and reliability is therefore essential. All aircraft in our mid- to ultra long-range fleet are equipped with internet, with most already offering Starlink connectivity, ensuring seamless communication and productivity at all times. From cabin setup to crew awareness, we ensure that privacy, discretion and functionality are maintained throughout the journey.

Security also extends beyond the digital realm. The cabin itself is a controlled environment

where conversations remain confidential, shielded from the risks of public spaces such as airport lounges or commercial cabins.

The physical design of the cabin further reinforces its function as a boardroom. Large, opposing seats with conference-style tables create natural meeting spaces. Ergonomic seating, adjustable lighting, and low cabin noise contribute to an environment conducive to focus and decision-making.

Executives often use flight time to finalise negotiations before landing, arriving not just at a destination but at a decision. In some cases, multiple stakeholders travel together, using the journey to align strategies and resolve outstanding issues. In others, the aircraft becomes neutral ground where parties meet privately, away from external pressures. There is also a psychological advantage. Removed from daily distractions, clients can think more strategically. The altitude creates a sense of separation from routine, allowing for clearer focus on high-level priorities. Decisions made in such an environment are often more deliberate, shaped by uninterrupted discussion and reflection.

In essence, flying on a private aircraft is no longer just a means of transport, but a strategic asset. At 45,000 feet, it becomes a secure, efficient, and highly productive boardroom, where time is maximised, privacy is assured

# Packing Like a Pro

## 10 TRAVEL TIPS FOR SEAMLESS LUXURY EXPERIENCES

Travelling well starts with packing smart. With a few intentional strategies, you can stay organised, avoid overpacking, and move through your journey with ease, comfort, and style.

### 1. Build A Capsule Wardrobe

Stick to a neutral colour palette so everything mixes and matches. Think two to three bottoms, four to five tops, and one or two dressers.

### 2. Roll, Don't Fold

Rolling clothes can save space and reduce wrinkles.

### 3. Pack By Outfit, Not Item

Pre-plan full outfits, including shoes and accessories, to avoid overpacking 'just in case' items.

### 4. Use A Tech Organiser

Keep chargers, adapters, and cables neatly stored – no tangled mess mid-flight.

### 5. Pack A Foldable Tote Or Duffel

Perfect for shopping, beach days, or bringing home extras.

### 6. Limit Shoes To Three Pairs

A casual pair, a dressy option, and a comfortable walking shoe!

### 7. Keep A Ready-To-Go Toiletry Kit

Maintain a pre-packed set of travel-size essentials so you're never scrambling last minute.

### 8. Curate A Signature Travel Scent

A subtle fragrance or facial mist can refresh you instantly and elevate the sensory experience of your journey.

### 9. Keep Essentials Within Reach

Pack a small cabin pouch with skincare, lip balm, hand sanitiser, wet wipes, and any must-have items.

### 10. Secure Important Documents Digitally

Keep copies of passports, itineraries, and confirmations stored securely on your phone for easy access.

# Discover Columbia Beach Resort

Tucked between Limassol and Paphos, Columbia Beach Resort in Cyprus is set in a peaceful bay surrounded by lush gardens. This five-star, all-suite resort blends understated luxury with authentic Mediterranean charm.

From spacious suites and award-winning gastronomy to a world-class spa and impeccable service, every detail is designed for rest, romance, and reconnection. Whether you're lounging by the infinity pool, dining by the sea, or exploring the nearby countryside, Columbia Beach Resort offers a sanctuary where time slows and comfort comes naturally.

The resort, which originally opened in 1990 and expanded in 2002, was designed to resemble a traditional Cypriot village, using stone, wood, arches, and Mediterranean architecture. Spread across approximately 75,000m<sup>2</sup> of landscaped gardens, overlooking the Mediterranean Sea, the suits offer private balconies or terraces, natural materials and Mediterranean-inspired décor.

## Did You Know?

In November 2025, Columbia Beach Resort was awarded Cyprus' Best Incentive Hotel 2025 by World Travel Awards.



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# Jet Etiquette

THE UNSPOKEN  
RULES OF  
FLYING PRIVATE



“A SEAMLESS FLIGHT COMES DOWN  
TO COMMUNICATION, RESPECT,  
AND A SHARED SENSE OF HOW  
THINGS SHOULD RUN.”

Flying private is synonymous with luxury, convenience, and exclusivity, but it also comes with a subtle set of unspoken rules known as jet etiquette. Unlike commercial flights, private aviation thrives on discretion, respect, and smooth coordination. Understanding these norms ensures a comfortable and seamless experience for everyone on board.

For starters, punctuality is perhaps the most important rule. Private jets operate on highly-customised schedules, often accommodating multiple passengers with tight itineraries. Arriving late can disrupt the plans of the crew and fellow travellers, so being on time signals respect and consideration.

Respecting onboard hierarchy is equally crucial – the principle passenger or charterer typically makes the decisions about seating, departure, and catering. It's wise, as a guest, to follow their lead and avoid special requests unless invited.

Luggage etiquette also matters. Space on a private aircraft, especially smaller jets, is limited. Soft-side bags are preferred, and checking baggage allowances ahead of time prevents unnecessary complications. Overpacking or insisting on extra storage can also inconvenience crew and passengers. When it comes to interacting with crew, one should always be courteous and professional. Polite communication, patience, and appreciation create a positive onboard atmosphere. Maintaining discretion about conversation or business matters is equally essential, as privacy is one of the hallmarks of private flying.

While cleanliness and care for the aircrafts reflect respect, too - think of the jet as a high-end hotel suite rather than a disposable space – moderation in indulgence is another subtle rule. With premium food, drinks, and amenities readily available, excessive behaviour can

shift the flight from refined to uncomfortable. Maintaining composure ensures the experience remains enjoyable for all.

Finally, acknowledging excellent service is always appreciated. While tipping may not be mandatory, a verbal thank you or a thoughtful gesture reinforces positive relationships with the crew.

Private aviation is built on a shared understanding of discretion, professionalism, and mutual respect - principles that shape every interaction on board. While the experience is highly personal and flexible, a shared awareness of time, communication, and coordination with the crew helps ensure that every journey remains seamless.

At Skyside, we see etiquette not as a set of rules, but as part of a refined travel culture: clear communication of preferences, respect for safety procedures, and a collaborative approach between passengers and crew.

This mutual understanding allows us to deliver a consistently high level of service while preserving the privacy, comfort, and trust that define private aviation.



## Good Manners, Great Altitude

Etiquette is simply awareness, refined.

- Altitude doesn't excuse volume: At 45,000 feet, even whispered conversations carry. True jet etiquette is knowing when silence says more than words.
- Devices on. Discretion engaged: Meetings may happen mid air, but etiquette keeps screens angled, volumes muted, and privacy preserved.
- The art of personal space: In a private cabin, luxury lies in awareness. A considerate guest intuitively knows when to engage, and when to give room.
- Sleep travels differently at altitude: One guest's rest is another's productivity. Consideration keeps both undisturbed.
- Sip, don't slosh: Elegant travel favours balance. Moderation ensures the journey arrives as gracefully as its passengers.
- The cabin remembers everything: Courtesy, punctuality, and appreciation linger long after touchdown.

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# The Billionaire Calendar



## Why Monaco in September?

The most exclusive and anticipated gathering on the global luxury calendar is around the corner. It's no accident that the Monaco Yacht Show takes place in September, right at the tail of the Mediterranean season. Late September sees Port Hercule in Monaco transformed into a dazzling floating showcase where the biggest superyachts, most prestigious shipyards, designers, brokers, and affluent enthusiasts converge for both business and leisure.

Founded in 1991, the Monaco Yacht Show, has grown into Europe's premier in-water display of large yachts, regularly featuring around 120-125 superyachts and more than 560 international exhibitors. Over its four-day run, the yacht show attracts tens of thousands of visitors, including ultra-wealthy clients, industry professionals, and media, walking the docks to inspect new models, negotiate deals, and experience cutting-edge design and technology in the heart of the luxury yachting world.

Monaco in September, from the perspective of the billionaire social calendar, holds particular allure. By the time the show begins, following a peak summer season, the waters and ports are still warm, the summer crowds have thinned slightly, and many prospective buyers are winding down their European summer cruising.

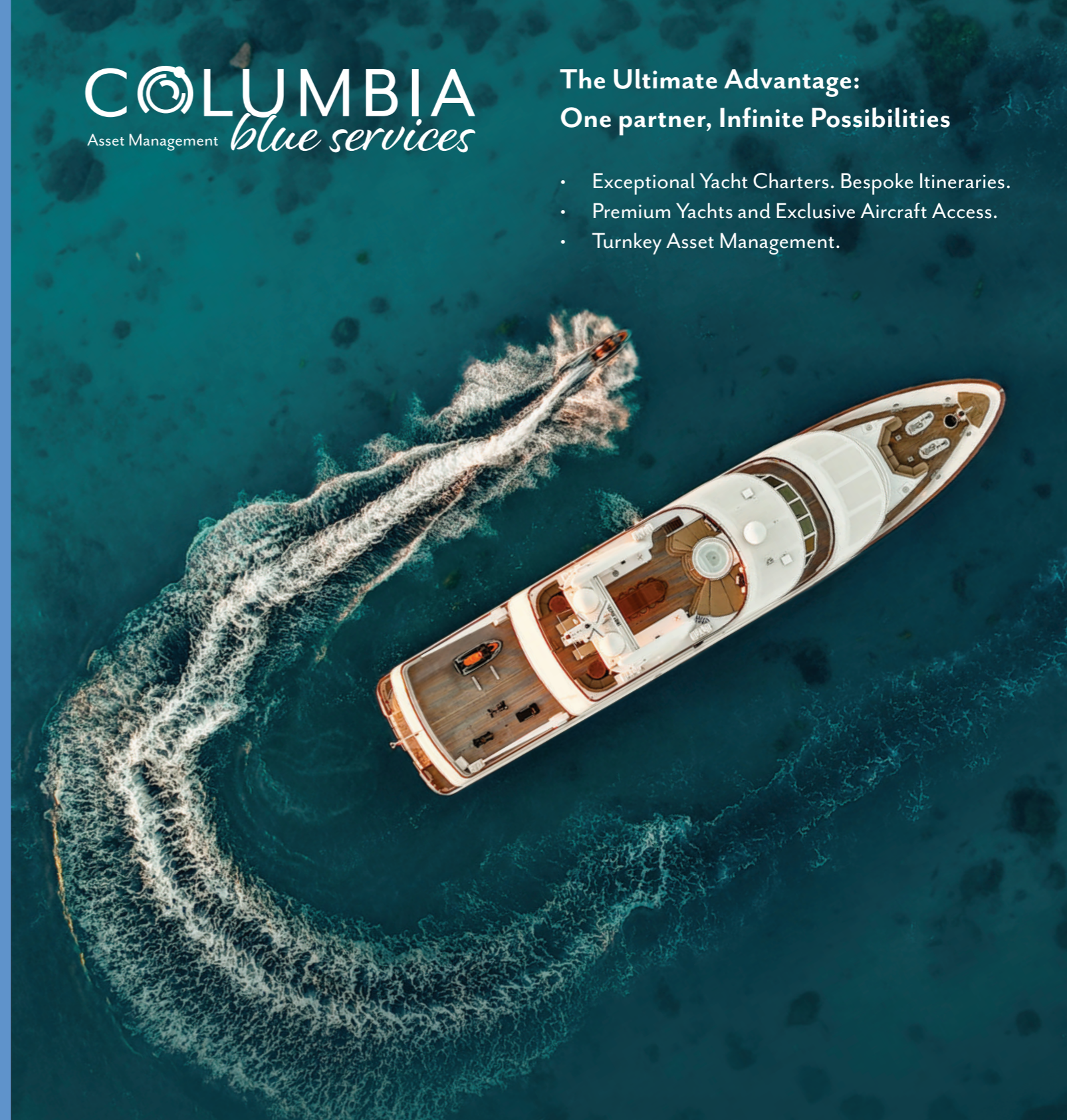
Comfortable temperatures and calm seas make it a pleasant time for both maritime displays and glamorous social events ashore. The magnetic appeal for those at the top of the wealth pyramid offers networking opportunities, business deals, and a chance to see the latest innovations in superyacht design all in one place.

This is exactly why the Monaco Yacht Show consistently features on lists of must-attend events. Monaco in September is where luxury, leisure, and industry intersect: the warm end of the Mediterranean season, the elite networking moment of the yachting calendar, and a social highlight for the global affluent community all

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## Destination Highlight

TOUCHDOWN: SARDINIA

Being from the heart of the Mediterranean, Sardinia is a destination where vibrant landscapes meet traditional culture. Through every mile, the island's beauty is a testament to its rich history and stunning natural beauty. The island is a perfect blend of natural beauty and cultural heritage.



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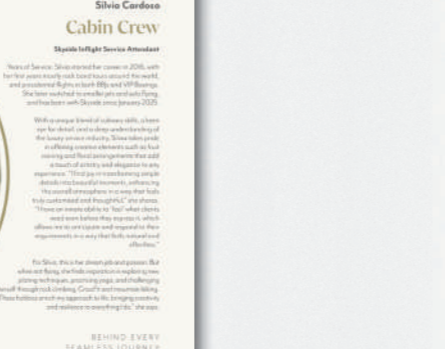
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