FREE DOM



SKIPPER: THIBAUT LEFEVERE

33 YEARS OLD - COMPANY DIRECTOR - LES AVIRONS – LA RÉUNION



TRACK RECORD IN BRIEF

- Navigation in the Indian Ocean
- Offshore navigation in the Mediterranean
- One-year course on 40-foot monohull
- The Glénans 2008/2009

1st participation in the Normandy Channel Race

SÉBASTIEN MARSSET 35 YEARS OLD - SKIPPER - LORIENT



TRACK RECORD IN BRIEF

- 14th Solitaire du Figaro 2019
- Route du Rhum 2018
- Volvo Ocean Race 2014
- Victory on the Volvo Ocean Race 2011
- Victory on the Rolex Fastnet Race 2009

2nd participation in the Normandy Channel Race

SKIPPER'S MOTIVATION

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<u>Thibaut:</u> Ocean racing is a whole new adventure for me and the Normandy Channel Race marks the starting point of a project that has been close to my heart for years. We wanted to add an environmental component to the sporting challenge around an essential resource on the island of Reunion that I know well: the wood! For each race, we set with my association, a goal of planted trees to reach. We thus hope to plant 250 endemic trees of Reunion for this first step. Through this project, I am of course looking to learn and have fun, but also to educate the inhabitants of my island, its communities and its businesses around this environmental issue.

I would like to thank FREE DOM, the 1st radio station on the island of Reunion, who has accompanied me on this wonderful adventure.

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