



● SKIPPER:

GREG LEONARD

50 YEARS OLD - ECONOMIST - US

**TRACK RECORD IN BRIEF**

- 12th RORC Caribbean 600
- 29th Route du Rhum destination Guadeloupe 2022
- 2nd Sevenstar Round Britain and Ireland Race 2022
- 2nd SSE Renewables Round Ireland Yacht Race 2022
- 22nd CIC Normandy Channel Race 2022
- 11th RORC Fastnet Race 2021
- 20th CIC Normandy Channel Race 2021
- 10th CIC Normandy Channel Race 2020

4th participation in the CIC Normandy Channel Race

● CO-SKIPPER:

HANNES LEONARD

19 YEARS OLD - STUDENT - US

**TRACK RECORD IN BRIEF**

- 12th RORC Caribbean 600
- 2nd Sevenstar Round Britain and Ireland Race 2022
- 2nd SSE Renewables Round Ireland Yacht Race 2022
- 22th CIC Normandy Channel Race 2022
- 11th RORC Fastnet Race 2021
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MOTIVATION

We are looking forward to our fourth consecutive Normandy Channel Race as a father-son team and the start of our fourth Class 40 season. What a privilege it is to join this race again at the start of the European summer with long days. We love the challenges offered in our prior editions of this race and how varied and challenging the conditions are in the English Channel and in the Celtic Sea. We are happy to push ourselves and our skills harder and further and this course certainly offers its share of challenges. Above all else, the Normandy Channel Race drew us back to Europe with Kite.

Hannes, in particular, is passionate about pelagic seabirds and we both love the opportunity to see the beautiful birds and marine life throughout the course. We embrace the freedom and independence offered on the ocean and, as always, another opportunity to enjoy the camaraderie that the Class 40 offers.

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TYPE: MACH 40.3**NAVAL ARCHITECT:** SAMUEL MANUARD**SHIPYARD:** JPS PRODUCTION**YEAR:** 2015