

### Club History

The Yacht Club Punta Del Este was founded in 1924. In 1932, a concession was obtained for the property that today occupies the main clubhouse. Located in a peninsula that drives into the South Atlantic. The Club is situated right next to the harbor and has two buildings, the main Clubhouse and the “Yateste” (the club’s nautical hub.) YCPE creates a scholarship program for kids from both public and private schools. It is known to be the center of intense yachting and great social life. We count among our members a growing number of enthusiastic sailors, many of whom have been distinguished in local, regional and international competitions. YCPE has hosted the Snipe World Championship, Vaurien, Soling World Championship, J/70, Soling and Optimist South American Championships, and Cape Town-Punta del Este Race; Whitbread Round the World Race, BOC Around Alone, Velux 5 Oceans, Global Ocean Race and Clipper Round the World Yacht Race. Each year it hosts the most relevant South American event: the Rolex Cup Circuito Atlántico Sur, co-organized with the Yacht Club Argentino. YCPE is also Uruguay’s National Authority in the Union Internationale Motonautique. In 2020, it was the first South American Club elected to join the prestigious International Council of Yacht Clubs.



### Invitational Cup History

This will be the first year that the Yacht Club Punta Del Este will be competing in the Rolex NYYC Invitational Cup. The first ever YCPE team was selected to represent the different generations with a strong heritage in sports ethics, sportsmanship, responsibility and sense of belonging as the club reaches its 100-year anniversary. The team was chosen among members with the best sailing skills, giving this team experience, excitement and strength.

### Crew

Santiago Silveria will be the team’s helmsman, he has 32 years of racing experience. In 2003, he won a bronze medal in the Snipe Class at the Pan American Games. In 2007 he placed fourth at the Pan American Games in J/24s, and placed first at the 2014 South American 49er Championships. He also is a Snipe South American Champion in 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005. In 2021, he was a National Champion in the J/70 class. YCPÉ’s tactician will be Aldo Centanarao, who placed third at the 2018 Corinthian Worlds in the J/70 class, first at the South American Laser Masters 2006, and second at the Maxi World Cup in 2018. He is also very involved in the club as he is the captain and president of the Sailing School at Yacht Club Punta Del Este.

## YCPDE CREW

- Helmsperson - Santiago Silveria (Montevideo, URU)
- Co-Helmsperson/Tactician - Aldo Centanaro (Montevideo, URU)
- Philipp Umpierre (Montevideo, URU)
- Alejandro Alvira Olivera (Maldondo, URU)
- Ramiro Martinez (Punta Del Este, URU)
- Sebastian Rana (Punta Del Este, URU)
- Ignacio Gercar (Punta Del Este, URU)
- Enrique Schickendantz (Montevideo, URU)
- Victoria García (Punta Del Este, URU)



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