



News Release

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## Lantau Yacht Club Joins Hands with Industry to Offer Premium and Comprehensive Yacht Services

Lantau Yacht Club (LYC) endeavours to provide the highest level of service and a premium and hassle-free yachting lifestyle to our members and guests. We are pleased that three leading yacht service providers -- Lodestone Yachts, Marine Service Asia and NextWave Yachting are now stationing at LYC's service yard to provide yacht care, maintenance and yacht management services, among others.

### Unlocking the Club's Full Potential

Adjacent to the Marina, LYC Service Yard is a one-stop service area where boating needs are addressed. The service area is equipped with travel lift and forklift for haul-out services, with hardstand, dry stack and storage lockers available to provide regular maintenance work or storage. The yard is also supported by a diesel fuel gas station nearby. LYC hopes to strengthen its service offerings to make the sailing experience easy-peasy for all yachting aficionados.

"Lodestone Yachts, Marine Service Asia and Next Wave have recently opened their offices at our Service Yard. LYC is the first yacht club in Hong Kong to have such a range of service providers stationing onsite. Together we offer yacht owners with strong expertise and comprehensive yacht services and we are proud to gradually make LYC a superyacht hub and yachting activity centre in Hong Kong," said Mr Ivan Lee, Vice President of Lantau Yacht Club.

### Our Partners

**Lodestone Yachts**, a leading yacht management and superyacht agency in Hong Kong, shares the same vision as LYC – to enhance yacht owners' sailing experience with top-notch services. With over 15 years of experience, Lodestone offers **comprehensive yacht management services** for yachts of all sizes, especially **superyachts**. Years of experience and knowledge in the global yacht market allows Lodestone to provide **logistics support to international cruising** superyachts coming to Hong Kong.

A well-known full-service marine care company, **Marine Service Asia (MSA)** provides **one-stop marine technical support** from commissioning or inspections stages to all aspects of yacht maintenance oversight. "With the establishment of LYC, the latest marina in Hong Kong, we identified a need for industry-leading technology products and services to support the yachts. Our experienced engineers are ready to offer the best services to customers," noted



Mr Mathew Keay, General Manager of MSA. The vision of MSA is to develop **innovative technical solutions** for vessels and provide all-rounded maintenance support to yacht owners.

**NextWave Yachting** is one of the **largest yacht management companies** in Hong Kong, helping owners and captains with every aspect of yachting life. "We hope owners can make the most of simply enjoying their yacht the way it is intended and leave all the logistics and administrative work to us," said Mr Howard Chen, co-founder of NextWave Yachting. Their yacht management team offers a broad range of support services to clients, including document of compliance certification and commercial maritime operations, as well as **water toys** such as IAQUA, Jetsurf, inflatable pools and slides.

The contractors also shelf essential sailing supplies in their office, captains and crew no longer have to travel to downtown for supplies, which can save time and enhance efficiency.

### **What's next for LYC**

"With yacht industry experts and partners gradually forming a network here, LYC is looking forward to more collaborations. It is our aim to build a yachting community to promote a premium yachting lifestyle for enthusiasts and more exclusive programmes for members and boat show / events open to all are in the pipeline," added Ivan.

### **Photos**



Service Contractors' Office, LYC Service Yard



Director of Lodestone Yachts, Mr Joe Yuen (2<sup>nd</sup> from left) and his team, celebrates the opening of the office



Mr Mathew Keay, General Manager of MSA



Mr Howard Chen, Co-founder of NextWave Yachting



LYC Service Yard – travel lift for haul out service



LYC Service Yard – forklift for haul out service

### **About Lantau Yacht Club**

Located in the northeast of Lantau Island, Lantau Yacht Club (“LYC / the Club”) is one of the four premium membership clubs in Discovery Bay, Hong Kong’s renowned international residential community and a unique leisure destination developed by Hong Kong Resort Company Limited. The Club’s predecessor first started operations in 1989 and was closed for a major renovation from early 2019. The new marina soft opened in August 2020 with a brand-new design, modern technology, and superyacht berths to meet the needs of Hong Kong’s growing sailing and pleasure boating community, and the refurbished Clubhouse opened in April 2021.

### **About Auberge Hospitality**

Auberge Hospitality is a collection of hotel, club and leisure properties under Hong Kong Resort Company Limited offering premium hospitality services and all-round leisure facilities, events and activities to create unique resort leisure lifestyle and experiences for every taste. The Auberge Hospitality brands include Discovery Bay Golf Club, Lantau Yacht Club, Auberge Discovery Bay Hong Kong, Discovery Bay Recreation Club, Club Siena, DB Ice Rink and Peony Chinese Restaurant in Discovery Bay, a renowned resort-style community located just 25 minutes away from Central CBD by ferry and 20 minutes from the Hong Kong International Airport, Tung Chung and Sunny Bay by land transport.

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