



PINDAR

LEARNING THE ROPES

a PINDAR SAILING programme



THE OFFSHORE SAILING PARADOX

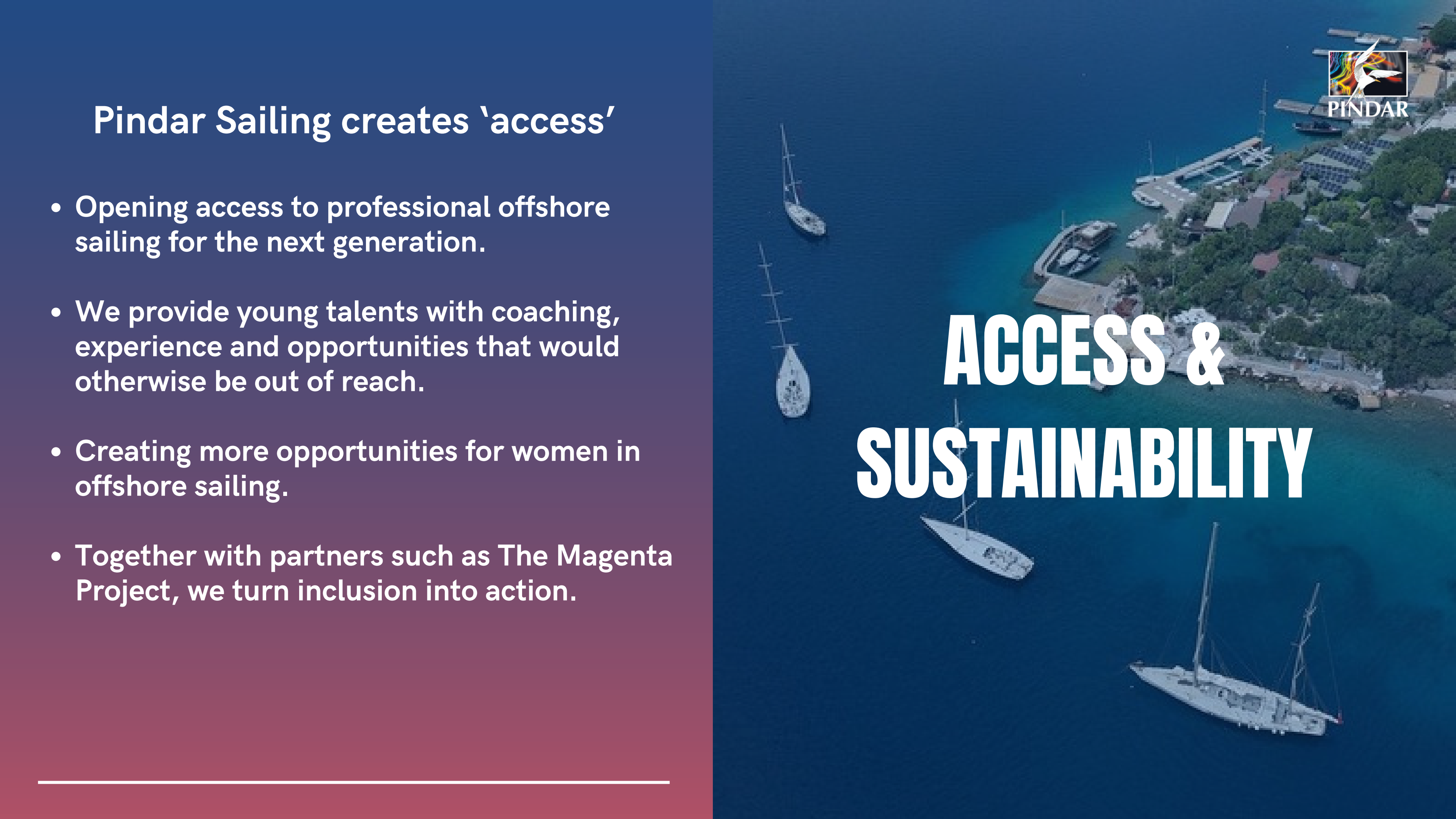
For over half a century there has been a global explosion of offshore sailing events, classes and sailors. Yet beneath the headline successes a bleaker picture is to be found.

- More yacht owners are sailing short-handed or solo due to crew shortages and personal challenge.
- Single, double and short-handed offshore racing is rapidly growing.
- Modern race yachts are becoming faster through advanced design and engineering.
- Rising technology and composite build costs are driving an expensive "arms race."
- Many former racing yachts risk ending up unused or in landfill.

Offshore sailing is becoming less accessible for new sailors to learn core skills.

Pindar Sailing creates 'access'

- Opening access to professional offshore sailing for the next generation.
 - We provide young talents with coaching, experience and opportunities that would otherwise be out of reach.
 - Creating more opportunities for women in offshore sailing.
 - Together with partners such as The Magenta Project, we turn inclusion into action.
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The background of the slide is an aerial photograph of a harbor. Several sailboats of various sizes are visible on the water. In the background, a coastal town with buildings and greenery is visible along the shoreline. The water is a deep blue-green color.

ACCESS & SUSTAINABILITY

We create a sustainable model

- Giving legendary Ocean Race yachts a second life, not a place in landfill.
 - We restore, reuse and upcycle iconic boats, preserving both materials and maritime legacy.
 - Turning sailing into a platform for ocean literacy, education and climate action.
 - We connect young people and sailors with the reality of climate change and the health of our oceans.
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ACCESS & SUSTAINABILITY



A HISTORY IN SAILING - OCEAN RACE LEGENDS

“WHERE LEGACY MEETS THE FUTURE - THE PATHWAY AHEAD BEGAN YESTERDAY.”



Ex. Assa Abloy / 63'5"ft.
Skippers: Roy Heiner (NL) & Neil McDonald (UK)
2nd Overall in Volvo Ocean Race
2001 - 2002



Ex. News Corp / 63'5"ft. (19,4m)
Skipper: Jez Fanstone (UK)
5th Overall in Volvo Ocean Race
2001 - 2002

OUR APPROACH

Collaborate with impact driven organizations to actively achieve our mission



- >> Open source and knowledge sharing
 - >> Sustainability to re-use, re-cycle, protect & clean-up
 - >> Welcoming sailors from all over the world
 - >> Invitation to Yacht Clubs to run an affiliate program
 - >> Pindar Sailing Hubs around the World
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HUB - The Netherlands
Delfzijl



OUR HUBS



Pindar Sailing Turkey
Bozburun Yacht Club



PINDAR SAILING HUB



BOZBURUN YACHT CLUB
PINDAR SAILING TURKEY

A UNIQUE VENUE FOR YEAR-ROUND SAILING

1. Inshore- & offshore sailing areas
2. B&B facilities & hospitality
3. Host the Arctic Tern Club
4. A wide range of Watersports, Sail, Foil, Row, Swim, Dive
5. Create Ocean Literacy & Circular economy awareness programs

ACTIVITIES

- >> Woman & Youth sailing clinics
- >> Corporate team building
- >> Rallies + outdoors
- >> Foiling events
- >> And more to share soon



A HUB FOR OCEAN RACE LEGENDS

At the Bozburun Yacht Club, we bring
together the Legends of the Volvo Ocean Race





PINDAR SAILING EVENTS

From local to Global

Youth & Women Sailing Clinics

Corporate Sailing Experiences

Ocean Race Legends Rallies

24 HR Offshore Experiences

COP31 Antalya

2027

Aegean 600

Ocean Race Alicante

America's Cup Italy

Les Voiles de St. Tropez



GLOBAL WOMENS SAILING CENTER



STEM CLINICS & LEADERSHIP PATHWAYS



HIGH PERFORMANCE SAILING

In collaboration with



Sail 4 Earth



IMPACT DRIVEN PROGRAMMES

HOW?

Our activities are created through a collaboration with impact driven organisations, the Arctic Tern Club, sponsor partners, our Ambassadors for Life, the board of inspiration and the sailors.



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THE MAGENTA PROJECT

The Magenta Project is building upon the legacy of pioneering all-female sailing teams,

The Magenta Project brings in a community of networks and relationships that connect individuals and organisations, facilitating the sharing of sailing knowledge, experience, and opportunities.

Global Women Sailing Center

Women Sailing Clinics
OBR Workshops
STEM Clinics
Leadership weeks
Wellness & Yoga
Foiling events

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SAIL4EARTH

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*Sail*4Earth*



Sail4Earth is the world's first
coopetition among sailors to protect
nature & oceans, Meter by Meter via
the **Uon.Earth** app

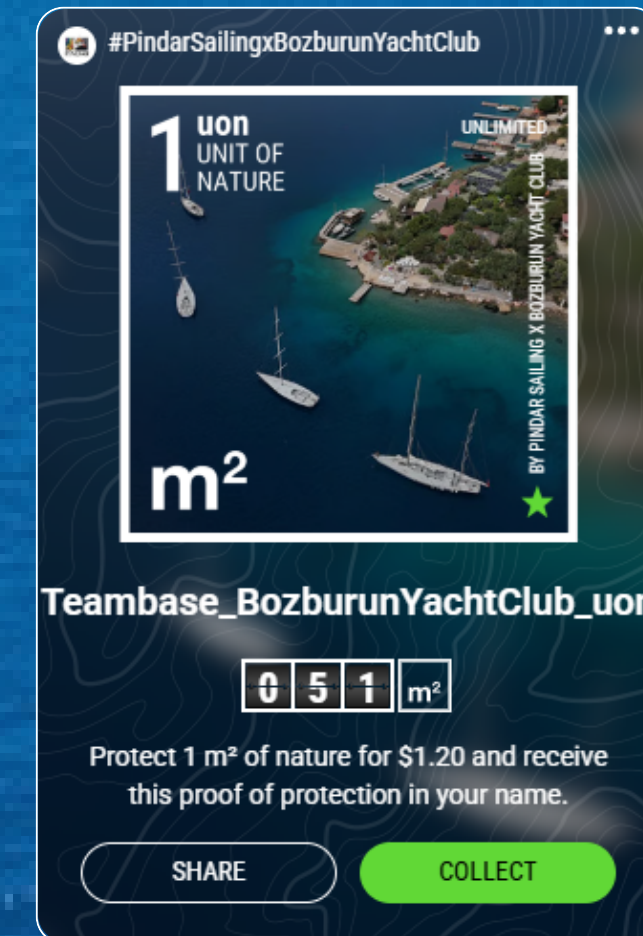
The EarthFlag is Sail4Earth's symbol of
belonging, a 100% HEMP based flag to
reduce Ocean Pollution.

Impact Driven Programs

Nature & Ocean Protection via UON.Earth

Ocean Literacy workshops

Ocean Race Legends Events



Visit UON.Earth and collect our UON

LET'S JOIN FORCES AND BUILD THE FUTURE OF SAILING TOGETHER



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AMBASSADORS FOR LIFE

Our Ambassadors for Life are the people who lay the foundations of Pindar Sailing × Bozburun Yacht Club. Their financial support helps restore two legendary Ocean Race yachts and creates opportunities for future generations through our Learning the Ropes pathway. More than supporters, they become part of an international community built on adventure, friendship and shared purpose. As an Ambassador for Life, your contribution leaves a lasting legacy and you will always have a place within our sailing family.