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FOLLOWING THE FOOTSTEPS OF WILLEM BARENTSZ

Join us on a voyage of discovery around Svalbard. It is truly an adventure that begins in the harbour of Longyearbyen, where we will plan our adventure together based on the weather forecast. From there, we will set off to explore and head for various fjords where we will be dropped off by a support boat. This is where our snowshoeing adventure, of approximately 4 to 8 hours per day, will begin.

TOGETHER

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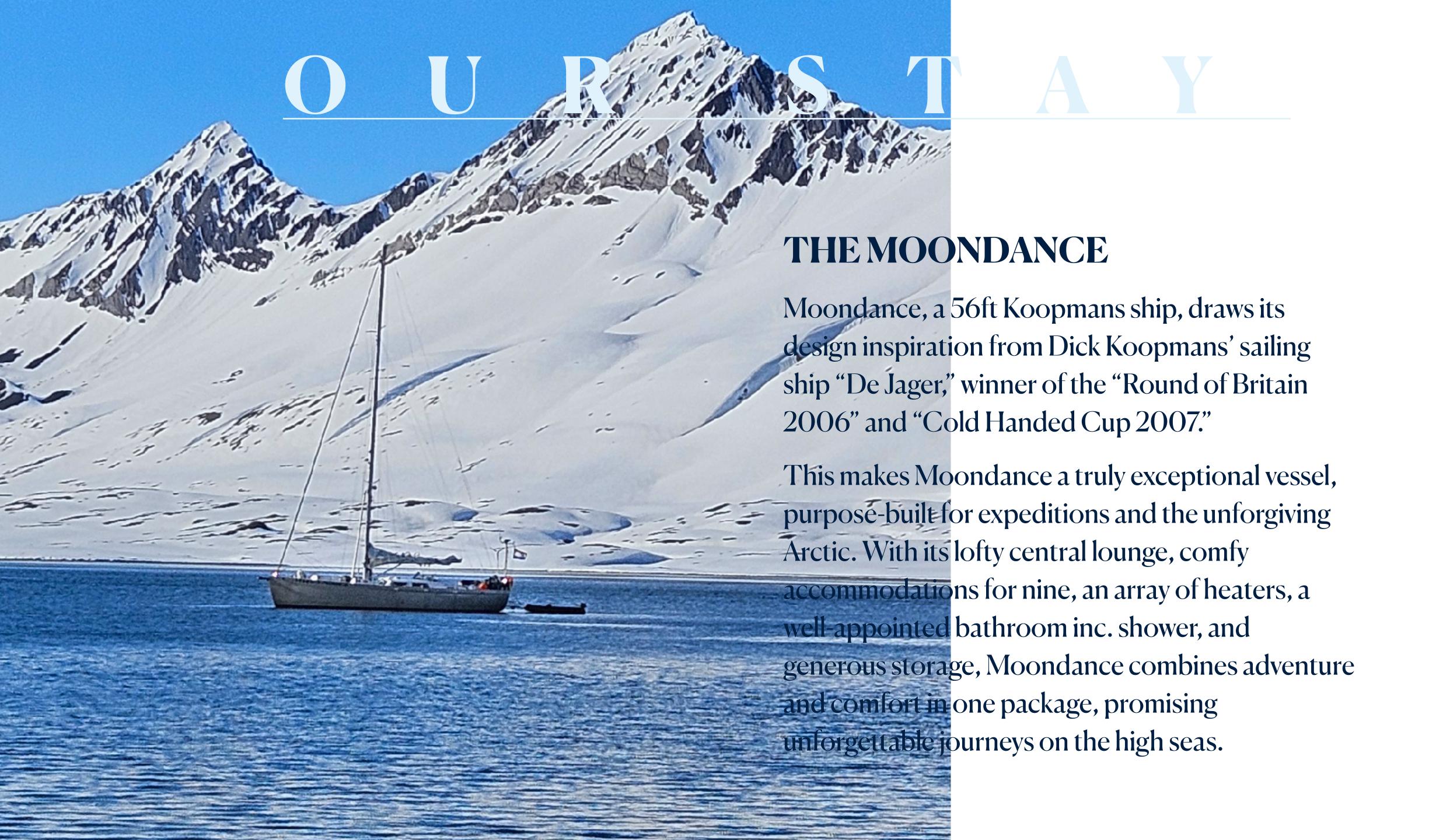
We sleep on board and as a team we are responsible for all tasks such as cooking, navigating, sailing, cleaning the ship, etc. This adventure takes us to one of the most remote parts of our planet, which we will enter with respect. We are sure to encounter wildlife such as polar bears, walruses, puffins, foxes, whales, belugas and many species of birds.

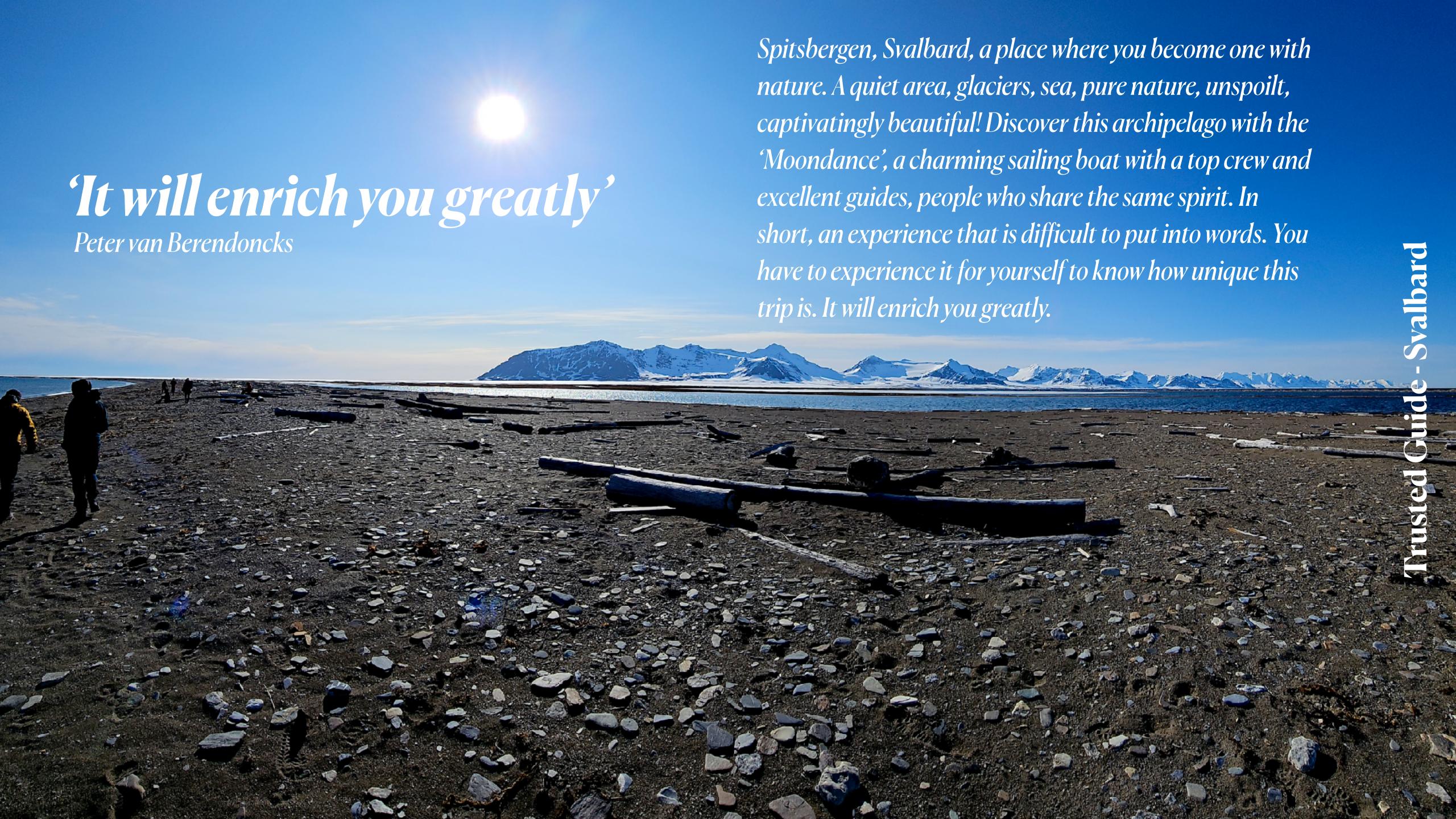




The Norwegian archipelago of Svalbard is located north of mainland Norway, between latitudes 74°N and 81°N, nestled between the Greenland Sea and the Barents Sea. It marks the northernmost stretch of the ocean and is the last land before the North Pole. Many famous explorers have raced to reach this northernmost point on Earth, and Svalbard remains one of the planet's most remote frontiers.

The best time to sail and explore Svalbard is from mid May to the end of August. During this period, you'll experience endless daylight, low sea ice levels, and the most favourable weather conditions (although weather can change rapidly). The terrain is vast, with nearly 3,200 kilometers of accessible coastline and untouched landscapes. Temperatures during this time range from -5°C to 15°C.





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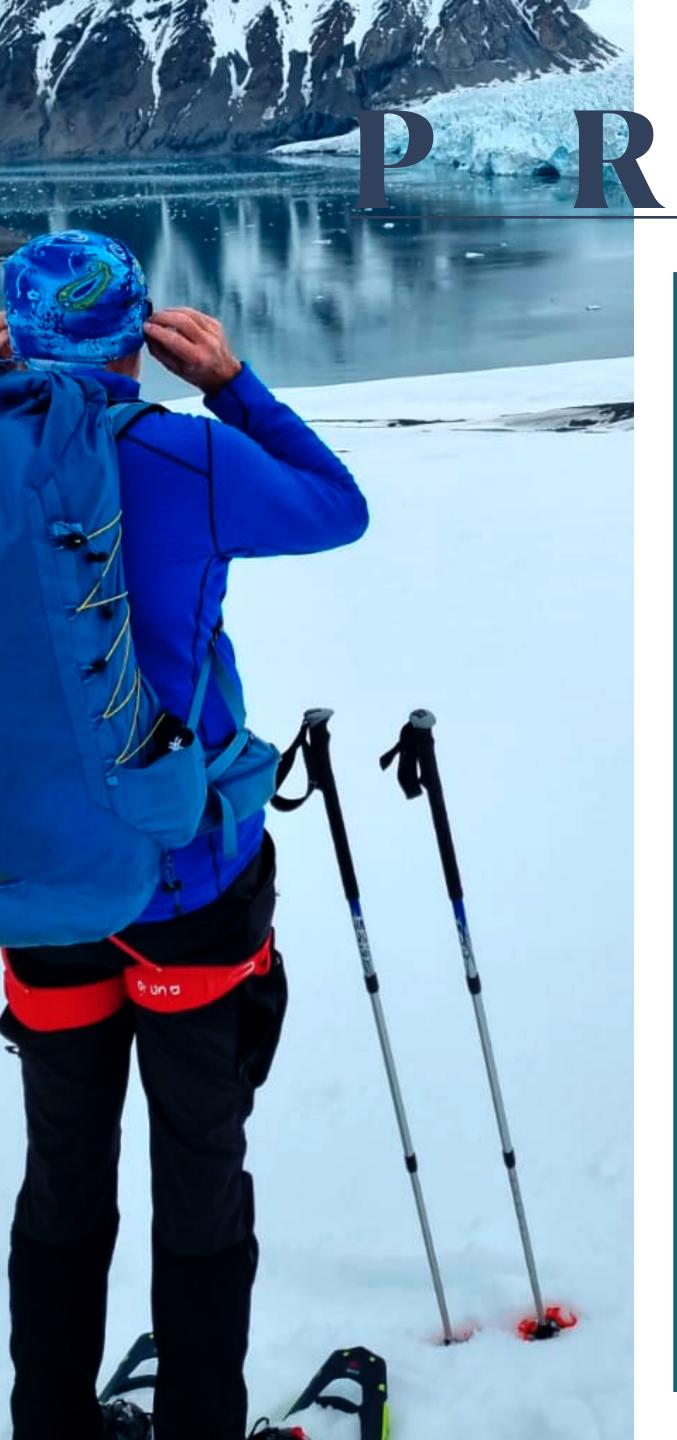
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Working for twenty-five years, I thought it was time to reinvent myself. That is easy to say, but it turned out to be quite an expedition. The solution actually lay in less is more. This gave me the idea of not being connected to anything other than myself and nature for 30 days. This is where I discovered the power of calmness, space and slowing down to reconnect before speeding up. Now I work as a guide at work and a guide in nature and share my experience. What it has brought me is peace, joy and a more valuable life. For myself and for my environment.

After 25,000 nautical miles, loads of guests and several documentaries I am more than ready for the new sail to ski season in Norway. Our gained knowledge, experiences and our new expedition sailing ship Moondance is helping us a lot. I can't wait to work with Arctic guides to organise never-to-be-forgotten expeditions.



Luuk van den Engel - Captain



ACTICAL

PRICE

Price € 4.500,- (incl 21% BTW)

INCLUDED

Stay sailing ship 'Moondance'
Bed linen and towels
Breakfast, lunch, diner and snacks
Sailing suits onboard
Snowshoes

EXCLUDED

Travel to starting point
Alcoholic beverages
must be paid separately)

GEAR - YOUNEED TO ORGANISE

(With help from Trusted Guides)

- Sturdy walking sho (waterproof)
- Socks
- Walking trousers
- Jacket with hood
- Fleece
- Rain jacket and trousers
- Small backpack
- Thermal clothing

- Sturdy walking shoes Hat / cap / neck warmer
 - Thin and thick gloves
 - Sunglasses
 - Toiletries
 - First aid kit
 - Slippers for on board
 - (Sailing) boots



MORE INFORMATION

If you want more information about the Svalbard trip, one of the other trips we organise or if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch. Hope to see you soon on the Moondance!

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