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M/Y Endless Summer shows off her toy collection and platform by Freestyle Slides. Pictured is Freestyle's Jet Ski dock, which comes standard with non-slip steps and stairs, but their custom curve to the swim platform is completely customized to the yacht. For more new tenders and toys, check out our special, which highlights 10 top tenders and 6 cool new toys.

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THIS MONTH: 10 hot new tenders and 6 toys to add to your onboard arsenal

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Riding the Waves

You've earned a fun summer adventure, even if it is catering to guests. Check out the newest tenders and toys to debut in 2022.

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Beiderbeck Designs 3-in-1 Luxury Tender

Smart design thinking from beiderbeck has made it possible to combine a limo, SOLAS, and rescue boat into one vessel, winning the Germany-based company a *BOAT International Design and Innovation Award* in the process. Two 11-meter limo tenders are currently in build at Knierim Yachtbau, and a larger 13-meter version for 50 passengers is on the drawing board too. There's a wetroom and a bar on board, plus comfortable seating throughout. Twin Volvo D3-220 engines give it a top speed of 30 knots. www.beiderbeckdesigns.de

LOA: 11M/36' 1"
Beam: 3.25M/10' 8"
Height: 2.4M/7' 10"
Passengers: 15 (limo mode);
38 (SOLAS mode)
Engines: 2x D3-220
Volvo Penta
Top speed: 30 knots



FunAir Modular Beach Club Sea Pool with Jet Ski Dock

The limit of activities that can be enjoyed on the water doesn't exist with the FunAir Modular Beach Club Sea Pool. Pictured is the custom-built version and a Jet Ski dock for M/Y *Nomad* with a nonslip, teak-look finish. Numerous setups can be deployed quickly and easily with this pool configuration, so the watersports and activities planned can begin even sooner. Built in four separate sections, it's easy to clean and pack away, even with minimal crew. www.funair.com



Castoldi Jet Tender 34 Open Sport Limo

Looking for a luxurious ride on the water? Castoldi's new open sport limo is sleek and elegant, with performance to match. It's the newest model from the company and its only rigid model. The limo offers a hydraulic beach landing ramp, which makes beach access for guests easier, plus a recessed four-step swim ladder to make water access just as simple. If you love the wind in your hair, stay cool beneath the recessed or folding bimini top as you enjoy top speeds of up to 50 knots. Castoldi offers two 440 mHP diesel engines with two Castoldi Turbodrives 284 H.C.T waterjets, meaning you can take off quickly and get to cruising speed on the 24-degree deep V Kevlar hull. Maneuvering is made easier with the Castoldi ACES electronic control with joystick for docking, providing more options for maneuverability without requiring a bow thruster. www.castoldijet.it

LOA: 10.5M/34' 5"
Beam: 2.8M/9' 2"
Height: 1.58M/5' 2"
Passengers: 16
Engines: 2 x 250 mHP Yanmar diesel/No. 2 x 440 mHP Yanmar diesel (S version)
Top speed: 43 to 50 knots (S version)



PHOTO (RIGHT): LJ STRIKE, COURTESY OF FUNAIR



Compass Tenders 9.9M Landing Craft

Compass has embraced the beamy potential of the cat with its latest tender. Hull No. 1 was delivered in 2020, featuring a draft of just 57 centimeters and a bow ramp to make beach landings a breeze. With removable seating taken out, the 12-square-meter loading bay packs on water toys and dive kit, complete with removable racks for cylinders. With the seating in, this space can carry eight guests, bringing the total seated passengers to 12. Whatever the configuration, there's a shaded dining area plus a shower, head, and galley. The model is customizable, with Yanmar, Volvo, or Cummins engine packages, and Hamilton or Rolls-Royce water jets for a top speed of 37 knots. www.compasstenders.com

LOA: 9.9M/32' 6"
 Beam: 3.35M/11'
 Stowed Height: 2.05M/6' 9"
 Passengers: 12 + 2 crew
 Engines: 2 x Yanmar 8LV
 320hp @ 3800RPM
 Top speed: 37 knots



F-One Rocket Air 2021

Want a foiling board that can do it all? F-One's Rocket Air range offers multi-tasking boards that can all be used for surf-foiling, SUP-foiling, wing-foiling, wind-foiling, or kite-foiling. It's ultra-lightweight for fast flying and made from a high-grade dropstitch material for balance and control. €659. www.f-one.world



Chris-Craft Launch 25GT

Also available as an 8.5-meter model, the 7.6-meter 25GT can be specced with sterndrives and a sleek fold-down hardtop for stowing in a large tender garage – its height can be reduced to a little over 1.5 meters at the touch of a button. Options abound, from a heads compartment to trim tabs for wakeboarding. There's also a forward cockpit, bathing ladder, deck shower, and a fine blend of tech and design throughout. www.chriscraft.com



LOA: 7.6M/24' 10"
 Beam: 2.55M/8' 4"
 Height: 1.75M/5' 9"
 Passengers: 10
 Engines: Mercury V8 6.2L B3
 DTS, plus others
 Top speed: 48 knots



Onean Carver X

This new jet board is all about power. Designed to include two jets and two batteries, the Carver X has twice the power of its sibling, the Carver Twin. This also means it's the option for riders weighing more than 100 kilograms who want to reach planing speed in any conditions. Expect to get 40 minutes of drive out of the batteries, and you can also choose from five power levels as well as control the pressure settings to make sure this board rides how you want it to. Max speed is 45km/h. €10,990. onean.com





Falcon Tenders *Miss Wonderly*

Southampton-based startup Falcon is carving out a niche for itself in fully custom superyacht tenders, and this 10.6-meter limo is its impressive calling card. *Miss Wonderly* showcases hybrid drive technology – a cutting-edge engineering feat for boats of this size. This allows the tender to operate in silent electric mode up to about nine knots before the twin 270-hp inboards kick in. Elegant furniture below gives *Miss Wonderly*'s

luxurious cabin a lounge feel, and she is capable of ferrying 14 guests from superyacht to shore. www.falcon-tenders.com

LOA: 10.6M/34' 9"
Beam: 2.96M/9' 9"
Height: 2.12M/6' 11"
Passengers: 16

Engines: 2 x Hyundai Seasall S30
270hp V6 diesel; 2 x Huracan
Marine 20kW Electric
Top speed: 30 knots;
electric: 9 knots



SEABOB F5 SR

The most powerful SEABOB yet, the F5 SR packs a punch, propelled by a force of 745 newtons – that's 265 more than the standard F5. It's also more eco-friendly, thanks to an emissions-free E-Jet Power System. The F5 SR boasts improved handling, while an HD camera in the nose allows you to capture video footage as you glide underwater. €14,935. www.seabob.com



Nerea NY24 Limo

Dario Messina penned the sharp lines and tight styling of the 7.35-meter NY24. It comes in three variants: GT, Deluxe, and Limo, with the latter the best contender for superyacht tender use. With a 220-hp Volvo D3 putting power into the water via an Aquamatic drive with duoprop, its top speed of 32 knots is guaranteed to ruffle its passengers' hair. The Deluxe version features stylish pilot chairs by ideaeITALIA, and there's even room for a convertible sofa berth and heads below. Audio visual, fridges, and almost any other add-on you desire can be fitted, and there's also a nod to sustainability in the form of Oltremateria, a recyclable finishing material.

LOA: 7.35M/24' 1"
Beam: 2.5M/8' 2"
Passengers: 12

Engines: 1 x Diesel Volvo Penta
D3 220/DPS HP + Aquamatic
DP-H duoprop
Top speed: 32 knots





RIBCRAFT 9.0

RIBCRAFT, which manufactures professional-grade RIBs for military agencies, safety professionals, and recreational boaters alike, has redesigned their RIBCRAFT 9.0. The brand is designed for offshore, and with performance in mind, the new model has a deep V hull, deep forefoot, and full-length lifting strakes. The new model has a new deck arrangement with a large wraparound bow seating area with an optional teak

table that converts into a sun platform, improved comfortable helm, aft seating, an optional oversized T-Top with hard top or antenna arch, and an onboard head. Powered by twin 300-hp Yamaha outboards, the boat reaches speeds in excess of 60 mph. Built in the U.S., users are able to customize their RIB to their needs. www.ribcraftusa.com

LOA: 9M/29' 7"
 Beam: 3.12M/10' 3"
 Passengers: 18
 Engines: Max 700 hp
 Top Speed: 60mph+

AquaBanas Social Bana Deck, Jumbo Lounger, and Bana Tent

In June, AquaBanas launched their Recreational Line to enhance your summer experience. Made up of six items at launch, including their deck, tent, and lounger, all of these are modular and can connect to each other to create a widevariety of configurations. It holds six to eight people; the lounger adds an additional capacity for four.

The Social Bana Deck, Jumbo Lounger, and Bana Tent all connect for an amazing experience for guests. The modular pieces are designed for boats and tenders under 80 feet. It takes just 15 to 20 minutes to inflate and deflate and can be easily managed with a crew of two. www.aquabanas.com



Highfield Boats Sport 900

Pushing technology and the luxury of its RIB range to the furthest limits yet, Highfield Boats has launched their largest aluminum-hulled rigid inflatable boat to date, the Sport 900, which will debut in the U.S. market in fall 2022. Built to be tough, the Sport 900 will retain its same agile performance in 10 years' time and provide comfort and performance in rough sea conditions. It's easy to tow, launch, and recover due to its light weight and integrated davit lifting eyes. To enhance the gathering spaces, it also features an integrated rear seat with cushion, bow and stern sundeck, and rear table. The Sport 900 doesn't sacrifice luxury either with a Vitrifrigo refrigerator, sunbrella top, kitchenette, shower kit, and swim platform, so the day can be enjoyed to the fullest. www.highfieldboats.com



LOA: 9.12M/29' 11"
 Beam: 3.09M/10' 2"
 Weight: 3,730 lbs
 Material: Aluminum hull, Hypalon tubes
 Passengers: 15
 Engine: 600hp or 2x in-line 300hp
 Max Speed: 60 mph





Argos Nautic Diesel 15

The latest semi-custom RIB from Argos Nautic brings together comfort and cutting-edge design in the Diesel 15. Each boat is built with its owner in mind, and the color, texture, and finish can be chosen to match the latest styles or complement the mothership. With the versatile and generous interior space, the Diesel 15 is modular in design, allowing it to be optimized for whatever the plans are from watersports and diving to fishing and lounging to chauffeuring guests and running errands. It features premium leather seating and large storage compartments, and the flip-down transom with ladder makes reboarding easy after spending time in the water. Additional options include trim and flooring upgrades, LED underwater lighting, a freshwater shower system, and advanced electronics. www.argosnautic.com

LOA: 4.72M/15' 6"

Draft: 0.4M/1' 4"

Beam: 2M/6' 8"

Stowed Height: 4' 1"

Material: Fiberglass and composite,

Hypalon tubes

Engine: Yanmar 4JH3-DTE

Max Speed: Up to 38 mph

Passengers: 7



Aqua Race Kart

What's better than riding a GoKart at an amusement park? Riding a GoKart on the water! Aqua Race Kart, a GoKart-inspired watercraft company, released their new product in February at the Miami boat show through Nautical Ventures, their exclusive Florida dealer in this new partnership.

It has a Rotax 900 ACE jet propulsion system and features a foot-operated throttle, digital gauge cluster, adjustable steering and seating, and onboard dry storage. It also has shifting for neutral, forward, and reverse drive. You have options for custom graphics, various seat sizes, and Rotax 900 ACE Engine (60 or 90). Designed to have a uniquely lower center of gravity for unmatched stability and performance, the Aqua Kart hull operates in calm water – it's not intended for use in choppy or rough water conditions. \$22,000, plus \$1,000 shipping. www.aquakart.com



Yachtwerft Meyer Solaris tender

Bremen-based Yachtwerft Meyer is well-known for its reliable semi-custom support boats, but it was the catamaran tender to 139.7-meter *Solaris* that caught the eye when it launched in 2021. Engineers employed the same rounded Marc Newson styling as on the mothership, with a frameless curved

windscreen, lots of hidden storage, a drop-down beach landing platform, and a hydraulic hardtop fixed in just two places. Its twin Hamilton jets are powered by two 480-hp Volvo Penta D6s. yachtwerft-meyer.com

LOA: 12.6M/41' 4"

Beam: 4.35M/14' 3"

Height: 2.9M/9' 6"

Passengers: 20

Engines: : 2x Volvo Penta

D-6 480WJ

Top speed: 34 knots