

## SPORTS

# Barcelona hosts 18th Puig Vela Clssica Regatta

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*The Puig Vela Clssica Regatta will take place from July 9 to July 12. Image credit: Puig*

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Spanish fashion and fragrance business Puig is sailing into a new season.

The Barcelona City Council recently opened the 18th edition of the Puig Vela Clssica Barcelona Regatta with remarks from Mayor Jaume Collboni and the President of Barcelona Royal Yacht Club, Jordi Puig. The regatta takes place from July 9 to July 12, with more than 40 historic sailing vessels from around the world participating in the event.

"Since its foundation more than 110 years ago, Puig has always been proud of its roots in Barcelona," said Marc Puig, Chairman and CEO of Puig, in a statement.

"The Puig Vela Clssica, as well as the Puig Women's America's Cup, held in Barcelona last year, are proof of this," Mr. Puig said. "[The regatta is] an event that brings together individuals and families who share a passion for the sea, and boats that are museum pieces."

## Smooth sailing

For the 18th edition of the sailing event, boats from Germany, Italy, New Zealand, Spain, the United Kingdom and the United States will be present. These vessels exemplify the naval tradition of the 19th and 20th centuries.

This year, a new trophy designed by Spanish design studio La Granja Design will debut. It will remain on display at the Barcelona Royal Yacht Club.



*Forty historic vessels from around the world will take part in the event. Image credit: Puig*

"Barcelona is proud to be, once again, the venue for one of the most prestigious regattas in the Mediterranean," said Mr. Collboni, in a statement.

"This regatta is a living expression of our maritime identity and strengthens us as a city of the sea," Mr. Collboni said. "The tandem sport and Barcelona are unbeatable.

"We want the sport to be a meeting point, and we invite the people of Barcelona to enjoy these days of this historic regatta."

In April, the company reported that its revenue increased by 7.8 percent year-over-year in the first quarter of 2025 ([see story](#)).