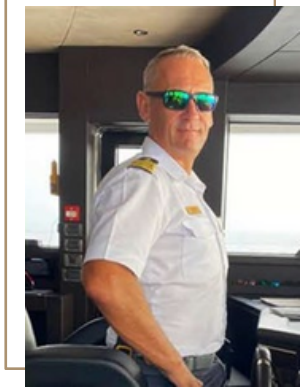


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GORDON ROSS
CAPTAIN
AUSTRALIAN

Languages: English

Hobbies: Diving, jet skiing and motocross.

Gordon, our experienced Australian Captain, brings an impressive 26 years of expertise in the marine industry. At 53 years old, his diverse background includes yacht sales, earthmoving, and heavy machinery, along with four years of service in the Australian Army. Raised in the coastal town of Nambucca Heads, NSW, Gordon's deep-rooted passion for the ocean and adventure naturally led him to a life at sea.

His extensive maritime journey has taken him across the globe, skippering yachts throughout the Pacific Islands, from Australia to the United States, Panama, the Caribbean, the Bahamas, the China Sea, Indonesia, Malaysia, and Thailand. For the past 14 years, Gordon has served as a dedicated Superyacht Captain and played a key role in the design and construction of *Song of Songs*, which he proudly delivered to Phuket in November 2022.

With a fun and positive attitude, Gordon creates a welcoming and adventurous atmosphere on board. He excels in guest interaction, offering warmth, patience, and professionalism to guests of all ages. Supported by the experienced crew he has carefully selected and trained, Gordon ensure severy charter is smooth, safe, and unforgettable.

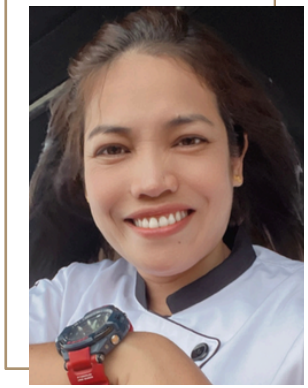


BAHARUDIN BIN BAHARI
CHIEF OFFICER
MALAYSIAN

Languages: Malay, English

Hobbies: Diving and jet skiing.

In 2010, Baha joined FREEDOM and has since risen from Chief Steward to Chief Officer. He combines his love of travel and working at sea with a resilient, good-humoured approach. He has worked well with both crew and guests, proving to be a true assetto our team over the past 14 years.



ACHIRAYA KAEWPRAYOON - KUKKAI

CHEF

THAI

Languages: Thai, English

Hobbies: Cooking, exploring coastal life.

Chef Kukkai brings over a decade of yachting experience and a lifelong passion for cooking to the galley of Song of Songs.

At 38 years old and originally from Thailand, she has mastered the art of creating exquisite dishes that blend authentic Thai flavors with Western and fusion cuisine. Her love for the sea and coastal living perfectly complements her culinary journey, where fresh ingredients and creative flair take center stage.

With a warm presence and a dedication to guest satisfaction, Kukkai believes that “My passion for cooking is the fire that turns raw ingredients into culinary magic.” Her dishes reflect not just skill, but heart; and her ability to cater to a wide range of tastes makes every meal on board a highlight of the charter experience.





ABEGAIL O. AGNA

CHIEF STEWARDESS

FILIPINA

Languages: Filipino, English

Hobbies: Music, Traveling, Reading fiction, Korean drama.

Abe is a calm, committed, and positive presence on board Song of Songs, leading the interior team with grace and energy. Originally from Camaligan, she studied Culinary Arts & Table Service at the Manila Institute for Culinary Arts before working in high-end restaurants and spending four seasons on luxury cruise ships. These early experiences shaped her strong service mindset and tireless work ethic.

Since transitioning to yachting in 2020, Abe has taken on a wide variety of roles—from stewardess and pastry chef to deckhand and masseuse—before rising to Chief Stewardess. She brings a hands-on approach to every detail of interior service, from housekeeping and turn-downs to table settings and personalized guest touches.

Abe is praised by guests and crew alike for her warm personality and her ability to stay composed under pressure. One of her standout moments was helping to manage a yacht during a sudden storm in Indonesia, proving her leadership and calm in challenging conditions.

With her high standards, hospitality, and joyful spirit, Abe ensures that every charter runs smoothly and memorably from start to finish.



AILEEN DE ASIS

STEWARDESS

FILIPINA

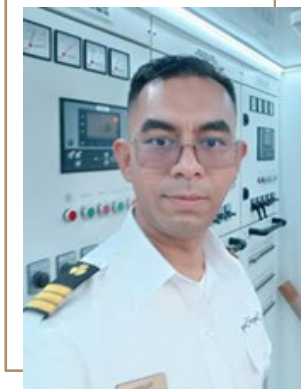
Languages: Fluent Filipino, English and Basic Russian

Hobbies: Reading books, Diving.

Aileen brings warmth, dedication, and a strong work ethic to her role as stewardess on board *Song of Songs*. Originally from the Philippines and holding a Bachelor's degree in Physical Therapy, she began her international career in 2012 and spent nearly a decade working with a private Russian family, often living on board their yacht. These early experiences sparked her passion for life at sea and inspired her to pursue a career in yachting.

With formal training in STCW, Food & Hygiene, and Open Water diving, Aileen gradually transitioned into the yachting world—gaining experience through day work, part-time roles, and eventually full-time positions. She joined Song of Songs in 2022, where she has flourished as part of a dynamic, guest-focused charter team.

Aileen is known for her reliability, positivity, and eagerness to grow in her role. She takes pride in her work and values being part of a motivated, supportive crew. Every charter is an opportunity for her to learn, connect with guests, and contribute to delivering unforgettable experiences on board.



HUZAIMI BIN HASHIM

CHIEF ENGINEER

MALAYSIAN

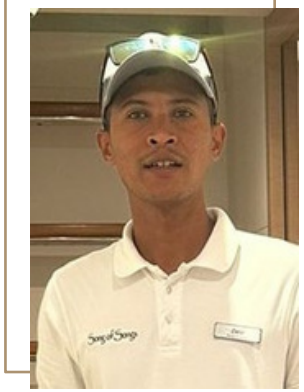
Languages: Bahasa, English

Hobbies: Fishing, Diving.

Huzaimi is a skilled and resourceful Chief Engineer with a deep connection to the sea and a lifelong passion for mechanics. Growing up in a fishing family, he was inspired by his father's hands-on creativity and problem-solving with limited resources. This early influence led him to pursue a Diploma in Marine Engineering at the Malaysia Maritime Academy, supported by a full scholarship from MISC.

With over 7 years of experience as Chief Engineer on board Freedom, and a strong background in commercial shipping, ferries, survey vessels, and offshore platforms, Huzaimi brings extensive technical expertise and calm leadership to Song of Songs. His transition into the yachting industry has been driven by his enthusiasm for new challenges, dynamic teamwork, and the ever-evolving learning opportunities unique to luxury yachting.

Huzaimi is known for his steady demeanor, positive attitude, and hands- on approach. He thrives in a strong team environment and takes pride in supporting smooth operations both in the engine room and beyond.



ZARUL HANIF BIN MOHD YATIM

2ND ENGINEER

MALAYSIAN

Languages: Malaysian, English

Hobbies: Bicycles, Music, DIY projects.

Born and raised in Malaysia, Zarul's passion for marine engineering led him to complete comprehensive vocational training in Marine Mechanical Engineering. With solid experience gained initially on commercial vessels, Zarul joined Song of Songs in 2022 as 2nd Engineer. He is responsible for maintaining the yacht's advanced mechanical systems, ensuring smooth operations and safety at all times.

Though not raised around yachts, Zarul's fascination with engines and the sea drew him to the yachting industry, where he enjoys the close-knit team environment, high technical standards, and the chance to travel to stunning destinations. Known for his hardworking and calm approach, Zarul is skilled at troubleshooting and repairing mechanical systems, always ready to tackle any challenge on board.

Outside work, Zarul enjoys restoring bicycles and cars while listening to Eminem, combining his love for hands-on projects with music to relax and recharge. His dedication to safety, continuous learning, and teamwork makes him an invaluable part of the Song of Songs crew.



NOE C. LEGAYADA

BOSUN

FILIPINO

Languages: Filipino, English

Hobbies: Music, Basketball ,Fishing, Cinema, Gym.

Noe was born in the Philippines and grew up in a close-knit family with two brothers and two sisters. After earning a degree in Marine Engineering from W.I.T., he initially aimed to become a seafarer. However, his career path led him to the hospitality industry, where he spent seven years working at Berjaya Langkawi. This experience ignited his passion for travel and service, eventually guiding him toward the yachting world.

Since starting in yachting, Noe has steadily climbed the ranks, beginning as a deckhand on private yachts such as Planet One and Phoenix, before serving as a deckhand and steward on Freedom. Today, he proudly holds the position of Bosun on board Song of Songs.

Noe thrives in the dynamic environment of yachting, appreciating the strong team spirit onboard and the opportunity to visit beautiful destinations across Asia. Known for being responsible, hardworking, and balanced, he takes great pride in his work and enjoys creating a smooth, enjoyable experience for guests.

When off duty, Noe enjoys listening to music, playing basketball, fishing, watching movies, and staying active through regular exercise.



KHAIRI BIN MOHAMAD

DECKHAND/STEW

MALAYSIAN

Languages: Malaysian, English

Hobbies: Flying drones, Basketball.

Khairi's passion for the sea began in his youth, growing up near the ocean and developing a deep love for boats and life on the water. After starting his career in hospitality at a luxury resort, he was offered the chance to work aboard a yacht, where he found his true calling. Over more than a decade in the yachting industry, Khairi has gained extensive experience working with VIP guests, including ministers and royal families, combining professionalism with genuine care.

Now serving as Deckhand and Steward on M.Y. Song of Songs, Khairi takes pride in ensuring guests enjoy seamless and memorable experiences, whether by assisting with water sports or maintaining the yacht's immaculate condition. He thrives in the supportive and team-oriented environment aboard the yacht, led by approachable and strong leadership.

Khairi's trustworthy, flexible, and caring nature, combined with a strong work ethic and positive outlook, makes him an invaluable member of the crew and a friendly face guests can rely on during their charter.



DEO GEGALAO ESPIN

DECKHAND/STEW

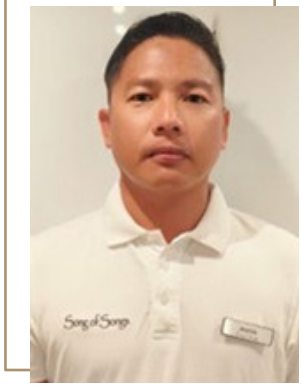
FILIPINO

Languages: Filipino, English.

Hobbies: Basketball, Gym.

Deo's passion for the sea was sparked early in life, growing up in a family deeply rooted in maritime traditions. After completing his studies at St. Therese MTC Colleges, he chose to pursue a career in yachting to combine his love of the ocean with a professional and service-oriented lifestyle. Deo has built solid experience on board several private sailing yachts, where he developed strong skills in seamanship, guest service, and teamwork.

Since joining Song of Songs as a Deckhand/Steward, Deo has embraced the yacht's culture of professionalism and strong team spirit. Under the guidance of excellent leadership, he thrives in delivering exceptional guest experiences while fostering a positive and respectful crew environment. Known for being adaptable, reliable, and professional, Deo takes great pride in his work and continually seeks opportunities to learn and grow within the industry.



JEARICK P. PAHILAGAO

TENDER DRIVER

FILIPINO

Languages: Filipino, English

Hobbies: Riding motorbikes, Traveling, Music.

Jearick P. Pahilagao is a dedicated and experienced Chase Boat Skipper for Song of Songs's chase tender Go Flash. Growing up in a family with deep ties to the maritime industry, Jearick developed a passion for the sea from an early age. This natural connection to the ocean inspired him to pursue a career in yachting, allowing him to combine his love of boats with his desire to travel and explore the world.

Starting his career as a deckhand, Jearick quickly advanced through the ranks, gaining valuable experience on a variety of private yachts. Notably, he served as deckhand on Beluga Free where he participated in a circumnavigation of the globe. He has also held positions as first mate and assistant engineer on various yachts.

Jearick is known for his responsible and calm demeanor, honesty, and strong sense of understanding—qualities that help him maintain safety and efficiency while fostering a positive and supportive crew environment. He enjoys the teamwork and high standards onboard Go Flash, appreciating the opportunity to visit stunning destinations while working with reliable and motivated colleagues.

Beyond his professional life, Jearick is a Philippines Navy Reservist and an avid scuba diver. Friendly and approachable, he prides himself on being easy to talk to and is ready to welcome guests on board.



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