

BARCOLANA CHEF: READY FOR THE 2019 EDITION

14 chefs, 1 event

On 4 October in Piazza Unità (Trieste) for WWF

Trieste, 24 September 2019 – Also this year illycaffè, Barcolana presented by Generali and Harry's Piccolo will organise Barcolana Chef together. Combining sailing and haute cuisine, this is one of the most important events of the week of the historic regatta: with last year's format, this 5th edition will still be a charity event open to the public.

Chefs presenting their own creations on Saturday 5 October during the evening are: Claudio Sadler (Sadler, Milan), Tomaz Kavcic (Gostilna Pri Lojzetu, Zemono, Vipava), Eugenio Boer (BU:R, Milan), Matteo Metullio, Davide De Pra, Alessandro Buffa (Harry's Piccolo), Iside De Cesare (La Parolina, Trevinano), Alessio Longhini (Stube Gourmet, Asiago), Terry Giacomello (Ristorante Inkiostro, Parma), Graziano Prest (Tivoli, Cortina d'Ampezzo), Simone Padoan (i Tigli, San Bonifacio), Franco Favaretto (Baccaladivino, Mestre), Antonio Tufano (Harry's Pasticceria Trieste) e Lorenzo Bensi (Harry's Gelato, Trieste).

In the brand-new structure of Piazza Unità created by Barcolana for this occasion, fine dining will be accompanied by music, thanks to Martux_M who will be performing a special visual live set for the event, to remind everybody that our sea is in danger.

Keeping up with its tradition, on Sunday 6 October Barcolana Chef will turn the chefs into sailors: with the help of professional skippers, they will live the sailing life for one day.

The proceeds from admission tickets will be donated to WWF to support a project to save our sea from plastic. By purchasing the tasting package (€105) you can taste all of the chefs' creations. Thanks to our partnership with Musement, tickets can be purchased online at www.barcolana.it, from 26 September until places are available.

Other excellent partners will be the protagonists of this event, namely Prosecco DOC, Acqua Dolomia, Ferrari and Meteri.

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illycaffè is an Italian family business, founded in Trieste in 1933 and committed to offering the greatest coffee to the world. illy is the world's most global coffee brand, producing the unique illy 100% Arabica blend made of 9 of the world's best selections of Arabica; each day more than 7 million cups are served in over 140 countries in the finest cafés, restaurants, hotels and in offices and homes. illy has become the standard forerunner of espresso, and thanks to three critical innovations, is considered the leader in the science and technology of coffee. With the bestowing of the first “Ernesto Illy Award for quality espresso coffee” in 1991 in Brazil, illy also pioneered direct sourcing, sharing know-how and paying a premium price for the best quality, based on partnerships underwritten by the principles of sustainable development. The company also founded the University of Coffee with the aim of fostering and spreading its culture, providing comprehensive academic and hands-on training for coffee growers, baristas and coffee lovers in order to cover every aspect of the product. Everything ‘made in illy’ is enhanced by beauty & art, which represent founding values of the brand, starting from its logo – designed by an artist, James Rosenquist – and including the renowned illy Art Collection, comprised of over 100 cups designed by international artists. In 2018 the company was employing 1,294 people, and posted consolidated revenues of €483 million. There are approximately 259 stores and mono-brand illy shops in 43 countries.