

Tyrita

Entry No. 14

Vessel Type

Moody Carbineer 44 Loa 13.4m

Skipper / Captain

Andy French and fellow sailors

Tyrita was built in 1971 at Moody's boatyard on the Hamble to a design by Laurent Giles, hull number 4 of 16. Her first owner was Neville Duke DSO OBE DFC AFC, a British fighter ace and test pilot who was credited with 27 enemy aircraft destroyed in the Second World War. In 1953 he set the world air speed record flying a Hawker Hunter at 727.63 mph. Another notable owner was Judge Francis Gilbert. Tyrita has been in her current ownership for three years and is undergoing a gradual upgrade. On board on the day will be Andy French and fellow sailors.



