



The new 2006 Columbia 30 Sport Yacht™ will be shown at two of the largest boat shows in the U.S. in Spring, 2006:

February 2-5, Strictly Sail Chicago

April 23-26, Strictly Sail Pacific (Oakland)

The Chicago show is particularly exciting. Not only is it the first time that the new Columbia 30 will be shown in the Great Lakes region, but we will also introduce our Fleet Captains for the Great Lakes, Paul and Donna Ulatowski at the show.

Paul and Donna Ulatowski's Columbia 30 "Heart Throb" ships to Chicago this month, outfitted with a "Columbia Red" hull and subtle two-tone, white and light-gray deck. Heart Throb will be showcased at the Chicago show, so you will be able to see her and to meet Paul and Donna in person.

Paul and Donna Ulatowski are well known sailors and racers in the Great Lakes region, and we are proud that they have chosen to become Columbia Yachts Fleet Captains.

The Fleet Captain program is straightforward. We feel that the best proponents of our yachts are owners. With that in mind, we've developed an owner-representative program that rewards enthusiastic owners for their efforts towards developing the Columbia 30 fleet.

The Fleet Captain program's purpose is to build Columbia 30 racing fleets nationwide. And, Fleet Captains are proud Columbia 30 owners - not dealers - so our customers remain eligible to receive 20% off factory-direct pricing.

For more information on the Chicago show, please go to www.columbiayachts.com/Chicago/web, and for more information on the Oakland show, please go to www.columbiayachts.com/Oakland.

As always, if you are interested in the new 2006 Columbia 30 Sport Yacht™, please don't hesitate to send us an e-mail (info@columbiayachts.com) or call us directly, (714) 557-0712.

For construction images, news, articles, reviews and more, please visit www.columbiayachts.com.

Good sailing,

Vince Valdes

President, Columbia Yacht Corporation