

THE WELLESLEY

OCEANCO 1993 (2016) LOA 56.2m/184'5" BEAM 9.1m/29'10" DRAFT 3.1m/10'2"

"We loved the experience aboard The Wellesley. The yacht looked stunning with the elegant Art Deco style running throughout. The crew were fantastic from top to bottom with the excellent captain leading by example. The chef never failed to amaze us with his wide repertoire and the interior team looked after our every need. The kids are already begging us to book the yacht again for next summer!"



GUESTS 12 / CABINS 6 / CREW 12 / RATES FROM €230,000 PW / SUMMER EAST AND WEST MEDITERRANEAN / WINTER EAST AND WEST MEDITERRANEAN

SPECIFICATIONS

Cruising Speed 13 knots (max 16 knots)
Range 4,500 nm
Engines 2 x MTU 12V 396TE74
Naval Architect Donald Starkey
Exterior Designer Gerhard Gilgenast
Interior Designer Donald Starkey/Dennis Irvine

THE YACHT

The Wellesley is not your average charter yacht. Built as Anedigmi in 1993 by the renowned Dutch shipyard Oceanco to an exterior design by Gerhard Gilgenast, she underwent a spectacular transformation in 2015 and 2016. With a complete re-imagining of her interior design and significant extension of usable guest areas on board, her new owner had one goal in mind: to create the perfect boutique charter yacht.

Travelling to Sunrise Yachts' facility in Turkey in the pursuit of perfection, no detail of the refit was too small. From the smart layouts of the en suite bathrooms in each luxurious guest cabin to the extension of the yacht's LOA by an impressive 6.4 metres, The Wellesley's owner took a hands-on approach to her creation to guarantee the very best.



SPECIAL FEATURES

- Rebuilt in 2016 with 6.4 metre extension
- Cigar friendly club room, in keeping with the elegant The Wellesley hotel in London
- Incredible deck space • Spill pool
- Beach club • Outdoor cinema
- Approved RYA watersports centre
- Stabilisers at anchor and underway



CAPTAIN ANTHONY ROMEL SILVA

Having worked as captain on board superyachts for nine years, Anthony Romel Silva knows how to create a unique charter experience that caters to each and every guest. He joined The Wellesley in April 2021, leading his "friendly yet discreet, relaxed but professional crew" to ensure a smooth charter from start to finish.

"From fancy dress parties and James Bond themed 12-course silver service dinners to a giant blow-up flamingo floating bar and a surprise live gig, we thrive to wow the guests where least expected," says Captain Silva.

THE EXPERIENCE

True to the design theme of her onshore counterpart, London's The Wellesley Hotel, the yacht is a delicious exploration of 1920s styling.

From the linen in the guest cabins to the Arabescato Corchia marble and Hermès amenities in the bathrooms, the continuation of The Wellesley brand is seamless.

She features an impressive amount of outdoor space spread over three decks. The main deck aft is particularly large and designed with entertaining in mind, including ample space for fine dining under the stars while for soaking up the sun, the sun deck is the central space on the boat.

An eight-person spill pool flanked by comfortable sun loungers and a massive crash pad ensure guests can enjoy the best of the yacht life.

Across the main and lower decks, sun pads, Dedon sofas and Indian Ocean loungers provide plenty of further relaxation space.

For those looking to get out on the water, The Wellesley comes fully equipped with a wealth of tenders and toys. A 10 metre chase boat and 4.5 metre sea tender allow guests to explore hidden spots along the coastline as well as to get to and from shore – safe, dry and in style.



THE CUISINE



CHEF BRADLEY VAN ROOYEN

Initially cooking up a storm on the brand's 32 metre Falcon-built motor yacht, South African Chef Bradley van Rooyen moved on to the 56 metre The Wellesley following the completion of the yacht's refit in 2016. Van Rooyen continues to wow guests with a variety of sensational menus – from Mediterranean fine dining and Asian delicacies to casual BBQs and homemade pizzas.

Having lived and worked all over the world, Chef van Rooyen has picked up a world of different tastes, flavours and inspiration, and today his menus provide something mouthwateringly delicious morning, day and night.

Each food experience on board The Wellesley is unique. With the whole crew dedicated to a 'no-request-too-big' mentality, Van Rooyen has delivered above and beyond expectations on numerous yacht charters for over three years, with a huge variety of dining options available to charter guests and all dietary requirements catered for.

Chef van Rooyen also provides afternoon teas, corporate lunches and celebrations for family events, with the special silver service lay for formal dinners mirroring The Wellesley hotel in London with Baccarat crystal, Christofle silverware and Wedgwood crockery.

