

*Million Pound Mega Yachts* steps into the secret world of the mega yacht, the ultimate toy for the world's wealthiest 1%. We follow the Brits who are buying, selling and serving on what are described as "the new manor houses" of the superrich.

These floating palaces congregate every year at the Monaco Yacht Show where billionaire owners compete against each other to have the biggest and best boats on the water. Measuring up to 200 metres, these giants of the sea cost hundreds of millions of pounds to build and on every deal, a gaggle of yacht brokers make a fortune.

It's the one time of year when 120 of the biggest boats on the planet come together in one almighty billionaire bun fight. But will the owners who have it all, be able to get what they want?

Behind the scenes at the show there's an army of Brits all working hard to satisfy the unquenchable demands of the mega yacht owners in this £24 billion industry. Terry Gilmore is the ex Dorset Builder who left it all behind to spend 30 years as a chief steward serving the world's wealthiest people. He now runs a training camp for crew wannabes, and knows that only a seven star service will be accepted, and if you don't measure up – you're sacked.

We follow Scottish multi millionaire Doug Barrowman. He spent over 50 million pounds of his fortune buying a 55 metre second hand yacht called Turquoise and completely redesigned it to his own personal taste. But he wants bigger and is willing to spend over 60 million pounds to build it.

Soho businessman Howard Raymond inherited over 80 million pounds from his entrepreneur father Paul Raymond, and is now worth substantially more. He wants to spend 20 million on a yacht he can sail around the World, and is also considering buying a submarine for his new yacht. Will Howard find the boat of his dreams at the Monaco Yacht show?

We also meet Shahid Kahn, billionaire owner of Fulham FC, as he prepares to show off his brand new crystal chandelier onboard his award winning 95 meter mega yacht. But will fellow billionaire Herb Chambers manage to out-bling his competitors with his take on the mega yacht?

Ex Naval Officer Rupert Burgess is a broker who has 25 years experience of trying to sell mega yachts to the uber wealthy. He's on a mission to sell a 130 million pound yacht, the most expensive Monaco Yacht show. We see Rupert's slick sales routine work its magic on

everyone from Lord Sugar to the agent of secret American billionaire. But he's concerned the purple lounge won't be to every billionaire's taste.

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