

PRESS RELEASE

Spring Has Sprung for Boutsen Aviation

Recent Sales, Events, and Upcoming EBACE

Monaco - May 17, 2018 - Things are in full bloom at **Boutsen Aviation** this month and show no sign of slowing down as the season continues.



Mathieu Pezin, Oliver Oberhofer and Lefty Kenyon

While the company recently celebrated its milestone **350th aircraft transaction**, the team is pleased to have sped along its sales trajectory with an additional four sales. **Executive Vice-President Mathieu Pezin** personally delivered the Citation CJ2 to its new owner, acting as safety pilot for the entire delivery. *“It shows we truly take care of the*

entire transaction,” remarks **Mr. Pezin**, *“being a pilot myself, nothing gives me greater pleasure than personally seeing the sales delivery through to the end.”* The company additionally closed 3 off-market sales, including a Legacy 650, a Falcon 7X, and a Global XRS.

In addition to closing sales, **Thierry Boutsen** has taken part in several sporting events within the Monaco community. On Sunday, May 6th, he participated in the **Champagne and Oyster Cycling Club’s annual 140km ride** from St. Tropez to Monaco along with several others from the motorsport world including **Mika Häkkinen, Eddie Jordan, and Ray Bellm**. Since the first ride in 2012, the organization’s event has raised 700,000 Euros to benefit the **Princess Charlene**



Thierry Boutsen and Eddie Jordan

of **Monaco Foundation**. *“Being an avid cyclist, this is one of my favorite events of the year”* remarks **Mr. Boutsen**, *“Last year, we had the honor to ride alongside **HSH Prince Albert II**, which was a momentous experience.”*

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Thierry Boutsen and Riccardo Patrese

Just one week later, Mr. Boutsen returned to his Formula One roots for the occasion of the Monaco Historical Grand Prix. Over the course of two days, he drove for the Williams team at the F1 Heritage Parade, which celebrated the history of Lotus, McLaren, and Williams. Following the race, he was delighted to have dinner with his old friend Bernie Ecclestone, former Chief Executive of the Formula One Group.

