



Sails of Glory debuts today on Kickstarter

Ares Games starts today the crowdfunding campaign for its Age of Sails tabletop game of ship-to-ship combat

March 5th, 2013 – **Sails of Glory**, the upcoming tactical Age of Sail game branded **Ares Games**, debuts today on [Kickstarter](#). Inspired by the acclaimed *Wings of Glory* system, **Sails of Glory** features assembled and painted ship models, ready to play out of the box, and a game system designed to accurately represent battles at sea between the large sailing ships of the past centuries.

Created by Andrea Angiolino and Andrea Mainini, **Sails of Glory** merges miniatures, cards and board game mechanics, using the same intuitive system of the *Wings of Glory* series of aerial combat games. Special decks of maneuver cards are used to represent the different movement capabilities of the models, creating a realistic gameplay with easy to use mechanics.



The first series of **Sails of Glory** is set in the Napoleonic Age, an iconic period for naval wargaming. The initial release, scheduled for August 2013, will include a Starter Set - an all-in-one starting point to begin playing, including four fully painted and assembled ships - and 12 additional Ship Packs. Four of these Ship Packs will be exclusively available for backers on Kickstarter: the French frigate *La Concorde*, the French ship-of-the-line *Fougueux*, the British frigate *HMS Juno*, and the British ship-of-the-line *HMS Bellerophon*.

“We are working on the **Sails of Glory** project since 2011 and the pre-production is 95% complete on this initial release. Launching the game on Kickstarter will help us to get the line growing at full speed. We will use the funding to ‘open the shipyard’ of many new releases we are preparing”, said Christoph Cianci, CEO of Ares Games. “We also see Kickstarter as a great way to connect with the people interested in the game and have their feedback to develop the line”.

After the initial funding of US\$ 30,000, several stretch goals for **Sails of Glory** Kickstarter are already set: US\$ 50,000, to fully fund the "shipyard" to create the *HMS Victory*; US\$ 75,000 to fund the creation of the *USS Constitution*; and US\$ 100,000 to fund the design and production of the *Sails of Glory* Game Mat. Further stretch goals will be unlocked as the project goes on.

Visit the **Sails of Glory** [Kickstarter](#) page at <http://www.kickstarter.com/projects/1402889231/sails-of-glory-miniatures-ship-combat> for more information or to pledge!



To know more about the game, visit also:

Sails of Glory page at Ares Games website - <http://www.aresgames.eu/games/sails-of-glory-line>.

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About Ares Games

Ares Games is an Italian board game publisher established in 2011 to create quality hobby products for the international audience. Ares Games is the publisher of the award-winning "War of the Ring" board game and of the "Wings of Glory" range of airplane combat games and miniatures, recreating aerial warfare in WW1 and WW2. Ares Games' catalog also includes Family Games and Euro Games. For further information, visit the website www.aresgames.eu and the Facebook page - <https://www.facebook.com/AresGames>.

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