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280 EAGLE XP – ELIMINATOR



Builder:

ELIMINATOR

Model:

280 Eagle XP

LOA:

28' 0" (8.59 m)

Beam:

8' 0" (2.49 m)

Fuel Capacity:

75 Gallons

Engines:

1

Manufacturer:

MerCruiser

Engine Type:

I/O

Fuel Type:

Gas

If you would like to buy a yacht **280 EAGLE XP – ELIMINATOR** or would like help, please call +1(954)274-4435 or visit shestakovyachtsales.com

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OVERVIEW

The 280 Eagle XP from ELIMINATOR fuses the exhilaration of a motor yacht with the focused dynamics of the high-performance segment. Designed to carry up to eight people and powered by a single Mercruiser I/O gasoline powerplant, it's aimed squarely at spirited day-boat outings with dependable, straightforward propulsion.

Selecting a 280 Eagle XP

Deciding whether this model fits your needs hinges on intended crew capacity, the types of waters you'll frequent, and how hands-on you want to be with upkeep. The 28 ft (8.59 m) LOA, 8 ft (2.49 m) beam and a 75-gallon fuel tank for the 280 Eagle XP deliver a well-proportioned blend of nimble handling and sufficient range for active day trips. If you prefer the reduced systems complexity of a single-engine arrangement from ELIMINATOR, this motor yacht in the high-performance class represents a deliberately simple, performance-focused option.

Work directly with Andrey Shestakov and Shestakov Yacht Sales to confirm stock, schedule viewings, and match the vessel's configuration to your planned use.

Features of the Model

- Single Mercruiser I/O gasoline engine offering direct, easy-to-service performance
- Seating and layout for as many as 8 people for social day trips
- 28 ft overall length and 8 ft beam for a compact profile with a confident ride
- 75-gallon fuel capacity to support active, high-speed day boating

- Positioned among motor yachts within the high-performance segment for buyers who prioritize quick response and speed

Technical Specifications

- Length overall (LOA): 28 ft (8.59 m)
- Beam: 8 ft (2.49 m)
- Engine: 1 x Mercruiser
- Drive: I/O
- Fuel: Gas
- Accommodation: up to 8 persons
- Fuel capacity: 75 gal
- Category: motor yachts; Subcategory: high performance yachts

Pricing and Ordering

Price points and estimated delivery schedules are provided on request. Contact Andrey Shestakov at Shestakov Yacht Sales for a customized quote, comparative market data, and comprehensive brokerage services including paperwork, survey arrangements, and transportation planning.

Questions and Answers

Q: What type of yacht is the 280 Eagle XP? A: **Type:** The 280 Eagle XP is a motor yacht categorized within the high-performance segment, constructed by ELIMINATOR.

Q: How many people can it accommodate? A: **Accommodation:** The design supports up to 8 persons aboard.

Q: What are the key dimensions? A: **LOA:** 28 ft (8.59 m). **Beam:** 8 ft (2.49 m).

Q: What powers the boat? A: **Engine:** 1 x Mercruiser. **Drive:** I/O. **Fuel:** Gas.

Q: How do I purchase or schedule a viewing? A: **Contact:** Reach Andrey Shestakov at Shestakov Yacht Sales for pricing, availability, and full brokerage assistance.

Owner Experience Review

Owners generally regard the 280 Eagle XP from ELIMINATOR as a true high-performance dayboat. Many examples are equipped with large-displacement or supercharged powerplants — 502, 555, and even packages exceeding 680 hp — and are commonly used for spirited weekend runs on lakes and rivers. Community forums frequently describe the model as a “toy” for speed-focused owners, and listings often emphasize its brisk acceleration with comments like, “This boat gets up and moves.”

On the water, with heavy horsepower installed the hull planes quickly and sustains speed with authority. When pushed into the upper speed bands — owners reference speeds in the 90+ mph range — some boats exhibit chine or planing characteristics that respond to small steering corrections; many operators install K-plane tabs or trim tabs and opt for hydraulic steering systems (for example IMCO or Dana) to better manage trim and attitude.

Regarding comfort, the 28' open-bow layout is well-suited to day-cruising, offering cockpit seating and, frequently, substantial stereo systems in owner boats; it's ideal for shorter outings but feels compact for larger groups and is not optimized for extended cruising. Some versions have minimal cabin facilities or omit a head entirely, though under-seat storage and a bow/ski locker provide useful space for gear. From a maintenance point of view, the high-output engines commonly fitted require specialist servicing and occasional top-end work; owners also mention routine cosmetic tasks like gelcoat repair and upholstery refurbishment. A recurring practical note: if the

batteries are depleted, gaining access through a power-operated engine hatch can be difficult unless an alternative manual access solution has been fitted.

Pros and Cons

- Strong performance potential; with big-block or supercharged power the boat gets on plane rapidly and achieves high speeds.
- The open-bow 28' configuration is well-suited for day cruising, with comfortable cockpit seating and frequently upgraded audio systems in owner examples.
- Practical storage under seats and a bow/ski locker help manage gear for day trips.
- Limited interior volume and amenities for larger families or overnight stays; many boats lack a head.
- High-speed behavior demands attention; at speeds around 90+ mph some owners note chine/planing tendencies that require small steering inputs.
- A dead battery can make opening a power engine hatch difficult unless an owner has installed an access workaround.

Comparison with Other Models

Model	LOA	Beam	Draft	Speed (Cruising/Max)	Gross Tonnage
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The founder and lead broker of the company is Andrey Shestakov, a licensed and certified expert with extensive experience in marine engineering and shipbuilding.

The company has an extensive network of partnerships with major yacht manufacturers worldwide and provides services in multiple languages, including Russian, Ukrainian, Spanish, and English. The office is in Dania Beach, Florida, USA.

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