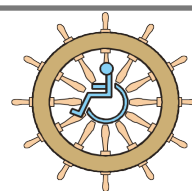


M.V.FREEDOM



Providing access to the sea for those people living with disability

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Hello Everyone

It has been a long time since we saw you all and we are missing our trips with you out into Weymouth Bay. The weather has been beautiful, and it's such a shame to be tied up in the Marina, so we felt that we should try to keep you up to date on our plans as the weeks progress and especially our new boat.

Unfortunately we had no choice but to cancel our trips so far this summer, but much as we would love to take you for a cruise, your health and safety is more important than anything. We are all hoping that when this horrible virus has gone away we can all get back together again.

Dirk Aldous
Chairman/Skipper



Danny the Dolphin is back at last!

We thought you would like to know that Danny the Dolphin is back in town – well in Weymouth Bay really. This time he has brought his own friends! Lovely to see him again, and he seems really happy to be back and has been playing with as many boats as he and his friends can find. Hope he is still there when we get back to sea.





The New Boat

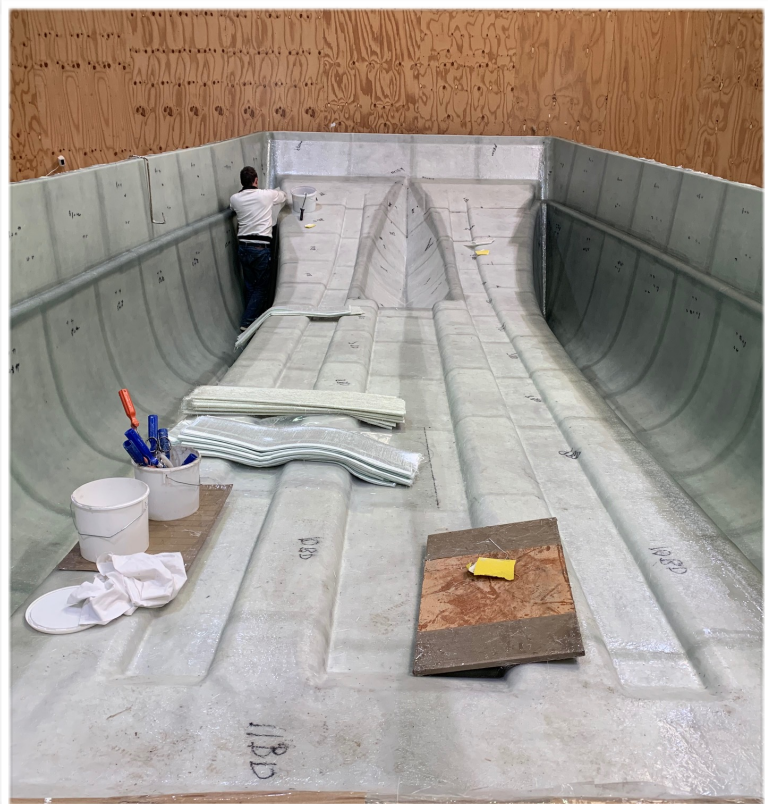
Work started on her in March and she is due for delivery at the end of this year, so I thought I would include some photos of it as she takes shape and then you will know what to expect. Despite Covid 19 and the need for social distancing our builders have managed to keep working. The hull has been made and is now being fitted with its inner strengthening and bulkheads. Like us, you will probably think it looks huge, (see the man in the corner) but it is actually the same overall size as our present boat.

Although, the interior design is slightly different to give more outdoor space and better visibility for you all. But don't worry about the windy days, as she will have a full set of side screens with large windows so that you can all easily see the wonderful Jurassic coastline.

Future Bookings

As you probably know our present MV Freedom has now been sold back into World of Cornish fishermen where she originated in 1992. I don't think it will mean retirement for her just yet and I understand that she is going to be refitted for fishing and passenger trips to the Scilly Isles. So another busy life ahead for her.

Unfortunately, the possibility of further boat trips this summer is starting to look remote, but we are busy making preparations for the launching of the new boat as well as taking bookings for next year. All very exciting!



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