

Over Jolly AQua translated in to english

Our boats and who we are

On this page you will find information about the owners and Jolly AQua. Do you feel that you still miss information, we like to answer all your mail with questions. At the moment we (Hans and Riet Buijs) sail on the sailing catamaran Andromaque, an Apache 41 and the Gaviotta is being renovated.

The Andromaque is a two-mast-sailing catamaran, built in Plymouth South England. She has sailed all the oceans and has plenty of space and excellent sailing characteristics. Hans and Riet Buijs bought the Andromaque for Jolly AQua in 2015. In 2016 there was an opportunity to pick it up in the Algarve and to sail to the Netherlands. Dozens of day trips, short trips and two long sailing trips have been made. The first adjustments and improvements have been made on board.

Our homeport is Willemsoord, Den Helder NL

Who we are

We are Hans and Riet Buijs have many years of sailing experience. From 1985 on the Gaviotta sailingship. Since 1993 this is a motorboat.

From 1997, they sailed with a smaller type of cabin catamaran, Iroquis MKII.

Hans was born in Amsterdam and married Riet Kolkman from the Achterhoek Harreveld in 1980. They have lived together in Lichtenvoorde since then

The son and the two daughters have just not been born on a boat. The latest round hair study begins in 2016.

Hans Buijs is trained as a marine mechanic. Since his 11th owner of one or more boats. When his employer made a company reorganization, he decided to work after 37 years in Quality Technology to give a form to his dream; Making long sailing trips and let more people enjoy the (relaxed) tension on the water. His wife Riet travels with him. Due to her long working life in care, she has the space to free for long sailing trips. April 7, 2015, both go to the Chamber of Commerce. VOF Jolly Aqua is founded. Sailing with guests is now being realized