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Pelican[®] 80', a new breed by Olivier van Meer

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The new standard in cruising developed by Olivier van Meer & Sea Independent Custom



Olivier van Meer is designer of the world's most inspired blue-water cruising yachts, developed to take the owners on the ultimate journey of discovery. As a follow up of his successful Puffin[®] and Zaca[®] concepts, his latest breed is called Pelican[®]. The first yacht of this range is an 80' fast cruiser designed to be handled by two persons. This new creation has established the hallmarks of a classic that is designed for performance, safety, luxury and built to the highest quality. It is the performance, sea kindness, attention to detail and ingenious use of space that raises her above the competition. Olivier van Meer was one of the first designers who created *real* panoramic deck saloons without destroying the exterior appearance. Also the Pelican offers a deck saloon with full view. Combining a superior inside steering navcom area with an ingenious central galley next to the cockpit and opposite the raised luxury seating area. This light and airy deck saloon is connected with only a few steps to the generous and well sheltered cockpit for comfortable outside living; an unmatched ease of cockpit/galley-to-sea and cockpit/galley to accommodation communication. The separate helmsman cockpit is provided with all equipment for single handed sailing.

Easy access to the hydraulic swimming platform makes this concept the perfect home at sea for live aboard, cruising and long passage making.

Some specific features:

- ✓ Panoramic deck saloon
- ✓ Maximum comfort of inside and outside living
- ✓ Prepared for hot and cold climates (ice)
- ✓ Generous sheltered cockpit with separate sailing cockpit
- ✓ Central galley connected to cockpit and inside dining
- ✓ Huge scullery next to the galley for stores, fridge, freezer etc.
- ✓ Easy access separate workplace with work bench, tools ,etc.
- ✓ Separate technical room for technical installation and electric systems separated from engineroom
- ✓ Easy access extreme insulated engineroom only for main engine and main genset
- ✓ Hydraulic bathing platform
- ✓ Hidden tender garage
- ✓ Separate crew cabin/children's/extra guest cabin with own entrance

The Pelican 80' concept will be customized for each owner in every detail. Built in aluminum of core cell/epoxy composite and equipped by a hydraulic lifting keel, twin rudder configuration and no-runners carbon rig. The Pelican 80 is the ideal short-handed performance cruiser in which the experience and development of over 25 years and over 100 custom built yachts is combined

Pelican 80' is the result of an intensive cooperation between Olivier van Meer and Sea Independent.

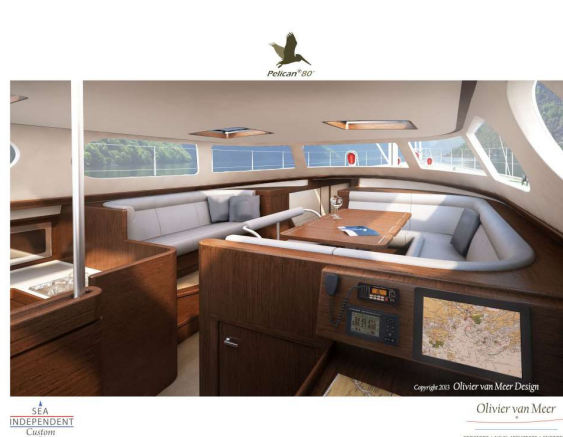
Great ideas are better when shared

Olivier van Meer and Marcel Borgmann, CEO of Sea Independent, go under the name **Sea Independent Custom**, an exclusive partnership whereby van Meer designs the complete customized production drawings, the construction specifications and instructions, and the technical supervision, as well as taking on the supervision of the delivery, and Borgmann takes care of the finance and business development, including the marketing, sales, contracting, and any legal supervision.

With the vast expertise and experience of this collaboration it ensures the maximum creative and quality results, whilst the future owner is free of all the details regarding overseeing construction projects. The models will be offered via the worldwide network of Sea Independent.

The solid experience of Marcel Borgmann in Dutch yacht industry ensures a perfectionist management organization. Designer Olivier van Meer distinguishes himself with "less is more", overall know-how and his special personal approach. All this is combined with the world-renowned high Dutch yacht building quality.

The concepts distinguish themselves in durability, ease of maintenance, safety, maximum comfort and personalized bespoke solutions. For each project and client the most appropriate site and the best suppliers are carefully selected. In short, the client is "unconcerned" from his first ideas and wishes until after the trial cruise. He can devote time to the fun and inspirational aspects of the design and construction process.



Annexes: General plan - Illustrations - Technical specifications
All pictures and illustrations: Olivier van Meer

For more information:

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Since 1985, **Olivier van Meer's** design and engineering team has worked on over 600 projects. New building, renovations, refits, adaptations and optimizations, as well for private yachts as for professional navigation. Next to making lots of well-known designs, the bureau has specialized in delivering complete drawing and building packages that are ready to be built.

All disciplines that are necessary for the preparation of an efficient construction are grouped under one roof. Almost all projects receive technical guidance by specialists of the OVM team. Next to the own creations, these services are also being offered for builders. Olivier van Meer, member of the Dutch Society of naval Architects (NBJA), is a distinctive designer, due to his enormous practical knowledge and experience in the field of motor and sailing yachts, the authentic creations and efficient solutions.

Olivier van Meer's ships are known for their seaworthiness, comfort, no-nonsense, good accessibility of technique and energy efficiency. In short, the future Classics for the Master Mariner.

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