

**Aquanaut Yachting Holland Aquanaut Drifter 1500 AK**



<b>Year:</b>	2006	<b>Heads:</b>	
<b>Location:</b>	Newcastle	<b>Cabin:</b>	
<b>LOA:</b>	49' 1" (14.95m)		
<b>LWL:</b>	42' 8" (13.00m)		
<b>Ballast:</b>			
<b>Designer:</b>	Aquanaut Yachting		
<b>Beam:</b>	14' 11"		
<b>Draft:</b>	3' 11"		

**Remarks:** This is a well equipped cruiser, with all the necessary modern facilities and is geared for ease of short distance travel. The boat has been carefully, thoughtfully designed and built to a high standard.

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## **Mechanical:**

Powered by twin PerkinsM135 135hp diesel engines with 917 hours of use at the time of listing.

Both engines fitted with hydraulic pumps.

Shaft drives to Exalto 4 bladed propellers with plastimo 40mm rope cutters.

Bow and stern 160 Kgf hydraulic thrusters.

Serviced annually by Aquanaut until 2011 and then by the owner until present.

## **Construction:**

This Aquanaut 1500 Drifter was built in 2005 by Aquanaut Yachting Holland.

Hull, deck and coach roof are constructed in steel.

Integrated bathing platform.

The interior is fitted out in cherry and carpeted in blue except for the galley which has a teak and ash sole.

Saloon windows double glazed with insulated frames and upgraded insulation package.

Escape hatches fitted in the galley and forward cabin.

## **Electrics:**

12V + 24V battery packs (11 batteries - renewed 2010)

Mastervolt Whisper 12 Ultra 12kVA generator

2500W Mastervolt Inverter

230V shore power and cable.

230V battery charger 75amp management system.

## **Tankage:**

Fuel 4000 litre capacity in two steel tanks.

Water 800 litre capacity in two stainless steel tanks.

Holding 400-litre capacity in two stainless steel tanks.

Calorifier tank

## **Water System:**

Pressurised hot and cold water system.

Kabola B12 hot water and central heating system

Calorifier supplying hot water either from engine or immersion.

## **Inventory:**

### **Navigation Aids:**

Raymarine C120 chart plotter/radar

Raymarine ST60 Log/Speed/Wind/Depth/Compass,

Raymarine ST7001 autohelm with S100 remote control

Nasa AIS radar receiver

### **Ground Tackle:**

Anchor and chain

Vetus hydraulic windlass

### **Safety Equipment:**

Simrad RS82 VHF DSC radio

Clipper Navtex

Radiotelex Weatherman

Smoke and CO2 detectors x 2

Seago danbuoy  
Lifering  
Electric bilge pump  
Manual bilge pump x 2  
Fire blanket  
Fire extinguisher x 6  
Automatic engine fire extinguisher system  
Radar reflector  
Deck lights and step lights  
Horn

**General Inventory:**

CAB and hydraulically damped fully adjustable helm and co-pilot seating  
Texalarm burglar alarm  
Enclosed cockpit cover  
Sprayhood and bimini  
Tonneau cover  
Mosquito screens for all hatches and portholes.  
Med screens  
Navigation lights  
Crane with the capacity to lift a motor scooter/motorbike  
Barometer  
Boarding ladder  
Fenders and warps  
Satellite dish and box  
Flat screen TV

**Accommodation:**

This Aquanaut 1500 Drifter sleeps four comfortably and has an owner's aft cabin with a V berth in the forward cabin.  
Clima reverse air conditioning system is fitted supplying hot or cold air to aft cabin and saloon.  
Also fitted is a Kabola boiler central heating system which supplies heating via radiators to all compartments and also an additional hot water supply.

**Saloon:**

Large carpeted saloon area with two Stressless recliners. (not included in sale)  
Dining table to port.  
Storage cupboards all around the saloon area giving envious capacity.  
A folded desk section is fitted to the rear of the saloon when additional work surfaces are required or home office.  
All windows are double glazed with frames also insulated.  
Also fitted to the windows are heat reflective blinds and full wrap around lined curtains.

**Owner's Cabin**

Island bed with Dunlopillo mattress and fitted with Bedflex battens.  
Two full hanging wardrobes with numerous lockers on both port and starboard sides.  
Storage under island bed.  
Shower compartment to port with heated towel rail.  
Toilet compartment to starboard with electric toilet, wash hand basin finished in Corian surfaces and heated towel rail.  
Tall hanging locker in the passageway

**Forward Starboard Cabin**

The cabin has a large V berth fitted with sandwich foam mattresses and Bedflex battens.



Ensuite toilet, shower, wash hand basin finished in Corian surfaces and heated towel rail.

**Galley:**

The very well equipped galley with large storage capacity is located forward of the saloon on a lower level.

Countertops are finished in beautiful Corian with dish drain.

Single stainless steel sink with pressurised hot and cold water and additional filtered cold water tap.

Siemens 4 burner induction hob with Siemens extractor hood.

Siemens HB880570 oven, grill and microwave.

Front loaded Waeco refrigerator.

Front loaded Waeco 80 litre freezer.

Siemens ST65T350 dishwasher.

Bosch washing machine and Bosch tumble dryer. (located in a cupboard in the passageway to aft cabin)

**Remarks :**

This Aquanaut 1500 Drifter named New Dawn is a large Dutch built well equipped cruiser, with all the necessary equipment for long distance cruising in comfort and safety. She has been carefully, thoughtfully designed and equipped for a couple to cruise in comfort with all the necessary modern facilities and is geared for ease of short handed berthing.

This Cat 'B' vessel is designed to either cruise offshore or inland waters of Europe and has been to the French, Belgium, Dutch and German canals (no pilot required on Rhine), the Baltic, the Thames and the East Coast of the UK. She has been owned since new by the present owners who have kept her in excellent condition, which is reflected in the admiring glances from all who see her.

This Aquanaut 1500 Drifter has a spacious owners aft cabin layout with ensuite shower and ensuite toilet facilities. In addition a double forward cabin again ensuite with toilet and shower. The large double glazed comfortable saloon area gives excellent views of your surroundings and has adjacent a galley, which has all you require.

The helm and co-pilot positions has seats which will keep you comfortable in any conditions and are fully adjustable. With her excellent climate controls and, upgraded insulation this vessel is at home in both high and low temperature cruising grounds, keeping the crew comfortable in any conditions. Anyone wishing to purchase a competent cruising vessel should not miss the opportunity this boat delivers.

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