

A General Note on the History of the nMM

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Micro Magic - was there something?



The future of the Micro Magic class was uncertain. Like other modeling activities, it suffered from a decline in general interest. But with the end of the boat production by the Graupner company the end seemed to be sealed sooner or later.

That is why it sounded unreal when in 2019 the Czech model building company Hacker Model Production a.s. announced to Micro Magic International Office its interest in the production of a new boat for the Micro Magic class.



The company boss with the latest product



The New Micro Magic on test drive

Months of work on this project followed - during which time the Corona pandemic broke out. But the Hacker company did not let itself be put off and, with the support of some people (Elmer Boon and others) from the MMI sector, used its skills to bring the "small but nice" Micro Magic, which Thomas Dreyer designed in 1998, back onto the market with a new freshness.

The boat that stands for recreational fun - not too expensive, simply built, easy to transport, offering great sailing fun. An interesting field of activity for hobbyists, challenges in regattas for sailors. And for recreational captains a guarantee for beautiful days on the lake. Behind it, an international and well-connected community that has grown over two decades, as well as thousands of boats.

So now there is a New Micro Magic! A few months ago, after being tested by the Micro Magic International Office, the boat was approved according to the MMI Class Rules for regattas of the class. Old and new boats are largely identical and, if built according to the Micro Magic International Class Rules, can be considered one-design boats.

The manufacturer has started production of the New Micro Magic in initially 4 variants. The boat can be ordered online on the Hacker website, and sales through local dealers have also begun.

The international Micro Magic website as well as the various national websites offer all information about the boat, its construction and operation, and events. There are forums where you can exchange information with other Micro Magic sailors.



So



there is the opportunity to enjoy this entertaining leisure time pleasure again. To use the current Corona - crisis positively, to build a boat at home in peace or to reactivate an existing one - why not? The idea of sailing outdoors in the spring

with like-minded people (if necessary with a mask ...) on a beautiful stretch of water is very tempting!

We would be very happy about a meeting at the waterside!

Links:

<https://www.zoomport.eu/shop/RC-SAILBOATS/RC-SAILBOATS/New-MICRO-MAGIC-026010100.aspx>

<https://sites.google.com/view/micromagicinternational>