

The Shimmy 12 Kit & The Super Shimmy 14

-A TALE OF TWO SHIMMYS-



THE SHIMMY

Around 20 years ago designer Derek Ellard produced his first Shimmy sailing boat. Over the years the design has changed little apart from some fine tuning. With over 90 boats built, the Shimmy 12 remains the perfect four-person boat for the home builder. She sails, rows, and motors beautifully.

Recognising that his very popular boat had other roles to play, Derek set out to develop the design to carry five passengers or 350 kg of freight for use in resorts and other commercial applications. The private user will also appreciate her enhanced attributes, the new Shimmy is the perfect partner for work or for play, available as solar-electric or solar-sailing – the Super Shimmy will shine!

Sleek and stylish, the solar-electric Super Shimmy will glide almost silently along canals and rivers, while the sailing Super Shimmy will welcome a brisk breeze on the bay or a small island circumnavigation – she's up for an adventure! Stable, spacious, and swift!

Super Shimmy will be robust, she'll be built to last and she'll be a light delight to tow and launch. As with the original Shimmy, the sailing boat will be very quick to rig and super easy to sail.

SHAPING for SUCCESS

The Super Shimmy prototype is taking shape, built to exacting standards she will deliver a mould for production and then take her place as a demonstrator boat. There will be photo shoots and publicity, sparkly wine and water. We expect the Super Shimmy will be a flamboyant flapper and a great all-round gal.

SAILING ON

The Super Shimmy 14 and her sister the Shimmy 12 are enduring designs, easy to manufacture and almost self-selling. They have a shining future and we are seeking just the right person to escort them – to ensure their build integrity and present them to a wider audience.

If you would like to be involved, talk to us.

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