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PRESS-RELEASE

Dutchman Sail Flaking system for FastCat 435 Hybrid VK Even more comfortable and easier sailing.....

African Cats BV introduces the Dutchman Sail Flaking system on her first electric hybrid green sailing yacht 'African Seawing'.

Control Lines

The Dutchman Sail Flaking System uses vertical control lines laced through fairleads in the sail. The lines are attached to the topping lift and at the base of the sail, and don't move.

Roman shade

The sail slides up and down on the lines like a Roman shade. As you drop the sail, the lines guide the main down to alternate sides of the boom. A few seconds straightening and you're done. One person can perfectly flake pretty much any size sail in under 20 seconds. Many owners don't even bother with sail ties. The FastCat is equipped with a sail-cover for the boom and mainsail and closes with Velcro.

Reefing

The system collects the sail on the boom with no need to tie in the intermediate reef points. If your lines are led aft, you can reef entirely from the cockpit.

This way the owner of 'African Seawing' will be able to sail his ship even more comfortable and easier on his own.

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