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WESTERLY MEDWAY

This off-shore sailing cruiser is a development of the Westerly Conway, the two hulls being identical. The designers are Laurent Giles and Partners.

The main features of Medway are the 12' 5" long main cabin and the large aft cockpit. The accommodation is in two cabins and provides six berths with a generous amount of space for the galley and chart areas. There is ample room round the saloon table to seat six people in comfort, and there are plenty of lockers for the stowage of both sailing and personal gear. The long, low coachroof and wide side decks contribute to the safety and ease of sail changing, anchoring and mooring. Medway is available either as a ketch or as a sloop and wheel steering is standard.

Like the other three 36' Westerlys each boat carries a Lloyd's Certificate and moulding is subject to constant

checks. The construction is GRP with a minimum of 12 ounces per square foot of glass mat (3600 g/sqm) on the topsides increasing to 26 ounces (7800 g/sqm) on the bottom of the hull. Woven rovings are incorporated at stress points and balsa wood sandwich construction is extensively used in the deck moulding. The cast iron keel is fastened with stainless steel threaded studs and stainless steel is also used for the rudder and steering gear. The shroud fittings are taken by internal stainless steel straps on to deep glass fibre webs which are moulded into the hull. The deck-stepped mast is carried on a stainless steel mast support taken right through to the keel.

The standard engine is the three cylinder 36 h.p. Volvo Penta MD3B.

