

We Fly The Flag





Kreuzer-Abteilung des DSV

Then

The Deutscher Kreuzer-Yacht-Verband (German Cruiser Yacht Association) was founded in 1911 and became the cruiser section of the Deutscher Segler-Verband (DSV) the German Sailing Federation in 1917.





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And Now

Today the Kreuzer-Abteilung des DSV is the largest association of yachtsmen and motorboat owners and enthusiasts in Germany.

We have circa 18,500 members – yachtsmen and women and motorboat owners - and together we represent the interests of water sports enthusiasts on the sea, at the coast and on inland waters.

The DSV (German Sailing Federation) is the national authority for about 1.400 clubs with 180.000 members.





Mission

We stand for freedom, safety and fun on the water. We represent the interests of cruiser and motorboat owners and enthusiasts in political and commercial matters and with local authorities. Our aim is to prevent restrictions of our cruising areas, excessive bureaucracy and unreasonable financial demands.





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Membership

The cruiser yacht section is open to every yachtsman and woman and motorboat owner or enthusiast who is a member of a club affiliated to the DSV or is in the Deutscher Motoryachtverband DMYV (German Motor Yacht Association).

Our membership fee is € 18,- per year.





The Club

Anyone who does not yet belong to one of these associations can join the Club der Kreuzer-Abteilung e.V. - the club of the cruising section - and become a member in a community of like-minded sailors. The membership fee is € 37,- per year.





Our Headquarters

Our office is situated in Hamburg – the No. 1 city for shipping and watersport in Germany. Hamburg is also hometown of the biggest part of the german shipping administration.

Here the DSV is serving the needs of the yachting community with a staff of about 40.





Info-Centre Mediterranean Sea

Experienced yachtsmen on spot are supplying the cruiser yacht section about actual information concerning local changes and regulations. Their knowledge is an advantage while looking for berth, shooting trouble or just getting a valuable advice.





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Services

Benefits

We offer yachtsmen and enthusiasts a broad spectrum of information and services and many perks....





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Services

- Manuals and pilots to cruising areas
- KA-Magazine
- Info-Brochures i.e. Charter, Safety....
- KA-Online
- Support with the planning of trips





For more safety

Through the provision of a diverse programme of courses, seminars and practical training with reduced rates for members we promote the levels of training and safety in water sports.





Training

- Safety training
- Radio Licences
- Medical courses
- Engine and electrical equipment troubleshooting
- Meteo courses
- Chartertraining
- Skippertraining
- Navigation training on board MV „Kronprins Harald“ and more...





Benefits

- Competitive prices for fully comprehensive yacht insurance
- Discounts on DSV manuals and pilots
- Discount on services of DP07 the german coastal radio station
- Boat Show discounts
- Free marine weekend weather service
- Courses, seminars and practical training with reduced rates





On the spot help

With more than 200 harbour bases and local representatives at home and abroad we can support our members with help and advice when they are out on the water.





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Highlight

Our cruising competition is a tradition since 1922 and a challenge for every yachtsman.

During our annual meeting the Kreuzer-Abteilung des DSV is celebrating the „line honours“.



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