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Year: 1986 Heads: 1
Location: Swale Cabins: 2

LOA: 26' 0" (7.92m) **Berths:** 6

Beam: 9' 5" (2.87m) Keel: Lifting Keel

Draft: 4' 7" (1.4m) **Engines:** 1

Remarks:

The Sadler 26 is a very popular small family cruiser, a winning combination of space, performance and seaworthiness. This example has the lifting keel which is ideal for the East Coast of the UK. This good example has been carefully maintained and continuously upgraded and is offered for sale in good condition. The yacht is just had a new keel plate fitted, been antifouled, and new batteries fitted.

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Mechanical and Rigging

Mechanical Systems:

This **Sadler 26** has a single Beta 16HP diesel engine which was fitted new in 2012. Water cooled with a shaft drive to a fixed 2 blade propeller. It has a stainless steel 15L fuel tank. It will maintain a cruising speed of 4.5Knots and has a max speed of 5knots. The engine was last serviced in 2018 by Portsmouth Marine with a renewed fuel filler replacement at Swale Marina in 2020.

Electrical Systems:

2 x 12v batteries, (1x domestic and 1x engine); both replaced in 2024 and charged via the alternator.

Bermuda masthead sloop with an alloy mast and manual backstay adjuster. All standing rigging was replaced in 2012. The running rigging has been replaced as required. The mainsail has slab reefing with a Harken furling head system that was replaced in 2012. Carrying 6 Lewmar winches and a complete set of sails and additional mod cons, such as a mainsail cover new in 2017 and an awning for the boom.

Winches:

- 2 x Sheet winches, Lewmar self-tailing
- 2 x Halyard winches, Lewmar
- 2 x Other winches, Lewmar

Sails:

- 1 x Mainsail, in fair condition, last valeted in 2018
- 1 x Genoa, in fair condition, last valeted in 2018 new UV strip in 2017
- 1 x Spinnaker in good condition.

Inventory

Deck Equipment:

- Anchor, Bruce with chain and warp
- Kedge anchor
- Mainsail cover new in 2017
- Boom awning
- Sprayhood in fair condition.
- Cockpit Dodgers with name on in fair condition.
- Boarding ladder

● 6 x Fenders ● 4 x Mooring warps
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Navigation Equipment:

- Steering Compass
- Windspeed/Direction
- Depth
- VHF Radio
- Speed/Log
- Autopilot x2 (One is newer)
- Deck Nav Lights
- Masthead Nav Light

Safety Equipment:

- 3 x Fire Extinguishers
- 1 x Fire Blanket
- O . . In alcatacca
- 2 x Jackstays
- 1 x Horseshoe Buoy
- 1 x Manual Bilge Pump
- First Aid Kit
- Radar Reflector

Keel:

Lifting Keel with tiller steering. A new fitting keel has just been fitted in March 2024.

History & Construction:

Introducing the distinguished Sadler 26 lifting keel version, meticulously crafted in 1986 and commissioned in 1987. Distinguished by its pristine white natural gel coat hull, topsides, and superstructure, this vessel exudes timeless elegance on the water. Navigate with precision and ease thanks to its tiller steering and skeg rudder configuration.

With a rich history of ownership, this esteemed yacht has been cherished by three previous owners, with the current stewardship spanning an impressive eight years. Demonstrating a commitment to excellence, the vessel underwent a comprehensive survey in 2014, with all recommendations diligently addressed.

Fresh off an exciting upgrade, this Sadler 26 now boasts a brand new lifting keel, enhancing its performance and versatility on the seas. Presented for sale with a heavy heart, the current owner is reluctantly parting ways to embark on a new chapter with a larger yacht.

Seize the opportunity to commandeer this maritime masterpiece and elevate your sailing experience to new heights. Enquire now and set sail towards boundless adventures aboard the Sadler 26!

Accommodation

The Sadler 26 is a 2-cabin cruiser, which can sleep up to 6 people. There is a twin v berth forward, It has storage underneath the berth and an opening hatch to the forward deck.

Aft of the forward cabin is heads with has a marine toilet with a hanging locker opposite.

In the saloon is a table off-set to Port which drops to make a double berth and a single settee berth to Starboard. There is a quarter berth to Port.

The galley to Starboard has a gimballed two burner gas hob with oven and grill, this was fitted new in 2012, a cold box as well as dry storage. This is sink with manually pumped cold water. Original Sadler crockery.

The upholstery is Taupe/grey in colour and the headroom is between 5ft 6ins and 5ft 8ins throughout. The yacht has an Eberspaecher diesel cabin heating system fitted that has never been used or tested.

There is a large cockpit for the size of the yacht which has storage lockers and a gas locker.

Remarks:

1986 lifting keel Sadler 26 for sale in Kent

Discover the ultimate family cruiser - this 1986 Sadler 26 yacht, is now available for sale in Kent! This sought-after vessel epitomizes the perfect blend of spaciousness, performance, and reliability on the water. Crafted for the discerning sailor, this model features a lifting keel, perfectly suited for navigating the East Coast of the UK with ease. Meticulously cared for and continuously enhanced, this particular Sadler 26 stands as a shining example of quality and durability. Recently upgraded with a brand new lifting keel, anodes, and batteries, this yacht is primed for adventure. Freshly antifouled and boasting top-notch maintenance, she's ready to set sail into new horizons.

For added convenience, a coveted berth at Gillingham Marina awaits, ensuring seamless access to your aquatic playground. Don't miss out on this opportunity to own a piece of maritime excellence. Schedule your viewing today and experience the allure of the Sadler 26 firsthand!

