

Newsletter

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 Dear <<First Name>> <<Last Name>>

The board and editors are hard at work to shape the festivities surrounding TVK's anniversary year. In this edition we share details on the Spring Meeting, the arrival of our new TVK magazine and other current subjects.

We hope you enjoy reading this Newsletter, as a break of preparing your boat for a new sailing season. The thermometer shows double digits as we write this that should prelude a marvellous season ahead!

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TVK Spring Meeting, May 10th to 13th in Veere!



This anniversary we will have our Spring Meeting where it first took place: in Veere. Hosts and hostesses are Ineke and Piet Jongepier (*Vrijheid II*, Trintella Ia) and Trees and Willem de Graaf (*Ros Beyaert*, Trintella IIIA). It will be an extra festive meeting, not a copy of those days but strongly inspired by it nonetheless!



The programme is as follows:

Thursday May 10th: arrival at the Delta Marina in Kortgene, with welcoming drinks on the pier, followed by buffer dinner at restaurant DEKX, right next to the harbour.

Friday May 11th: setting sail to Veere with a regatta as we travel, and a festive arrival at the old city harbour.

After drinks on the pier, you can spend the rest of the afternoon and evening any way you want.



The roadstead of Veere

Saturday May 12th: in the morning, the familiar Concours de Créativité will take place, this year held for both the Classics and the Centre Cockpits (Trintella III, IV and V). In the afternoon there is a city tour with a visit to the famous Scottish Houses and a cruise with a real Zeelandic Hoogaarsen. The evening programme starts with a welcome by the mayor of Veere, followed by an aperitif at the Society Yacht Club Veere, with the award ceremony for the regatta and the Concours de Créativité, followed by a hard-earned

dinner.

Sunday May 13th: leaving when you please, satisfied and with an entire sailing season on the horizon!



Members without a boat are welcome: As per usual, we invite members who would like to join without a boat as well to join us for one or more days.

Many Classics? We hope to welcome as many Classics (Trintel I(a) and II(a), Trintella I(a) and II(a)) as possible. All Classic owners that participate will receive a nice surprise.



Many Classics?

Costs of participating: joining us for the entire weekend will cost € 65 per person. Kids under 13 can join for free. The city tour with museum visit and the cruise with the Hoogaarsen on Saturday are optional and cost € 10 per person per activity.

Convoy: easy and fun: If enough people are interested, we will host a convoy from the north. You can state this on the application form.

Signing up: More information on the program and the application form can be found on the [website](#) where you find a link to the application form too. Print it, fill it in completely and send it, before April 24th, complete with signature and stamps, to Trintella Vrienden Kring, p/a P. van der Waa, De Reusel 2, 5051 DA Goirle. C scan the completely filled out and signed form and email it to p.vanderwaa@trintella.org.



Standing Mast Route (to Veere)

Northerners that would like to come to the Meeting in Veere, whether that is by convoy or not, can choose to go around or take the inner water ways. The latter means going via the Standing Mast Route, a safe through route for sailboats with a mast over 6 meters.

On the website of Varen Doe Je Samen (Sailing Together), you can find a [brochure](#) with an up-to-date description of the route. On this site you can also find an interactive map with information about harbours, bridges and locks. Click the map below to go to this interactive map immediately. (Be patient as it loads).



Concours de Créativité: learn from each other's experiences



During the Spring Meeting in Veere we organize another Concours de Créativité on Saturday. The aim of the Competition is to get to know each other on board and to learn from each other's experiences and solutions that facilitate maintenance or improve on-board comfort or improve sailing characteristics.

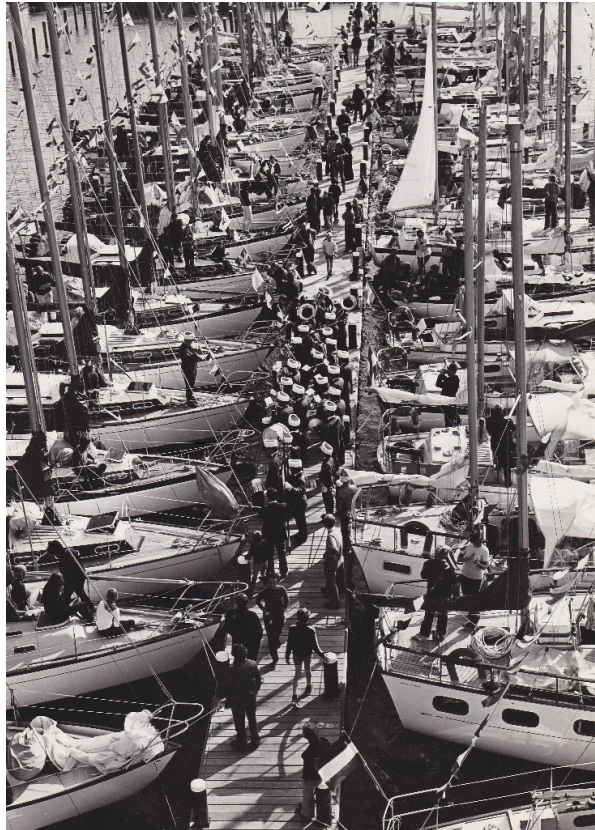
These subjects are of course relevant for every type, but for the Classics series (the Trintels and the Trintella I(a) and II(a)), their designs, their woodwork and their age are all in their own right. That is why we have organized it for these classics in recent years.

But this year we organize the Concours de Créativité - which takes its name from the Concours d'Elegance with a wink, with the boats being flaunted - also for the other series: for the Center Cockpits (Trintella III, III; IV, 41 and V), for the Flush Decks (Trintella 38, 44, 45, 53), for the Trintella 42 and for the Trintella A and C series.

You can read how it works in concrete terms on the [website](#).

TVK Magazine

By early April 2018, the new TVK magazine will be sent out to nearly 250 addresses (members and advertisers). This ends the interesting and fascinating project that the editors and designers have started in October 2017. The first (anniversary) edition will of course have an article on the 50 year history of the Trintella Vriendenkring, with many beautiful pictures. This picture from 1972 is a teaser. Thanks to the contribution of the advertisers, we have managed to keep the costs in check while at the same time producing a very fine product. We are excited to see your reactions.



Welcome aboard new members

After January 2018 we have welcomed some new members!



- Marianne Bulder (NL) with a Victory 36 named Infinity
 - Reindert Bruin (NL) with a Trintella Ia (name unknown)
 - Franz Bösing (D) with a Trintella 57A named Blue Merlin
 - Jürgen Malis (D) with a Trintella IIIa named Kairos.
 - Philip van Montfoort (BE) with a Trintella IIa named Fleur
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Event Calendar

- May 10th to 13th 2018: Spring Meeting, themed around the 50 year anniversary of the TVK, held in Veere, more information earlier in the Newsletter.
- November 17th: Festive [Fall Reunion](#) in 's-Hertogenbosch, the native soil of our Trintellas, to celebrate the 50th anniversary.

For more events and competitions: visit the water sport even calendar of [Nauticlink](#), [ANWB](#) or [Hiswa](#).

The TVK Fall Reunion in November will be festive!

The Fall Reunion on Saturday November 17th will be turned into a proper anniversary party. We want to have the party in Den Bosch, for as many members as possible. The programme is getting pretty solid, but we won't spoil too much.

What we can and will say, is that the location is nearly the native soil of the ships. The programme has a clear nautical theme that will be combined with the pleasures of the great city.



For the participants, we have arranged the option to sleep in hotel the Soete Moeder, for €86 per night. It is an amazing convent hotel, not too far from the party location. The hotel has a great kitchen and restaurant, so it is a good place for dinner.

Reservations can be made by phone (+31(0)73 2048840) or e-mail to info@desoetemoeder.nl.

Updated Technical Information – teak deck maintenance

The website has a completely renovated and extensive [Technical Information](#) header about teak deck maintenance and renovation. It can also be interesting for those of you who already have experience with this. There is a fascinating method for the deepening of seams in the deck. With a simple edge trimmer, equipped with an inventive attachment, you can have great results. A complete renovation is labour-intensive but rewarding.



Photo shows that afterwards, the deck looks like new and can last for years.

Call

Have you done renovations or improvements to your ship that might be interesting for others, or are you planning on doing a similar project soon? If properly documented, and where possible accompanied by pictures or drawings, this can be submitted to the Technical Information heading on the website. Your input is more than welcome and you can send it to: w.degraaf@trintella.org.



Privacy Policy

On May 25th 2018 General Data Protection Regulation will be effective. This has its effect on an associatio as our as well. A Privacy Policy needs to be in place and the board needs to take steps to protect your personal data, and only use it when your data is needed for the functioning of the association. You can find the Privacy Policy on the [website](#). It will be further explained during the next General Member Meeting.



Read by and for you



For those of you who have enjoyed Sail 2015 in Amsterdam and for those of you who think 2020 is too far away still, there is a chance to repeat it during a big event in Harlingen (Friesland, the Netherlands): Tall Ships Races Harlingen 2018. This is part of the programme “Leeuwarden Fryslân 2018, Culturele Hoofdstad van Europa” (Leeuwarden Fryslân 2018, Cultural Capital of Europe).



After two exciting races, 80 sailing ships will finish in Harlingen, where they will dock for 4 days and form the backdrop of this nautical event. With over 200.000 expected visitors, this promises to be a grand event. Visitors can visit the tall ships and enjoy many free performances, which take place on several sites throughout the city. More information can be found [here](#).

Daily from August 3rd to August 6th 2018.

Adrift

A new movie comes out, Adrift, made after the book by Tami Oldham, about the hurricane that happened to her in a Trintella 44 called Horizon. In the film is unfortunately no Trintella 44 but another larger ship is used and her friend is not missing / died as in real life, but is wounded by her rescued. [Look](#) and shudder.



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