

PIXEL[®]

the whole point of *sailing*

The new, fun, fast double-handed trainer/recreational dinghy

The PIXEL was designed with the sailor in mind. It is stable, roomy, fast and self-bailing—a giant step into the future of small boat design. It is designed as a junior trainer, but has the legroom and features for adult enjoyment as well.

The 13'9" sloop was designed by Bruce Kirby, whose vast experience designing such winners as the Laser, International 14's, Sonar, and Ideal 18 made him a natural for designing this up-to-the-minute dinghy. His experience sailing at all levels from local to Olympic and World competitions gave a clear vision of what sailors love in a boat.

The result of this pedigree is a handsome little boat that provides a feeling of security with superior performance for a crew of 2 or 3.

Sailors are raving...

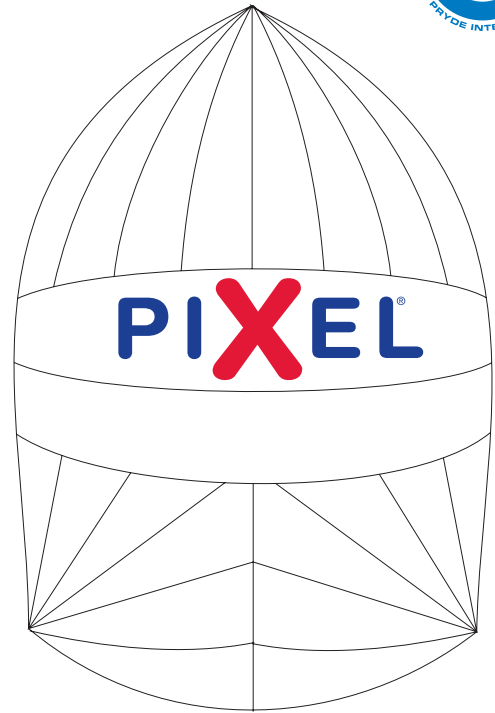
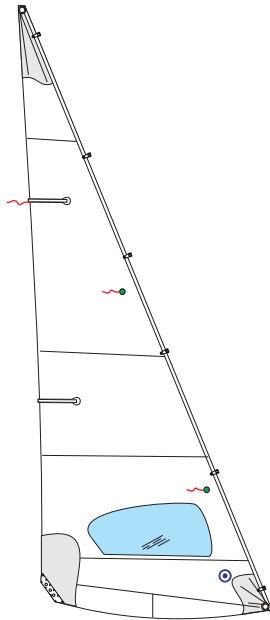
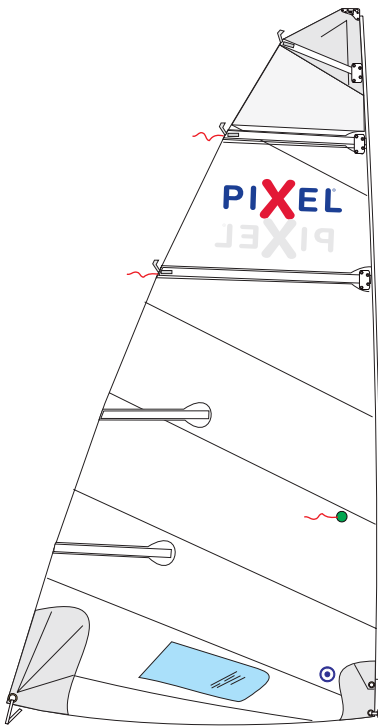
Here's what *Sailing World* has to say: "The PIXEL is a light, stable transition dinghy for youth sailors learning about jibs and symmetrical spinnakers. The double bottom and shape of the side tanks make lounging on the floor comfortable, which for rec sailors is a plus."

And *Soundings* says: "The PIXEL accelerates well in puffs, moves nicely through the chop and will plane easily, with or without spinnaker, in a modest breeze. The open transom makes the PIXEL easy to self rescue after a capsize."

There is a larger market for this boat, but the focus for the moment is on young sailors moving up to a two or three person boat that is exciting but not threatening.



The Junior Sailing Association of Long Island Sound sails PIXELs as the double-handed trainer for 12-16 year olds.
For more info visit, www.sailpixel.com



PIXEL SPECIFICATIONS:

Length: 13'9"

Beam: 5'6"

Sail area (Main & Jib): 94 sq. ft.

Hull Weight: 200 lbs.

CONSTRUCTION:

Hull: Epoxy fiberglass

Mast: Carbon fiber

Boom: Anodized aluminum

Main & Jib: Polyester

Spinnaker: Nylon

Designed by Bruce Kirby

Produced and marketed by Nearwater Boats

ATTRIBUTES:

- Self-rescuing — sail away after a capsized
- Equipped for beach launch or crane
- Stable, yet quick hull form won't intimidate young sailors
- Integral flotation
- Simple to rig and unrig
- Quick acceleration, even in light breeze
- A great learning boat for 2 or 3 kids, with main-sail, jib and spinnaker
- Highest quality epoxy fiberglass construction
- Strict One-Design class rules

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