

# FOLKBOATS UK USED BOAT SHOW



“The No.1 Outlet for Folkboats in the UK”

**10-25 SEPT**

**9AM 5PM**

Folkboats UK are proud to announce their first annual used boat show at their premises near Lymington from 10th to 25th September 2011. The show will run daily from 9am to 5pm.

With plenty of used boats available, visitors will be able to climb aboard and see inside these fabulous boats that feature performance and accommodation. They are ideal for both cruising and racing.

A design classic, the popularity of the Nordic Folkboat has endured for more than seventy years thanks to its timeless design, strong build quality, and its appeal to beginners and experts alike.

As well as offering a wide selection of new and used boats for sale, Folkboats UK are specialist in folkboat repair and restoration, refitting, technical advice, and also offer storage facilities.

Visit Folkboats UK's used boat show to understand the appeal of these exceptional boats.

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## *Folkboat History*

The folkboat is the result of a competition held by the Scandinavian Yacht Racing Union in 1942. They wanted to produce a design for an affordable boat that was accessible to beginners but still attractive to highly skilled sailors. Despite there being no outright winner, the organisers took the best aspects of the entries received and commissioned professional designer Tord Sundén to create a craft that fulfilled the aims of the competition.

The final result went on to become an international favourite and its popularity endures more than 60 years after its design. The first Nordic Folkboat was built in Göteborg in Sweden, nearly seventy years later, more than 4000 Nordic Folkboats are still sailing around the world.



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## Venue

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