

Darth Wader is a lovely 62' reverse layout cruiser stern narrowboat built in 2014 by Findlay Boats. She was last blacked in September 2024 with 4 new anodes fitted at the same time.

She is fitted out in light painted ply throughout, with a mix of engineered oak and tiled flooring, for a light and modern feel.

The 8'8" cruiser stern deck features a wrap around taff rail, and a tonneau to protect the deck from the weather. The Barrus Shire 38 engine is housed below, which was serviced in March 2025.

Steps lead down into the 16'1" saloon, with a large sofa bed (converts to a spare double), Morso Squirrel solid fuel stove, and plenty of cupboards for storage.

Next is a breakfast bar with two stools, with access to the Indesit 6kg washer/dryer below. This connects to the 10'5" galley, with granite worktops, an Indesit dishwasher, 12v LEC fridge with icebox, eye-level Belling oven, Spinflo 4 burner gas hob, Panasonic microwave, a Belfast sink, and plenty of storage. Side hatches either side (with glazed internal sliding doors) and a Houdini hatch over bring in plenty of light and fresh air.

The 6'5" bathroom follows, with a ceramic pumpout toilet, ceramic wash basin with more granite worktops, and a tiled shower with a built in bench seat!

Following, the 10'7" bedroom features a 6'0" x 5'0" cross bed double berth, with storage under and cupboards over. A range of other cupboards and slim wardrobes provide ample storage for clothes.

A step leads out onto the 4'2" well deck, with lockers either side, and a good condition cratch cover over. The 650L stainless steel water tank sits below.

She is centrally heated by a Webasto diesel fired system connected to 3 radiators, and hot water is heated by the engine, Webasto or immersion.

12v power is supplied by 4x 110ah domestics, with a separate starter, topped up by 175w of Victron solar, with a Solar Technology International solar controller.

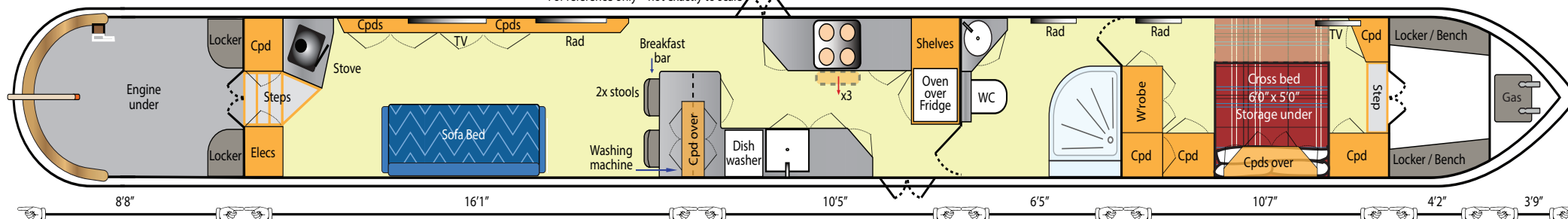
240v power is via a Sterling ProCombi S 2.5kw inverter/charger, or landline hookup with a galvanic isolator.

Lighting on board is LED throughout.

She will make a lovely liveaboard home for anyone looking to get far, far away.



For reference only – not exactly to scale



MAIN DETAILS

Style: Reverse Layout Cruiser Stern • **Length:** 62' 0" • **Berths:** 2 + 2 • **Hull Builder:** Nottingham Boats • **Fit out:** Findlay Boats
Steel thicknesses: 10 / 6 / 5 / 4 • **Year:** 2014 • **Reg No:** CRT 522622 • **CIN:** GB-MCNFIN69G414 • **Boat Safety:** June 2026

DIMENSIONS

Forward deck:	3' 9"
Well deck:	4' 2"
Bedroom:	10' 7"
Bathroom:	6' 5"
Galley:	10' 5"
Saloon:	16' 1"
Stern deck:	8' 8"
Internal headroom:	6' 5"
Draught:	2' 0" approx

PROPULSION

Engine:	Barrus Shire 38
Hours:	Unknown (faulty panel).
Transmission:	PRM 120D2
Fuel tank:	Integral, 250 litres. Fuel tank gauge.
Weedhatch:	Quick release under stern deck.
Bowthruster:	None (use the force!)

CABIN FIT OUT AND FURNISHINGS

Insulation:	Spray foam
Ballast:	Not seen, presumed concrete slabs
Ceiling:	Light painted ply.
Cabin sides:	Light painted ply.
Hull sides:	Light painted vertical T&G.
Flooring:	Tiled in galley and bathroom, engineered oak elsewhere.
Side doors:	Both sides in galley, with glazed internal doors.
Windows etc:	7x tilt opening windows, 4x 18" opening portholes, Houdini hatch over galley, glazed forward doors, glazed forward bulkhead.
Seating:	Sofa bed, 2x stools at breakfast bar, 2x folded chairs.
Cooking:	Belling eye-level oven, Spinflo 4 burner gas hob, Panasonic microwave.
Fridge:	12v LEC fridge with icebox.
Utilities:	Indesit 6kg washer/dryer, Indesit slimline dishwasher.
Galley worktops:	Granite
WC:	Pumpout toilet with ceramic toilet bowl.
Shower:	Large quadrant corner shower, with glass doors, tiled surround, and built in granite seat.
Basin:	Ceramic bowl recessed into granite topped cupboard.
Berths:	Cross bed 6'0" x 5'0" double berth, sofa bed converts to spare double.
Media:	Saloon TV broken, Blaupunkt 240v 21" TV/DVD in bedroom.

MAINTENANCE

Blacking:	September 2024
Anodes:	4x new at blacking
Engine serviced:	March 2025

HEATING & WATER SUPPLY

Tank & capacity:	Stainless steel, 650 litres. Water tank gauge.
Stove:	Morso Squirrel solid fuel stove.
Central heating:	Webasto diesel fired system connected to 3 radiators.
Hot water:	54 litre Calorifier heated by the engine, Webasto, and immersion.

POWER

Alternators:	Twin: 140amps & 50amps
Batteries:	4x 110ah domestics (new 2025), 1x starter.
Lighting:	LED throughout.
Inverter/charger:	Sterling ProCombi S 2500w inverter/charger.
Other electrical:	Landline hookup, galvanic isolator, 175w Victron solar panel with a Solar Technology International solar controller.
Gas:	2x 13kg propane bottles in bow locker, with manual change over.

STORAGE

Shelving:	1x saloon, 3x galley, 3x bedroom.
Cupboard:	6x saloon, 7x galley, 2x bathroom, 7x bedroom.
Wardrobe:	Single full height in bedroom, hanging space in cupboard behind stove.
Drawers:	3x galley.
Other:	Under aft steps, under sofa, under bed, safe in wardrobe, under forward steps, well deck lockers.

NAVIGATION EQUIPMENT

Ropes, fenders, piling irons, tires, hose, lifering, windlasses, chains, anchor.

EXTERNAL

Cratch cover and stern tonneau cover in good condition. Paintwork in good condition.

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