

Paddle steamer „Pirna“



Built in 1898, the „Pirna“ is the sister ship of the paddle steamer „Kurort Rathen“. Cozy, small saloons with nostalgic charm are available for your event.

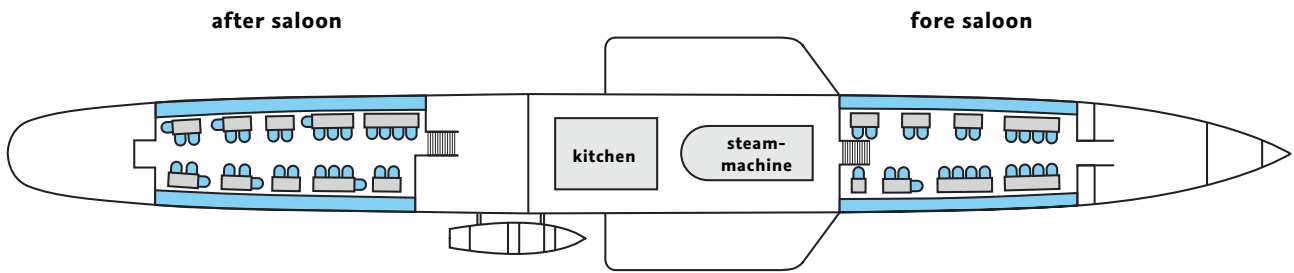
technical details

construction-year/shipyard:	1898, Dresden Blasewitz
length of the ship:	57.10 m
paddle wheels:	patent wheels of 3.5 m diameter with 10 manoeuvrable steel paddles each
width of the wheel house:	10.40 m
engine:	oscillating two cylinder compound engine with fuel-injected condensation
performance:	140 PS
boiler:	1-horizontal return cylinder boiler
fuel/consumption:	heating oil extra light, ca. 100l/h
speed:	upstream: ca. 9 km/h downstream: ca. 15 km/h
crew:	skipper, sailor, steam-engineer

ship's chronicles

1898:	commissioning as upper deck steamer „König Albert“
1914:	installation of an electric lighting system
1919:	renamed „Pirna“
1928 till 1929:	upgrade of the wheel-houses, installation of steam heating, replacement of wooden paddles with steel paddles, first white paint job
1960 till 1961:	upgrade of the foredeck saloon
1972:	coal bunker fire – ship is taken out of operation
1973:	re-commissioning after repair
1990:	boiler damage, ship is taken out of operation
1993 till 1994:	historical reconstruction and re-commissioning
1995:	construction of a steam dome and kiosk

below deck:



The drawing above is not to scale.

 **available seating**

inner seating (table seating)

below deck

43 fore saloon

54 after saloon

Außenplätze (Tischplätze)

44 foredeck

64 afterdeck (roofed)

62 sundeck (roofed)

 **facilities**

- › 2 stylishly furnished saloons in a nostalgic atmosphere with lavishly worked wooden decks
- › heating in both saloons
- › sound system
- › conference equipment available on request
- › wooden decks
- › kiosk on board

 **special features**

- › view of the exposed historical steam engine
- › nostalgic steam whistle
- › funnel tiltable (electric)
- › viewing window to the paddle wheels
- › midship for viewing, a former steam engine for steering

 **barrier-free**

restricted capacity:

- › foldable wheelchairs
- › carriage of bicycles
- › prams and buggies

not possible:

- › electric wheelchairs

*We request prior agreement or notice.
Thank you.*

