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## BUZZARD BAY 15 – HERRESHOFF



**Builder:**

HERRESHOFF

**Model:**

Buzzard Bay 15

**LOA:**

25' 0" (7.62 m)

**Min Draft:**

7' 5" (2.25 m)

**Beam:**

6' 0" (2.06 m)

**Max Draft:**

16' 5" (5 m)

**Max Speed:**

5.6 kn / 6.44 mph

**Hull Material:**

Fiberglass and Plastic Yachts

**Deck Material:**

Fiberglass

**Engines:**

1

**Manufacturer:**

None

If you would like to buy a yacht **BUZZARD BAY 15 – HERRESHOFF** or would like help, please call +1(954)274-4435 or visit [shestakovyachtsales.com](http://shestakovyachtsales.com)

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## OVERVIEW

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A heritage silhouette matched with time-proven workmanship. The Buzzard Bay 15 from HERRESHOFF is a classic sailing yacht in the traditional cutter genre, built on a durable fiberglass hull and offered through Shestakov Yacht Sales with broker Andrey Shestakov.

## Selecting a Buzzard Bay 15

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When your priorities are classic lines and uncomplicated handling in a small cutter, the Buzzard Bay 15 provides a well-balanced solution: 25 ft (7.62 m) LOA, 6 ft (2.06 m) beam, and a draft spanning 7.382 ft (2.25 m) to 16.404 ft (5 m). For expert advice on whether this model meets your needs, pre-purchase inspections, or the buying process, contact Andrey Shestakov at Shestakov Yacht Sales for bespoke guidance on the Buzzard Bay 15.

## Features of the Model

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- Built by HERRESHOFF
- Classified as a sailing yacht and cutter
- fiberglass hull with a Fiberglass deck
- Compact footprint: 25 ft LOA, 6 ft beam
- Draft flexibility: 7.382–16.404 ft (2.25–5 m)
- Maximum speed up to 5.6 kn (6.44 mph)
- Engine configuration: 1 engine; manufacturer: None

## Technical Specifications

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- Builder: HERRESHOFF

- Model: Buzzard Bay 15
- Category: sailing yacht
- Sub-category: cutter
- Hull category: fiberglass
- LOA: 25 ft (7.62 m)
- Beam: 6 ft (2.06 m)
- Draft (min): 7.382 ft (2.25 m)
- Draft (max): 16.404 ft (5 m)
- Maximum speed: 5.6 kn (6.44 mph)
- Engine count: 1
- Engine manufacturer: None
- Deck material: Fiberglass

## Pricing and Ordering

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Current availability, pricing details, and purchasing options for the Buzzard Bay 15 are handled through Shestakov Yacht Sales. For up to date listings, survey coordination, and transaction support tailored to your schedule, contact broker Andrey Shestakov.

## Questions and Answers

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Q: What kind of vessel is the Buzzard Bay 15? A: It's a **sailing yacht** in the **cutter** category with a **fiberglass** hull, crafted by HERRESHOFF.

Q: What are the key dimensions of the Buzzard Bay 15? A: The vessel's **LOA** measures 25 ft (7.62 m) and the **beam** is 6 ft (2.06 m), making it a compact, traditionally proportioned boat.

Q: How deep is the draft on this model? A: The **draft** is specified between 7.382 ft (2.25 m) at the shallow end and 16.404 ft (5 m) at the deep end.

Q: How fast can it go, and what about the engine? A: The listed **maximum speed** is 5.6 kn (6.44 mph). The specs show **1 engine** with the manufacturer recorded as **None** .

Q: Who can help me purchase and arrange viewing? A: Contact **Andrey Shestakov** at **Shestakov Yacht Sales** for scheduling viewings, negotiating terms, and managing the closing process for the Buzzard Bay 15.

## Owner Experience Review

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Enthusiasts choose the Buzzard Bay 15 from HERRESHOFF for two main pastimes: spirited one design club racing rooted in the Buzzards Bay scene (notably around Beverly Yacht Club), and easygoing day sailing or short coastal gunkholing. The class also enjoys life in restoration projects and faithful replica builds that keep these boats prominent at classic boat events.

Underway, the boat reveals its regional pedigree: generally described as 'stiff and heavy' for the chop typical of Buzzards Bay, it copes well with short, choppy seas while remaining surprisingly responsive and lively in gusts—qualities that make it competitive in close club races. Fixed keel examples, sometimes reported with about 3'4.5" draft, have a reputation for good windward tracking, and the earliest wooden versions tend to feel heavier than later Marconi rigged or replica constructions.

Accommodation is consistent with an open day sailer: cockpit dimensions suit short excursions for 2–4 people rather than extended cruising. The low freeboard and narrow beam are admired for historical authenticity but are not designed for long distance comfort. Maintenance expectations vary: many original wooden boats require significant restoration work, while fiberglass replicas reduce some hull upkeep but still demand care for classic rigging and wooden trim. Original boats typically lack an inboard engine, and owners sometimes fit small outboards as auxiliary power.

## Pros and Cons

- Stiff and heavy for local chop, handling short, choppy conditions well.
- Responsive for its size and lively in puffs, ideal for close club racing.
- Fixed keel variants with reported 3'4.5" draft track well upwind.
- Open day sailer with limited cockpit space; best for 2–4 people and short outings, not cruising.
- Original wooden boats often require major restoration and ongoing upkeep.
- No inboard engine on originals; auxiliary power is sometimes a small outboard if fitted.

## Comparison with Other Models

Model	LOA	Beam	Draft	Speed (Cruising/Max)	Gross Tonnage
Haven 12 12	16' 0" (4.85 m)	6' 0" (1.85 m)	4' 11" (1.50 m) – 10' 11" (3.33 m)		
12.5	16' 0" (4.88 m)	6' 0" (1.83 m)			
S Class	27' 0" (8.38 m)	7' 0" (2.18 m)			
Buzzard Bay 15	25' 0" (7.62 m)	6' 0" (2.06 m)	7' 5" (2.25 m) – 16' 5" (5 m)	5.6 kn	
N/A	72' 0" (21.94 m)	14' 0" (4.27 m)	8' 6" (2.60 m)		

# SPECIFICATIONS

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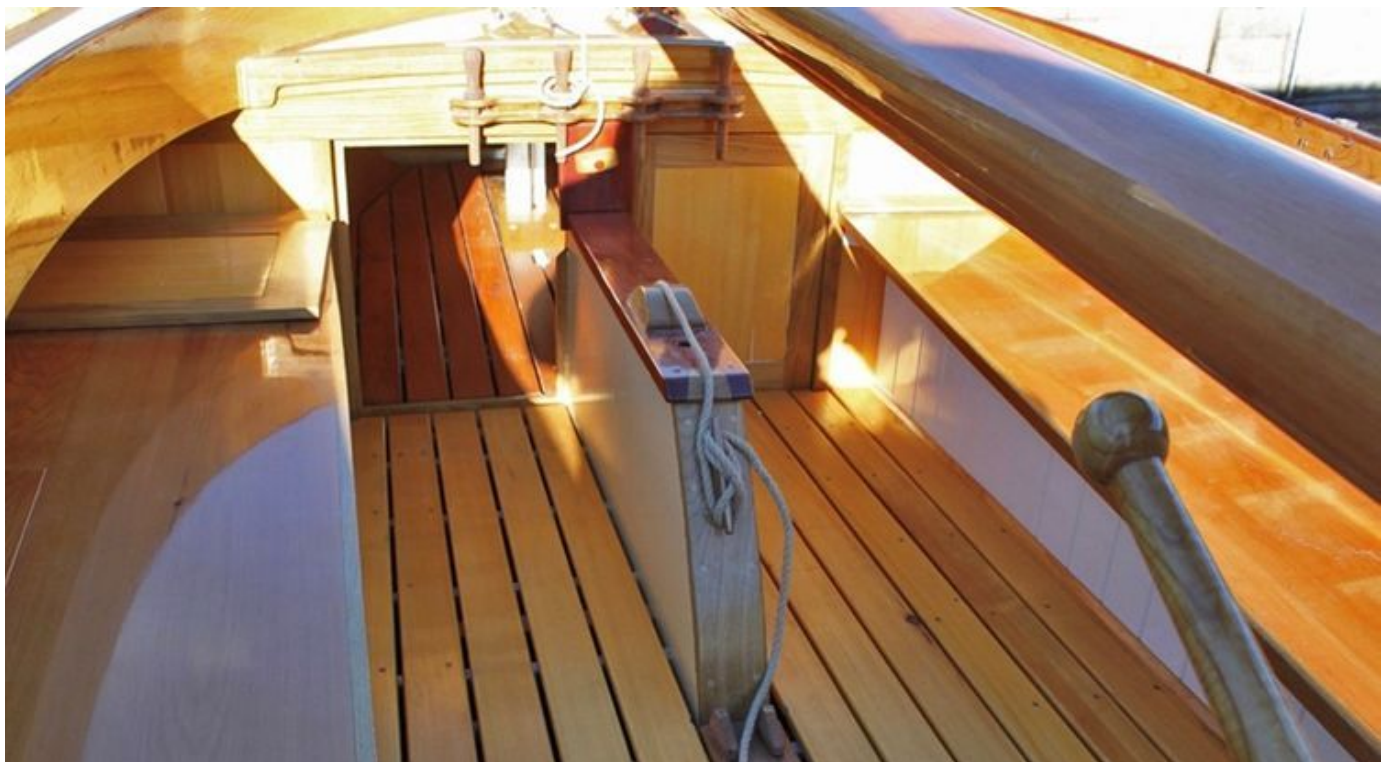
Fiberglass

**Manufacturer:**

None

# GALLERY











# CONTACTS

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Shestakov Yacht Sales is a brokerage company specializing in the sale and service of yachts worldwide. The company offers services for buying and selling both new and used motor yachts, sailing vessels, and luxury superyachts. They also provide yacht registration, insurance, technical maintenance, crew selection, and charter organization services across the U.S., Canada, Latin America, the Caribbean, and the Bahamas.

The founder and lead broker of the company is Andrey Shestakov, a licensed and certified expert with extensive experience in marine engineering and shipbuilding.

The company has an extensive network of partnerships with major yacht manufacturers worldwide and provides services in multiple languages, including Russian, Ukrainian, Spanish, and English. The office is in Dania Beach, Florida, USA.

For more information and to view available yachts, you can visit the company's official website: <https://shestakovyachtsales.com>

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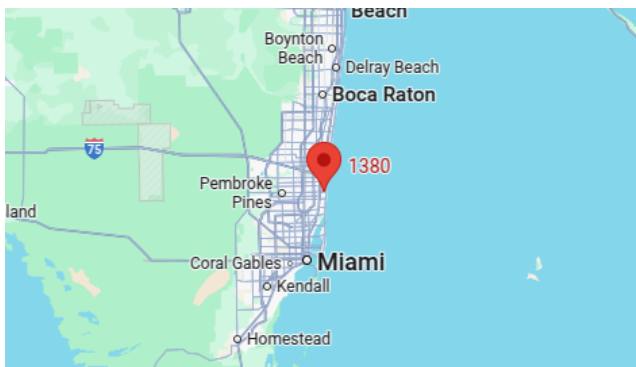
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