Dodger/Connector/Bimini—Canvas Services

Main Fabric: Marine Blue Sunbrella

Secondary Fabric: Jockey Red Sunbrella

Window: TUFFAK AR2

Hardware/Findings: Flex-A-Rail PVC track

Window: 40 gauge Strataglass











WHAT ARE THE PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS?

Cruising Dodger / Connector/ Bimini fabricated start to finish by our company. Jockey Red was trim was the client's request!

WHAT IS UNIQUE OR COMPLEX ABOUT THE PROJECT?

We usually don't have customers requesting trim colors.





Hanse Dodger—Yacht Canvas, Inc.

Main Fabric: Sunbrella Linen, Trivantage LLC

Window: Tuffak Polycarbonate Hardware/Findings: YKK Zippers

SolarFix Thread

Sailboat Dodgers & Biminis









WHAT ARE THE PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS?

This customer purchased a new-to-them Hanse and was unhappy with the color of the existing canvas. Their request involved not only recreating the canvas in a new color but also adding custom features like improved storage, increased visibility, and better ventilation. To meet these needs, we designed a free-standing dodger top with the ability to remove all three forward windows, giving them the flexibility to have full coverage for protection or to enjoy a breezy anchorage when desired. Additionally, we incorporated interior pockets to provide extra storage for essential sailing gear, making the space more functional and tailored to their preferences.

WHAT IS UNIQUE OR COMPLEX ABOUT THE PROJECT?

We were drawn to this project because it offered a great mix of creative freedom and customization. The customer not only wanted to change the color of their Hanse's canvas but also asked for practical upgrades like additional storage, improved visibility, and enhanced ventilation. This gave us the opportunity to design a more functional and personalized solution that aligned with their needs.

What sets this project apart from others we worked on this year is the level of customization we were able to achieve. By creating a free-standing dodger top with removable forward windows, we gave the customer flexibility for different weather conditions, allowing them to enjoy full protection or an open, breezy space. The added interior pockets for storage were another unique touch, making this project both aesthetically pleasing and highly functional, something we don't always get to do on every job.





Italia Yachts 12.98—Bespoke Boat Covers

Main Fabric: Sunbrella Plus Cadet Grey, Glen Raven Custom Fabrics LLC

Window: Vinyl, Achilles USA Inc.

Hardware/Findings: Stainless steel tubes., Gore Tenara Thread, Trivantage LLC

Sailboat Dodgers & Biminis









WHAT ARE THE PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS?

This project consisted of a full canvas and frame design, installation of a sprayhood, cockpit tent, frame and extra awning to give protect sailors against of rain and sun. Easy detachment of the sides makes tent and awning to use as a bimini top. Seven windows sprayhood gives the sailor very good visibility during the sailing. The owner has asked about as many windows as possible but the same time he asked about very easy to remove and storage cockpit tent so we have designed cockpit tent and awning that it's hanging only on one support tube. To take tent and awning down takes only 3 minutes.

WHAT IS UNIQUE OR COMPLEX ABOUT THE PROJECT?

We are the company which makes bespoke covers. Creating unique covers is our every day job. Each cover made by us is different and never the same. We love to crate unique covers and we love to make my customers happy. And we love new unique challenges as well!





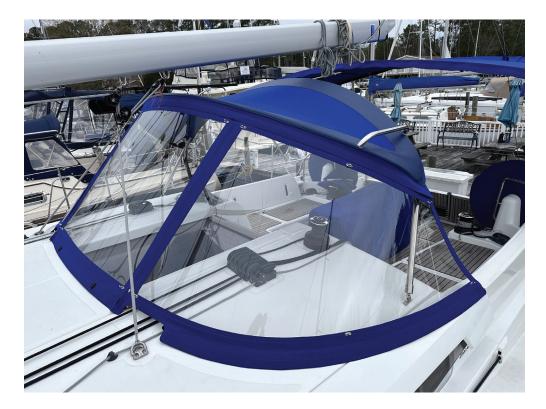
Jeanneau 440—Signature CanvasMakers LLC

Main Fabric: Sunbrella, Glen Raven Custom Fabrics LLC

Window: Polycarbonate

SolarFix

Sailboat Dodgers & Biminis









WHAT ARE THE PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS?

This client wanted a dodger that would stand out. They requested to have large view lines and they wanted it to flow with and compliment the modern lines of their new boat.

WHAT IS UNIQUE OR COMPLEX ABOUT THE PROJECT?

The frame style, with the struts forward and the double crowned forward bow make this dodger not only fun to build but challenging as well. The large window design allows maximum visibility. A full valence also provides the customer with flexibility to remove the three large panels independently for maximum air flow or to be removed and stored easily over the winter months. The forward center panel can also be tied up in place to the frame if the customer chooses. Our client was very happy with the finished product.





We Better Get a Bigger Sheet—Chicago Marine Canvas

Main Fabric: Sunbrella, Glen Raven Custom Fabrics LLC Window: Aqua-Lite Polycarbonate, Manart-Hirsch Co. Inc. SolarFix PTFE Thread, Keyston Bros.

Sailboat Dodgers & Biminis









WHAT ARE THE PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS?

The customer requested a new dodger with maximum visibility. We showed and explained the benefits of a polycarbonate window and decided to go with that material for the windows. He said he would rarely remove the windows if ever and wanted the windows as big as could be.

After we took digital measurements of the frame we designed the dodger in CAD which allowed us to alter the size of the front / center panel maximizing it out to a full sheet of material. The customer loved the simplistic design and we moved the dodger into production.

The dodger windows were secured primarily with a PVC track on the bottom which made installation a breeze and a perfect fit.

WHAT IS UNIQUE OR COMPLEX ABOUT THE PROJECT?

The most unique and challenging aspect of this project was the size of the center window throughout the fabrication process. We needed to take extra care of the material during sewing and used 6 x 6 pads to easily move the polycarbonate around on our sewing tables.



