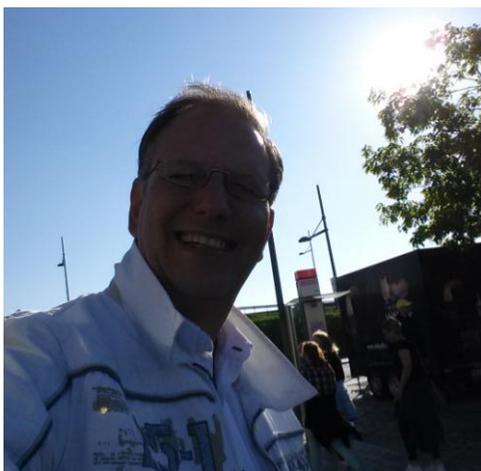


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Name / Occupation	Dierk Weindorf, Germany
Did you sail when you were younger, do you sail in real life now?	I started sailing when I was 3 years old. My parents had a 12 m sailing Yacht an began to sail with an Opti. Later I changed to a Laser (not radial !) and sailed German, European and World Championships. When I grew up I started to sail H-Boat and there I was 17 th in the world Championship. Even at this time I sailed our boat, and a lot of races other 12-15 m racing yachts as a helmsman. Til 2017 I sailed as helmsman on a Millenium 40 Carbon Racer. Since I had my shoulder issues I stopped sailing in real life.
When did you start playing VSK, how did it happen?	In Winter 2010 I googled for sailing simulation and found vsk5. I was totally surprised about the physical realness of the game.
VSK - just a game? How do you see VSK as part of your real life?	At the end of the day it is just a game. But every race is a race against your ego an opponents. So it is like all other online sportgames fighting against real opponents without a chance of cheating.

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<p>Can you remember your best moment and your worst moment in the game? (no need to say names)</p>	<p>Ma best moment was my invitational event at ISAF Racing. First time I took part and won the event. Worst moments are all events I don't perform like I could.</p>
<p>Who has influenced you the most in VSK?</p>	<p>At the beginning it was Sandy (Camster). Later Alex (Fix oder Nix) was like a mentor for me. He trained me to a well performing vsk5 sailor.</p>
<p>What does Tricky Winds as a club mean to you?</p>	<p>TTW is for me the only club I like to be because there are so many good vsk5 sailor. So we all have the same speech and the same target. To perform good and win every race. Also we all at TTW have a very good friendship with each other.</p>
<p>What is your vision for the future of the game and for Tricky Winds?</p>	<p>I hope there will be another good game in the future for sailors like TTW Members. I don't think there will be a new version of vsk. As long we can sail vsk5 I hope we stay some more years in TTW like we do now.</p>
<p>Anything else you want to share with us?</p>	<p>Was a pleasure to make this interview.</p>