

welcome

The National Maritime Museum uses the four wind directions as a guide. The open courtyard is your starting point. The exhibitions are in North, East and West. After your visit to a wind direction you return to the open courtyard.

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opening hours

Museum, cafe-restaurant and shop:
Tue to Sun from 10 AM to 5 PM
Library: Tue to Fri from 10 AM to 5 PM
The National Maritime Museum is closed on: King's Day (27 April), Christmas Day (25 December), and New Year's Day (1 January).

accessibility

The National Maritime Museum is accessible for visitors with disabilities. Lifts in East, North, and West will lead you to all the exhibitions. If you encounter any difficulties, our crew members will be happy to assist you.

questions and complaints

We hope you will enjoy visiting our building and our exhibitions. If you have any questions or complaints, the crew members in the open courtyard will be happy to assist you. You can also send an e-mail to pr@hetscheepvaartmuseum.nl.

You can find our visitor conditions near the main entrance.

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this is your compass

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north

highlights and exhibitions

highlights

- 1  **East Indiaman Amsterdam ***
due to major maintenance temporarily not along the jetty; will return beginning 2021
- 1  **the Royal Barge ***
- 1  **Christiaan Brunings ***
- 0 **main gallery: republic at sea ***
50 masterpieces tell the story of how the Netherlands became a maritime nation
- 1 **interactive space**
watch the mini lectures about the exhibition *Angels of the Sea*
- temporary exhibitions**
- 2 **angels of the sea | Stephan Vanfleteren**
(thru April 5, 2021)
a series of gripping portraits of boys between six and sixteen years of age from the maritime school Royal Work IBIS in Bredene, Belgium
- 2 **rising tide | Kadir van Lohuizen ***
(thru February 28, 2021)
photojournalist and filmmaker Kadir van Lohuizen shows the global impact of the climate crisis and rising sea levels

east

focus on the collection

- 1 **maps & marvels ***
how Dutch seafarers found their way in the 17th century and how these journeys determined Europeans' worldview
- 1 **the battle & water angle**
Ade Darmawan reflects in a four-part upon the Dutch presence and repression for centuries in Indonesia
- 1 **yacht models ***
a regatta with old and new yachts
- 2 **ship decorations ***
raw beauty and pure craftsmanship overlooking the harbour
- 2 **navigational instruments ***
navigating among the stars
- 2 **photo albums**
travellers' tales from long ago in a comfortable lounge
- *  **audio tour**

these exhibitions are supported by the audio tour









west

interactive exhibitions & storytelling

- 0 **Clipper Stad Amsterdam**
every Wednesday and Sunday from 11 AM to 16 PM open to the public. And for extra days, check www.hetscheepvaartmuseum.nl/clipper
- 1 **the tale of the whale**
from monster to protected mammal
- 2 **temporary closed**
this area is closed for the preparation of the next exhibition

open courtyard

the open courtyard is your landmark

- 0  **café-restaurant**
- 0  **shop**
- 0  **information**
- 0  **library**
- 0  **presentation room**
- 1  **toilets**
- 1  **baby care**
- 1  **cloakroom**

The introductory film *Republic at Sea* takes you into the process of creating an exhibition and offers a look behind the scenes.