

Nannie Jean

Owner: Josh Lester

Home Port: Belle, WV, Kanawha River Mile Marker 70.1 RDB

Hull Type: Modified Model Bow

Hull Material: Steel

Length: 53'

Width: 14'

Draft: 33"

Wheel Diameter: 8'

Wheel Width: 7'

of Buckets: 12

Engine Type/Size: Cummins A2300 diesel engine

Drive Train Type: Chain

Built By: Southern Ohio Marine

Built at: Cincinnati, OH

Date: 1953

Past Names (oldest to newest): Emma B. Tross, Madeline G, C.W. King, Modina Ann, Nannie Jean

Description and History: She hold 240 gallons of fuel and 240 gallons of fresh water. We know she was originally built to be an excursion ferry for Hamilton County, Ohio and was 25 cents for a ride! She was sold to the Nisbet's Fall of 2017 and resold to the current owner in February 2021. The Nannie Jean got her name my grandmothers. In memory of Nannie Lester and Imogene Meadows. I am looking forward to regatta season and getting to know everyone.

