Club History

Norddeutscher Regatta Verein, also known as North German Regatta Club is based in Hamburg, Germany, and was founded in 1868. Located on Alster Lakes, NRV is one of the oldest and largest yacht clubs in Germany with approximately 2,000 members.

Rolex Invitational Cup History

NRV has competed in three Invitational Cups, including the inaugural edition in 2009, where the team finished 15th. They placed 15th again in 2011 and 14th in 2019. The NRV Invitational Cup team is selected by invitation of the most experienced sailors for keel boat racing.

Crew

NRV's crew for the 2023 Rolex NYYC Invitational Cup will be supported by helmsman Michael Grau from Hamburg. Grau has raced for just 10 years, but where he lacks in years of experience he makes up for in skill. At the helm, Grau took home first place at the German Nationals in 2019 and 2020. He placed 12th at the J/70 Europeans in 2022 and 25th at the J/70 Worlds in 2018. Doing the tactics for NRV is Tobias Schadewaldt who has been racing for 20 years. He placed 11th in the 49er at the 2012 Olympics in London and first at the Laser Junior Worlds in 2003. Schadewaldt is apart of the NRV sailing league team which just brought home the triple (National League, Champions League, and League Cup).

NRV CREW

Helmsperson - Micheal Grau (Hamburg, GER)
Tactician - Tobias Schadewalt (Rastede, GER)
Juliane Adelssen (Hamburg, GER)
Gordon Nickel (Flensburg, GER)
Matthias Grau (Hamburg, GER)
Johann Grau (Hamburg, GER)
Carolina Werner (Schwedeneck, GER)
Klaas Höpcke (Hamburg, GER)
Florian Thoelen (Hamburg, GER)





