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Freedom on four wheels - carefree and barrier-free travel!

Morelo Reisemobile GmbH and PARAVAN GmbH will be presenting pioneering barrier-free motorhome solutions at the CMT vacation and travel trade fair at Messe Stuttgart from January 13 to 21, 2024 at the MORELO Reisemobile GmbH in Hall 2, Booth 2B14.



The construction work is still in full swing. From Saturday, January 13, the barrier-free Morelo Palace 90 LS will be on display at the CMT. With the help of the "PARAVAN EStep comfort", you will be able to go up through the entrance door by lift and be swiveled directly to the table in the lift seat or transfer from there to the standard seats. Photo: PARAVAN

At the international motorhome trade fair CMT 2024 in Stuttgart, Morelo Reisemobile GmbH and Paravan GmbH will be presenting pioneering barrier-free solutions for people with physical disabilities. The focus will be on the barrier-free converted Morelo Palace 90 LS, which not only meets the highest premium standards, but also offers unrestricted comfort when traveling. The premium motorhome gives an impression of what is possible in terms of barrier-free adaptation.

The cooperation between Morelo and Paravan aims to offer people with physical disabilities the best possible care in the area of barrier-free travel. It turns out that motorhomes are also very popular with this target group. On the contrary, users of these adapted mobile homes also have the advantage of being able to spend their vacation in their familiar surroundings. Morelo acts as a provider of premium basic vehicles, while Paravan provides barrier-free access as well as a wide range of driving and steering aids, including the innovative Space Drive drive-by-wire system for intuitive operation of the accelerator, brakes and steering.

"Enquiries are increasing," reports Joachim Glück, Head of Technical Consulting at PARAVAN GmbH. "There is a great need to be able to travel independently, and we have the experience and capabilities to offer solutions and implement them on site." Glück and his team support customers from initial contact through to delivery, and conversion measures can be carried out regardless of brand or model.





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The adaptation of the interior includes wheelchair-accessible lift and ramp systems, door widening, barrierfree interiors, individual sanitary facilities and even rails on the ceiling for transferring by lift. PARAVAN provides the optimum individual solution for a wide range of symptoms, including adaptations to input devices such as the Space Drive driving and steering system, pedal raisers and hand knobs.

In addition to adapting the interior, getting into the often somewhat higher vehicle is a key issue and often a challenge. PARAVAN offers proven cassette lift solutions in combination with door extensions. Alternatively, the universal PARAVAN "EStep light" footboard lift for motorhomes or the "EStep comfort" is available as a transfer solution. This lift is installed in the interior to save space, can be easily swiveled into the entry or exit position and has a convenient remote control as well as a handle for safety on the non-slip platform. Visitors to the CMT vacation and travel trade fair will have the opportunity to visit Morelo and Paravan from January 13 to 21, 2024 at the MORELO Reisemobile GmbH in Hall 2, Booth 2B14. There they can take a look at the barrier-free Morelo Palace 90 LS motorhome, which is equipped with the "EStep comfort" entry aid. This makes it easier to get into and out of the motorhome from a wheelchair while seated. There is an SWL wheelchair loading aid in the rear garage for safe transportation of the wheelchair. Mobility consultants are on site to answer individual questions about the motorhome conversion.



The universal PARAVAN "EStep light" or "EStep comfort" step-on standing lift is the ideal solution for anyone who has difficulty getting into the vehicle but is not necessarily dependent on a wheelchair or is still able to transfer. Photo: PARAVAN



At the touch of a button, people with disabilities can be lifted into the motorhome with the eStep-comfort, photo: PARAVAN





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About Paravan GmbH:

PARAVAN GmbH is the global market leader for highly customized vehicle solutions for the disabled. Around 160 employees at the Pfronstetten Aichelau site and the Heidelberg branch develop and produce individually adapted car conversions, power wheelchairs and even specialized driver training. PARAVAN pursues a holistic approach with its "one-stop shop concept". The technological highlight is Space Drive, an intelligent digital control system based on the drive-by-wire principle. Thanks to the active redundancy of the servomotors, it is completely fail-safe and the first with road approval. This innovation enables severely disabled people, some without arms or legs, to drive independently and safely. It is not possible for these drivers to simply intervene in the steering wheel. Space Drive has proven itself on over a billion kilometers of roads worldwide over the past 20 years and is used by numerous industrial customers for test vehicles in the field of autonomous driving. The system is available as a retrofit kit with an open interface for all known vehicle types. www.paravan.de

About die Morelo Reisemobile GmbH

MORELO Reisemobile GmbH is the leading manufacturer of luxury motorhomes in Europe, based in Schlüsselfeld, Franconia, and part of Knaus Tabbert AG.

The wheelchair can be safely stored in the rear of the vehicle. Thanks to the SWL-120 wheelchair loading system, this is also possible at the touch of a button, photo: PARAVAN