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Großherzogin Elisabeth  
An der Kaje - 26931 Elsfleth  
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The GROSSHERZOGIN ELISABETH (Grand Duchess Elisabeth) started her life as the SAN ANTONIO. The gaff-rigged schooner was launched on the 19th of August 1909 in Ablasterdam (Netherlands) and was worldwide the first cargo sailing ship which was equipped with a diesel motor. In 1982, the ship, known as ARIADNE at the time, was purchased by the "School Ship Society Grand Duchess Elisabeth", her current owner. She is warmly referred to as the "Lissi". Moreover, she reminds us of the fully-rigged ship of the same name, a vessel built in 1901 and which served in a training capacity for a long period of time. The latter vessel is the DUCHESSE ANNE, now located in the French harbor of Dunkirk.

Apart from the summer season, the vessel serves the Departement of Maritime Studies at the Jade University of Applied Sciences as a training ship.



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