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A salute to those who serve

'Thank you for a beautiful day'

By SMSgt. Johan Hijmenberg

In the days after the 25 years celebration, e-mails with congratulations started flowing into the PIO mailbox from visitors to the Component's website. "I would like to give you my best compliments for your event last weekend. Thank you for a beautiful day and the chance to visit your location," writes Jack Theunissen from Hoensbroek, the Netherlands.

Theunissen and his son were among the more than 100,000 visitors who had a great time during the celebration weekend. Klaus Sonnenschein from Herne, Germany writes, "I visited your airbase and I would like to thank you for that great show you arranged for all the people. Starting with the way to the base and entrance, the static display, the shows, the food. Everything was quiet well organized. It was a pleasure for me to join this anniversary party. You showed us that you are unified not only in the sky but also on the ground."

"We've never had a celebration like this before," exclaimed a delighted Brig. Gen. Stephen D. Schmidt, E-3A Component Commander. "We wanted to share this special event with the public and the huge number of visitors shows us there is great interest in the Component and its mission."

During the busiest times, lines of people stretched for up to a hundred metres, waiting at the aircraft, including our own E-3A, that were open for viewing. Over forty aircraft were lined up in a unique static display on a 2,000-metre stretch of the flight line, among them a B-25

Mitchell, an EF-2000 Eurofighter, a ME-109G-6 Messerschmidt and a B-52 Stratofortress. "Due to the mixture of aircraft around the static display it is much more interesting here than at other flying air shows," says Ramon Wenink from Global Aviation Review Magazine.

National display booths were set up in hangar 1 as well as in front of the hangar on the ramp. The booths provided a unique opportunity to provide cultural information in addition to the entertainment performances and cuisine. Together with colleagues and family members, Maj. Victor Marcos manned the Portuguese exhibition. "Beside the typical Portuguese seafood including sardines, cookies from cod fish we also introduced the beauty of our country. We received very interesting feedback from the visitors." In addition there was wine from Italy, carpets from Turkey, jewellery from Spain and many other items from other Component nations that were on display.

One of the highlights on both days was the anniversary parade with international military bands. Great performances were made by many performers, including the Italian Fanfara Scattini band from Bergamo and the Polish Air Force Orchestra under the lead of Maj. Pawel Joks. "All 46 orchestra members feel themselves music ambassadors. We would like to see our country to be seen by music," said the orchestra leader from Poznan. "We know that we represent our air force and its history, so we have spent many hours in training. We are very grateful for the invitation and we hope to come back in future." In total the orchestra performed eight concerts during the weekend, not only on base but also

in the communities of Geilenkirchen and Heinsberg.

'You showed us that you are unified not only in the sky but also on the ground.'

The hosting of such a historic event for the Component was no easy task and the anniversary committee began preparation back in September of last year. "Perhaps the hardest it was to convince the Component community how big the anniversary event should be," says Capt. Dirk Schmid of the committee. "That it would be the biggest party in NATO history."

When the preparation phase was ten months out, the committee noticed that people were becoming more and more involved with plans for the upcoming event. "You really experienced that several weeks before the start of the celebration the 25-year-fever ruled on base. And when the build up of the hangars started on Thursday night we really had the idea 'this will be good,'" said Committee member Capt. Andreas Hauck.

The majority of the event organisation was in hands of a

small team. "Beside Capt's Schmid and Hauck also Lt. Col. (Ret.) Hans Topp, Capt. Reiner Marie, Mr. Werner Schumm and A1C Frederik Grunert belonged to the team", says committee chairman Lt. Col. Tony Jerenko. "But without the fantastic support and also flexibility of so many divisions, branches, offices and the German Garrison Administration we couldn't have done the job."

But after all the months of preparation did they enjoy themselves as well on the two days? "Of course", they reply, "When we looked to the visitors and how much fun they were having, the smiles on their faces and the contentment of the families - that provided a real satisfaction to us."

"Our Component is an example of international cooperation at its best. People from 15 NATO member states have been working together here for 25 years and this celebration shows how successful this joint effort has been," said Brig. Gen. Schmidt.

"This event was truly an amazing success. We especially want to thank all of our neighbours and the local authorities for helping make this a special event that the entire community could enjoy. Without the cooperation and support of the local community such a large scale celebration wouldn't have been possible."



On the Monday morning after the event a F(oreign) O(bject) D(amage) sweep was foreseen to get the base safe for flying operations again. Photo Andrea Hohenforst

atmosphere kind of cosy. I had a lot of fun presenting several rock bands, folk dance groups, swinging show dance girls and many more. I can summarize the 25th Anniversary Festival as follows: lot's of sun, lot's of fun, a huge crowd, a f-a-n-t-a-s-t-i-c fire works show, beautiful airplanes, an awesome parade. In short: WOW!

The day-after, on Monday, I came home from my work. It was somewhere around 1700 hours.

I noticed an AWACS airplane, which had just taken off to go on its mission. Funny to see that after a crazy weekend everything had turned back to normal again.

Dear 'stage 3 crew', dear Mr. Werner Schumm, dear Mr. Andy Bisschoff, dear Jo, thank you so much for a fantastic weekend. I am really looking forward to the next Festival.

Kind regards, Roger Kierkels

Letter to the editor

Allow me to introduce myself. My name is Roger Kierkels and I am 38 years old. I am not employed at the E3A-Component. I am just a normal civilian, living in Munstergeleen, a small village near Sittard in the Netherlands.

A good friend of mine, Mr. Jo Collaris, works at the air base, at the Base Support Wing to be exact. He asked me if I would like to join him to play host on one of the three

stages during the 25th Anniversary Festival on 16 and 17 June. I did not need much time to think about that. In 2005 I also had the opportunity to be a host during the Cultural Festival. So yes! I would love to do the same job now.

Jo Collaris and I covered stage 3, both on Saturday and Sunday. It was the smallest and most simple one. Because of its size the contact between the performers and the spectators was more direct and intense, which made the whole



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Canine Biathlon 2007

'That hurts'

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attacks the
baiter at the
last obstacle.*

Text and photo
SMSgt. Johan Hijmenberg

Sunshine welcomed 108 canine biathlon teams to Geilenkirchen on Saturday, 2 June. This marks the 9th time the Civil Guard section of the Security Squadron organised the competition, which is a cross-country run for dog handlers and their dogs.

"The ambiance here at Geilenkirchen is one of the best", says Sgt. Corné Keijl from Woensdrecht Airbase, The Netherlands. Keijl joins the competition along with dog handlers from France, Germany, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Czech Republic, Slovenia and Switzerland, as well as with Marcel Brassé, Hein Schots, Jos Hanssen and Ufuk Aktas of the E-3A Component. "Beside it's a very nice course, using also natural obstacles", adds Keijl, who participated the last years at biathlons in several countries.

"The 8.5 km run is a real challenge", said Brassé upon completion of the course. "There is good mixture of obstacles". Brassé and his comrade Hein Schots are the 'oldies' of the group, the only ones who have participated in all nine competitions at the Component. Together with his dog Aaron, Brassé charged through all the various obstacles. "The difference in obstacles challenges the team", he said. "The first part was flat as the last third of the run had short strong ascents. That really hits your upper legs. But with our time of 43 minutes and 20 seconds I'm satisfied", said the 49 year-old handler about his run with Aaron.

Start and finish are on the sports field near the New Gym. The 25-obstacle-course leads the teams over open and wooded country on the south side of the base. A step out is made to the north side for the shooting part of the contest at the indoor shooting range, next to hangar

4. Responsible for building and safety of the track were Jos Theunissen, Wim Peeters and Huub Ackermans.

"As for my colleagues I'm involved since the first biathlon," said Theunissen. "In the beginning we 'stole' ideas from other biathlons. But now that we are experienced we have introduced new obstacles ourselves. For us as organising committee the biggest challenge is to introduce a brand new obstacle. As for this year we introduced a 'crawl through a car' hindrance."

Time and penalties will decide the match, because it's not only the fastest time but also the fewest penalties that will decide the overall winner. Sitting in a moveable container near the finish line, Jürgen Pobehaj and Huub Ackermans are responsible to verify the results. "All running times were put in the computer", explained Pobehaj, who together with Heinz-Werner Schieren and Math Hensgens did

the administrative and registration preparation. "The penalties are also entered into the laptop and that results in the overall winner. However, first we make a double-check of all the times and penalties."

But in the end, every participant who runs over the finish line is a winner. That's why all participants receive a certificate, said Pobehaj.

"Without the help of the 50 volunteers today it's impossible to organise such an event", says Chief Civil Guard Hans-Willi Dohmen. "Also the support of branches and sections on the base is a necessity. Thanks to them and our sponsors for making this competition day possible."

But not everything went smoothly in the final days before the start of the event. "Already for months we planned to accommodate the participants in the IDT-tents at the north side. Then we heard that we couldn't use them because a short noticed exercise was planned in that area. So, we had less than two days to find another place to accommodate the participants. Fortunately, we received support from several sides to solve the problem", said Dohmen as he looks to the last obstacle where the dog Falco from Lithuanian Vilnius Police dog attacks and bites the baiter in his arm. "That hurts", he said.

'The ambiance here at Geilenkirchen is one of the best'

The winner was Valdis Biskovski, Border Police Latvia with a time of 37 minutes, 35 seconds. All E-3A Component participants placed themselves in the upper half. Marcel Brasse 11th (41:20), Jos Hanssen 19th (43:23), Ufuk Aktas 20th (43:39) and Heinz Schots 30th (45:21). Best female runner was Karin Leuthold, 37th (48:11).

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Supply Clerk (Supervisor), AGK LSD 1040, Advertisement Number 07019, NATO grade LWR, assigned to the Main Storage & Issue Section, Materiel Storage & Distribution Branch, Supply Squadron, Logistics

Wing. This post is due to be filled as soon as possible. Closing Date: 10 July 2007.

Supply Clerk, AGK LSD 2150 & 2340, Advertisement Numbers 07020 & 07021, NATO Grade LWR, assigned to the Main Storage & Issue Section, Materiel Storage & Distribution Branch, Supply Squadron, Logistics Branch. These posts are due to be filled as soon as possible. Closing Date: 10 July 2007.

For further details, please visit the Component Information Portal (WISE) under Headquarters, PEC,

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International Youth Activities kicks off



Young ballerinas practicing at the IYA Multi-purpose Room.
Photo courtesy IYA

By Ingrid Neuhalphen,
Director, International Youth Activities

When you walk along SACEUR Avenue in the afternoon, you usually hear the laughing and shouting of the children playing on the recreational area outside Building 95, the International Youth Activities' residence.

Soon, the IYA Summer Break Program will be in full swing. From now to 17 August, 40 children can enjoy fun games, arts and crafts, hikes, movies, sports and swimming all day long. Each Wednesday, they will go on a field trip to an attractive destination in the region, for example an amusement park, a zoo or an open-air museum.

The IYA offers a wide variety of

instructional classes, care and leisure programs for children and families of all nationalities. Annual highlights are the Easter Egg Hunt and the Christmas Party, each for more than 100 children, and the Moonlight Family Christmas Steam Train Ride with Santa Claus on the historic Selfkantbahn for 340 people.

Especially popular are also the IYA weekend trips to beautiful towns, castles, tourist attractions, markets, which also include cruises, biking and kayaking.

Every six weeks the IYA starts a new swimming course for beginners. Participants take the official swim badge exams of the German Lifesaving Organization. More than 60 children enrolled in the Ballet and Tap & Jazz Program perform during



The Players of the Pre-Bambini league in action.
Photo courtesy Dennis Owens

the annual Dance Recital at the JFC Alliance Theatre.

Seasonal sports include basketball, baseball and soccer. Fun comes first – along with the learning experience, competition second. The IYA can only offer the quality and quantity of leagues with its dedicated and hard-working volunteer coaches.

Throughout the seasons they patiently and efficiently take care of the players. In order to promote cultural exchanges the IYA invites

local teams to its seasonal sports leagues.

It will be so much more fun to talk to your neighbours and people from other NATO countries, if you could better understand each other. Improve your language skills. New Volkshochschule language classes in German, English, Italian and Spanish start at the beginning of September.

If you would like to have further information on IYA and Volkshochschule programs visit the IYA Office in Building 95 or call extension 4954/5.

IYA Summer activities

Summer Break Program

Between 25 June and 17 August the IYA is organizing weekly sessions for children aged 6+ with activities from 0930 to 1630. The children can be dropped off at 0800, and picked up no later than 1730. The program includes fun games, swimming, arts & crafts, sports, scavenger hunts, free play, special projects, and movies, but will also depend on the weather.

Cost is €36 per child, including lunch on Friday, plus the cost of the field trip. The 3rd child only pays

half price, and additional children are free. Slots are limited.

Summer Break Trips

For international Component children aged 6 and up: Bokrijk Open Air Museum and Playground, B, 27 June, 0830-1730, €13; De Efteling Amusement Park, NL, 4 July, 0800-2000, €35; Beekse Bergen Safaripark & Playground, NL, 11 July, 0800-1900, €30; Movie Park Germany, 18 July, 0800-2000, €31; Rursee, cruise/hiking/swimming, 25 July, 0800-1730, €17, (castle visit instead of swimming in colder weather);

Bobbejaanland Amusement Park, B, 1 August, 0800-2000, €32; Duisburg Zoo, 8 August, 0800-1730, €18; Phantasialand Amusement Park, 15 August, 0800-1930, €40.

Chaperones go free. Slots are limited. Point of departure and return is the IYA parking lot next to Bldg 95.

Kayaking Trip to the River Lesse

Join the IYA to enjoy kayaking down a 21km stretch of the Belgian River Lesse on Saturday, 14 July, 0730-2000. On your way through the beautiful countryside you will pass castles, majestic rocks and two rapids.

Children aged 12 and younger have to be accompanied by an adult. Point of departure and return is the parking lot outside the Front Gate. Cost is €23 per person.

Family Trip to the Rhein Valley

Join the IYA to enjoy the fantastic scenery of the Rhein valley with its historic castles and green vineyards on a boat trip from Oberwesel to Koblenz on Saturday, 11 August, 0800- 2000. You will have the opportunity to walk around the beautiful old town of Oberwesel and visit the famous city of Koblenz. Point of departure and return is the parking lot outside the Front Gate. Cost is €28 for ages 14+, €13,50 per child aged 4-13, and €10 per child aged 0-3.

Venray, 28 May 2007

To the NATO Airborne Early Warning and Control Force E-3A Component,

Many called Tony a hero. That he was also for us, a true gentleman, loving, kind, hardworking and a smiling happy man. Tony loved his work and his colleagues surrounding him. To the girls and me Tony was a dear husband, a wonderful father and grandfather. To all of you he was

a true colleague and a warm friend. He was a great example for all of us and he will be in our hearts forever. We don't know yet how to pick up our lives but we hope that Tony will guide us through these hard times. It seems at the moment impossible without him.

We were overwhelmed by all the kind words that were spoken and written. We can hardly describe the

Letter of thanks

comfort and warmth this brought to all of us. It became clear to us that Tony did not only meant everything to us, but also to you all at the E-3A Component. There was one sentence that will never leave our minds; it was written by Mark Beauchamp, 'The hole in our hearts is larger than the Grand Canyon'.

We express our deepest thanks to everybody at the E-3A Component.

Thanks especially to Brigadier General Stephen D. Schmidt, Alexander van Ooijen, Anne Sault, Lt. Col. Martin Pedersen, Mark Beauchamp, Adrian Smith, Carol van Iersel, Paul Dodd, and Denise Richardson

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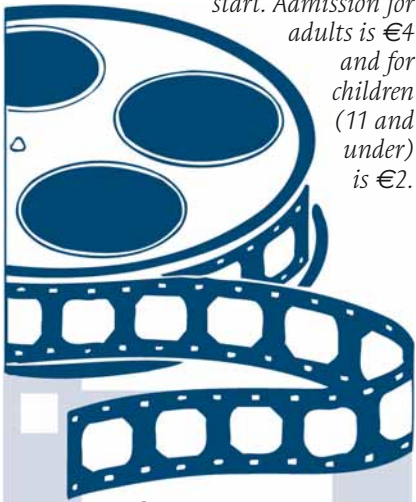
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Friday, 13 July, 1930
Shia LeBeaouf, Carrie-Ann Moss

Jogging Cross results 2007

By Heidi Soerensen

On Wednesday, 23 May this year's E-3A Component Jogging Cross took place. It was a warm and sunny morning when 42 Component members covered the 3½ or 7 kilometres distance. Many of the competitors were challenged by the cross trail behind the New Gym and at the half-way mark a small supporting crowd cheered their colleagues' as they struggled through the course.

The next international Cross Country will be held on 9 November, where runners from different civilian organizations as well all Component members are invited. Last year more than 200 runners participated. It's never too late to put on your running shoes and start training to physically challenge yourself.

7 km - Category A: Men aged 18-29

Name	Time	Place
Johannes Kamrodt	31,12	1
Gabriel Avilla	31,40	2
Otto Quinten	32,58	3
Brandon Burgess	33,14	4
Chris Smith	34,20	5
Tim George	35,17	6

Ken Caputa	29,34	3
Frank Rath	31,30	4
Darrel Nunez	32,21	5
Roger Janssen	33,03	6
Luca Frascchetti	34,57	7
Richard Keasey	35,38	8
Frank Ulaga	36,24	9
Scott Acre	42,18	10
Martin Krebs	44,16	11

7 km - Category B: Men aged 30-39

Name	Time	Place
Aasmund Sandvik	30,02	1
Brandon Durant	32,24	2
Oscar Ochoa	34,45	3
Francisko Vela	34,57	4
Joe Terrones	36,00	5
Brian Tomko	41,34	6
B.J Ivey	42,18	7
Rick Christie	48,57	8

7 km - Category D: Men aged 50+

Name	Time	Place
Jim Simon	31,22	1
Marcel Brasse	31,47	2
Harrie Ruijters	33,42	3
Hay Janssen	34,38	4
Norbert Tryb	38,29	5

7 km - Category C: Men aged 40-49

Name	Time	Place
James Casey	29,33	1
Gene Mittuch	29,34	2

7 km - Category E: Women open

Name	Time	Place
Heidi Soerensen	34,34	1
Kathryn Keasey	41,40	2
Sharon Scheulen	44,15	3
Maryvic Villanuera	50,02	4
Pamela Doole	52,58	5
Carla Henssen	52,59	6



3,5 km - All categories

Name	Time	Place
Jeff Yeatman (B)	20,06	1
Shawn Sanford (B)	22,50	2
Rod Joyner (C)	19,07	1
Tony Hopman (D)	19,54	1
Reinhold Beier (D)	22,30	2
Geralda Sumet (E)	25,29	1

The joggers start for their 7 kilometres track. Photo Andrea Hohenforst

Singing Falcons

By Mary Hoffman



Photo courtesy Geilenkirchen Elementary School

The sound of singing children filled the gymnasium of the Teveren Elementary School on 18 June. Mrs. Schubert's 2nd grade Immersion class was invited to sing at the retirement ceremony of the Teveren School principal, Mr. Heinz Krings. Mrs. Gehrman, their host nation teacher, directed them. They did a song together with the German students and then the Geilenkirchen students did a special farewell song for Mr. Krings.

The Teveren Elementary and the Geilenkirchen Elementary School have had a long partnership. Throughout the years, the two schools have shared many special events, sports days, and school concerts together. Many years ago, Mr. Krings started this

special relationship between the two schools. Students and staff from both schools are sad to see a special friend leave.

Spanish 25th anniversary celebration raffle

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- 3rd prize: Number 1853 – DVD Radio system.

Congratulations to the winners! Please contact the Spanish NSU before 31 July, 2007 to claim your prize (spanishnsu@nato.e3a.int) tel. 0049 (0)2451 632190.

Tri-Border American Fest

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MWA INFORMATION

July

E-3A Component Clubs

Sunday brunch will alternate between Officers'/Frisbee Clubs. Members from both clubs are eligible to attend. Brunch prices: members €10.70; guests €13; children 4-12 years half price. Reservations should be made NLT 1200 on the Friday before. Club cards are required. For additional information, please contact the Officers' Club, ext. 4990, or the Frisbee Club, ext. 4994.

- 1 No brunch.
- 8 Officers' Club family brunch. Frisbee Club closed.
- 15 No brunch.
- 22 Officers' Club brunch, Norwegian style. Frisbee Club closed.
- 29 Frisbee Club brunch. Officers' Club closed.

Officers' Club (SWPO/4990)

Operating hours bar Monday-Friday 1100-2100; restaurant Monday-Friday 1130-1330; Sunday 1100-1400 (alternating with the Frisbee Club). Reservations are required for Sunday brunch by 1200 on the Friday before. Club cards required when using the Frisbee Club (ext. 4994).

Lunch at the Officers' Club: Monday through Thursday A la Carte menu served; Monday and Wednesday a vegetarian special also available; Friday buffet style lunch.

Throughout the month membership appreciation. One time each month for each Officer's Club member, buy one drink of your choice and get an equivalent drink of your choice free of charge. Club cards required.

Tuesdays 1700-1800 Happy Hour, free snacks available; Fridays 1430-1700 Happy Hour, free snacks available.

Specials: From 09 to 12 July Chinese specialties during lunchtime!

Special Notes: The Officers' Club has rooms available for your conferences, meetings,

presentations, lunches or Commanders' Call. Make your reservations now.

For members living on base – if you like to watch TV and/or have a drink during the weekends while the club is closed – collect the key for the Officers' Club Casual Bar at the Pass/Visitors' Office, Main Gate.

Officers' Club participation in Frisbee Club events: During Frisbee Club opening hours, Officers' Club members are eligible to utilize the Frisbee Club for breakfast, dinner and Sunday brunch (on an alternating basis between the Frisbee and Officers' Clubs). Club cards required when Officers' Club members are using the Frisbee Club.

Cancellations for Officers' Club events will be accepted up to two days prior to the event on ext. 4990. After this time, a cancellation fee of €5 per person must be charged for non-excused absences.

Visit the Officers' Club Web Page on the Component Information Portal, through Base Support Wing, Services Squadron, Clubs, for the latest information.

The Officers' Club Staff and Management wish all members and their families a nice and sunny holiday!

Frisbee Club (SWPN/4994)

Make a reservation today at the Frisbee Grill and enjoy the cosy atmosphere and good food! Remember - the Frisbee Club is open for breakfast and dinner to all Frisbee and Officers' Club members (club cards required).

Every Monday night Country Line Dance, at 1930.

Every Monday-Thursday Happy Hour from 1700 until 1800; every Friday Happy Hour from 1430 until 1900 (including snacks at 1700).

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Sentry Club (SWPJ/4997)

In addition to the daily special, the Sentry Club will also offer a weekend special which will include a soup or dessert as well as the main course. The weekend special will be advertised in the Sentry Club and also on the Component information web page.

Last pizza order at 1930, Monday-Friday. A variety of new pizzas are available now, i.e. Pizza 'Gyros', Pizza 'Calzone' and Pizza 'Spinach'. We also will add some new toppings. As soon as the preparations are finished, the details will be advertised on our Component information web page. We will also offer little rolls made from pizza dough with herb butter or garlic mayonnaise.

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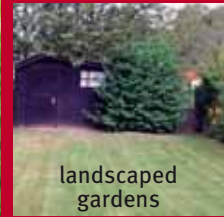
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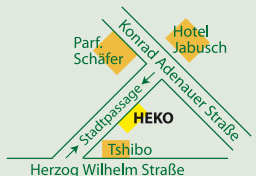
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