

Report of the 4th EuNat Meeting, held at the Naturist Camping “Le Betulle” at La Cassa, Turin (Italy), from 23rd till 26th May.

Following federations were represented: (...abc...)

Federation	Representative	Abbreviation	Number of Votes
BN	Nick CAUNT	NC	15
DFK	Kurt FISCHER	KF	26
DNU	FRANK Søren C V	FS	4
<i>(Denmark)</i>	<i>Thomas FRISENDAL</i>		<i>Visitor</i>
FEN	Ismael RODRIGO	IR	7
FENAIT	Gianfranco RIBOLZI	GR	10
FBN	Paul LAMBRECHTS	PLS	14
FFN	Paul RÉTHORÉ	PR	26
FLN	Pieter LAGENDIJK	PLK	3
FPN	José SOUSA	JS	2
INA	Pat GALLAGHER	PG	2
NFN	Henk SMEEMAN	HS	34
NNF	Leendert COMBEE	LC	6
ÖNV	Ladislaus IVO	LI	6
SNF	Eirik ISENE	EI	7
SNU-UNS	Edith ZIMMERMANN	EZN	8
INF	Sieglinde IVO	SI	
INF	Mick AYERS	MA	
INF	Rolf-Beat HOSTETTLER	RH	
ENC-Secretary	Jean PETERS	JP	
ENC-Sports	Jim RUSSELL	JR	
ENC-Youth	Enrico ZAPPADOR	EZR	<i>(only on Saturday)</i>
		Total:	170 votes

EZR (3 Letter-Codes due to double use)

Note: All motions and discussion points were available to the representatives and so the texts are not mentioned here.

Point 1: Welcome by the organizing Federation.

JP opens the Meeting on 24.05.2013 at 09.15 h and gives the word to Gianfranco RIBOLZI, President of the FENAIT, who welcomes all participants at the Camping ground “Le Betulle” in Italy. He mentions that this camping ground was created in 1969 and thanks all the assistants who made this meeting possible. In addition he gives some information concerning the visitors program.

Point 2: Welcome by the INF President.

SI remits her thanks to GR for organizing this 4th EuNat Meeting and to the delegates for having joined at such a great number and wishes all of them successful discussions during this meeting.

Point 3: Checking of the present Delegates and their number of votes.

JP reads out the various numbers of votes and asks the delegates to present themselves to the assembly, in view that each time new persons participate. He points out that *Thomas FRISENDAL* from Denmark is present as Visitor only and therefore has no voting right.

GR notices that he has forgotten the voting papers, he will arrange this immediately. The total number of votes is **170**.

Point 4: Election of 2 scrutineers.

Bernd Huijser and Toni Möckel put up their hands.

Point 5: Approval of the Agenda.

KF criticizes that under Point 14 the next EuNat Meeting 2014 is hidden, without clarification where it is supposed to be held.

JP answers, that the candidacy for EuNat 2014 is stated under Point 10 of the Agenda. The Agenda is accepted unanimously.

Point 6: Reports by the ENC Members and Discussion.

Point 6.1: The report by **JR** is available in writing. Questions arising:

EZN criticizes the missing and imprecise numbers of participants in the report by the ENC Sports Officer.

JP replies that the separate reports are available in the Download, received by each federation, in addition the numbers of participants can be found in the statistics of the last 3 years. The accuracy of these numbers can never be absolutely correct, as some organizers only indicate the paying participants; others indicate all visitors (as it happened at one beach in France)

PR retorts that for the last swim gala **JR** had stated the correct number of participants in his report.

KF adds that the report by **JR** should be a more trusty report of the events and also be better formulated, but just as a proposal.

EZN: The very short report by Jim is briefly discussed.

JP mentions again that each federation has received the complete reports of the events, and so it is not necessary to state all details once more in the report by **JR**.

JP thanks Jim for his report and for his presence at the events.

Point 6.2: Report by the Youth Representative of ENY.

GR reports that **EZR** (elected by the ENY 2013) still is at school for the moment. He will be present on Saturday afternoon and give a short report about the General Assembly of ENY. This item is postponed till tomorrow afternoon.

Point 6.3 Budgets and Financial Report by the Secretary of ENC.

The Financial Report documents by **JP** are available. Questions hereto?

JP mentions that he holds all documents with him, in case anyone would like to get some details about the various financial items. He criticizes that, for example, under Item 9040 (Rosenfelder Strand) the travel expenses for the Sports Officer exceeded

1000€ and he would like to get the opinion by the Assembly. Several times the question arose whether the presence of the Sports Officer would also be required at Family Meetings, considering that these events are „self-perpetuating“ and are in charge of the organizers themselves.

SI: Her opinion is that the ENC Sports Officer should attend pure sport events only (Swim gals, Pétanque) and that his presence is not required at events like Alpe-Adria and Family Meetings.

KF reckons that, for example, attendance by JR at the Rosenfelder Strand is not needed.

IR, comments – although deviating from the topic – that in the Event Calendar Arnaoutchot (FEN) is stated as cancelled, but it should read: FPN (Algarve-Portugal).

Then he changes to Item 9050 of the Financial Report.

SI interrupts him, repeats the current issue and asks him, whether the presence of JR at Family Meetings is required. No precise reply hereto.

NC remarks that, for example, the event of the Youth-Rally in Broadlands by the BN included different types of sports and that they needed a Sports Officer for monitoring and execution. This should be decided case by case.

JP: Who should decide that?

SI: During the last EuNat Meeting it had been decided that the Youth Group should operate on an independent way as much as possible. Arranging again the Sports Officer for the Youth Group will appear again as a kind of control, which we should avoid.

EZN: suggests that it should be left to the organizers to decide whether they need the ENC Sports Officer or not.

JR: generally agrees with this procedure and adds that no costs arose to ENC due to his presence at Broadlands.

PR: also agrees with this proposal, in view of costs.

GR: he would desire that the ENC Sports Officer would attend the ENY Meetings.

JP: After various discussions (*partly without microphone*) it has been decided that the attendance of the Sports Officer is only required during the Swim Gala and Pétanque. In case an organizer needs the presence of the ENC Sports Officer, he shall inform the ENC Commission accordingly, then it will be fine and financially seen it will also be covered through the ENC Budget. The expenses for ENY will have to be absorbed by the ENY Budget. (As no voting papers are available yet, voting is made by raising hands)

Vote: Who agrees?

Vote	Yes	No	Abstentions
	136	0	34

Point 6.4: Report by the INF Account Checkers.

PR: (*Interjection*) has another question in relation to the financing of the Swim gala 2012 by the **FFN:** Contrary to the budget of 13'000€ by the FFN, the final expenses were 16'000€, because less people than expected had participated, and requests this surplus to be absorbed by the EuNat Budget 2012.

JP explains to him, that end of 2012, after receipt of the final invoicing, the FFN had been asked by email to submit an additional budget to ENC, but no answer had been received. The budget 2012 is now closed and cannot be amended anymore. He shall

submit his demand for the debates of the Budget 2013, under Point 12.2, possibly in writing, and then the EuNat Meeting could vote on this.

KF replies to **PR**, he should first clarify what it is about, and that the federations should abide deadlines for the final invoicing.

NC: It is nearly impossible to establish precise budget bills. He cites the ENY-Youth Rally 2013 as an example, where 100 persons were expected to come, but only 50 actually showed up.

(Electric failure, Break)

Continuation

JP refers again to Item 9020 (Request by the FFN about the SG-2012).

PR will submit to **JP** a supplementary budget and will be handled the same way as for Switzerland in 2010 and Czech Republic in 2011, for which the supplementary budgets also had been approved.

EZN has a question as to Item 9020: It states that the final invoice for the Pétanque 2012 had been approved on provisional base only. Why and how will this be handled?

JP answers that no receipts were joined to the invoice by the NFN and that, according to the internal ENC Financial Rules (§1.3,a) he was not in a position to approve this invoice, but had remitted it to the INF Treasurer for review and approval, in compliance with the regulations for such a case.

SI: This issue had been discussed during the Sports Meeting Amsterdam. In earlier days lump sum settlements were common. However our point of view is that all receipts must be available, but we had forgotten to inform the federations accordingly.

(Note by JP: This rule is stated in the EuNatCom Financial and Sports Rules since Luxembourg 2010!)

After consultation with the NFN officers this billing by the NFN is now straightened and has been approved by the INF Accounts Checkers. But it has been ruled in Amsterdam that all receipts must be attached to the billings.

(Back to Point 6.4)

By their report, distributed to all delegates the INF Accounts Checkers Armand Ceolin und Dominique Dufour certify the correct and faultless accounting by **JP** for the EuNat accounting 2012.

Point 7: Motion to discharge the Members of the ENC Commission.

The ENC Commission receives unanimous discharge with 170 votes for their work.

Point 8.1: Regulations for the ENY Youth, Discussion and Vote.

NC asks the question why the age limit for ENY Members has not be increased from 27 to 29, as it has been suggested in the ENY Regulations.

JP answers, that according to the reports of the General Assembly, the newly elected ENY Committee does not want to treat this proposal as priority for the time being.

KF replies that these INF Youth Rules already exist for long time and even before ENY had been constituted and that this age limit (14-27) is being applied for decades. At Hanover in 2012 this subject has been discussed on general base only, without any decision being taken. *(For this reason stated in brackets only).*

SI remarks that for 2-3 years already, the Youth Group is supposed to submit us a set of rules, right now the issue is to officially approve these rules. The INF has no objection to the present document. In case the Youth Group wishes to implement some minor changes during the next years, then it is their own duty and they shall inform us accordingly.

JP: as there are no further questions, we can vote:

The ENY Rules are unanimously accepted with 170 votes.

Point 8.2: Rules for Sports and Finances concerning EuNat Events, Discussion and Vote.

JP: During the Sports Meeting in Amsterdam on 19th January 2013 a few changes as to these rules have been discussed, proposed and have been transmitted with grey background to the Delegates. It mainly concerns the amended procedures for the Pétanque Tournament.

As in last minute a motion for change has been submitted by the DFK, the DFK is invited to present their motion.

KF: It mainly refers to § 2.1 - 3.6, - 4.5 and 4.6.

§ 2.1: We propose that in future the Swim gala should be organized at a fix location in Central Europe. In case small federations do not have the necessary staff, larger federations could take over this organization and the respective costs should be absorbed by the ENC Budget.

(No vote for this item. The DFK will adjust the text and present it again tomorrow.)

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Point 8.3: Motion BN 1: Budget for ENY Events.

NC: Justifies the motion as the financial supports by the INF as well as the contribution by the participants (both with a maximum amount of 50€ p.p.) are no more up-to-date, due to the increasing costs during the last ten years. He mentions the example of Broadlands and is afraid that in future nobody will step forward anymore to organize anything, in case one will be left with the expenses. He also mentions that with such low amounts a reasonable catering of the young people cannot be guaranteed anymore.

KF: The DFK and its independent Youth Group reject this motion, for following reason: On the one hand the motion concerns the Budget of the Youth Group and therefore should be submitted by the ENY. On the other hand the motion is phrased the wrong way, because, for example 100 participants pay 50€ each and the ENY Budget provides a subsidy of another 6000€. The total amount available is then 11'000€, which during the last years never has been utilized. *(He refers to the example of ENY-FFN-2012, where the subsidy for ENY was only 2'300€ to cover all actual expenses).* For this reason an additional charge for young persons is not appropriate.

NC points out that with the present budget limits it had been very difficult to offer a reasonable meal in Broadlands plus the costs for the lodging at the camping ground.

GR: He joins NC's opinion and remarks that the meals at Broadlands had been pretty meagre. He refers once more to the budget limit of 6'000€, in which the subsidy of 50€ are included. (Interjection by **SI:** Maximum 50€).

SI: Mentions that in earlier days the camping lots had always been free of charge. One should keep in mind that the youngsters also have to pay for the travel costs. If now we increase their contribution, very probably even less people will participate.

PR: Explains that for the last 2 ENY Events the FFN had received very cheap offers by the camping ground owners and the youngsters always had been very happy. For the rest he agrees with the statement by SI.

KF: It exclusively is up to the Youth Group to decide whether they want to change the way of financing in their budget. A higher funding could perhaps be considered in a particular case if one expressly wishes to go to a more expensive location.

JP answers **KF**, that the limit of 50€ maximum per participant comes from the INF.

KF: That had been so, but today it is in hands of the Youth Group.

Vote for the ENY Budget 2013:

Vote	Yes	No	Abstentions
	116	45	9

Point 8. 4: Motion BN 2: Attendance at Fairs and Exhibitions.

NC: This concerns the INF Fairs, which are being paid by EuNat, we shall talk about that. (20'000€ per year). I don't think this includes all travel costs of the participants. BN demands my justification for these expenses, but I don't have enough knowledge about it. I ask the INF and EuNat to explain these points. I had asked the same question already during the last congress, but no answer had been given. I can only vote, provided I hold all details.

SI: Gives a few explanations to NC about the budgets for fairs. Whereas this budget foresees 20'000€, it never has been utilized during the last 3 years. (2011: 10'234€ / 2012: 12'964.50€). Only the costs for the booth are paid. Each attending federation pays its own expenses for travelling, lodging and equipment for the booth. So the costs can be estimated far ahead and exceeding the budget is therefore not expected. We get the opportunity to present ourselves during the fairs and to get acquainted with a larger public.

EI: In principle he does not question the attendance at the fairs, but is astonished that commercial resorts are hereby being promoted. He wonders how much money for these fairs will be returned by getting more new members and so questions the profitability.

KF: It not only is about to present us as federations, but to have a 'lane' where the INF can present itself together with the federations. This not only concerns the commercial resorts which join us, but which bear their own costs. KF also explains the publicity activities on behalf of naturism. And he mentions that the costs for the fair at Utrecht were about 5'000€, but it was worth to us.

EZN: Emphasizes that we as naturists must present ourselves in Europe and this is only possible by attending fairs.

PR: Joins the supporters for the fairs and mentions that within the FFN all branches of Naturism are present: clubs with locations, commercial resorts and beaches. It is true that the tourists give preference to the commercial resorts, but also here we have opportunities to take promotional actions and to distribute leaflets.

NC: He mentions that in view of the high costs we should use first the existing social networks, because the majority of interested people use these networks to get information. He also criticizes the high costs of attendance by the INF representatives.

GR: For years one has accused the INF of doing nothing else but Pétanque, swim gala, youth Meeting, etc. It proves to be important that together with the federations, the INF strengthens its presence at the fairs among the booths of commercial sites, which represent the larger parts of it.

SI: You (NC) are definitely right when you request that Internet and social networks shall be used, but by that we only get in touch with anonymous persons, whereas at the fairs we get bilateral contacts with people. He also is right about the commercial sites. But the clubs could not survive without the commercial resorts; it is essential to keep in touch with all groups. The majority of the federations do not have the financial means for advertising. In cooperation with the commercial resorts, the clubs and the federations are able to reach results with fewer resources.

KF: He assesses, that compared to us as naturists, there are very many visitors at the fairs. He states that the part of naturists is only 0.0002% of the German population! That means an absolute minority. For the DFK any kind of public notice is essential. Concerning Internet and networks he agrees with **SI**. Additionally the commercial resorts contribute to the overall costs, are present as our neighbours and we should not underestimate this.

PR: When summarizing all that, one can see that the information in Internet must be extended. There are two groups of people at these fairs: those who already are naturists, just looking for a holiday location and those who are non-organized naturists, but who represent the largest group in view of number of persons. These are the target groups that we must approach and this can only be done at the fairs. In France these are about 11 million people!

EI: He agrees with **PR**, but comments that at least a part of the costs should be paid by the commercial resorts.

??: Proposal, to more involve the media at these fairs, in order to reach even more people? Does that make sense?

MA: Explains that through the attendance at the fairs, the INF has already gained 3 commercial customers for banner advertisements on its website, who are paying for it. There we also have contact with the media. For that reason we simply could not afford not to attend these fairs. I hope this answers the questions by **EI** and **NC**.

NC: Thank you for these explanations, I apologize for my lack of knowledge. This should be recorded in writing, and then nobody would need to make any guesses. One last question: Had the federations given instructions to the INF to attend such fairs by a vote during congress, or did the EC decide to do so without any approval by the federations?

SI: Explains to **NC** that this has not been decided by the INF alone, but as part of a EuNat Meeting (in Sweden, 2011) and everybody agreed to make a try. This try was that successful that we will not want to miss it anymore. Nick should present this to his people this way and **SI** would look forward to have **BN** joining next year.

GR: We must decide on which side we want to be: either at the side of the commercial resorts or of the free naturist beaches. We do not have many sites in Italy, but many people who want to practice naturism at free beaches. Our presence at the fairs

together with commercial resorts is important, as these have the potential for new members.

KF: I would like to point out to NC, that it had been a decision by EuNat during the part of budgeting and that the proposal, according to his opinion, had come from the NFN, who had attended the fair in Utrecht each time already. It is really important to present ourselves among the large offer of holiday destinations. He considers the fair in Utrecht as being the largest offer of outward presentation, if one compares it with the participation of the DFK at other domestic fairs.

PR: Each federation has the aim to act on naturism by an educational manner. But this can be done only with people who are not naturists. For the time being we participate at about 13 exhibitions in France and the clubs at these surroundings announce increasing numbers of members. It is not enough to sit at home and wait for naturists to show up. We have to approach these persons.

JP: Asks NC, whether he wants to withdraw his motion on hand of the detailed information given.

NC: He would like to get the opinion of the delegates through a vote.

Vote: (For maintaining attendance at the fairs)

Vote	Yes	No	Abstentions
	148	0	22

.....Lunch Break.....

KF: comes back again to Point 8.3. (budget for ENY Events). He mentions the additional costs for youth participants. For 100 participants and for the ENC it would represent additional costs of 1000 € each. He thinks that these demands should come from the Youth Group and not be decided on by EuNat. Also, the motion has been badly formulated.

GR: During the ENY General Assembly an additional budget of 2000 € had been requested. He mentions that EZR will give additional information on Saturday afternoon. He remits the printed report of this GA, in English language, to **JP**. He will make copies for the delegates, but is being interrupted by **JP**, because this report is not available in the 3 INF languages.

JP: Answers to Gianfranco that he considers **KF**'s proposal as being acceptable and we should leave it to the Youth Group alone.

GR: The next Youth Meeting will take place at Rosenfelder Strand next July, the next Youth GA here in „Le Betulle“, so much time will pass by in between.

KF: **GR** is right, but the available 6'000€ so far never have been utilized. The Youth Group should decide itself; we should not make regulations to them at this place.

JP: in addition to the 6'000€ in the present ENY Budget there are another 3'000€ available as reserve for extraordinary expenses. (Tent rental and similar)

GR: He thinks that this decision has been made by the ENY in Broadlands and is being stated in the report of the GA.

JP: Well, officially these resolutions by the ENY AG are actually not available (missing translations).

SI: Proposes to remove this point and to discuss and decide on it when EZR is present.

NC: Does not understand why this is being discussed. BN had submitted this motion within the time limits and in the 3 languages, so all delegates have had enough time to think over and to inform us, that this motion has not been formulated the right way. On basis of our experience for this event in Broadlands we want to have the budget being increased, because there has been a financial bottleneck. This also would be of interest to smaller federations. Well, it has been voted and that's it.

JP: This point is now closed and will be discussed tomorrow together with EZR.

Point 9: Discussion Points of the Federations.

(All the texts are available to the Delegates, so are omitted here)

Point 9.1: (SNF) Chairman at the INF World Congresses.

EI: During the last INF World Congress there had been problems in that way, that there was a risk of manipulation, if the INF chairman/woman leads the Congress him/herself. I think the ideal staffing for this post would be the President of the INF Legal Commission.

SI: At this moment this is not possible without changing the Statutes, as these stipulate that the President of the INF must chair the meeting.

EI: It is always possible, that the President delegates this task to a third person. A change of the Statutes is not required.

KF: That is not quite correct. In case SI or another Member of the INF Committee does not want to chair the meeting, she would have to propose to elect someone from our ranks to do so, before the start of the meeting, as we are the supreme body at the GA. As no member of a federation could be candidate for this, the President of the Legal Commission would perhaps be the right person.

EI: *(not understandable...)*

HS: Did not understand the sentence by EI. The discussion point of this meeting says, that the SNF will perhaps submit a motion hereto at the INF Congress. That is the only issue. We can understand, that it might be smart, to designate a chairman and I also am aware that this requires a change of the Statutes. We agree with most of the Points, but with the additional statement, that the chairman could „manipulate“ the meeting. Yet, the SNF does have the right to submit a motion at the next Congress.

JP: Jean reads aloud paragraph § 11, „Central Committee“, Point 6. So according to the present Statutes only the 1st and the 2nd Vice-president are qualified, nobody else.

KF: He thinks that the association law gives priority to the President, but does not forbid to delegate. He is aware of the fact, that it will be very difficult to find an impartial chairman, being familiar with the conditions. Upon the question by JP, KF confirms that this is according to the German Association Law.

HS: KF's statements are correct, but our Statutes do not provide this. If we want it this way, the Statutes must be amended and therefore the suggestion that EI will submit his motion at the Congress, where it will be discussed. As you (KF) said, it has some advantages, but I do not know whether this would be in line with the Austrian Laws. It does exist in the Netherlands, and is being applied.

JP: First the Austrian Association Laws must be checked.

NC: Supports the motion by the SNF. It could turn the meetings more efficient.

PLS: The idea is not bad, but it will not be easy to find a trilingual person, also familiar with the present conditions as well as the past of the INF.

PR: Thinks that this person does not necessarily need to know all conditions, as this person will not have to give own answers to questions.

JP: Not quite correct, as the Chairman will give word to someone and can rule someone out of order, in case a person deviates from the topic. So the person will have to know about the Interna of the INF.

KF: If we want to amend the Statutes and to compellingly appoint someone, then we also must have someone beforehand. A suggestion without change of the Statutes: Add one Point on the Agenda, saying: „Election of a Chairman“. This will give us more flexibility.

GR: Thinks the President of the INF should chair the meetings, as third persons will not be in a position to do so, considering lack of knowledge about the INF.

PR: Also thinks that an external chairman does not need to reply to questions, so this is feasible.

JP: Should the Statutes be changed, we could add following sentence to § 11, Pt. 6: (after 2nd Vice-president..) or another person designated by the GA.

EI: Would like to have a vote for this.

SI: Remarks that a vote does not make sense, as EuNat cannot make rules to the INF.

KF: It is not a vote; he would like to get the opinions of the delegates for this. He asks the SNF to review the text of their motion and specifically mentions the word „manipulation“, which he feels being inappropriate.

Vote:

Vote	Yes	No	Abstentions
	26	34	110

PLS: supports the proposal by **JP**, with the addition in the Statutes: ... or another person designated by the GA.

Point 9.2: (NNF) General Information.

LC: Explains various points of his report, which can also be applicable to other federations. He would like to know from the federations, what are the attitudes of the Political Parties in the various countries towards naturism.

Point 9.3: (BN) 4-year plan, as proposed at the World Congress.

NC: As this motion had been approved during the World Congress 2012, it is essential to reach some goals. So we should now fix a plan with some topics, otherwise there will be no progress. He considers it being unacceptable that the INF treats this issue, but then wants to postpone till the next World Congress 2014. Then again 2 more years will pass by until a proposal will be available. We should start with it right away to fix some important topics.

B. HUIJSER (*Speaking in the name of INF, not NFN!*) Declares agreeing with the proposal but mentions that during the recent CC Meeting in March, the INF decided first to get an idea about this and then to include all federations. During our next meeting in

Montalivet we will elaborate a proposal and then wait for comments or suggestions from the federations. That will simplify the discussions.

KF: Asks the INF, to restart the statistics questionnaires again, so that the structures of the individual federations will become known again. That will facilitate the discussions.

B. HUIJSER (INF): The information received so far will be distributed in near future. As to the 4-year plan, the INF will still have to include all the activities of the federations and in case they want to add anything to the proposal, they are free to do so. For my opinion this is not a priority.

NC: We should not make it more complicated as it is and not consider any details right now. We should agree on some major points, e.g.: How can we advertise and how can we defend naturism?

PR: Thinks that, 1st: this team should send a questionnaire to the federations and 2nd, a common procedure should be explained. A summary should be set up stating all the points to be treated. These should be spread, together with the federations, to the next coming years. Then we can take decisions on this during the next congress.

JP: Replies to **PR** that herewith he has already nearly presented his discussion Point FFN-9.4 and asks the delegates whether there any more requests to speak in relation to these quite similar issues?

GR: We talk a lot about this, but so far nothing has happened yet. Topics must be identified, which can be supported by the majority of the federations.

KF: The structures of the federations differ a lot and are unknown to me. A catalogue of all these topics should be elaborated and then be remitted to the federations, with the purpose to send answers.

.....Break.....

Point 9.5: (BN) Threats, Acceptance of Naturism.

NC: This topic had been agreed with during the World Congress and we would like to know, how far it has progresses. The last report by the CC does not clearly show what we plan to do or it seems it has been misunderstood. It is not the point that the INF should assist BN to solve British problems, but it concerns all federations worldwide. I just wanted to clarify that. We should create a group of volunteers as soon as possible, whenever possible trilingual to be able to pass on the plans of this group. This may create costs, but this money is well invested.

PR: This is an important point that should be included in the 4-years plan. We still have a lot do here and all federations should submit information hereto.

KF: Criticizes the inaccurate translation into the German language. My question to Nick: Who had translated that? (Interjection by JP: not me!)

NC: The translation had been made by BN, and then forwarded to JP.

JP: I only have obliterated grammatical errors, I cannot change the meaning. For the next time he suggests to NC to send the GB text only to him for translation, the same way as other federations do where required!

PG: Regarding this point it is important to progress and I would like to join this group.

MA: We had contacted the European Legal Commission In relation to this issue, to ask whether there would be a possibility to elaborate a European Law for naturism, we received a reply saying that such can only be regulated on national base and that they have no influence on this. There are many different laws in all the European countries

and it is sheer impossible to standardize these laws within the EU. There is the possibility to complain against non-respect of the „Human Rights“, but we need a legal advisor for this, which will be very expensive.

In 2012 we had elected a President for the INF Legal commission. But as we have had no more contact with him since September, we have decided during our last meeting to dismiss him from this position. We appeal to all federations to submit nominations for this position. We need a President, one Vice-president plus one assistant, so 3 people, having legal knowledge. It is not necessary that these persons are actually practicing lawyers. It will be very difficult to find such persons. He also states that some searching terms in Internet (like Naturism) are blocked in some countries, but is impossible to take some actions against these practices of the international corporations. He also gives some explanations for different themes, but which are not in relation to Point 9.5, so will be omitted for time being.

EZN: If I got MA right, the President of the Legal Commission has been dismissed. My question: when and why have we not been informed?

MA: This decision has been taken by the EC just 2 hours ago.

KF: Emphasizes that in Germany such search keywords (naturism, FKK) can be entered and answers are being received. (Google) is an American corporation and is handling it in different ways depending on each country or region. Concerning laws about naturism in Germany, there is no need to any action, as the constitution provides personal freedom. There are no prosecutions, no attacks nor any obstructions, so no problems.

Point 9.6: (BN) Certifications of Sites and Clubs.

NC: Instead to present his Point 9.6. NC refers back to point 9.5 again. He mentions that Great Britain more and more turns away from the European Laws and that for long time already. As we have not reached any conclusion for this that the INF should set up strategic procedures, I conclude that again we lose a lot of time and can continue dreaming. Is that correct?

MA: No that is wrong, we will not postpone this. We have had problems with the Legal Commission and in future we will cooperate with a group, as we have just decided. This will be continued.

JP: Could we please continue with Point 9.6?

NC: This is primordial for BN. This certification should be revised by the INF, as the present situation barely receives popularity in Great Britain. I try to understand the purpose of this certification and I think that other people have the same problem. Personally, I think this is good for the publicity of naturism. But the fact that the INF forces people to become member and requests commercial resorts to give discounts must be reviewed.

KF: For me the certification represents the unity of the naturists, worldwide. Through this certification system the commercial resorts and the clubs shall document their offers that they grant to our members. Should I have misunderstood, please correct me!

EZN: The Argument mentions: „Confirmation of the method of implementation“. Does the INF ask whether the various federations shall contact their clubs or does the INF want to do so?

SI: It has been decided that the INF will assume this task to contact the individual associations. Only the DFK and the NFN want to do this themselves.

EZN: Switzerland would like to do that itself, too.

PLK: Also Luxembourg.

Point 9.7: (FFN) Revision of the INF Statutes.

PR: When preparing our discussion point we had unknowingly referred to an older version of the INF Statutes. Jean has remitted us the current version of 30.10.2012, which we never had received. We will recheck these once more and, following BN, perhaps submit some proposals for improvements for the World Congress 2014. The purpose of this question was to get a correctly translated version of the Statutes, which has now been done. No further questions hereto.

Point 9.8: (FFN) European Law for Naturism.

PR: We yet should treat this issue; it could be a first start for a European Law. That is my personal opinion in relation to the explanations given by MA.

KF: According to the Statutes the Legal Commission is constituted by a President, one Vice-president and one substitute member. So in fact it is only 2 persons, not 3. As during a decision a stalemate could arise, (1:1) this commission should be increased by one more Vice-president. The CC should legally check whether it could designate one person (or more) in case of a dispute. Just a hint.

SI: Takes the opportunity to start an appeal to all federations with the question, whether there are any lawyers among their members, willing to be at our disposal. Such member could be employed immediately by the CC, without having to wait until the next Congress.

KF: Explains how this is being handled within the DFK and its Legal Commission, but adds that in case of serious problems the assistance of a specialized lawyer must be preferable.

Point 9.9: (FFN) Subsidies for small Federations in case of financial Bottlenecks.

PR: Explains his discussion point. The FFN treats these situations that way with their own federations. The INF should check this proposal and include this in the Agenda of the next Congress.

JS: Explains the financial situation of the Portuguese federation, which most delegates should know already. One member of the FPN Committee had embezzled 5'000€, yet we had not applied for any financial aid by the INF or by EuNat, and we are now on the right way to master this on our own by the increase of number of members. Today we have a court case against this person, who very probably will be excluded from our federation. We will keep you informed, so that we can avoid that this person will apply at another federation. *(Additional information about tourism, etc., are not listed here, as not being relevant to Point 9.9)*

Point 9.10 (NFN) International and bilateral Partnerships.

(No documentation available, only a discussion)

HS: These partnerships are very important to the NFN and I would like to remind you that we had distributed documents in 3 languages at Koversada, giving an overview of the multi-annual plan of the NFN and their main topics for the next coming years. Our members have unanimously approved this plan in November. Concerning the

partnerships one can just say that they are essential to be able to reach all target groups everywhere, where they spend their holidays and that we would like to cooperate with all federations. We hold a lot of information about the Dutch holiday resorts, at disposal to our members and to foreign federations. Therefore we would like to contract partnerships with foreign resorts, so we can inform our members a better way. On the other hand it also is interesting to foreign sites to receive and overview of the Dutch visitors. This is a good publicity for naturism, domestic and abroad. At the same time it enables the NFN to report about undesirable behaviour by Dutch guests abroad, which increases safety for these sites. Copies of these texts are available in the 3 INF languages.

.....Break.....

Point 9.11 (ENC-ENY) Provision for providing Space for Documents and Homepages.

MA: Informs the federations that they can request their password for necessary corrections of their entries in the INF Website at the secretariat. Space will also be provided for the ENC, so they can include their documents for EuNat Meetings, forms, regulations, etc. ENC itself is responsible for the translations and the maintenance of the ENC webpage. Same applies to the ENY.

NC: Explains the website of the BN and enumerates the various entries on their website.

JP: Replies to NC that here only documents from the ENC can be included.

Point 9.12 (DFK) Proposal for a Beach Volleyball Tournament.

KF: During their meeting in Amsterdam the Sports Officers had decided to start again a Beach Volleyball Tournament as of 2014 and he received information from his Sports Officers that so far following federations are interested to participate: NFN, DFK, FFN, SNU and maybe some more federations. To start the try the DFK would be prepared to organize this tournament on the Naturist-Site in Bremen. Beach Volleyball courts are available for 8-16 Men-and Women teams. Date: from 2nd till 4th weekend in August. Lodging is also available there as well as outside of the site. Costs for the participants would be around 80€ and we should receive an event budget from the ENC, the amount of which still would have to be fixed. Beach Volleyball is more popular than the classical Volleyball, also at the Youth Groups and can be arranged in smaller groups. That is our offer.

HS: Good idea, we also had thought about that for some time.

NC: BN also thinks this is a good idea, but I have 3 questions about the qualification, as we have no Beach Volleyball beaches in Great Britain: is it being played on sand? How many people play in one team? BN would prefer a mixed team (M/W), as it would be difficult to us to provide single men or women teams.

KF: Answers the 3 questions. Beach Volleyball is being played on sand. We plan to have Men- and Women teams with 2 persons each. We surely can talk about mixed teams, it depends on demand. These also could be selected on spot out of the Men-and Women teams, in case there were not enough single Men-or Women teams. I will pass on this request to our Sports Officers.

Result of the Vote:

Vote	Yes	No	Abstentions
	163	7	0

Point 10. EuNat Events for 2013-2014.

JP: The most recent version of the events calendar has been newly printed and is available in your documentation. (*New, with the Swim gala 2013*)

PR: Gives explanations for this swim gala, which will be arranged on short term by the FFN. The location is: „F-44420 Piriac-sur-Mer“ at the Atlantic Ocean, date will be from (~~7th~~ ~~9th~~) November 2013. Concerning the technical execution, the club does not have enough staff to run this event on their own. Now some federations shall come forward to assist, otherwise the event will have to be cancelled.

JP: Points out to **PR**, that the date correctly should be from 8th till 10th November, as November 7 will be a Thursday. So: from 8th till 10th November 2013!

PR also announced that he needs assistance by the federations for the technical staff. Are there any federations who could confirm their commitment right now?

KF: The DFK could participate, but still has to be checked with our Sports Officers. It would also be possible to do this in cooperation with other federations to set up a common team (*no swimmers*), but then the reimbursement of costs would have to be clarified.

SI: What do you mean with costs?

KF: The costs for travelling, food and lodging of this group.

JP: It also had been decided during that Sports meeting that ENC will pay for the expenses for the staff at such events.

KF: So only the sports management shall be assumed by a team? Is that the wish of the club?

PR: That is correct; other tasks like reception, the club will handle lodging and food.

JP: (to **PR**) Is the help from the DFK sufficient to you or shall we seek for additional federations? (For **PR** the help by the DFK is sufficient and expresses his thanks.)

We will sit together with the responsible people of the FFN, so that the registration forms can be distributed as soon as possible.

JP: Asks for **Candidacies for the EuNat Meeting 2014?**

NC: BN would like to organize the Swimming gala 2014, as BN will celebrate its 50th anniversary. (*Is being interrupted by JP*)

JP: Interrupts NC and reminds him that we talk about the EuNat Meeting 2014. In case there is no candidacy, it could be held in Luxembourg like in 2010. But that must still be checked with the owner.

HS: Then we would have 2 candidacies, as the NFN can also organize it for 2014, provided it will be approved during our next committee meeting. He will transmit final reply to **JP** within 14 days.

JP: Asks NC, whether BN will organize the „Nudefest“ also during 2014?

NC: Affirms and he will inform the ENC about the date as soon as it will have been fixed.

JP: The date for Alpe-Adria will be fixed next week during our presence at that event.

JP: **Family Meeting in Southern Europe?**

IR: As neither the FFN nor FENAIT are interested herein, the FEN can organize it once more. The exact date can be communicated later on, after consultation with the organizer.

JS: Maybe we could organize that also in Portugal; I will have a talk with my friends about this.

KF: Rosenfelder Strand will be organized by the DFK from 26th July till 4th August 2014.

JP: Points out that an additional budget has already been applied for by the DFK, but this can be approved next year only.

JP: Pétanque Tournament 2014?

GR: Tells **IR**, that the Family Meeting shall preferably be organized at the beach, (That is the reason why FENAIT cannot be candidate). During the Sports Meeting I have been asked to organize it in „Le Betulle“? Jean, you recall? (JP: No!) Ok, then I didn't say anything.

JP: For the 3rd time now: We are looking for a candidacy for the Pétanque!

(SI in conversation with Rosita, who already will organize the Youth Meeting in 2014, so negative)

PL: FBN will be able to organize the tournament and will inform the ENC as soon as he has more information after consultation of his committee for this.

GR: FENAIT announces its candidacy for 2015 in „Le Betulle“ and emphasizes that if FBN cannot arrange it for 2014, FENAIT could do it.

JP: Swimming gala 2014?

NC: BN will celebrate its 50th anniversary next year and will analyse whether they can organize it. I will discuss it with Angela Russell (President of BN) during our next committee meeting.

JP: Observes that the Event Calendar 2014 is now complete and thanks all the delegates for their proposals.

KF: Please also add the Beach Volleyball Tournament 2014 of the DFK (3rd-4th weekend in August) to the Event Calendar!

JP: But this tournament has still to be coordinated with the date of the Pétanque Tournament that takes place at the same days. (OK by KF)

JP: Spring Rally ENY Youth.

GR: Tells EZR, who has been elected President; he shall announce what has been concluded during the ENY Assembly.

EZR: During that meeting it has been decided to organize the ENY Spring Rally in „Le Betulle“, Italy, namely during the last weekend in May (28th May- 1st June 2014). In addition a Youth Meeting is planned at the Camping ground „Solaris“ in Croatia from 28th July till 8th August 2014.

PLK: The Event Calendar also shows the EuNat Meeting for 2015. Is that correct?

JP: Correct, as there is a proposal from the NNF to organize the EuNat Meeting 2015 in Norway. Could the Norwegian Representative give us more details?

LC: Yes, we maintain this candidacy, but we are still discussing it and we will communicate final details in autumn.

Point 11. INF-ENC Fairs 2013-2014.

SI: I not only had the opportunity to attend the fair at Utrecht (NL) during the last 4 years, but at the air at Essen (D) in February we had shared a booth with the DFK and one of their local federations during 5 days. It was a different experience, yet if had proved that we are on the right track with the fairs and the information we can distribute there to the large public. She proposes to visit a fair every year with a

different federation in its own country. The fair in Utrecht will remain in our schedule. It will have the advantage that we will be able to be present also in the southern countries in order to inform the people. This proposal is also valid for smaller federations, as we do contribute to pay for the costs. This is a proposal you should think over and then we can refer back to this topic tomorrow.

End of today's session of 24.05.2013 at 17:06 hrs.

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Continuation of the Meeting: 25th May 2013 at 9:10 hrs.

SI: Comes back to her proposal about the fairs yesterday and asks each federation being interested to report to her by Mid-August.

Point 12: Budget 2013

Point 12.1: Budget for ENY-Youth 2013.

JP: As you can see this year's budget is similar to the one of 2012 and has been established by Alexandra M. and me. As in 2012 the Summer-Meeting had been cancelled, it had been decided at Hanover to add the 3'000€ planned for this event as reserve into the budget 2013, as there had been no concrete proposals had been submitted by the Youth Group till today. Any questions hereto?

Results of the vote:

Vote	Yes	No	Abstentions
	170	0	0

Point 12.2: Budget ENC 2013

JP: What still has to be added is the adjusted final billing from the FFN for the swim gala 2012, which PR has remitted to me yesterday. Out of this we have an additional payment of 3'000€. The receipts here fore are on hand. You may find further details out of the budget 2012.

Do you agree with the additional payment of 3'000€ to the FFN, as it had been done for Switzerland in 2012 and Czech Republic in 2011?

Results of the vote:

Vote	Yes	No	Abstentions
	170	0	0

JP: For EuNat 2013 the FENAIT had submitted a budget of 2'250€, in which however the VAT was not included. My proposal: we will pay to the FENAIT the total amount for the rental of the tent of 2'722.50€ and will wait for the receipts concerning the remaining 1000€.

NC: Is astonished that the VAT is included in the invoice and says that associations in Great-Britain do not need to pay for any VAT.

JP: Registered non-profit associations cannot deduct the VAT; this is only valid for commercial companies.

KF: If that is really the case in Great-Britain, you can be happy, because everywhere in Europe this only applies to commercial companies, as Jean just mentioned.

NC: Gives some more information about the various legal configurations of associations (NGO etc.)

RH: Answers that difference must be made whether it is an NGO (non-profit association) or a legal form or person.

NC: Gives some more different examples.

JP: Let's stop these talks now as we are under Austrian Law, not British Law and we shall now vote on this!

The vote for the budget is as follows:

Vote	Yes	No	Abstentions
	170	0	0

Point 13.1

KF: Could we now perhaps deal with **Point 6.2** "Youth" first, which had been postponed till today, in view of the absence of EZR?

JP: Asks EZR to present himself.

EZR: I have been elected President of the ENY at the last General Assembly in "Broadlands" and we also have elected a new Committee, which is composed as follows: (*Mandates for 2 years*)

President	Enrico Z.	EZR	Unanimously
Vice-President	Tiziana S.	TSN	Re-elected, from previous Committee
Vice-President	Kok Y.	KYN	Unanimously
Secretary	Francis R.	FRS	Unanimously
Treasurer	Christophe J.	CJL	One Abstention
Webmaster	Florent P	FPL	Unanimously

(Upon unanimous wish by the Youth Group only abbreviations are being used, that means: first letter of the given name followed by the first and last letter of the family name, all federations are kindly requested to respect this in all publications.

(ENY E-Mail dated 28th May 2013)

We have to take some actions to ensure that we will get more members. We will participate at the Rosenfelder Strand Meeting 2013 and in 2014 we also plan a Meeting at Solaris (Croatia).

Ad Point 8.1 (Youth Regulations, postponed yesterday)

JP: Maybe any questions for **EZR**?

KF: The ENY Regulations state under Point 1.3: 14- 27 years, in brackets 29 years. What have you decided during the GA, or is that still pending?

EZR: For the time being this is not a point of debate, but we will come back to date in 2014.

EI: To EZR: Proposes the ENY should also directly recruit members, should that be possible, it would accelerate growth.

EZR: Good idea, we will consider that. (*Out of different conversations without microphone, this is not feasible, as new members must be affiliated to a federation*)

EZN: Congratulates EZR for his election and wishes him and his ENY Committee all the best for the near future. (Applause in the room)

GR: In Italy the young people pay for a lower membership fee, but must be member of FENAIT.

NC: congratulates EZR for his election (*the rest could not be understood*)

EI: What do young people do without any Youth Group?

JP: As to the remark by EI, I have to add that young people, the federation of whom does not have a Youth Group, also may attend the General Assembly. That is stipulated in the Statutes under Point 1.4. (*Please recheck*)

Point 13.1: Elections for the open Position of the ENC Secretary.

JP: Remits the chair to Sieglinde and leaves the room, because it affects himself.

SI: Candidacies for this position can be submitted to INF in writing, but can still be accepted until the start of elections. The elected candidate must be acknowledged by the INF. Until now we have no other candidacies other than the one from Jean Peters.

Question: Is there anyone else who feels being capable to execute this job, if so, please raise your hand? As there are no further candidacies, we will vote:

Result of the vote:

Vote	Yes	No	Abstentions
	170	0	0

(JP is called in by SI, Applause in the room)

SI: I would like to heartily congratulate you and want to ask you, whether you accept the election?

JP: I accept the election and thank you for your confidence.

Point 13.2: Acknowledgement of the ENY Representative designated during the ENY General Assembly for the ENY Commission (Youth Officer)

JP: This designation must be confirmed by the EuNat Meeting as well as by the CC or EC of the INF.

Result of the vote:

Vote	Yes	No	Abstentions
	170	0	0

JP: Asks EZR, whether he accepts the election?

EZR: Says "Si" (Yes) (*Applause in the room*)

SI: The EC of the INF confirms the election of EZR by 3 votes as new ENC Youth Officer, so unanimously. (*No more questions*)

Point 14: Informational by the INF and Questions.

SI: You have already received the major part of the information. We are ready for further questions.

EZN: Is there a program for the 60th Anniversary of INF-FNI in Montalivet?

MA: Shortly presents the program which will be distributed to the federations in due time.

EZN: Asks whether there is a preference code for the reservations in Montalivet and where it can be obtained.

SI: When making the reservation in Montalivet, you will get a form where the preference code is stated. The same is valid for the Pétanque Tournament.

EZN: Some of our friends have been in Montalivet, but the staff at the check-in desk did not know anything about these events.

JP: On 13th April, on my way from Southern Spain to Montalivet I passed by for the reservation of camping lot, the staff at the reception desk was well informed about it.

EZN: On 3rd May I received in invitation from a camping ground in Croatia about the 60th anniversary. Does the INF know about that?

SI: That comes from the Tourist Board of the Croatian Naturists and they would like to make a gift to the INF, a picture showing all the naturists staying at that place, in a way that faces cannot be identified. The INF has been informed about it.

KF: Criticizes the presentation of the invitation and considers it being inappropriate.

EZN: It would have been better if all these information had been stated on that paper, so we could have known where it was coming from.

SI: The person, who had written that, had already attended the previous Congress and had shown the book, which he had written for the INF (in English). He is active in the Croatian Naturist Federation for 40 years, so not just someone “coming across”, having a certain idea.

B. Huijser, INF: Gives some more answers to the various questions by EZN.

KF: I would like to get some information as to the Congress in 2014.

PG: Will take place from 11th till 14th September 2014. You will receive all the information together with your invitation.

PR: Refers back to the celebration in Montalivet and asks when they will receive the details about the Congress.

MA: Gives a few more information as to the program, which will not be stated here, as the federations will receive a detailed program.

PR: Regarding the 60th Anniversary: informs the delegates that Christiane Lecocq, the widow of one cofounder of the INF, still lives at Paris and had expressed her wish to attend the celebration. The FFN will take the necessary steps.

KF: Asks once more whether clear information about the congress will be available on time for the beginning of next year, in view of the bookings needed. Because, besides the low-cost airlines, regular airlines also require timely bookings.

PG: Gives some more explanations and emphasizes that it is a wonderful neighbourhood, but during the visit by the INF it had been raining a lot, which was the case though in whole Europe. In addition there are lot of low-cost flights to Ireland and gives the name of “Ryanair” as example. From the airport to the hotel it takes about 2½ hours. Detailed information for the arrival routing will be joined to the invitation.

.....Break.....

KF: Before we continue with the meeting, I have one more request: As the DFK will not be able to attend the 60th anniversary celebration; I would like to remit a gift to the INF right now. *(He remits a painting to Sieglinde)*

SI: Expresses her thanks to Kurt and, as the painting is protected by a plastic film and is completely visible here, it will be published in one of the next FOCUS.

HS: Thinks that the program presented so far is rather meagre, many federations will not be participating because of that.

MA: Gives one more explanations to the program.

NC: He mentions that BN will be represented there by its President.

EZN: Thinks the program could be a bit more lavish, as enough money is available.

SI: Regarding the financial side, it is true that the INF has some money available, but I do not agree to spend that now for celebrations.

PR: Two points in this respect. Point 1 is that we should mobilize the press to make some publicity for naturism. Point 2 concerns the workshop for the Youth Group on Friday: As on Friday afternoon the young people still are at school or are working, Friday is not appropriate here. *(No further questions)*

Point 15: Various

EI: Asks the Delegates which federations will attend the 60th anniversary celebration? (Vote by „raising hands“: more than 50%)

KF: In October 2012 some of our sponsoring members informed us that they would leave our federations, because they had received information from “SOCNAT-Montalivet”, that as of 2013 the INF Licenses will not be mandatory anymore. This had been passed on by the INF to FFN. As no reply was received, we took the initiative ourselves and we got following information: In August 2012 SOCNAT signed a contract with the FFN in that respect that the licenses do not need to be presented anymore, but that FFN will receive a considerable amount of money as counterpart. Through a direct contact with SOCNAT we noticed, that such a procedure will be to the detriment of all federations, which is counterproductive to any cooperation. In the meantime we have signed a contract with SOCNAT for our member federations, by which a 5% discount is granted on the total amount when presenting the membership card. What annoys me is that in Croatia no communication had been made about this deal between FFN and SOCNAT and that the INF received this information from members by chance only.

PR: SOCNAT had decided not to require a naturist membership card anymore. We have verified the certification of the site and SOCNAT has the right to take such a decision. Tells KF that in Summer 2012 this contract had not yet been signed.

4 out of the associations located at that place have taken an urgency legal proceeding, based on the argument that they are hindered by this procedure to get access to their sites. This urgency motion had not been accepted under this form, because the president of that association did not hold a mandate for such an action. As even lawyers could not agree on the method by SOCNAT, the type and method about the financial contribution to FFN had been amended to what it is today. In view of financial reasons we were unable to reject this. Kurt, your versions are not correct and you cannot argue on this either, as you do not hold all details. The contract has been signed end December or beginning January only, so was not an issue at Koversada.

KF: We are talking about information available to me so I definitely may make a judgement. I hold a text in German from SOCNAT and I only can tell facts, which are stated therein. Years ago we were in Paris and we had talked to commercial owners about where solidarity starts and where it ends. The negotiations were closed by summer 2012, and I feel there was a lack of information about this.

PLS: Asks KF, what kind of contract he has signed with SOCNAT. And what are the advantages?

KF: I do not have the contract with me, as SOCNAT had assured me that they will also approach the other federations, and this partly has already happened. Regarding the discount he repeats the 5% for the DFK members.

SI: ÖNV also received such a contract. I have it with me so everybody can have a look at it.

JP: Points out that some federations have received it, others have not! FLN has not received anything.

PLS: We, too, had received a contract, but we have changed it a little bit.

KF: It is exactly that what I wanted to avoid by informing the INF, because now SOCNAT signs different contracts with the federations.

SI: The contracts are valid for one year only and so could be amended, but it will again continue that way as it does now.

PR: As per statement by the management of SOCNAT, they had contacted all the federations. FFN will re-contact all holiday resorts in France, who are not willing to sell INF licenses, in order to sign this contract. It mainly concerns „France 4“, which manage 11 resorts, plus OLTRA and SOCNAT, just to name a few.

KF: There one can see the general differences: sale of licenses or acceptance of existing INF licenses. For us it is important that our members are able to spend holidays in France together with naturist friends.

KF: Another issue is „El Portus“ in Spain. I hold a report by the ONS (not a member of SNU-UNS) where the director of „El Portus“ declares that they grant a discount of 10% to ONS Members, when they show the ONS membership card. Of course „El Portus“ has the right to do so, but where does our solidarity start and where does it end? Is that at our interest?

SI: Of course not, but we cannot do anything about it and you can't change anything here. We should intervene as INF so to reach a common policy with the commercial resorts, and they shall give us offers, which are valid for all INF members.

PLS: He personally knows the director of „El Portus“ for many years and he knows that that he highly appreciates the relation with the INF. It is now up to us to do something.

SI: We should first check whether INF members also obtain this discount. Because the ONS brochure only talks about their own members. Should this not be the case, than it would be up to Ismael, to talk to the director about this subject.

NC: regrets that many federations do not make enough publicity for EU-Events in their magazines and specifically mentions the Nudefest.

KF: The DFK does inform its members about the EU Events via Internet and by hints in our magazine. When looking at the Event Calendar it is getting more and more difficult for our members, to attend all events. We will continue to support your event by publishing them.

PLS: Has 2 questions: 1. We have received a proposal to purchase and resell Naturist Guides, but I have rejected the offer as it had arrived too late. How did other federations handle this to order 150 guides?

JP: FLN did not order any. (Neither did DFK)

PR: We put it into our website. I do not know the amount of copies sold, but it was not many of them.

PLS: 2. Question: Have learned here, that FFN cancelled their partnership with (Horizont???), for the reasons now being known. We would ask the federations to inform us in such cases. It is a bit embarrassing, as we have prepared a 3-page report about this, which will already be printed in our next magazine and be distributed in near future.

PR: Justifies the cancellation of the contract, because they had learned that this club had made ambiguous offers to couples. We cancelled the partnership in our CC meeting 10 days ago and informed them accordingly. We also have stopped the advertising for it (of Mondial Naturisme)

KF: Ad „El Portus“: We have now checked the travel guides. There are no discounts stated, neither for INF members nor for any other groups. However, it cannot be that all federations will approach „El Portus“ once more, in order to get separate discounts, one against each other. This is now the general duty of INF.

SI: There it is again the certification, what we already do for the last 3 years. We can but remind them, to ask for the INF licenses, but nobody can oblige them to do so.

KF: We then should get a feedback from the INF and then advice Ismael to recheck this.

IR: Concerning „El Portus“, indeed nothing is stated about discounts in the travel guides, but our website clearly mentions that „El Portus“ grants a 5% discount to INF members.

NC: Is disappointed with the assembly. This is a EuNat Meeting, not a German one. In addition we mix up commercial resorts with naturism itself.

JP: Concerning the EuNat Events Regulations. You will not have it on hand right now, but § 1,a states: The documents here fore must be submitted to the ENC Commission. For this event, which normally gets a subsidy of 1000€, ENC would like to have a budget, as it usually is required for all events. Because, if for examples somebody needs to rent a tent, this must be included in the budget and be approved, not simply accepted a posteriori. (*Everybody agrees with this*). A supplementary statement will be added accordingly in the EuNat Regulations.

KF: As to the swim gala 2013, where the technical support by the DFK has been searched for, I have now established a request catalogue, how the process shall be carried out. There are 2 different items to be considered:

The 1st item relates to the organizing federation. It executes the administrative part of the event: invitation, lodging, food, swimming pool, etc.

The 2nd item concerns the competition management (alone or as cooperation with one or more federations). These costs are reimbursed by EuNatCom.

JP: Do you agree to include this point into the Sports Regulations?

HS: We do not agree to include this that way into the Sports Regulations, as it is not yet acute.

JP: Yes, but it will already matter for the swim gala 2013!

HS: We insist on our opinion and we think it would be better for the moment, to handle this as annex or a separate point to the Sports Regulations. We will see then later.

KF: Suggests handling this as Annex to the regulations.

(Note by Jean) You will find the precise text as submitted to me by the DFK as Annex Nr 1 of the revised Regulations for the ENC Sports and Financial Regulations.

....Break

PR: Paul asks who has not yet received the convention with SOCNAT?

(Great-Britain, Luxembourg, Portugal, Switzerland)

Which federation had replied to it? (Belgium, Germany, Netherlands)

Point 16: World Naturist Day.

MA: This day is meant as advertising for naturism. But again and again we face problems with the date (legal holiday, or other, and for the people living in the southern hemisphere this falls in their wintertime....) So far it always had been during the summer months and we cannot change much about it. We also would look forward to get some feedback from the federations about this day in their particular country.

NC: It is very difficult to organize such a day in Great Britain, especially if we lack information. Gives some more information about such in Great Britain, but which are not in relation with this specific point.

EZN: Is astonished that BN has that many difficulties in this respect to organize this. We inform our clubs about the date and they include this in their program.

MA: There is no lack of information; the dates are communicated by us. These days are included in our website together with all worldwide events, as they are reported to us.

LC: Do the French people have a „day without swimsuit“ and when do they organize that? We have something similar beginning June, because that is the beginning of summer and is very convenient to us.

PR: We have that „Day without swimsuit“ on 30th June. The idea came from Spain. It can be carried out on several ways. At a naturist beach, where an official permit is available, or by a club, inviting people to this beach, who are interested in naturism. In case this is not an officially approved naturist beach, a special permit can be applied for. Or in a swimming pool. Today there are 30 such swimming pools in France, which concede special dates for the naturists and this is also being published in the press. This will also be done in Montalivet.

EZN: In Switzerland this day is on 2nd June.

EI: This date is not suitable for us because of Midsummer celebrations.

Point 17: Farewell by INF, ENC and FENAIT and „See You next Year“

SI: Expresses her thanks to the delegates for the strenuous work during the day and a half. It has been a constructive meeting, we have achieved a lot again and many ideas have been exchanged, but much is to be reappraised. I wish you a good trip back home and I am looking forward to see you again next year. I have one more thing:

I think Jean has done an excellent job during the last 3 years as well as chaired this meeting on an excellent way, therefore I would like to make a small gift, namely a „Linzer Torte“. (Special pie of Linz). Jean thanks Sieglinde. *(Applause in the room)*

JP: Thanks all federations for their valuable and constructive cooperation, as soon as all documents have been updated, you will receive a new „link“ for a download, so to see



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all these documents. The present link for this EuNat Meeting will remain online for about one more week and will then be deleted. Gianfranco has the last word.

GR: I hope everything went fine and I want to remind that we will have our Gala-Dinner tonight. I enjoyed it having you all here and I wish you a lot of luck, nice holidays and a safe voyage back home. (*Applause in the room*)

End of the meeting on 25th of May 2013 around 12:30 hrs.

Meeting report by: JP
27.06.2013

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