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REGION 7 DIRECTOR Half Year report 2017.

First January 2017 - June 30, 2017

1. New Members at Large, New Chapters and New Countries.

• New Members at Large (20 members)

- * Jens KRAGBAEK (DENMARK)
- * Jane KRAGBAEK (DENMARK)
- * Michael JACOBSEN (DENMARK)
- * Johannes KRUEZKAMP (GERMANY)
- * Steve MARSHALL (GERMANY) - old Germany XI
- * Joke TONN (GERMANY) - old Germany XI
- * Tom WADE (ENGLAND) - old England 1
- * Kelvyn THOMPSON (ENGLAND)
- * Yoann FRISA (SWITZERLAND)
- * Kristina JOERGENSEN (DENMARK)
- * Ulf GRUBER (GERMANY)
- * Benjamin BEDEMAN (GERMANY)
- * Christian SCHWÄGER (GERMANY)
- * Steffen MAURER (GERMANY)
- * Alan BLACKLEE (ENGLAND)
- * Simon SCHULIEN (GERMANY)
- * Gordon HASMANN (GERMANY)
- * Lotte JENSEN (DENMARK)
- * Craig MILLER (ENGLAND)
- * Lindsay MILLER (ENGLAND)

• New Chapters (2 - 15 members)

- * Germany 15 in PASSAU (7 members)
- * France 5 in LOOS (8 members)

• New Countries (0)

- * None

Passing Members of Region 7

- Rainer "Padre" Lipp (GERMANY 1), European Padre February 1, 2017

Region 7

- 95 MAL
- 773 Chapter members (868 members)
- 19 Countries
- 15 languages
- 44 Chapters

2. Region 7 Director's duty

• Participation :

- *Belgian Chapter's President Meeting (Brussels - Belgium) January 20, 2017
 - *Visit our European Padre (Mehßkirch - Germany) January 22, 2017
 - *Participation to the funeral of Padre (Mehßkirch - Germany) February 9, 2017
 - *Participation of European Board Meeting (Giessen - Germany) February 18, 2017
 - *Winter Party of Germany III (Giessen - Germany) February 18, 2017
 - *RKMC Belgium 4 wedding (Braine-L'Alleud - Belgium) March 4, 2017
 - *2020 Annual Convention Meeting (La Fere - France) March 18, 2017
 - *Spring Meeting (Baltimore) April 5 - 9, 2017
 - *Televie Ride against Cancer (Ronquièrre - Belgium) April 17 by Belgium 4
 - *UK & Ireland 2017 Meeting (Rhuddlan - Wales) April 25-29 by Wales 1
 - *EU Board Meeting & Switzerland Party (Andelfingen - Switzerland) May 6 - 7 by Switzerland 1
 - *Fire Ride (Uchaud - France) May 21 by France 4
 - *Mediterranean Rally 2017 (Le Lavandou - France) May 25 - 29 by France 2
 - *Charity Ride (Jemeppe - Belgium) June 4 by Belgium 6
 - *2020 Annual Convention Meeting (La Fere - France) June 17
 - *Gathering of the Knights (Oostkamp) June 17 - 18 by Belgium 2
- 1419 emails, 260 hours Office business, 37 days travel for visit.

3. Region 7 Director's next business

• Visit of different places :

- *July 2, 2017 : Charity Ride of France 3 (La Fere - France)
- *July 7 to 9, 2017 : Anniversary of Germany 2 (Wolfenbuettel - Germany)
- *August 4 to 6, 2017 : King of Round Table (Thune - Switzerland hosting by France 2)
- *August 17 to 20, 2017 : Annual Convention (Syracuse - USA)
- *August 26, 2017 : Charity Ride France 3 (La Fere - France)
- *August 27, 2017 : Charity Ride Belgium 7 (Luxemburg - Belgium)
- *September 2 to 3, 2017 : ChapterParty Germany 14 (Rosdorf - Germany)

- *September 8 to 10, 2017 : European Meeting (Viebigstraße 1, 02782 Seifhennersdorf - Germany hosting by Germany 7 and Germany 10)
- *September 30, 2017 : Charity Ride of Belgium 1 (Amay - Belgium)
- Visit Norway 1 : this chapter is far away from the other chapters. My last experience with Croatia 1 proved it's important to have a face to face contact with isolated chapter to motivated them to visit other chapters and join the group during European event. I want to take contact and visit this chapter during 2017.

4. General Informations from Region 7

- Don't Forget :
 - *June 24 to July 2, 2017 : Ride For Forgotten Heroes (Europe)
 - *June 23 to June 25, 2017 : Sommerfest Germany 1 (Messkirch - Germany)
 - *June 30, July 1 and 2 : Austria 2 Anniversary (Graz - Austria)
 - *July 2, 2017 : RKMC Germany 7 Gespannentreffen (Germany)
 - *July 7 to 9, 2017 : Anniversary of Italy 1 (Firenze - Italy)
 - *July 9, 2017 : Belgium 3 Ride Out for disability people (Borsbeek - Belgium)
 - *July 28 to July 30, 2017 : Summer Party Germany 3 (Giessen - Germany)
 - *August 26, 2017 : Charity Ride France 3 (La Fere - France)
 - *August 27, 2017 : Charity Ride Belgium 7 (Luxemburg - Belgium)
 - *September 22 to 24, 2017 : GrundungsParty Germany 14 (Beskow - Krügersdorf - Germany)

5. On the grill

- Request of opening Chapter from
 - *Czech Republic (1) : second contact, supported by Germany 7 (new country)
 - *France (1) : in the southwest, supported by France 2

Fraternally

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