

Dear family and friends,

This year as well, we want to share
some of the highlights of the past
year with you all. Enjoy!

Love from Norway,

Albert & Beatrix



Christmasletter 2014

Life at Flatåstoppen

We are still very happy in our 'mansion' at the edge of the forest, enjoying both visiting animals and the nature that is just a step away from our front door.



Traveling

Apart from countless trips to the Netherlands, we also finally visited New York together. And after Bea came back from Vancouver, we spent the summer holidays hiking and climbing in the Dolomites, Italy.



Visitors

This year as well, we had several friends and family visiting us in Norway. The big winner this year: Albert's sister Marrie, who was here no less than 3 times!



Our friend Lyn from York, England



Bea's nephew Yoeri came for a week in August



Pieter & Cheryl

Marretje and Marrie visited in July



Work at NTNU

Bea had a busy year, despite being on sabbatical. She moved from campus Dragvoll to campus Øya, she was involved in 6 large EU grant proposals, and she spent a large part of the spring traveling the world to visit colleagues and conferences.



How to fit all of this ↑

← into that?

(Bea is still working on it)

Albert's team was visiting us at Flatåstoppen in June for a summer-grill party. Big fun!



The biggest happening ever at NTNU was the Nobel prize that went to our colleagues Edvard and May-Britt Moser.

Visiting long-time friend and colleague Karen Adolph at NYU



May-Britt Moser and
Edvard Moser – 2014 Nobel Prize
winners in Physiology or Medicine

Culinary and cultural

Despite all wonderful winemaker's dinners at *To rom og kjøkken*, the most special dinner this year was without doubt their pop-up restaurant with chef Adrian Løvold. The 21 sophisticated dishes were a true feast for the palate.



Concert with Bea's choir Øvre Nidelven Kammerkor



Adrian Løvold making snow ice



Finally a member

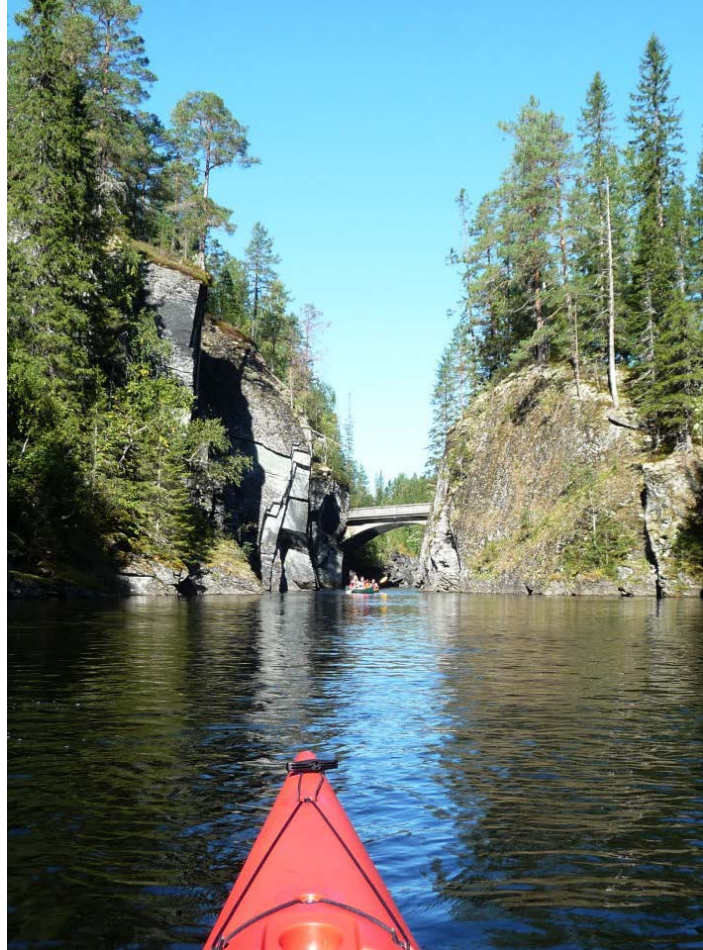


'Les 7 doigts de la main' at the Festspillene in Bergen



Nature

Norway is a beautiful country and we really enjoy it as often as we manage: hiking, skiing, kayaking and cycling. We are very fortunate to live here 😊



We wish you a
Merry Christmas

and a
Happy 2015!

Beatrix & Albert

