



Christmasletter 2022

Albert & Beatrix

Enjoying the winter season

Even after all these years in Norway, we still love the winter season with its snow, crisp cold air, and lots of cross-country skiing ☺



Yep, enough snow ☺



Winter wonderland



Playing on skis in Bymarka



Life at home

We also enjoy our beautiful home at the edge of the forest. And we're not alone, we have many little friends that come looking for food – and find it 😊



Albert at work

Albert had a good year with frequent appearances in the newspaper. He was in charge of a large project about the future organization and structure of health care in his municipality Melhus. He also started a high-level study at the BI Norwegian Business School in Oslo, and in December Melhus won the national price for the way they work with sustainable elderly care.



Bea at work

For Beatrix, the end of Covid signaled the return of international travel. She was at project meetings and conferences in Barcelona, Leuven, Rome, Heidelberg, Montreal, Dublin and Luxembourg. Pfffff...



Catching up with dear old friends, Ulla (and Roger) and Lis, in Heidelberg.

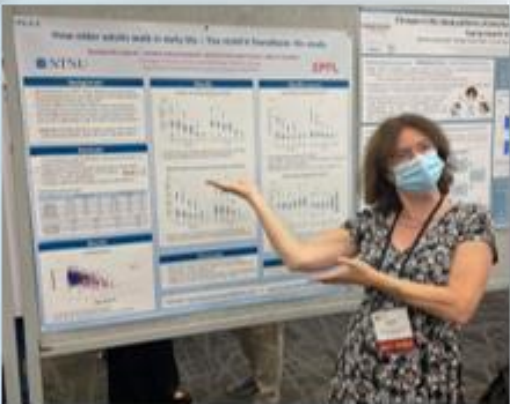


Invited presentation in Luxembourg

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Beatrix Vereijken
Professor, NTNU



Presenting at ISPGR - Montreal



Mobilise-D leader team in Barcelona – in 3D



Mini jazz concert at MobEx - Heidelberg



Rome, sweet Rome

Enjoying the holidays

Travel for leisure was far more modest in 2022. We were several times in the Netherlands, a long weekend in Dublin, and a few weekends somewhere in Norway.



*Albert's parents
celebrated their
70th wedding
anniversary*



With Bea's choir in Rotterdam



*Spending time
with Bea's
family – NL*



*Bea at the brink of a 3000-ft
drop at Ekkertinden – NO*



Temple Bar district – Dublin

Enjoying music

With Covid restrictions gradually lifting, the music scene in Norway quickly revived as well, and we enjoyed many fantastic concerts and performances.



Still rocking – the Scorpions



Fantastic Ingrid Bjørnov



Unique - 7 harps on stage



*Light concert in the
Nidaros cathedral*

Visitors

As international travel remained low, we had only a few visitors in 2022. At Easter, Bea's cousin Martien and his wife Mieke spent a week with us in the snow ☺



Bea met up with friends Pitt and Esther, who had a short stop in Trondheim while on a cruise along the Norwegian coast.



Our Dutch friends in Norway, Ingrid & Menno, are retiring and moved back to the Netherlands. During the transition, and whenever they are in Trondheim, they live with us ☺



Culinary delights

We are very fortunate living in central Norway, as this area was crowned *The European Region of Gastronomy* this year. Here a small sample of some of our favorite places, chefs and bartenders ☺



Northern Lights

Another highlight of living in Norway that never gets boring is the Aurora Borealis, or Northern Lights. This year as well, we could marvel at it on several occasions.



Happy New Year

