

It is not only about figures There are people behind everything



It was a nice and sunny friday evening September 9th 2011, with almost no wind. 34 people from the finance department wanted to take a break and go 1000 years back in time and join the vikings in Augustenborg. Half of the group met in Augustenborg, went on board on the viking boat Sebbe Als and rowed out the fjord to the naust (boat house) where the activities had to take place. Nice rowing need training, but after a short time they started to learn co-operating - rowing in the same stroke.



The other part of the group where at the naust when we arrived. The first activity was a welcome with the vikings beer, mjød (mead). Then the second group joined the ship and made a very nice rowing back to the harbour. The ship were put in place and we went back to the other group at the naust. To build up a good appetite the group split into 4 and started rope pulling. All did their best with entusiasme and we got a winning team. One thing is to operate a key board, another is rop pulling.



Next activity was to throw a stone. This is easy, but if it's a big stone it is not that easy. When you throw a stone you get a very special body mimic. The way it was done were studied very intensive to copy the best technic. After the activites dinner was served - wild pork like both Asterix and Obelix and the vikings like it. There were food enough and both beer from a danish micro brewery and wine. When everybody were "filled up", coffee was servered.



During the coffee with danish cookies, the chairman (me) held a lecture about the vikings, and our history from the start 42 years ago and up till now.







Seen from the viking site it was a very good arrangement - we met a group of nice people, looking like a very good team. We want to thank you for your way of beeing and hope that you found out that the vikings of today is not that evel as their reputation.

On behalf of the viking crew Steen Weile

