Danske Harmonikaspilleres Landsforbund (DHL)

Accordion Activities in Denmark: We are experiencing a broad popularity of the accordion in Denmark among our amateurs.



We work together with our more than 70 accordion clubs, a large number for our small country.

Throughout the year these clubs will arrange festivals – we have more than 30 of them – where the participants play for each other and have a pleasant time together with the instrument.

At these festivals you play solo, duo, in groups and orchestras as well as playing with other instruments. There is no competition – just a time where accordionists can play for each other.

The largest festival – from which the photo on the left comes – gathers more than 800 accordion players and an audience of more than 15.000 people.

| 2005 | Winter Congress - Den Helder, NETHERLANDS, January 28 - 30, 2005 (1 hour from Amsterdam) Host: Nederlandse Organisatie voor Accordeon & Mondharmonica (NOVAM) |
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| | 58th Coupe Mondiale - Castelo Branco, PORTUGAL, 18-23 October, 2005 Host: Conservatorio Regional de Castelo Branco, Portugal |
| 2006 | Winter Congress - Ikaalinen, FINLAND (in conjunction with the grand opening of the CIA Archives and the SHL Cruise) Host: Suomen Harmonikkaliitto (SHL) |
| | 59th Coupe Mondiale - near Oslo, NORWAY Host: Norske Trekkspilleres Landsforbund (NTL) |
| 2007 | 60th Coupe Mondiale - Washington DC, USA Host: American Accordionists Association (AAA) & Accordionists & Teachers Guild, International (ATG) |
| 2008 | 61st Coupe Mondiale - Glasgow - Scotland, UNITED KINGDOM, October 22-26, 2008 Host: National Accordion Organization of United Kingdom (NAO) |
| 2009 | 62nd Coupe Mondiale - CROATIA Host: Croatian Accordion Teachers Association |
| 2010 | 63rd Coupe Mondiale - Lorient, FRANCE Host: Confederation Nationale Francaise de L'Accordeon (CNFA) |
| 2011 | 64th Coupe Mondiale - Auckland, NEW ZEALAND Host: New Zealand Accordion Association (NZAA) |
| 2012 | 65th Coupe Mondiale - Ikaalinen, FINLAND Host: Suomen Harmonikkaliitto (SHL) |
| 2013 | 66th Coupe Mondiale - NETHERLANDS Host: Nederlandse Organisatie voor Accordeon & Mondharmonica (NOVAM) |