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Word from the arriblad

Dear Arribaan, we should start with wishing everybody a happy new year. Right now you're reading the 5th arriblad of this year, what a time to be alive. This arriblad you can read all about how the other teams are doing after the holidays. We say goodbye to a special member of Arriba. Ainhoa has a new Proost she wants to introduce to us, and of course we have the quotes send in by you guys (please keep sending in your quotes to arriblad@arriba.student.utwente.nl or text an Arriblad member directly (0906-0676)).

With kind regards

The Arriblad

Word from the Board

Dear Arribans,

Happy new year! I wish you all the best for the upcoming year and hopefully it will contain a lot of basketball. Today's tournament is already a good start for this year, and this way we can burn all the food (chicken) we ate during the holidays.

The board was very happy to see that so many members came to activities the first half of the season, and we hope we can keep this up! It's good to see that member are having a good time at Arriba!

We already started this year off with the chicken party! Everyone brought a lot of chicken and it was finger licking good. Today you can enjoy some oliebollen if you have to wait for your next game. To gain some energy after this exhausting but fun day, we will finish with a bbq at Arno's place! For those who crave for more beer, vodka or shots instead of food, upcoming Thursday is already the third Arriborrel! You should also come if you want to feel free or if you want to tell a sad story. We hope to see at least as many people as the amount of recreationals we have! For more basketball, you should join the 3v3 tournament on the 4th of February.

Have fun today and I hope to see you at the upcoming events!

Jorieke Moorlag
Treasurer D.B.V. Arriba

Match reports

Because of the Christmas break there were no matches and thus no Match reports! Thankfully we can feel this absent of content with an update of every team.

The Sad Story of Gents 1.

Unlike different years, we started with only four players, which was reduced to 10 by Alex himself at the end of October. In the following weeks we played some good games against higher ranked opponents and beat 2 lower ranked opponents (See match reports). Halfway November, another unpleasant message reached the team. Gavin hurt himself badly during a 3v3 tournament and headed straight to Ireland for 3 months. So the last matches before the holidays were played with 9 players.

But now after the holidays, some major changes are going to occur. The saddest story of the season is that Alvaro is leaving the team in February, to play veteran basketball in Spain. Secondly, Davey is leaving in the last week of January, for a South America trip and a job in Utrecht. The city where he hopes to find the mother of his children.

Gijs (or Dominique, no really Grijs) decided to skip one practice per week because he is old and talented enough to play in the team with only half of the practices. So if you miss him at pitcher Monday or on a regular Thursday, he is probably in Nijmegen.

To finish with the happy story of gents 1, Sven has returned and is allowed to play all 10 remaining games of the season. Gents 1 can use his points to win some more games and stay in the middle of the league!

Ciao,

Gents 1

Gents 2

*There's always this one nice guy, who can't say no. So when his team mates asked him to write a team update. This good guy said: Hell yeah, I'll take care of it.
I have to say: Thanks for the effort! Arriba needs nice guys like you!*

So the team update isn't about stats, everybody can look that up on www.dbvarriba.nl/gents-2/

This team update is about the new people for H2 this year.... skip that.... this is about Luuk :-)

With a length of 2.epic and a weight of 130 kg (by his own account), it is Luuk Egers filling one of the center spots since this season. With an appearance of a white Shaquille O'neil, his nickname 'Bear force one' is certainly appropriate. He can almost hang on the rim without jumping, so nobody can stop him in the bucket. However, it seems like he doesn't always realize this. While going for a lay-up, he sometimes performs a last-minute hook-pass to an outside player. (Why don't you finish it...) Unlike this and his lousy efforts during Jeroens 'crossfit practices' (but hey, who can do yoga exercises when you're 130 kg?) His presence is much appreciated.

Gents One Two Thfree

Be as one. Gents 3 has suffered already, as Niels and Guido Wopereis (who?) have left. Maik will leave at the end of February as well (finally), so the remaining players will have to work harder and maintain the 'be as one' spirit. At the chicken party a wicked 5 players of gents 3 showed, and to lift the spirit even further, Felix brought his famous beer-butt-chicken.

Fight for *Two*. This was quite literally taken as only two people showed up for the first training after the holiday. Coach Klaas was not amused and after expressing himself likewise on WhatsApp, with a fear of having to do *five* extra army drills, *ten* people showed up for the next training. $2 \times 5 = 10$.

Break thfree. So far gents 3 has managed to maintain a 5th position in the competition, but the goal is still to reach the top 3. Yesterday they won against Twente buzzards, so this will only be a matter of time!



Verzin hier ff leuk onderschrift

(Stijn wasn't able to come up with a caption so asked Gijs or Klaas to come up with something)

Recreationals

The start of a new year is a moment to look forward and look back, when looking back, we see a lot of improvement in general in playing, we know how to dribble, shoot and how to play five-out (it doesn't always go as planned, but we are trying;), and especially Vendita improved a lot, she even leads the stretching sometimes.

at the start of the new year, there is also the chance of looking forward, for the new year, our 22 resolutions are: to play more, to dribble more, to practise more, to have more fun, to drink more beer, to set more screens, to play better defence, to enjoy more, to party more, to hit more three pointers, to ,to drink more Sambuca, to listen more to Arno and Ainhua, to dance more around poles, to lose more weight, to eat more chicken, to hit more free throws, to eat evenmore chicken, to sleep earlier, to have late parties, to hit more shots and to drink more shots, so at the end of the year we are still counting.

Ladies 1

The most wonderful time of the year is over, but we have more wonderful times coming up. This year we're going to focus more on our shots, after our Porto trainings trip we will maybe be in better shape. So, we will find our sweet spots again for the second half of the season. We will keep Aniek in our minds, she didn't survive Jeroen's practice. Did you know, burpees are very dangerous? Ainhua will keep us motivated and she brings the Spanish sun to Enschede. Fanni is back from her internship, she also made our team more international. Then our match secretary, Rianne is a real star now. If you want to see her shine go the san remo. Dinah came back from her tropical holiday, but it was still too cold (22 degrees...). She was also very disappointed that she missed the chicken party, she was even crying herself to sleep. Jorieke sneaked out of the last Arriborrel (because of Rianne), so keep a close eye on her next time. Judith doesn't want to have dinner with the team, because we don't give her enough food, but she still likes us (she says). Gerben is in Eindhoven, so Aïcha is in Eindhoven. Fun fact: Meike likes to swim in lakes on campus when it's freezing outside. Kotryna likes Mexico, first she came to Arriba, but now she's going to the real Mexico for her internship. Anniek is really fit, because she was carrying chicken for the chicken party. Rebecca travels the old school way, cycling with a real paper map. Did you know Saskia has a twin sister, so look out for a copy of her. Mieke always loses things like her voice or her phone, but never forgets to drink or to eat. Daniëlle has new shoes and they are fabulous. If you want to see her fly, come see our next game. Rene is still our coach. Stay tuned for our Porto adventures...

A Night To Remember

Remember the 16th of December? Of course you do! Who doesn't remember what happened that weekend? The night before Gents 3 had given Amical a beating and on Saturday Gents 1 managed to get a hard fought win in their away game against Flying Red, Gents 2 had a great comeback win against Peatminers and to top it all off the Ladies team beat Stars '84 by an amazing 100 points!

Cue Kool & The Gang – Celebration

Everyone, even Dimitry, was in a good mood and surely this would mean every Arriban would go into the city to celebrate. But surprisingly a lot of people had already left the sports center and where nowhere to be found, still a nice group was biking on their way to the city.

However, as they inched closer and closer, one by one people were dropping off, biking away, seeing their rear light fade away into the cold dark night, hearing only an eerie echo of 'Doei' and 'Tot ziens'.

In the end only three and a half men (sorry Carst) were left, the only ones perseverant enough to reach the Oude Markt. Bonded together as the only survivors of the journey, they set foot in a wretched hive of scum and villainy, aka Proeflokaal België. Although the beer and conversation was delightful, something didn't feel right. An empty feeling was gnawing inside of them and it wasn't just their hunger for an Ed Cheese Bacon...

They missed their fellow Arribans, so they used all of their charms to hopefully convince some others to still join them, but all they got were lousy excuses like 'I still need to study' or 'I'm already in my pyjamas' (who says you can't party in your pyjamas).

After some joking, eventually, the fire went out. Everyone went home, and as he lay in his bed, one of the guys thought of what a great night it could have been. He was wondering what he could do to convince others to have a party next time. That's why he decided to share his story with you, so that hopefully next time, perhaps as a New Year's Resolution, you will join him and together you will make it ...

A night to remember!

End of an era: Goodbye Davey

I remember roughly 26 years ago, after Davey was in a bad conditions. Even though he was the biggest, fattest baby of them all (7 pounds god damn it) . He was struggling in the couvase at AMC hospital. No one could have known he'd become an Arriba Dinosaur.

He has been trainer, chairman, filled plenty committees, participated in Arribata's and Arriparties. Old member of advisory organ of arriba. He joint as a rookie, earned his stripes and leaves as a recreational veteran. The only thing he didn't do in his Arriba time is drink and fu....

We will see Davey back, it's goodbye but not farewell. (*Dimitry starts crying*)
We will remember your contributions and play against you when you join Amartano.

Lot's of love,

Your fellow Arribians

P.S: There is this really old Dinosaur in H1 who will be joining you in Amartono soon.

P.P.S: That old guy behaves a lot younger though, he blends in. He's drunk.

Quotes

Gerben: Geen gat blijft dus ongevuld ~ So, no hole will be unfilled!

Gijs: Jo pass me nummer van Rens, waar de fuck blijven die warm up shirts?
Yo, pass me the number of Rens, were the fuck are those warm up shirts?

Als Klaas mijn date als date heeft hoop ik gewoon op kip aan t spit.
If Class steals my date, I'm just hoping for roasted chicken above the fire.

Judith: Nick was vorig jaar ook date van Davey ~ Nick was Davey's gala date.
Gijs: Dat is ook een serieuze relatie. ~ It's a serious relationship Judith
Klaas: Verklaard een hoop. ~ Explains a lot.

Silver said to Anniek: I hope you miss, every time you shoot!

Silver: He doesn't have to tell nor ask permission when he cheats, but I do!
Stijn: Sounds like perfect girlfriend to me.

Gijs: This exercise is bullshit.
Coach: What did ya say.
Gijs: Nothing, I'm sorry... okay I said this is bullshit, I'm sorry, forgive me, help...

Coach: Damn I forgot the team yell...
Luc: This is a sad story...
Coach: Sad!
Team: Story!

Did you know

Silver and Anniek have a shooting contest

There is a secret banga list in H1 and you are in it!

Some players actually like the bullshit exercise.

Florian's girlfriend is not underage

she just looks that way

Ainhoa new Proost

To have a proper toast as the Mexican themed association we are, Arriba!
I'll explain the words you should say:

1. Arriba!
2. Abajo!
3. Al centro!
4. Y a dentro!!!

When translated into Englishs:

1. Up!
2. Down!
3. To the front!
5. Inside!!!

The actions you have to do while toasting are according to the meaning of the words. First we say ARRIBA!, while we put our cups up! Then we say ABAJO while you move your cup down. Next, you say AL CENTRO while our cups move to the centre of the group. At the golden moment; When people's cups collide, we finally say: Y A DENTRO and drink our cups and put the golden liquor inside our stomach ;-)

The secret of mastering the toast is practicing ;-)
So hopefully we hear some of you using this at the next Arriborreles!!!

Arriba, Abajo, Al centro, Y a dentro!!!
(Phonetically it's difficult)

Juditjes en datjes

At first the best wishes for the New Year. Hope you all had a good vacation. Some of you were finally home after a long time with your family. But now you are back in Holland, playing at the New Years tournament. If not shame on you!

Well guys if you have normal persons they have New Year's resolutions. They got a bucket list:

- Be on time for college
 - Join all the college
 - Get in shape → a six pack like Klaas
 - Eat healthier
 - Sleep regular
 - Have enough money on the bank
- Etc.

A beautiful list, not? Well this is the best bullshit I ever have seen, and guys I have seen many bulls. Why can people only do it when the New Year start? That's no option, you should just do it! So fuck the New Year's resolutions. And if you look better at the list, you see what a crapy list it is. Accept for the part for better shape, because everybody wants a six pack like Klaas.

So don't be that wannabee with the list, just do the fuck you want (and can do)!
Kisses and hugs of the female member of Arriblad!

Questions for foreigners

The Arriblad reporter decided to shout some subjects and see what reply comes out. The concept is that the answer has two sides. A Dutch one, and a side depending on the respective nationality.

Today: Rookie MVP aka Silver Suurorg

Food!

There's lots of food I miss. Most of all I miss eating black rye bread.

(Do not confuse black rye bread with roggebrood.)

I'd miss Estonian candy the most (not talking about Estonian girls) , if I did not have it at my student room (A). Whenever I visit home, I bring home a shitload of candy with me from Estonia :-).

(Please let me try some next time)

Weather!

Well I do not miss the snow in Estonia for starters. Like the candy I bring, we have a shit load of snow I gladly leave over there. I prefer the fact, that the Netherlands is quite warm in the winter.

Dutch things!

The most Dutch thing is definitely bikes and beer. (Yeah, we prefer beer and bikes put together, called drunk driving.)

It's crazy how you (Dutch people) only drink beer and never get tired of it. In my country, beautiful Estonia we never use a bike on a daily basis. We drive cars and we drink stronger stuff than beer; We drink Russian water and other strong stuff.

Dutch people/culture !?

Well overall, I feel there isn't that much of a difference in cultures. Estonians and Dutch people are actually quite similar. *If you don't believe me, then you should visit Estonia!*

(I will, we'll visit you with the team next winter, I love snow)

The Arriblad Reporter would like to thank Silver for his time and ask the reader. Who should I bother next? what type of questions do you like?

(Mail us, together with a quote :)