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## furovision Song Contest event review

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## fursuit Games

Tradition is something that we can all enjoy. Personally, one of my favourite traditions at NFC is to watch the Fursuit Games. There's something so charming about watching those floofy suits booping snoots and being generally cute. I found it refreshing to be in a more intimate space this time around, as the Games had to be held in a smaller room due to a scheduling conflict. The activities themselves were varied, all were linked to the Furovision theme:

some involved miming out a band or a short story; another had suiters building a "fanbase" out of boxes, another had them catching "musical notes" (black and white balls thrown by the audience). Mausie, also by tradition, gatecrashed the Games and caused his usual brand of lovable havoc with a leafblower pinched from a contestant! The games were a roaring success and I cannot wait to see what comes next year. (Nostradamus)



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## Door Sign Award



Another fantastic year is coming to a close, and it has brought with it another set of fantastic door signs.

This year we asked you to submit your door signs yourself, and we received 43 submissions. After narrowing them down to a shortlist of 10, we had a lengthy discussion to choose our winners. This year we ended up with one winner, and one honorable mention.

Coming out victorious are Mico and Sølve. Together with DA user LittleLightFromDark they scored a big



win with their scoreboard inspired door sign. So all we can say is "Denmark douze points!"

We did say we had an honorable mention this year, and that is Petokikka, Joel and Rafael. Their sign is made by Kirke, and puts them all in the roles of Moldova's DoReDos from 2018. This great use of the theme makes them one of our absolute favorites this year.

Mico and Sølve, you can contact @ Leophan on Telegram and we'll give you a little prize for winning. (Leophan)



In 1992 the contest was held here in Malmø. Dieter Bohlen had composed the Austrian entry and was supposed to help the singer, Tony Wegas prepare. However, he ended up spending most of his time trying to get his girlfriend's pet dog into the country.

(Leophan)

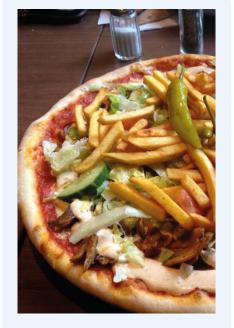


## our 5th Birthday

Conventions can be busy, so we strive to produce a quality, yet light-hearted newspaper that you can peruse over breakfast or fika.

Five years is a long period, yet it can fly by in the blink of an eye. NFC2020 happens to be the 5th birthday of What the Fuzz as it was founded in 2016 - also my first NordicFuzzCon, way, way back in the Utsikten Hotel in Nynashamn. We were initially using stone tablets and cave paintings, now we're very high-tech, using typewriters and monkeys (and sometimes even paper!).

Both NFC and WtF have come a long way since 2016. I can't wait to see what 2021 will bring! (Nostradamus)





Kuno Bloodclaw @KunoBloodclaw

So people at #NFC #NFC2020 feeling like trying something Swedish out for dinner that doesn't involve rotten fish? Try the modern classic: Pizza with french fries on top. I recommend either Gyros or Kebab pizza with french fries, dressing of your choice!







