



Digatron's Works Outing on August 24th, 2007

This year, our annual works outing led us to Bitburg, Germany's most northern hops producing region. In the afternoon of this sunny Friday, we visited the hop producer Dick who took us to an interesting guided tour through his hops farm. We've learned quite some new things about growing hops and making beer.

After lunch, we formed two teams and had to compete in hops picking, pushing a one-liter beer mug as far as possible, playing pick-up sticks (jackstraws) with hop-poles, high striker, a quiz game about hops and much more...

At the end, we gathered in the hops hall to crown the leader of the winning team as hops queen, whereas the loser was appointed poor hops bugger.

Then we had a delicious dinner in a snugly "rustic barn", where we had a lot of fun AND, of course, beer!!! A bus took us back to the Digatron headquarter, where we arrived about midnight.

Thanks to Ms Weigelt and Mr Kloecker who have organized this works outing! It was great fun, well planned, and very wise to schedule this trip on a Friday!

