Nordjamb-75

– the philately of the 1975 World Scout Jamboree –

The **Purpose** of this PH 2C exhibit is to show the philately of the 1975 World Scout Jamboree.

The **Scope** is in all aspects to examine the interaction of the postal system with Nordjamb-75.

Nordjamb-75, the 14th World Scout Jamboree in Lillehammer, Norway, was hosted jointly by the Boy Scouts of the five Nordic countries Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden.

Nordjamb-75 was more than a Jamboree, and it encompassed three forms of hospitality:

- The World Scout Jamboree in Norway:
  17,259 Scouts from 94 countries attended the Jamboree from July 29 to August 7, 1975
- Home Hospitality in all five countries for attendees at the Jamboree and Conference
- The 25th World Scout Conference in Denmark with delegates from 87 national Scout organisations

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Literature: *Nordjamb-75*, Scout Stamps Collectors Club Bulletin Vol 8 No 2, March-April 1976 (SSCC)

1. Planning of Nordjamb-75

1971, the World Scout Conference in Japan decides the 1975 Jamboree and Conference

Jamboree?
World Jamborees are milestones in Scouting history.
The World Scout Jamboree is an international Scout camp of the World Organization of the Scout Movement (WOSM), typically attended by several tens of thousands of Scouts from around the world, aged 14 to 17.

Protest against gigantism
Up until the 1960s, the jamborees had become relatively large events, with a lot of shows and little sign of being scout events. Therefore, at WOSM's 20th World Conference in 1965, the Nordic countries discussed the possibility of organizing a jamboree in the Nordics. This was the first (and so far only) time that the jamboree was a collaboration between several different nations.

Turned down in 1967:
At the 1967 World Scout Conference in Seattle, U.S.A., the Nordic countries proposed that a Jamboree should be held in Norway, hosted and organized jointly by the five Nordic countries. The offer was declined, and the 1971 Jamboree was subsequently held in Japan.

Decided in Japan, 1971:
The 23rd World Scout Conference took place in Tokyo, Japan August 12-17 at the Tokyo Prince Hotel. 71 National Scout Organizations were represented.
The 1971 World Scout Conference resolved:
"Confirms the decision to ***hold the 14th World Jamboree and 25th World Scout Conference in Scandinavia, in 1975****, and records its thanks to all the countries which offered to be hosts to these world events."*

THE 1971 WORLD SCOUT CONFERENCE POSTMARK ON VENUE ENVELOPE

Right: Conference hotel envelope to Minoh City, Osaka Prefecture, with Jamboree postage stamp and special postmark "23rd World Scout Conference, Tokyo, August 12, 1971".
Note that year 1971 corresponds to Shōwa 46 in the Japanese calendar.

1. Planning of Nordjamb-75 — Re-use of campsite from the 1968 national jamboree

The Nordjamb-75 camp committee selected a campsite in Lillehammer, Norway. This campsite had been successfully used for the 1968 Scout national jamboree which had 8,500 participants.

VIEWCARD FROM THE 1968 NATIONAL JAMBOREE

1968 viewcard from the national Scout jamboree. Nordjamb-75 used exactly the same campsite.

DOMESTIC POSTCARD FROM THE 1968 NATIONAL JAMBOREE

Maihaugen viewcard with camp postmark "LANDSLEIREN JØRSTADMOEN 4 8 68". 50 øre rate for domestic postcards from 1.3.1968 to 1.3.1972.

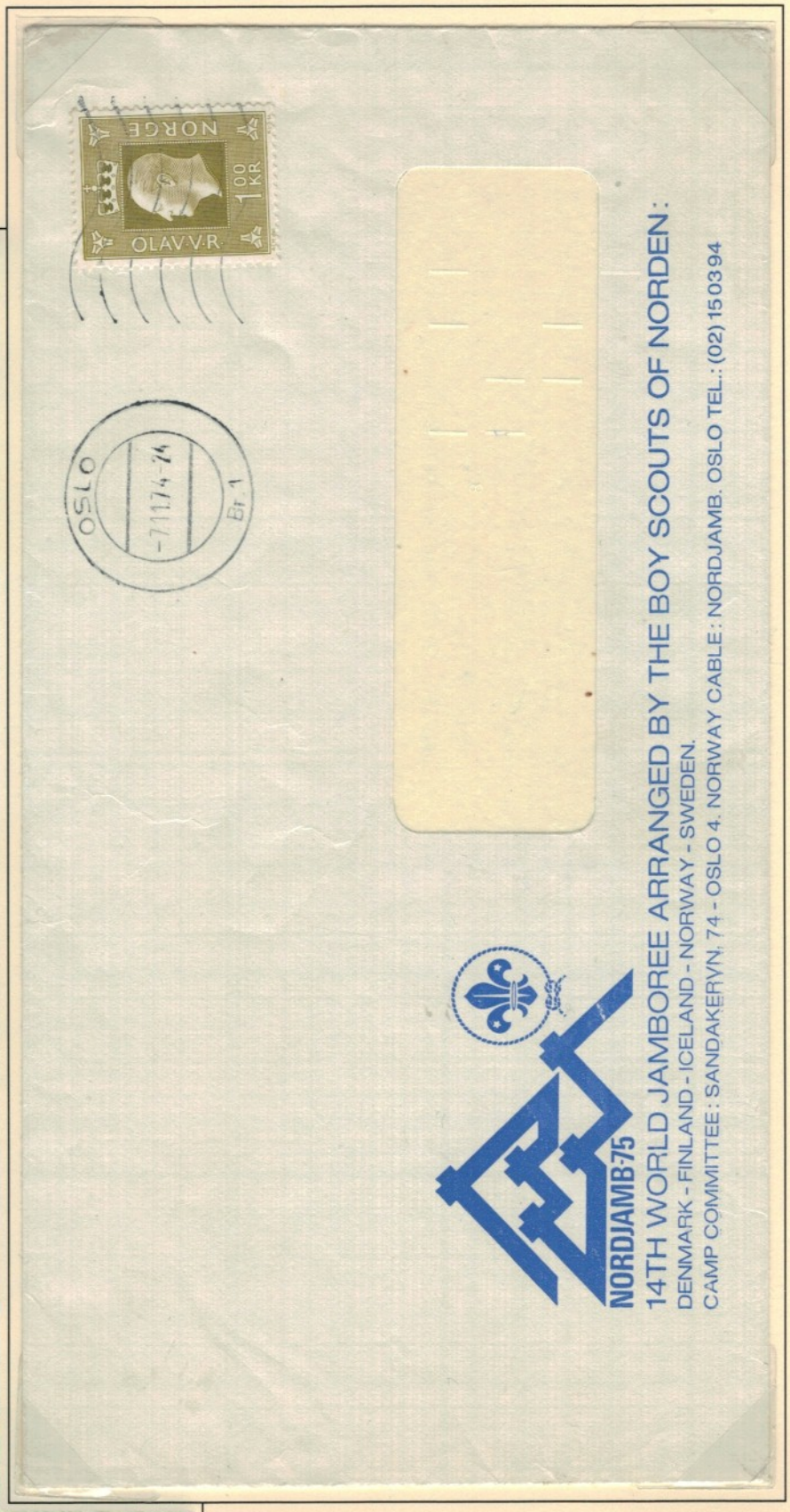
The Scout writes to his family about nice weather, visit to the Maihaugen museum, camp fires and looking forward to the hike. Exactly the same could have been written from Nordjamb-75!

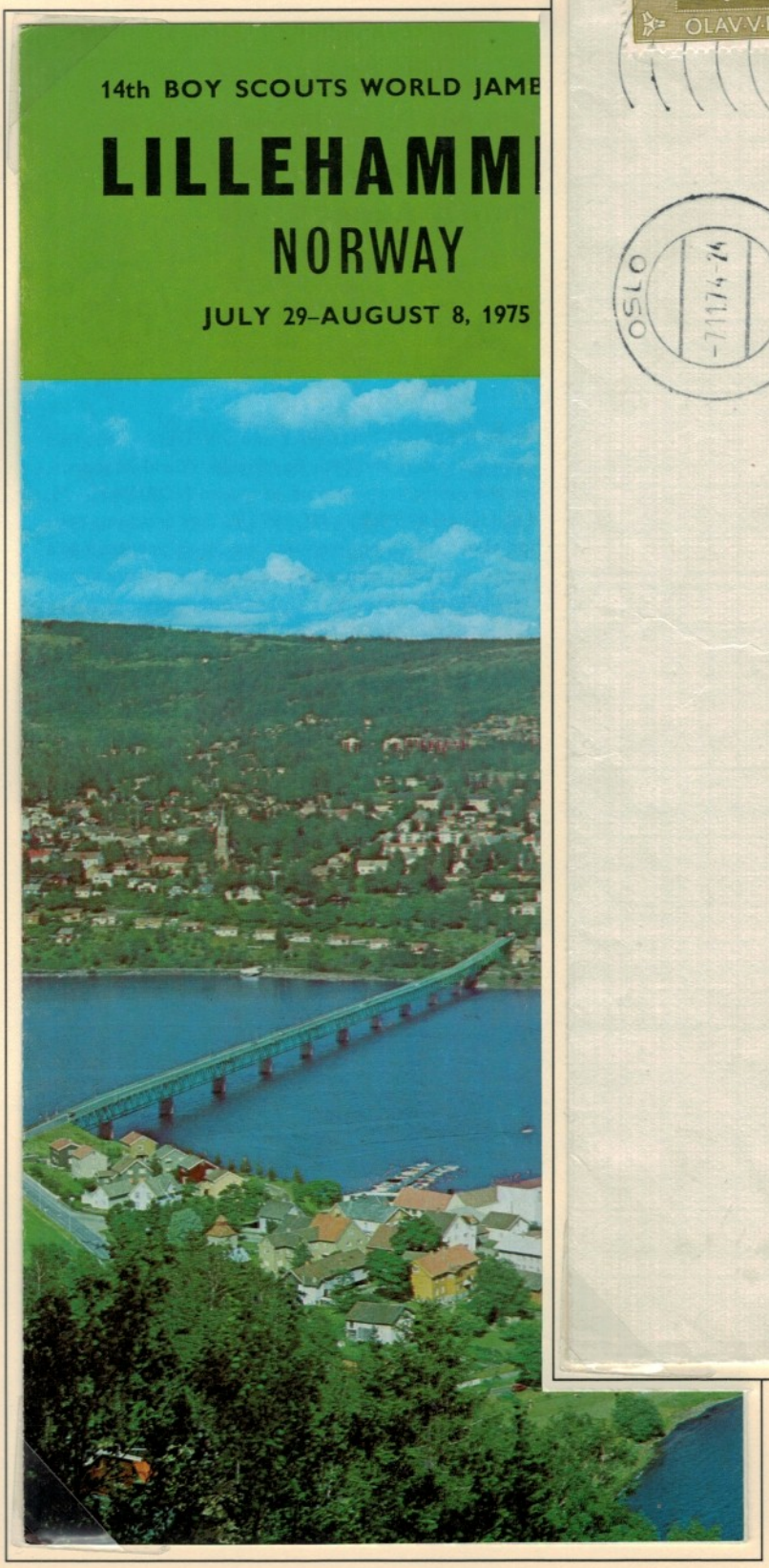
1. Planning of Nordjamb-75 — 1974, Camp Committee in Oslo, Norway

A camp committee was established with offices in each of the five host countries.

PRINTED ENVELOPE FOR THE CAMP COMMITTEE IN NORWAY

Right: Printed envelope for the Nordjamb-75 Camp Committee, Sandakerveien 74, Oslo (SSCC-E1), postmarked "OSLO -7.11.74". "14TH WORLD JAMBOREE ARRANGED BY THE BOY SCOUTS OF NORDEN". 100 øre rate for domestic covers to 20g 1.3.1973-1.3.1975.





Left: Flyer in English, with information about Lillehammer and the surroundings.
Produced by the travel agency Bennet of Scandinavia.

1. Planning of Nordjamb-75 — 1975, Camp Committee in Copenhagen, Denmark

A camp committee was established with offices in each of the five host countries.

PRINTED ENVELOPE FOR THE CAMP COMMITTEE IN DENMARK

Printed cover from the Nordjamb-75 office in Lundsgade 6, Copenhagen, Denmark (SSCC-E57) which was the premises of Det Danske Spejderkorps (The Danish Scout Association). 150 øre for domestic letters 101-150g 15.6.1974-1.4.1976.

1. Planning of Nordjamb-75 — 1975, Camp Committee in Helsinki and Tampere, Finland

A camp committee was established with offices in each of the five host countries.

PRINTED ENVELOPES FOR THE CAMP COMMITTEE IN FINLAND

Envelope from the Finnish Scout Association in Helsinki (SSCC-E9). 0.70mk for domestic letters to 20g 1.1.1975-31.12.1975.

Envelope from the camp committee in Tampere (not recorded by SSCC). 0.40mk for domestic printed matter to 20g by surface mail 1.1.1975-31.12.1975.

A camp committee was established with offices in each of the five host countries.

NOTEPAPER FROM THE CAMP COMMITTEE IN SWEDEN, USED IN FINLAND

Notepaper prepared for the Camp Committee in Stockholm, Sweden.
Mailed from the Finnish Scout Association in Helsinki (not recorded by SSCC).
1.70mk for foreign letters 21-50g 1.1.1975-31.12.1975

1. Planning of Nordjamb-75

1975, Camp Committee in Stockholm, Sweden

A camp committee was established with offices in each of the five host countries.

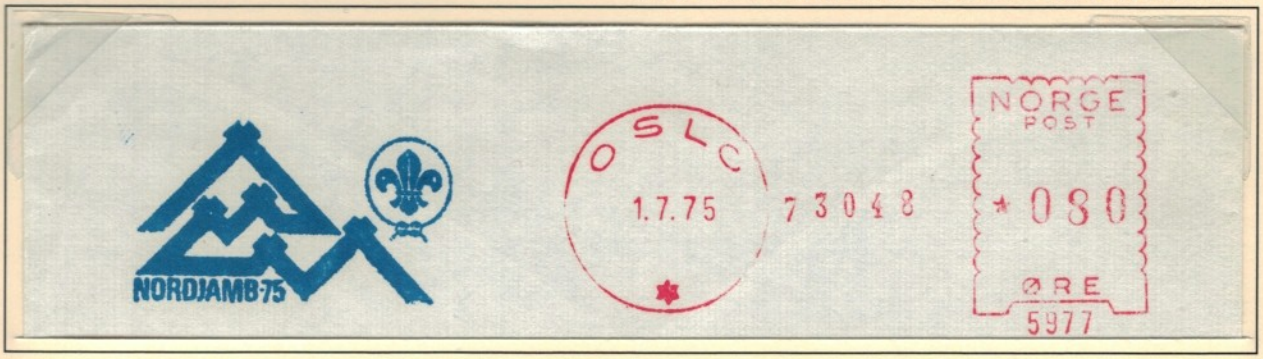
NORDJAMB-75 PRINTED ENVELOPES FROM THE CAMP COMMITTEE IN STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN

Above: Window envelope from Camp Committee office (P.O. Box 1330, Stockholm) (SSCC-E6). 1kr for letters to 20g to UPU 2nd group 1.5.1975-1.2.1976.

Left: Air mail envelope from the Camp Committee office in Stockholm (SSCC-E5). 1.90kr for letters 21-50g to UPU 2nd group 1.5.1975-1.2.1976, 0.90kr underfranked.

Companies and other mailers with some amount of mail often use meter marks for postage payment. Publicity, or advertising slogans are a good way of conveying information. The Norwegian Boy Scout Association (Norsk Speidergutt-Forbund (NSF)) used this slogan with the Nordjamb-75 logo in their Krag CA4 meter stamp machine in 1975. Bicoloured meter slogans are possible with vertical feeding of the mail through the machine.

PUBLICITY METER SLOGAN FROM NORWAY

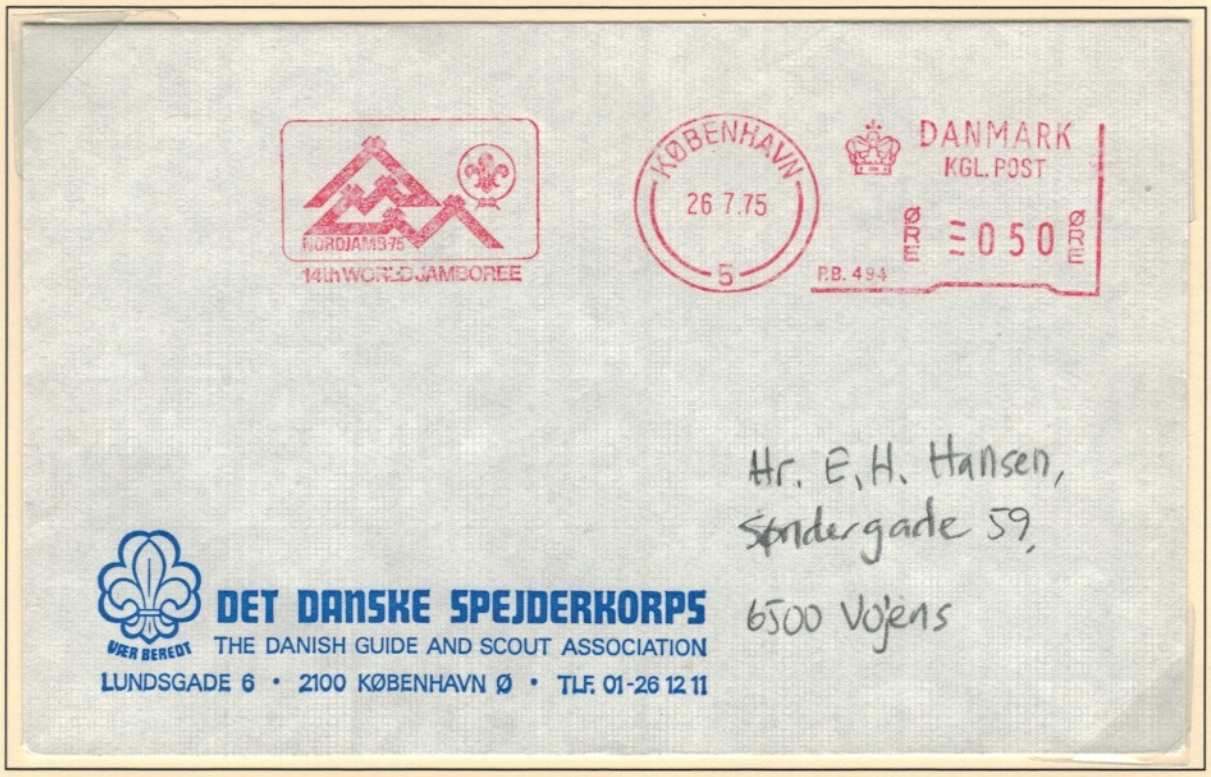


The meter slogan was used from July 1 to October 3, 1975, and serial number 70893-73048 are recorded.

Domestic letter with the NSF meter slogan, first day of usage.
80 øre for domestic printed matter to 20g 1.3.1975-1.3.1981.

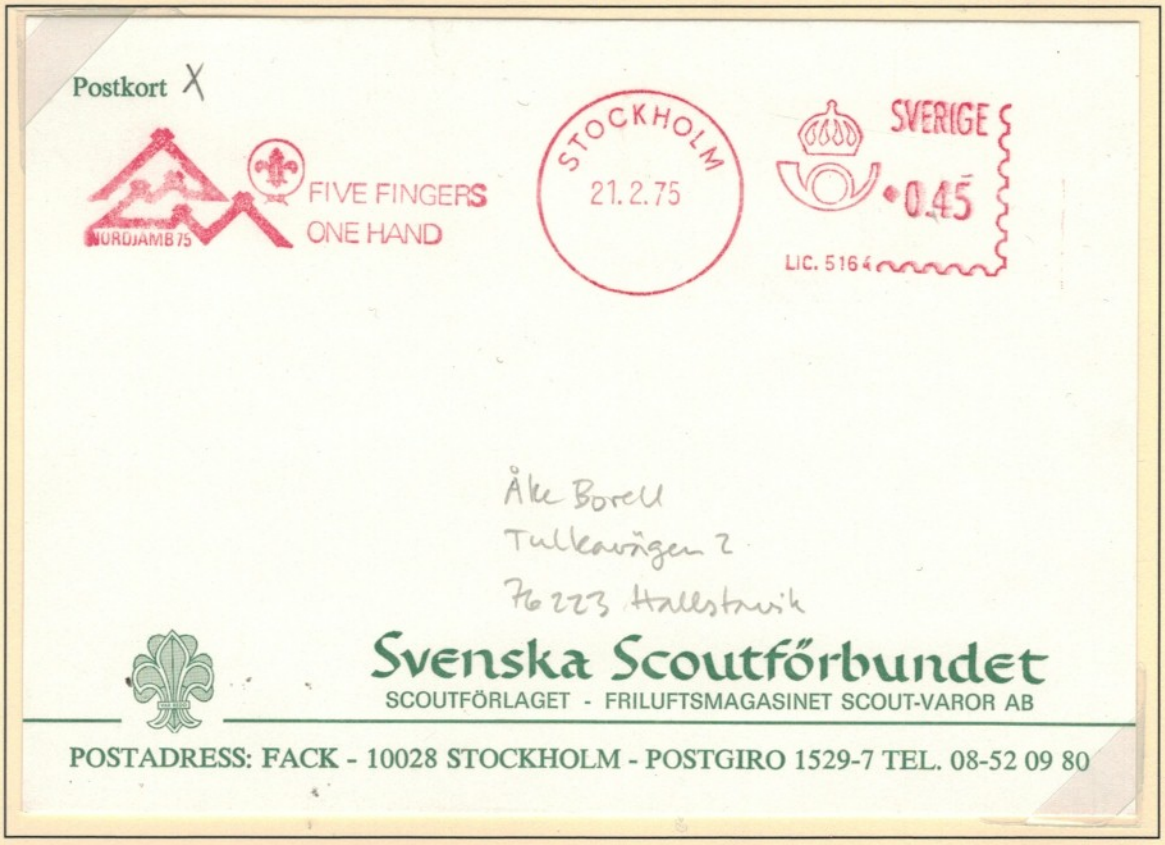
The Scout Associations in Sweden and Denmark used advertising slogans in their meter franking machines to create publicity for the jamboree.

PUBLICITY METER SLOGAN FROM DENMARK



Advertising meter slogan from The Danish Scout Association (Det Danske Spejderkorps).
50 øre for domestic printed matter to 20g 15.6.1974-1.4.1976.

PUBLICITY METER SLOGAN FROM SWEDEN



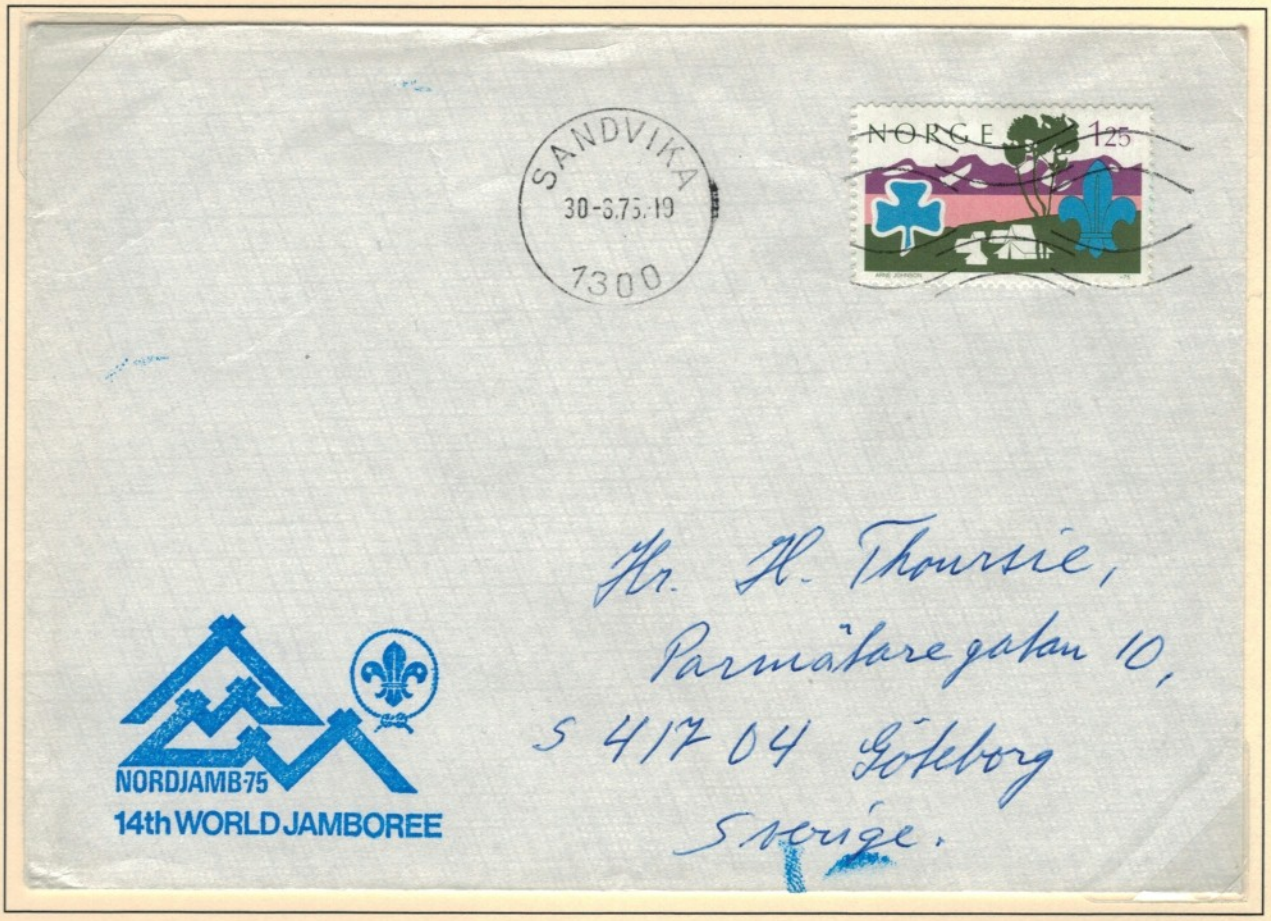
Advertising meter slogan from The Swedish Scout Association (Svenska Scoutförbundet), Nordjamb-75 logo and the motto "Five Fingers One Hand".
50 öre for printed matter class B to any destination 1.7.1972-1.5.1975.

1. Planning of Nordjamb-75

Scout Philatelists also prepared for Camp

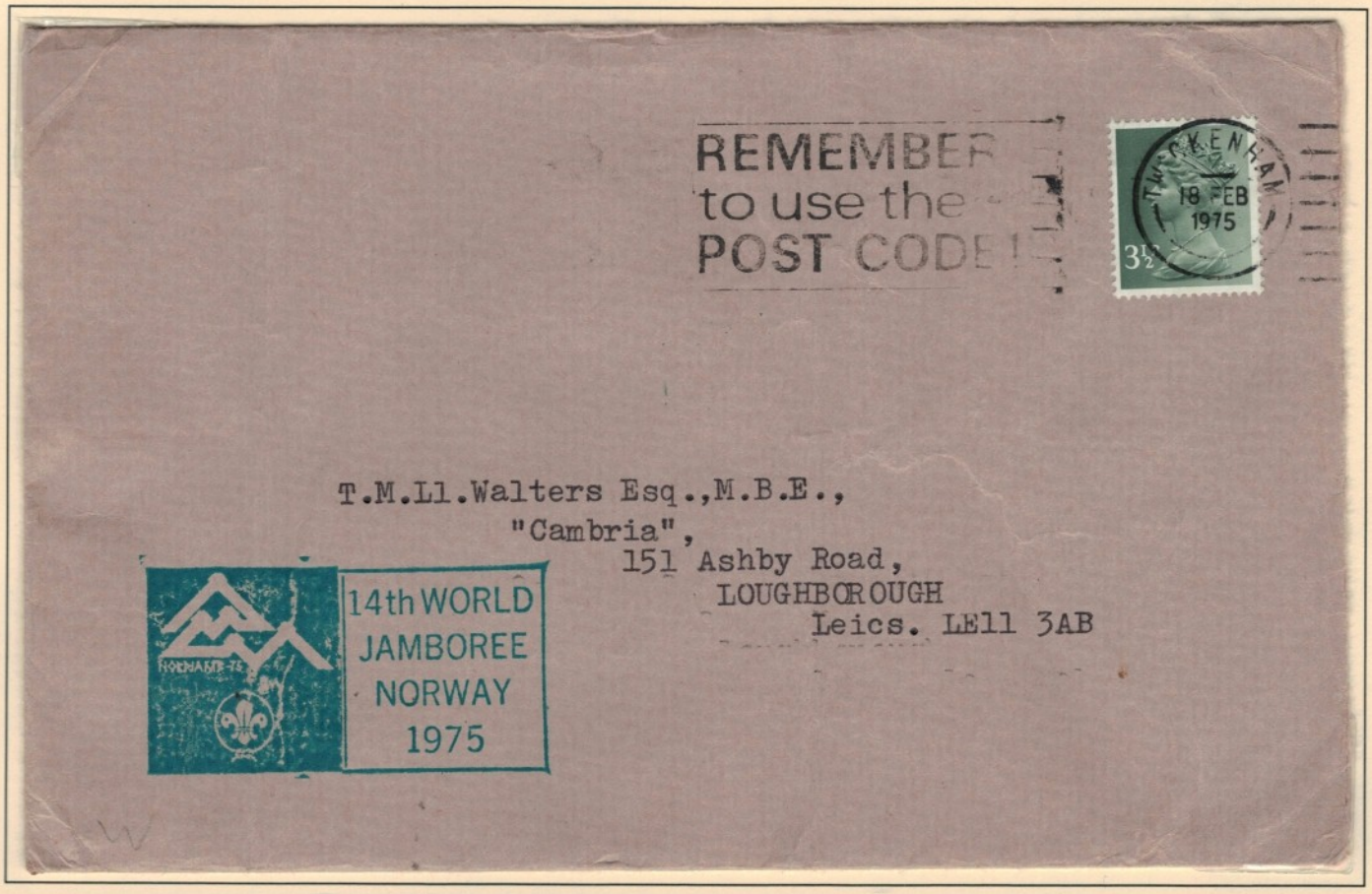
It was not only the Scout Associations of the Nordic countries who were busy preparing for Nordjamb-75. Scout philatelists of many countries also got themselves prepared for a field day!

REINERT RØDLAND CACHET



Nordjamb-75 blue cachet by Reinert Rødland of Norway, used June 1975. He also assisted the Norwegian Scout Association in their philatelic preparations.

DAVID JEFFERIES CACHET



NORDJAMB-75 cachet (SSCC-C11) was probably prepared by David Jefferies of Scotland and was used in green colour prior to the Jamboree (blue colour at the Jamboree). 3½ p for domestic second class letters to 2oz 24.6.1974-17.3.1975

2. The Jamboree Stamps and Postal Card

NORWAY POST ANNOUNCES TWO POSTAGE STAMPS "HOMAGE TO SCOUTING"

Sirkulære

fra

Postdirektoratet

Nr. 15	28. april	1975

I

Styret for Postverket. Ark. 059.

Se sirk. 2/1974 I.

Distriktssjef Edmund Fjærvoll døde i januar 1975.

Som ny varamann for formannen for den gjenværende del av perioden har Samferdselsdepartementet oppnevnt lærer Claus Hellestad, Kvalsund.

(25/17/1975 T1A/Gs — 15/1975)

II

Nye frimerke. Ark. 840.

I samband med at dei nordiske speidargutforbunda skal arrangere ein internasjonal verdsspeidarleir, jamboree, ved Lillehammer i tida 29.7—8.8.1975, vil det som honnør til speidarsaka bli utgitt 2 nye frimerke i verdiane 125 øre (Motto: «Sommerspeiding») og 140 øre (Motto: «Vinterspeiding»).

Frimerka som er i storleiken 37,6 x 21,1 mm med tagging 13, er teikna av Arne Johnson og blir trykte i fleirfarga offset hos Emil Moestue A/S i ark à 50 stk. på fosforescerende papir frå Harrison & Sons Ltd., London.

Frimerka skal vere til sals ved alle poststader frå og med torsdag 19. juni 1975. Dei må ikkje seljast eller stemplast før denne dagen.

Frimerkelageret vil sende ei førebels forsyning av frimerka til postkontora, som seinare kan tinge dei på vanleg måte.

Førstedagsstempling kan tingast hos Postens filatelitjeneste, postboks 1085 Sentrum, OSLO 1, sjå Postreglementet/Reglement for underpostkontorer kap. III § 32 a. Konvoluttar og betaling må vere leverte poststadene seinast 2. juni 1975.

(331.12/TIF/Hs — 15/1975)

III

Førstedagsstempling av uadresserte konvolutter. Ark. 411.

Ifølge bestemmelsene i Postreglementet/Reglement for underpostkontorer kap. III § 32 a punkt 2 og 3 er det bare adresserte førstedagskonvolutter som kan sendes til Postens filatelitjeneste til frankering og førstedagsstempling. På foranledning av et forenklingsforslag er det bestemt at det også skal være anledning til å sende inn uadresserte konvolutter. Bestemmelsene i Postreglementet/Reglement for underpostkontorer kap. III § 32 a punkt 2 og 3 vil derfor bli endret slik:

2. Vanligvis vil kundene kunne sende inn adresserte og uadresserte konvolutter og bestille frankering og førstedagsstempling hos Postens filatelitjeneste. Konvoluttene frankeres med en serie av de nye merkene, og datostemples med spesialstempel. På frimerkets utgivelsesdag vil konvoluttene bli postlagt og sendt adressat
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3. Adresserte og
ling kan kundene
Direkte: Konv
omslag direkte ti

15—1975

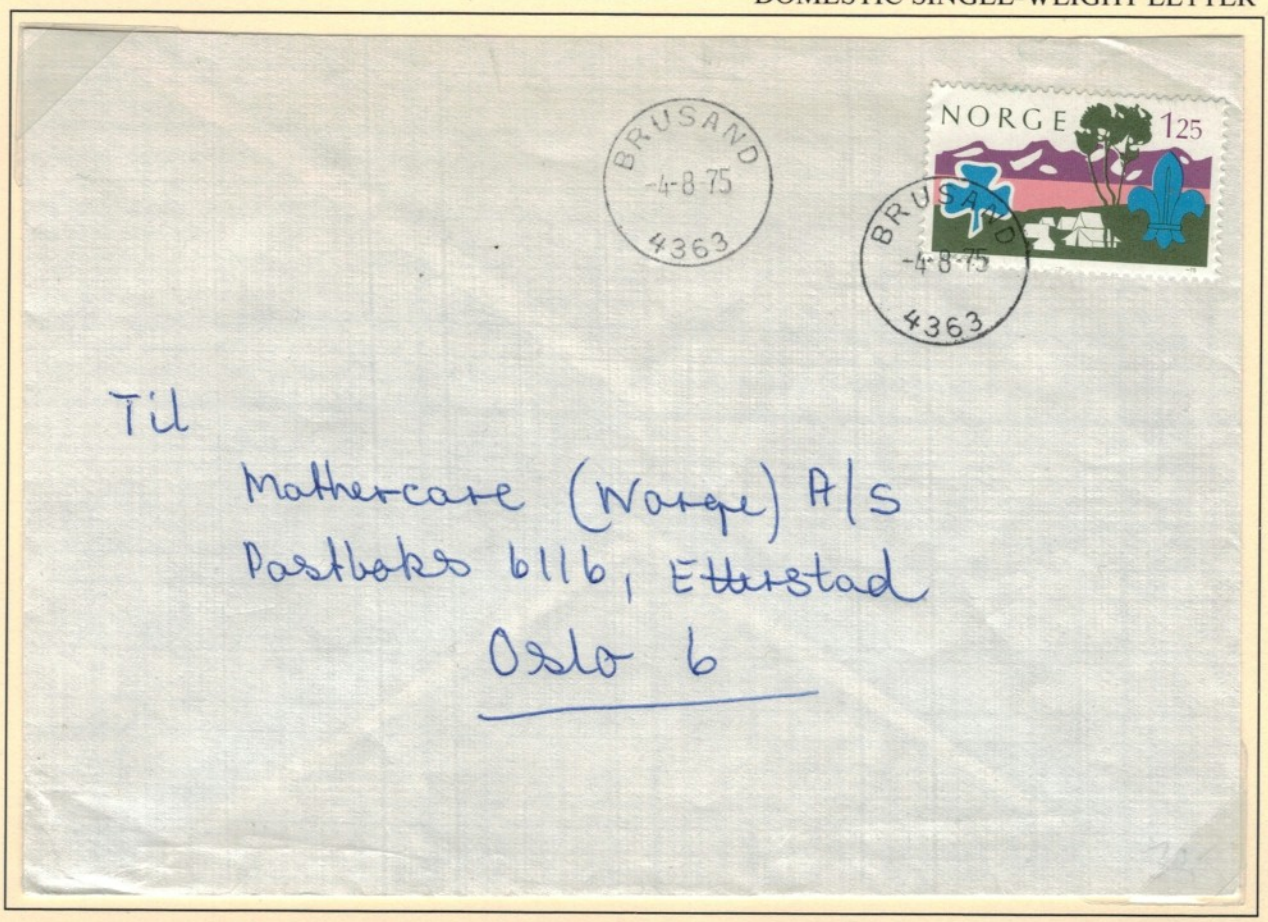
Postdirektoratet (Norway Post) issued Postal Circulars to all post offices. There were 50 Circulars in 1975.

No. 15 was issued on 28 April, and contained information about the new Scout stamps.

Postal Circular No 15-1975 (original).

The denomination for the two stamps was for single-weight domestic and foreign letter rates.

DOMESTIC SINGLE-WEIGHT LETTER



125 øre postage rate for domestic letters and letters to Nordic countries
up to 20 grammes from March 1, 1973 to March 31, 1981.

FOREIGN SINGLE-WEIGHT LETTER

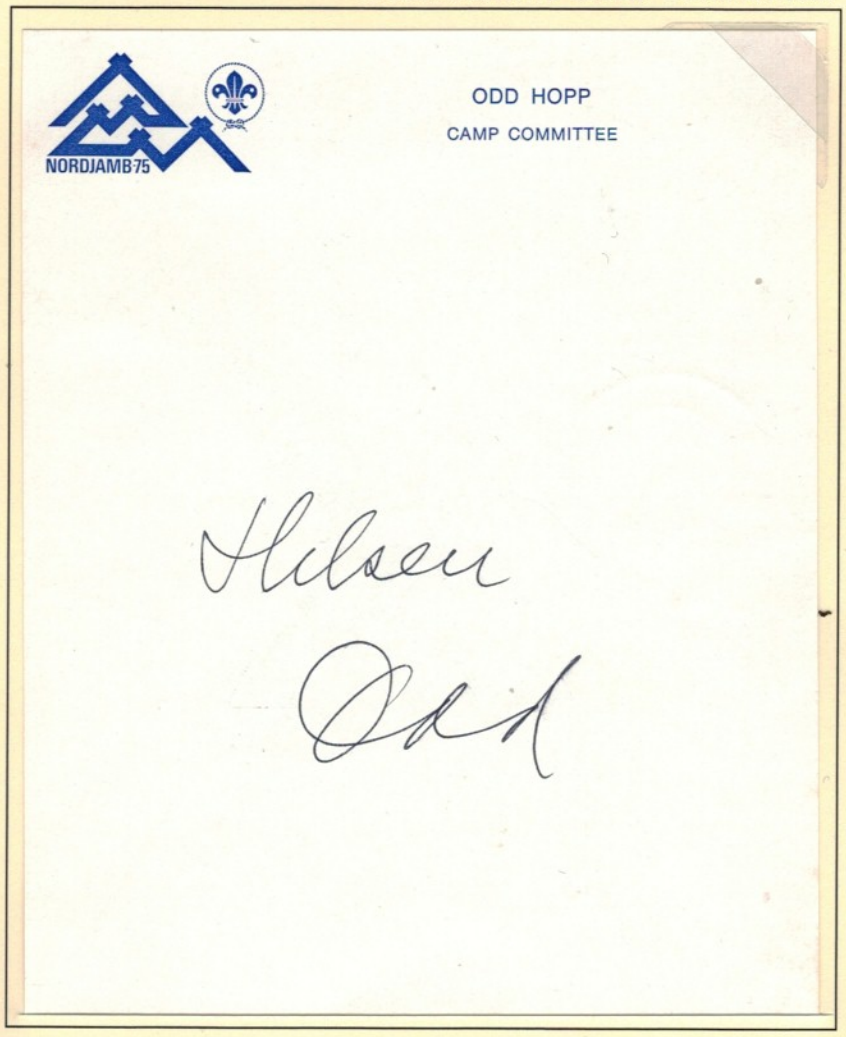
140 øre postage rate for foreign letters to 20 grammes from March 1, 1973 to February 28, 1977.

A total of 84,185 First Day Covers were serviced by Norway Post Philatelic Services and received the official First Day Postmark on 19 June. This includes a variety of cacheted and un-cacheted covers. In addition an unknown number of First Day Covers with regular postmarks.

NORWEGIAN BOY SCOUT ASSOCIATION

Regular window envelope from the Boy Scout Association in Oslo (not recorded by SSCC).

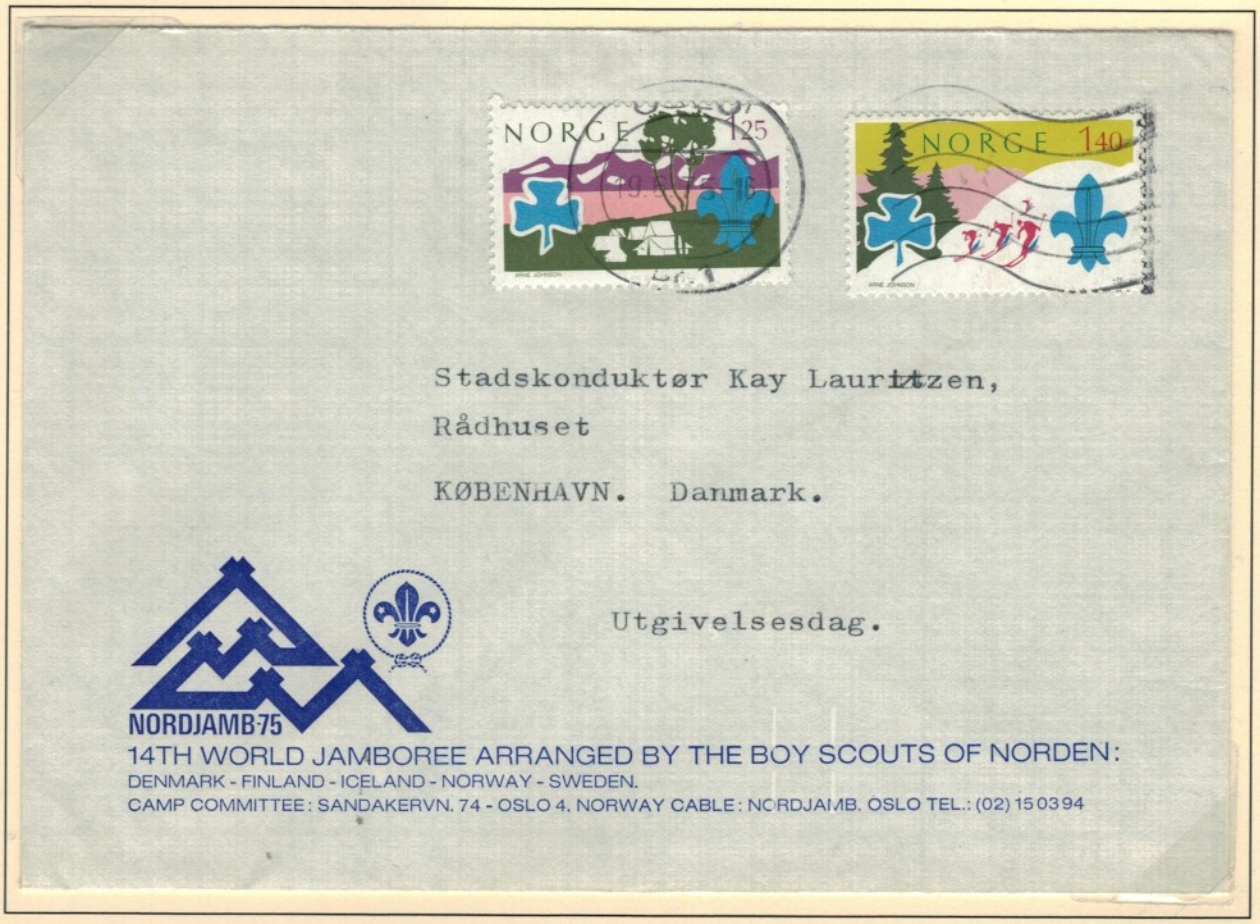
NORDJAMB-75 CAMP COMMITTEE



Contents of the cover below: Printed stationery from Odd Hopp in the Nordjamb-75 Camp Committee and signed "Odd".

Odd Hopp was secretary general for the Norwegian Boy Scouts Association 1955-1978 and Norwegian Gilwell Deputy Camp Chief 1947-1972.

Below: Corner card (cover) from Nordjamb-75 Camp Committee (not recorded by SSCC). Ordinary Oslo machine cancellation.



ARBEIDERNES FILATELISTKLUBB (LABOUR PHILATELIC SOCIETY)

First Day Cover prepared by Arbeidernes Filatelistklubb, Oslo (not recorded by SSCC).

F.S. PLATOU A.S (ARCHITECTS)

Corner card (cover) from F.S. Platou A.S, Oslo (architects), with FDC handstamp (not recorded by SSCC).

POSTENS FRIMERKETJENESTE (NORWAY POST PHILATELIC SERVICES)

Corner card (cover) from Norway Post Philatelic Services in Oslo (not recorded by SSCC).

A/S SYDVARANGER (MINING COMPANY)

Corner card (cover) from A/S Sydvaranger, Kirkenes (mining company) (not recorded by SSCC).

STABENFELDTHUS (PRINTING AND PUBLISHING)

Corner card (cover) from Stabenfeldthus, Stavanger (printing and publishing company) (not recorded by SSCC).

LEO PHARMACEUTICAL, DENMARK

First Day Cover from Leo Pharmaceutical, Denmark (not recorded by SSCC).

GRAND NORDIC HOTEL, HAMMERFEST

Corner card (window cover) from
Grand Nordic Hotel, Hammerfest
(not recorded by SSCC).

The postmark was possibly used
as a relief postmark onboard
the southbound coastal express.

III

Postkort. Ark. 421 og 840.

I anledning av verdensspeiderleiren-NORDJAMB 75 på Lillehammer i tidsrommet 29.7.—7.8.1975 vil det bli utgitt et billedpostkort med påtrykt frimerke i verdien 100 øre.

Billedpostkortet er tegnet av Ingrid Jangaard Ousland og blir trykt i flerfarget offset hos Emil Moestue A/S.

Billedpostkortet vil være til salgs ved postkontorene Oslo sentrum, Bergen, Trondheim, Stavanger og Tromsø og ved poststedene i Lillehammer postområde fra tirsdag 29.7.1975. DET MÅ IKKE SELGES ELLER STEMPLES FØR DENNE DAGEN.

Frimerkelageret vil sende en foreløpig forsyning av billedpostkortene til postkontorene nevnt ovenfor.

Førstedagsstemplede så vel som ubrukte billedpostkort kan bestilles hos Postens filatelitjeneste, postboks 1085 Sentrum, OSLO 1.

(331.31/TIF/Hs — 17/1975)

Postal Circular No 17-1975 announced the new postal card.
Original.

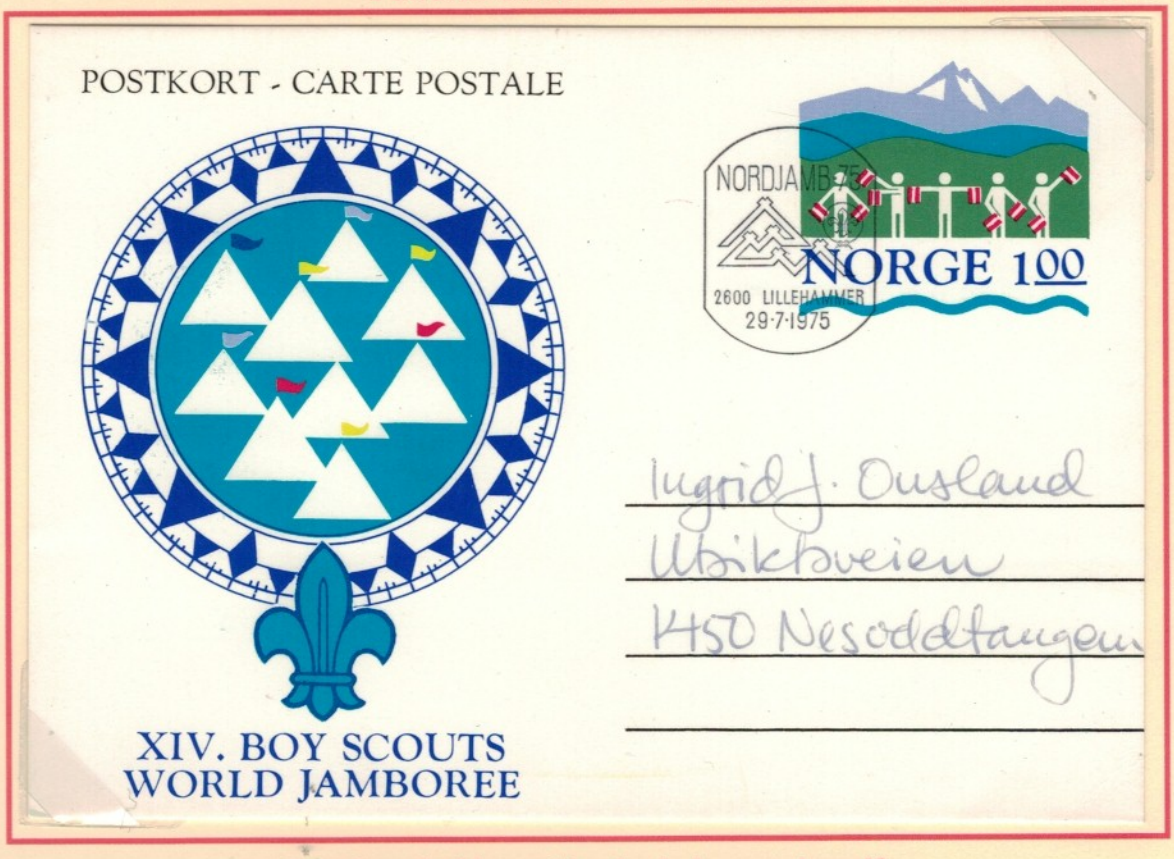
Norway Post announces Postal Card

Postdirektoratet (Norway Post) issued Postal Circulars to all post offices. There were 50 Circulars in 1975. No. 17 was issued on May 13, 1975 and contained information about the new postal card.

It would appear that at a relatively late date Norway Post decided to supplement the pair of "Homage to Scouting" stamps with a postal card designed specifically for the Jamboree. Interestingly, neither the "Five Fingers One Hand" motto of Nordjamb-75 nor the tent village of interlocked tents was included in the design. The Postal Card had a stamp imprint of 100 øre which at the time of issue paid the postcard rate to any destination domestic and abroad.

The card was designed by Ingrid Jangaard Ousland and was printed in multi-colour offset by Emil Moestue A/S of Oslo. Sheets of 32 cards were printed at a time on white, surface coated stock card, each sheet being printed three times – 2 colours per pass. The sheets were then cut to standard A6 size, 148x105 mm.

POSTAL CARD WITH THE DESIGNER'S HANDWRITING

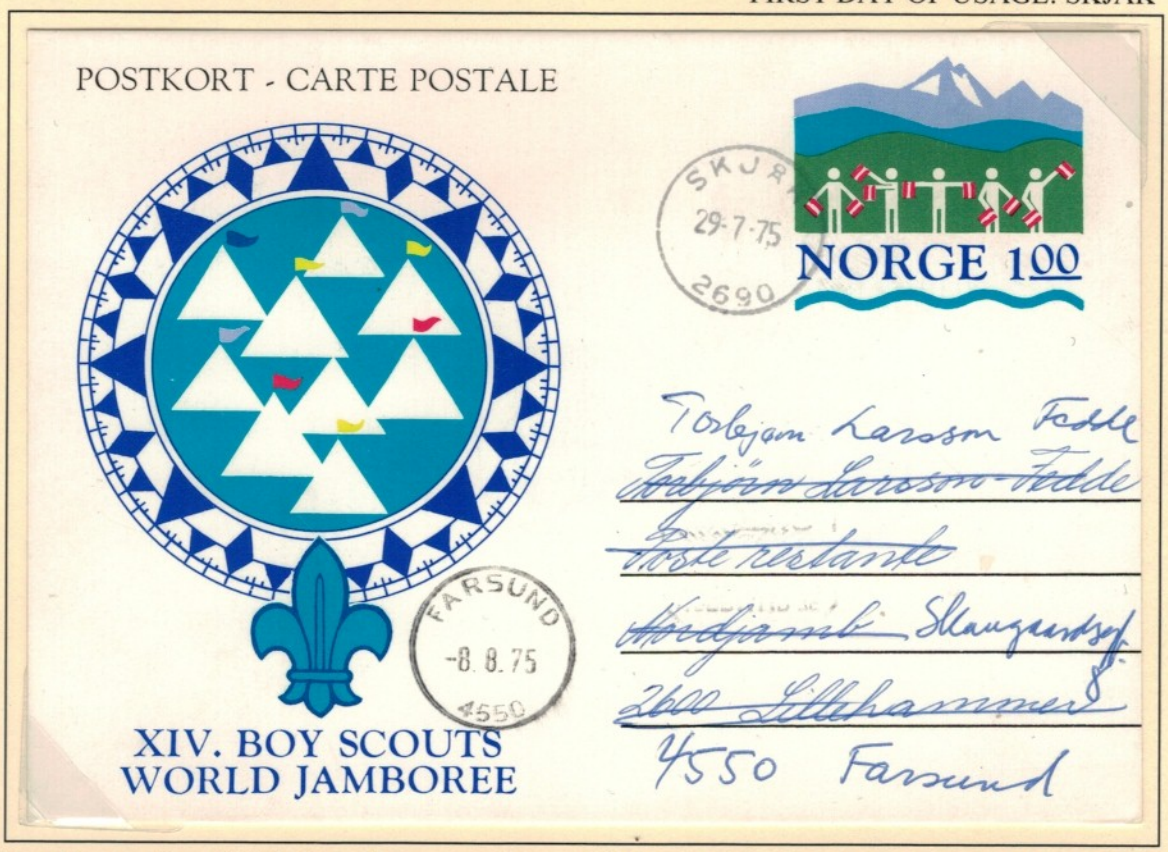


Postal card addressed by the designer to herself.

500,000 cards were printed, of which approximately 20,000 were cancelled on the first day of issue, and approximately 51,300 were sold from the Jamboree post office.

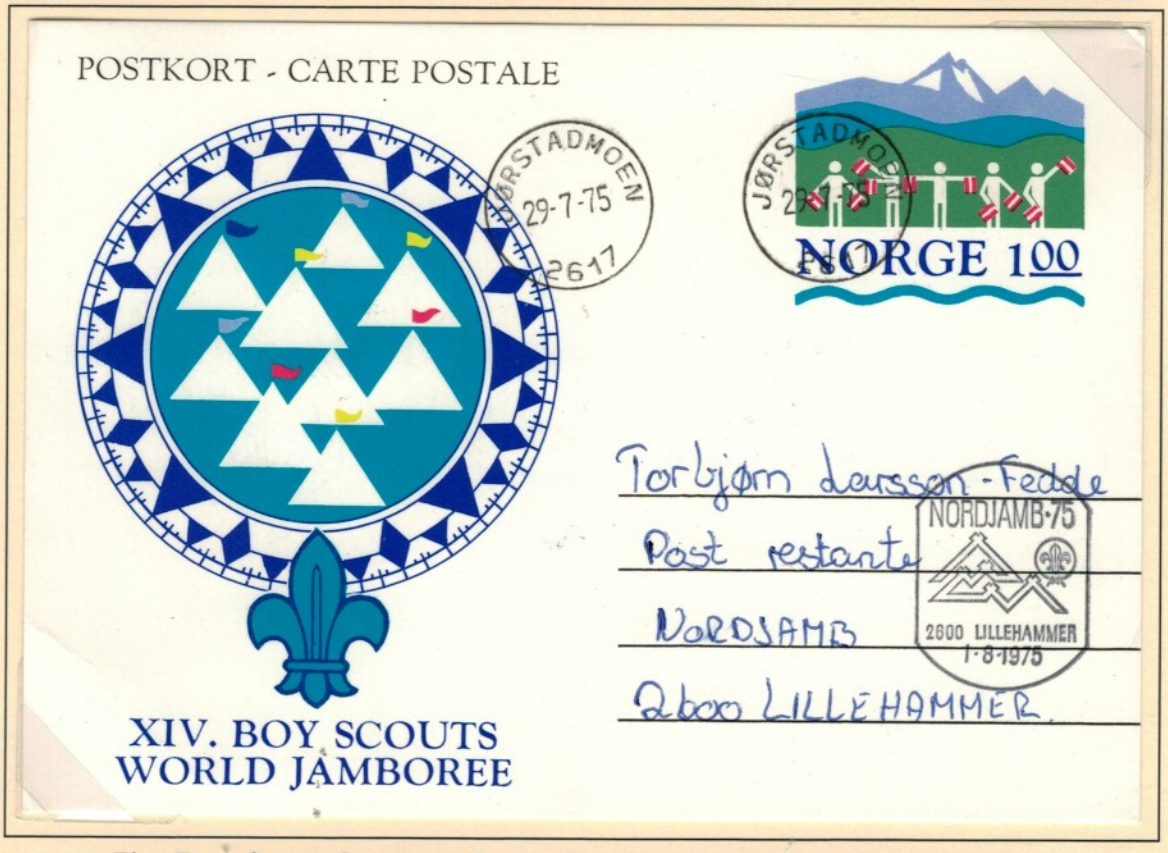
The postal cards were on sale in Oslo, Bergen, Trondheim, Stavanger, Tromsø and in Lillehammer postal district.

FIRST DAY OF USAGE: SKJÅK



First Day of usage from Skjåk. Regular postmark from Skjåk post office. Sent Poste Restante to Nordjamb-75. Postmarks Nordjamb-75 30-7-1975 and 7-8-1975 on reverse. Not collected and forwarded to Farsund, arrived 8 Aug.

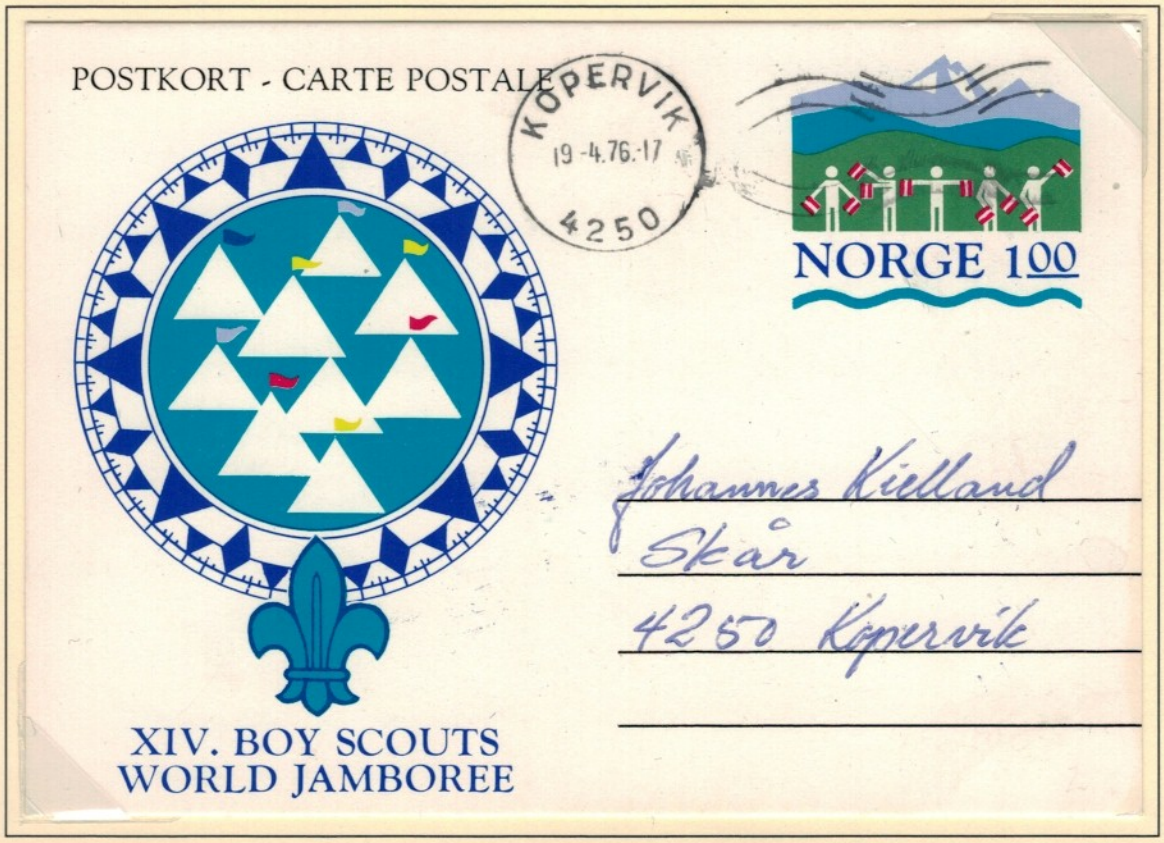
FIRST DAY OF USAGE: JØRSTADMOEN



First Day of usage from Jørstadmoen. Regular postmark from Skjåk post office.
Sent Poste Restante to Nordjamb-75, arrived Nordjamb-75 30-7-1975 (reverse) and collected 1-8-1975.

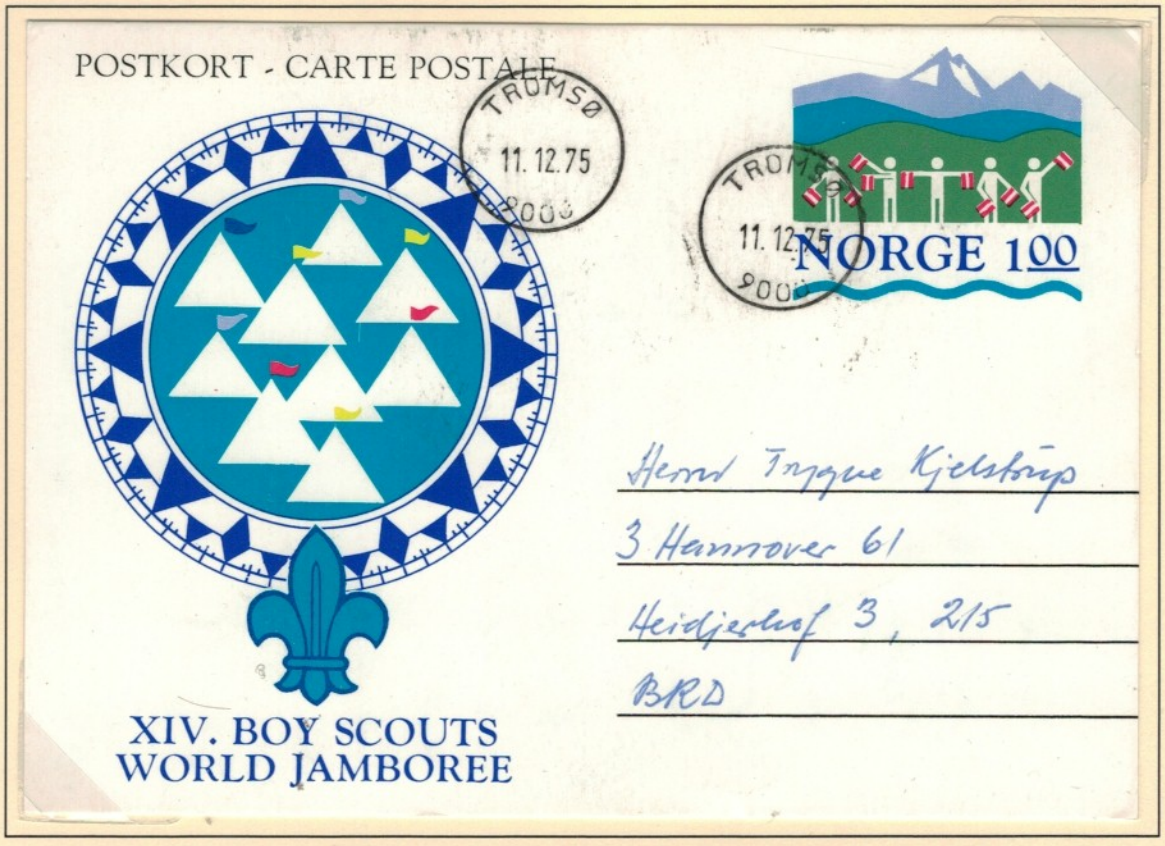
The Postal Card had a stamp imprint of 100 øre which at the time of issue paid the postcard rate to any destination domestic and abroad.

DOMESTIC USE



100 øre rate for domestic postcards 1.3.1975-1.3.1981.

FOREIGN USE



100 øre rate for foreign postcards (outside Norden) 1.3.1973-1.3.1977.

3. The Jamboree Postal Arrangements

NORWAY POST ANNOUNCES THE JAMBOREE P.O.

Norway Post announced the Jamboree Post Office in Postal Circular No. 24/1975. ***Original.***

World Jamboree are milestones in Scouting history. In a sense they are also milestones in postal history. Few other events pose a similar postal problem: To develop a system for effective mail collecting, receiving and distribution to serve a multi-national population which expands from nil to tens of thousands literally overnight and shrinks back to nil with equal rapidity after a week or so.

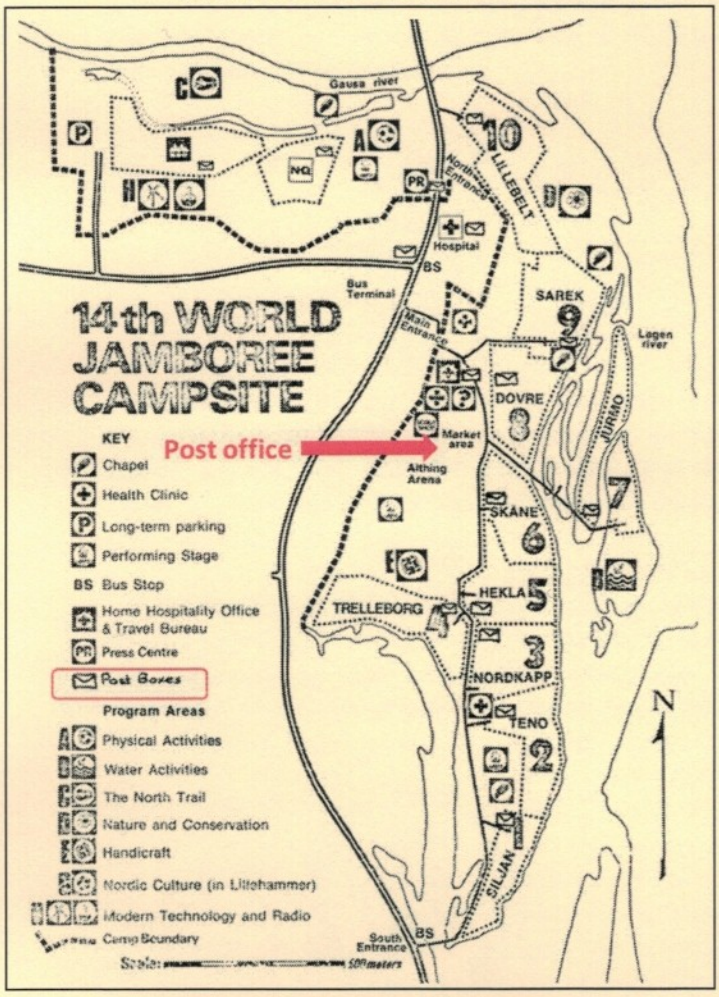
The Main Post Office was located in a large tent in the central Market Area. The post office comprised two sections; a post office, staffed by four counter clercs, and a philatelic sales bureau staffed by 2-3 ladies.

I samband med verdsspeidarleiren på Lillehammer i tida 29.7—7.8.1975 vil det vere i verksemd eit mellombels brevhus. Brevhuset vil bli utstyrt med motivdatostempel som vist nedanfor.

Sendingar som ein ønskjer stempla med dette motivdatostempelet, kan sendast i ytre frankert konvolutt til Postens filatelitjeneste, postboks 1085, Sentrum, OSLO 1. Konvolutten bør vere merkt: «NORDJAMB 75».

I samband med Indremisjonsselskapets Landsungdomsstemne i tida 30.7—4.8.1975 vil det vere i verksemd eit mellombels brevhus. Brevhuset vil bli utstyrt med motivdatostempel som vist nedanfor.

LOCATION OF THE MAIN POST OFFICE

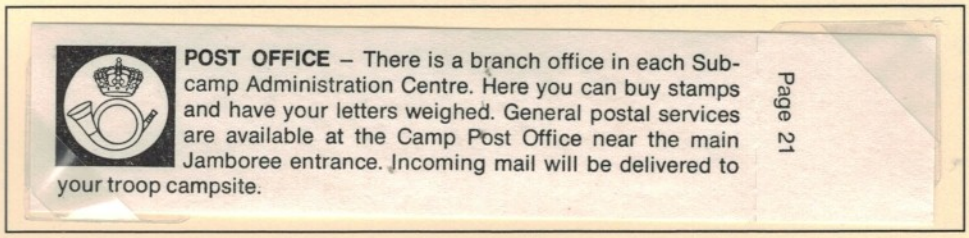


Map from the Jamboree Guide Book, with post office and mail collecting boxes indicated.

In addition to the main post office in the central Market Area, there were small sub-offices in each of the 10 sub-camps, the Senior Scout Camp and the National Headquarters area. The sub-offices sold stamps and postcards, weighed letters, maintained a posting box and handled sub-camp collections and deliveries. No actual postmarking was undertaken at the sub-camp offices.

There were postal collecting boxes at the main Jamboree office, in the 10 sub-camps, the Senior Scout Camp and at the National Headquarters, other boxes were situated in the Press Center and at the hospital, making a total of 15 in all. Mail posted in any of these boxes received the Nordjamb handstamp.

In Norway, many of the post offices were open from 09:00 hrs to 15:00 hrs with no break for lunch. On July 29, the opening day and the day of issue for the postal card, this early closing caught many campers by surprise. Therefore, the camp offices were reopened from 16:00 hrs to 18:00 hrs by kind co-operation of the Postmaster and his staff.
Thereafter the offices were open daily from 09:00-12:30 hrs and from 14:00-16:30 hrs except on Sunday Aug 4, when the main office only was open 14:00-16:30 hrs and then only for the sale of stamps and postcards.


POST OFFICE – There is a branch office in each Sub-camp Administration Centre. Here you can buy stamps and have your letters weighed. General postal services are available at the Camp Post Office near the main Jamboree entrance. Incoming mail will be delivered to your troop campsite.

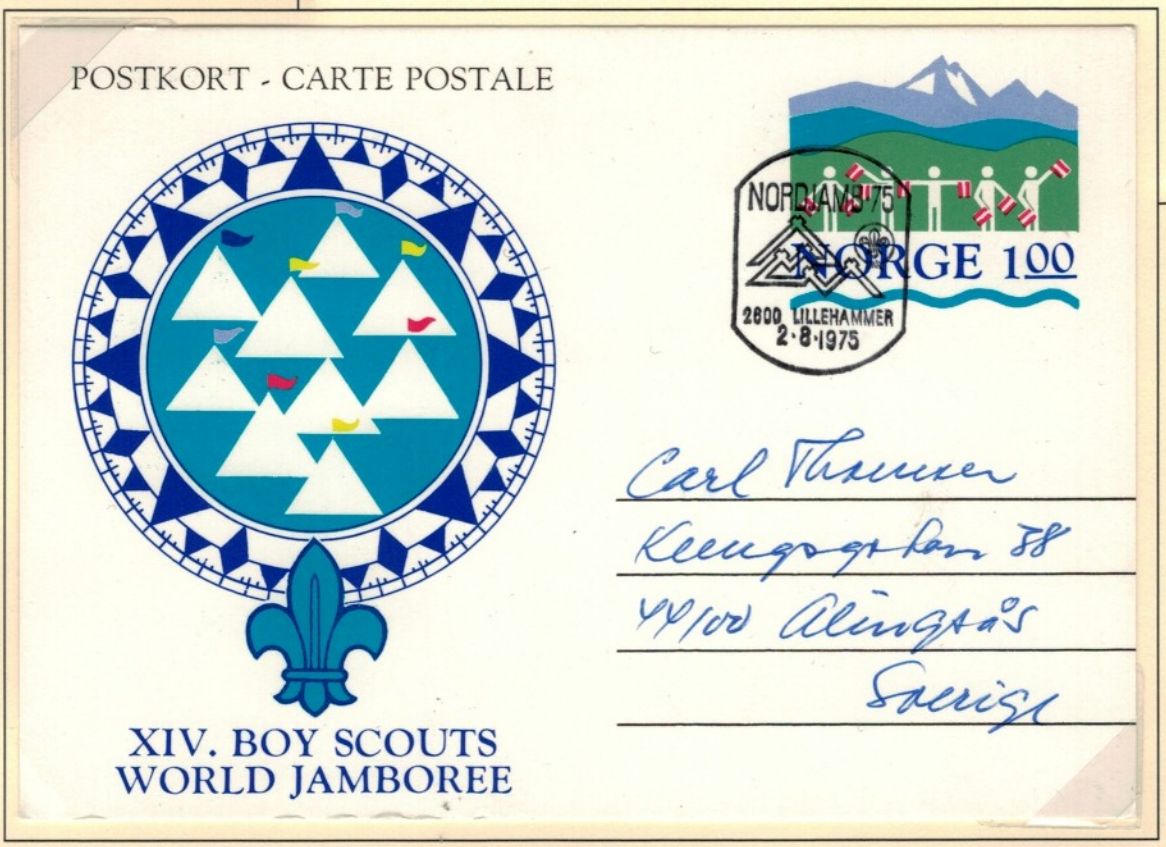
Page 21

Left: The Jamboree Post Office information was erroneously omitted from the Jamboree Guide Book.
A sticker to add to page 21 with the missing information was prepared and handed out to the participants.

The postmark was designed by Arne Johnson who also had designed the postage stamps. It shows the "Tent Village" which became the Jamboree emblem: five inter-twined tents and the World Scout badge. A fixed date rubber type of handstamp was used. A total of 16 Nordjamb handstamps were delivered to the Jamboree Main Office by Norway Post. 8 of these were subsequently transferred to Lillehammer post office to cope with postal requests for first day and other covers and also to service first day mail from the Jamboree which the Jamboree staff were unable to handle on the Tuesday evening. There were also a further 12, identical handstamps retained for use at the Philatelic Bureau in Oslo.

The postmark date was not adjustable, and the entire rubber segment was changed every day. Slight differences in day and month digits are observed. The postmark is invariably struck in black colour (one red strike is from non-postal use).

THE NORDJAMB POSTMARK SHOWS THE JAMBOREE EMBLEM



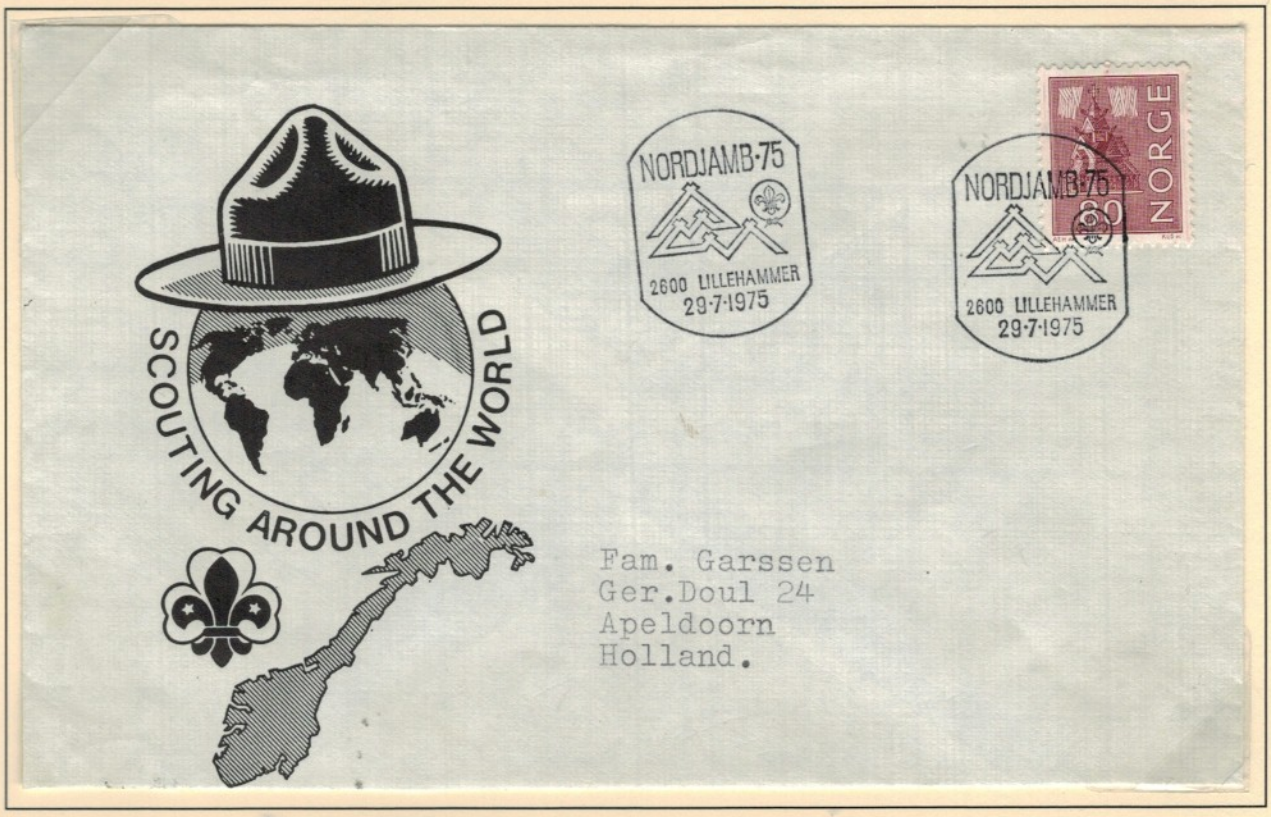
It is estimated that a total of 160,000 postcards and 35,000 letters were sent from Nordjamb-75.

By means of five interlocked stylized tents, the Jamboree emblem was intended to symbolize the close co-operation between the five host countries as well as the five continents, united through Scouting. Postal cards with the Nordjamb-75 postmark, **note differences in type and size of day and month**.

The rate during Nordjamb-75 for printed matter up to 20 grammes was 80 øre to any destination domestic and abroad.

PRINTED MATTER, DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN

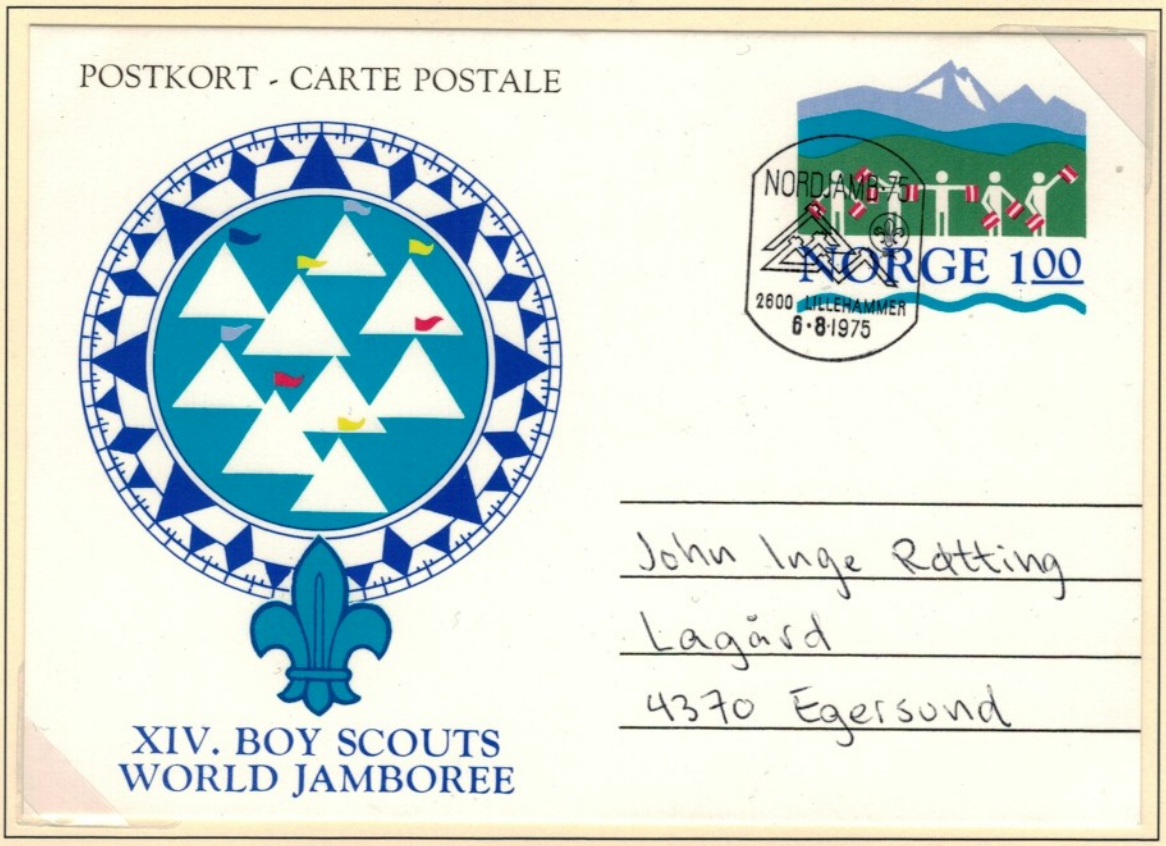
Domestic printed matter from Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975.
80 øre rate for printed matter to 20g domestic and to Nordic countries 1.3.1975-1.3.1981.



Printed matter to the Netherlands from Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975.
80 øre rate for foreign printed matter to 20g 1.3.1975-1.3.1977.

The rate during Nordjamb-75 for postcards was 100 øre to any destination domestic and abroad. The postal rates didn't differentiate between postcards and postal cards.

DOMESTIC POSTAL CARD



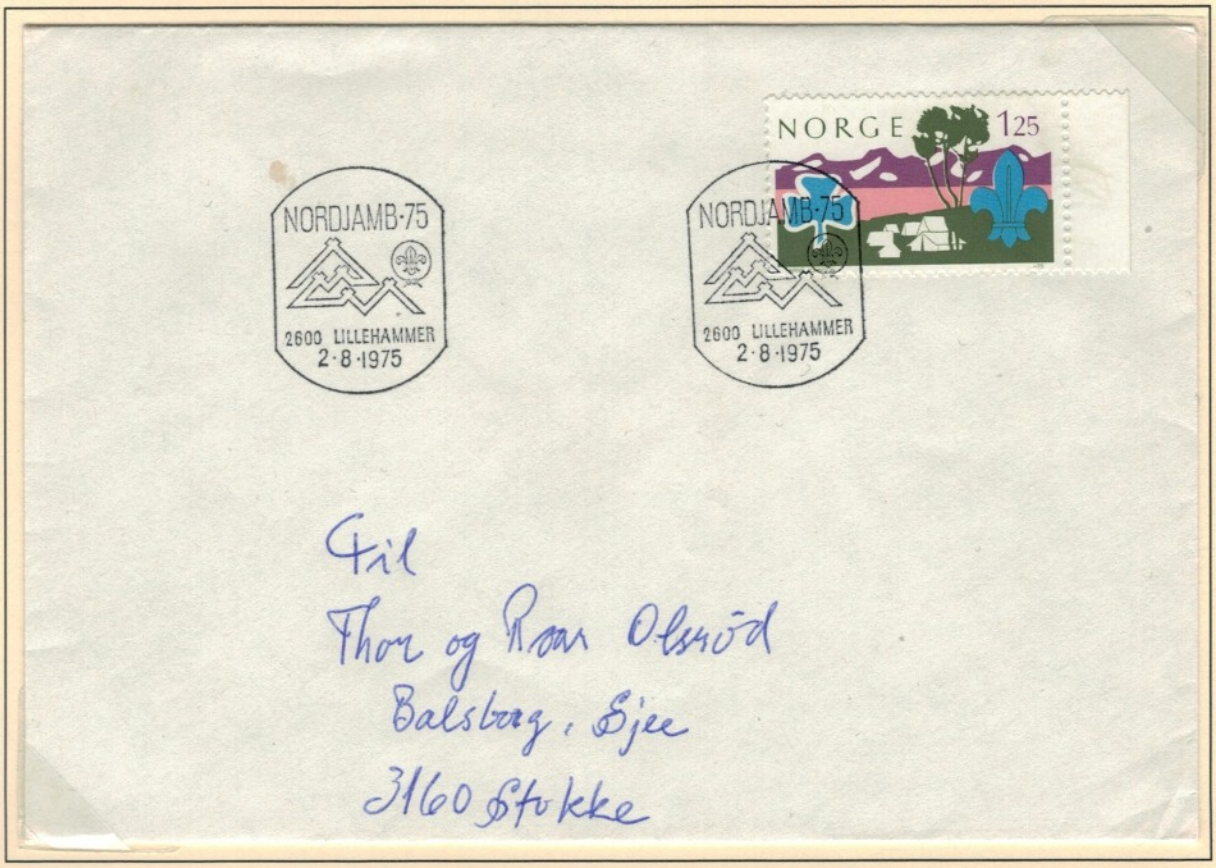
Domestic postal card from Nordjamb-75 6-8-1975.
100 øre for postcards domestic and to Nordic countries 1.3.1975-1.3.1981.

FOREIGN POSTCARD

Postcard to Belgium from Nordjamb-75 31-7-1975. 100 øre for foreign postcards 1.3.1975-1.3.1977.

The rate during Nordjamb-75 for letters up to 20 grammes was 125 øre domestic and to Nordic countries.

DOMESTIC LETTER, LETTER TO DENMARK



Domestic letter from Nordjamb-75 2-8-1975.
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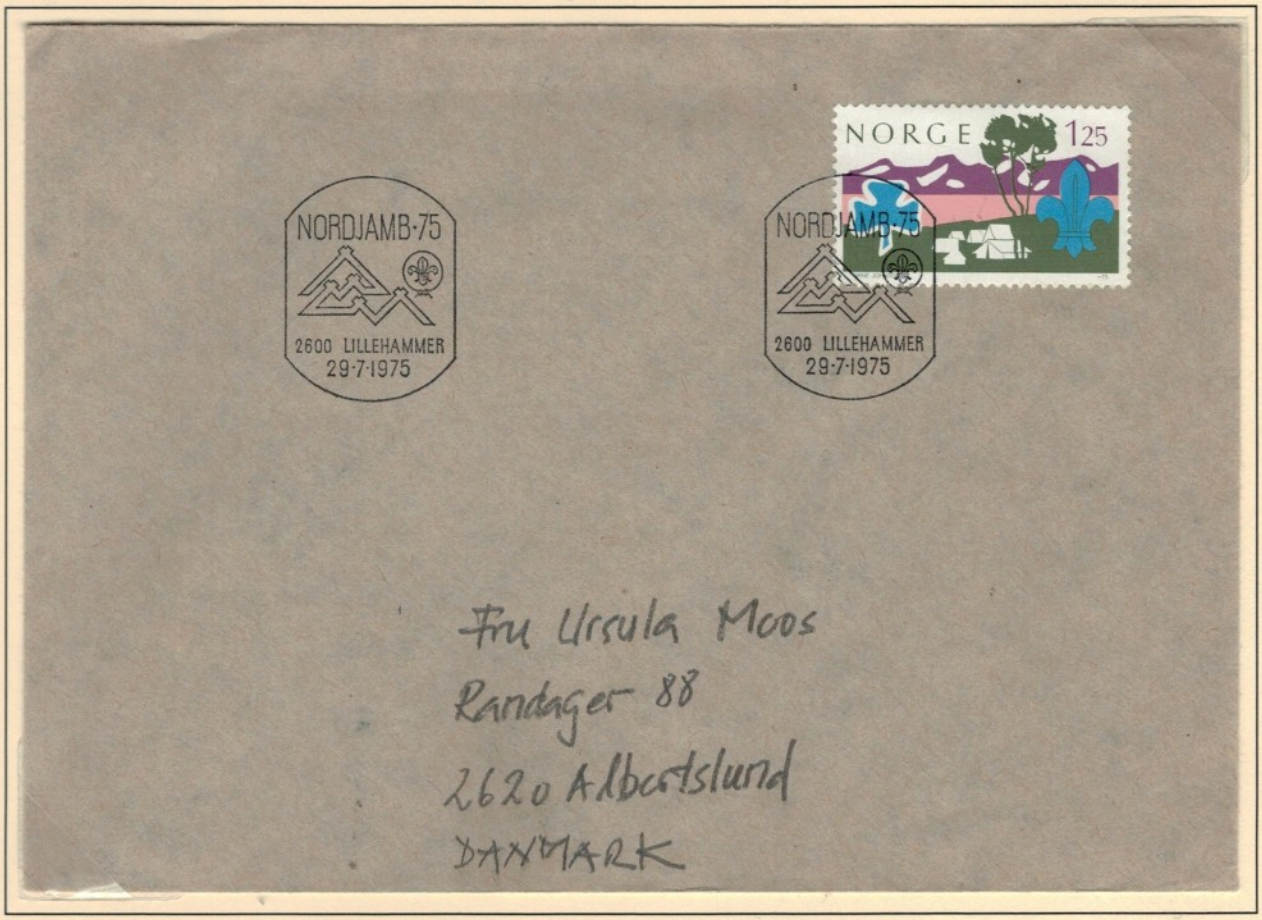


Letter to Denmark from Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975.

The rate during Nordjamb-75 for letters up to 20 grammes was 140 øre outside Nordic countries.

AEROGRAMME

Aerogramme to Belgium, same rate as for letters, from Nordjamb-75 6-8-1975.
140 øre for foreign letters (outside Norden) to 20g 1.3.1973-1.3.1977.

FOREIGN LETTER

Letter to the United States from Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975.
140 øre for foreign letters (outside Norden) to 20g 1.3.1973-1.3.1977.

3. The Jamboree Postal Arrangements

International Reply Coupon
Outgoing unfranked mail, postage due not charged

International reply coupons (IRCs) are used for prepayment of reply postage. IRCs are sold at the post offices and are valid as payment for one letter in the lowest weight category to a foreign country.

IRC SOLD AT NORDJAMB-75

UNION POSTALE UNIVERSELLE
COUPON-RÉPONSE INTERNATIONAL
C 22

Ce coupon est échangeable dans tous les pays de l'Union postale universelle contre un ou plusieurs timbres-poste représentant l'affranchissement minimal d'une lettre ordinaire, expédiée à l'étranger par voie de surface.

Empreinte de contrôle du pays d'origine (date facultative)	Prix de vente (indication facultative)	Timbre du bureau qui effectue l'échange
NORDJAMB·75 2600 LILLEHAMMER 2·8·1975	Nkr 2,00	

International reply coupon, Nordjamb-75 2-8-1975. Sold for NOK 2.

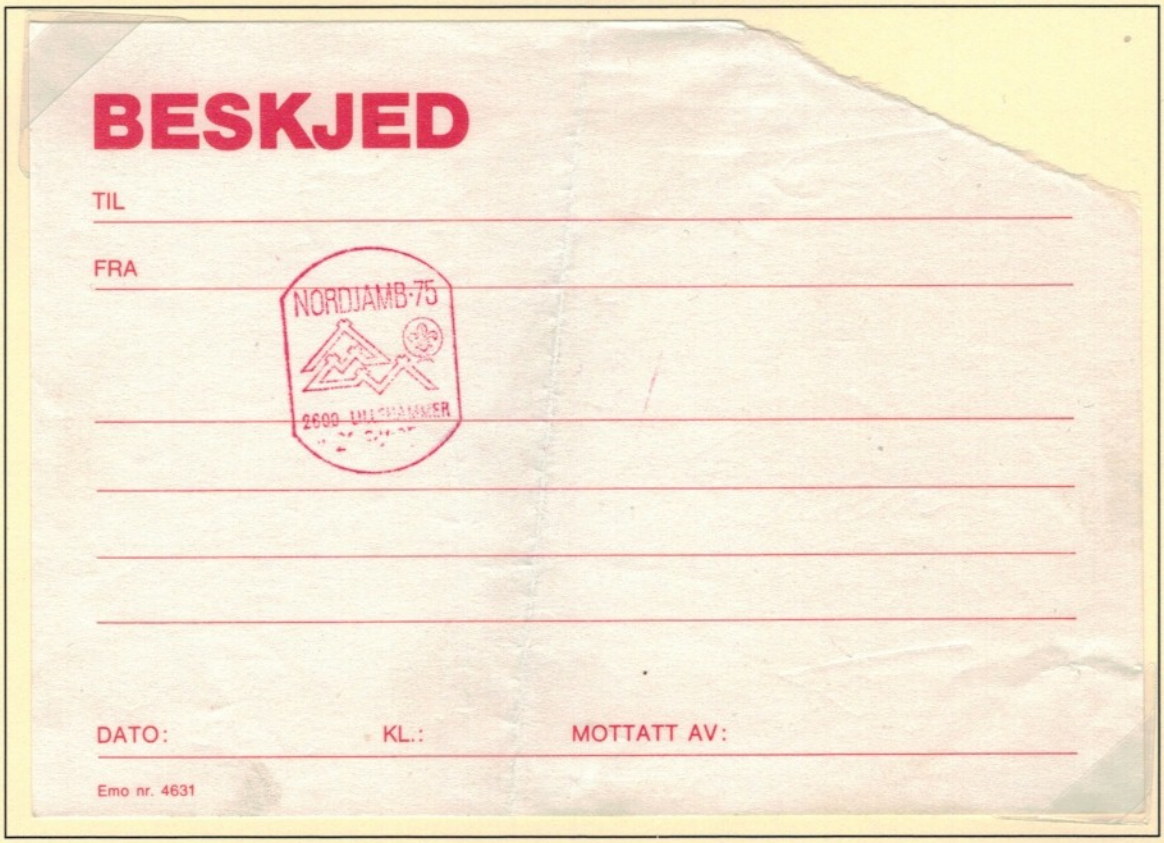
The vast majority of mail posted at Nordjamb-75 was correctly franked. The Jamboree Postmaster commented that this was quite remarkable since most of the campers were working in a strange currency. Postage due tax marks were not applied on outgoing underpaid mail. It seems quite clear that the Jamboree post office staff was hard pressed most of the time and simply turned a blind eye on such misdemeanours.

POSTAGE DUE NOT CHARGED

Unfranked letter to Belgium from Nordjamb-75 7-8-1975. No postage due markings.
Cut-out of seal used as cachet on the cover.

The postmark is invariably struck in black. One red mark has been recorded, impressed on unused non-descript stationery. It appears that in the Home Hospitality tent next door to the Jamboree Post Office a rubber handstamp of the official design was in use on July 29 which was the opening day. Thereafter the date was defaced or cut away. As the only colour ink pad in the tent was red that was the colour used. It is thus clear that the use of the red postmark is non-postal.

NON-POSTAL USE OF THE RED POSTMARK

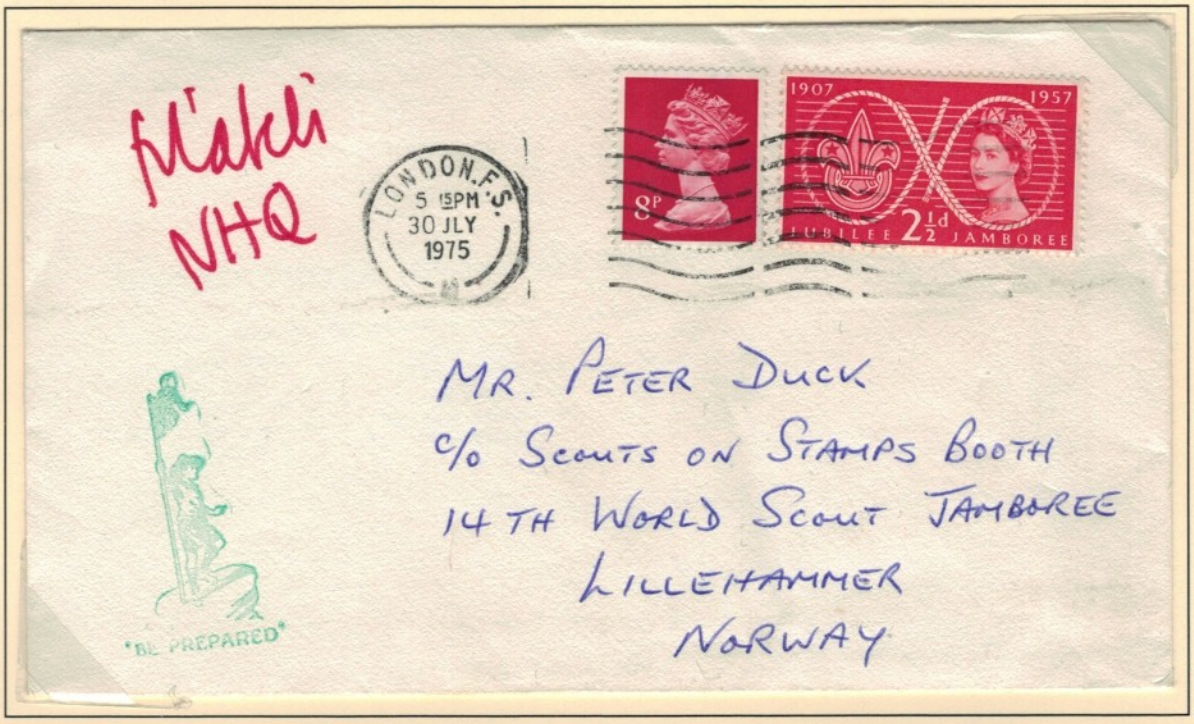


Red postmark on note-paper ("Beskjed" translates to "Message").
The date has been defaced or cut away.

The only recorded copy of the postmark struck in red.

Mail addressed to the camp was pre-sorted at the Lillehammer post office into 13 groups: National Headquarters Camp (NHQ), the Senior Scout Camp (SCC), the Camp Office, and the 10 sub-camps.

LETTER FROM ENGLAND



Letter from England to Nordjamb-75. 8p for foreign letters to 1 oz 17.3.1975-29.9.1975 (not counting the pre-decimalization stamp). Note marking NHQ in upper left corner, applied at Lillehammer post office.

Poste restante, also known as general delivery in North American English, is a service where the post office holds the mail until the recipient calls for it.

POSTE RESTANTE FROM GERMANY, NOT COLLECTED, RETURNED

Printed matter from Frankfurt, Germany 27.7.1975 (recorded, but not numbered by SSCC). 2S for foreign printed matter to 20g 1.7.1971-1.1.1976. Arrived Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975. Not collected and returned from Nordjamb-75 7-8-1975.

Postage due is the term used for mail sent with insufficient postage. A postage due stamp is a stamp added to an underpaid piece of mail to indicate the extra postage due. In 1975, the fee was twice the insufficient postage.

UNDERFRANKED FROM DENMARK

Insufficiently franked letter from Denmark, pen annotation "T 30" probably from Hirtshals, Denmark.
20 øre underfranked for the 90 øre for letters to Nordic countries to 20g 15.6.1974-1.4.1976.
Fee 30 øre paid by the addressee at Nordjamb-75 30-7-1975.

UNPAID FROM BELGIUM

Unfranked letter from Belgium, Norwegian tax marks, fee 280 øre paid by addressee and postmarked Nordjamb 5-8-1975.

3. The Jamboree Postal Arrangements

Entry Items

The Jamboree Post Office kept an overview of number of entry items, including incoming and outgoing:

Money orders
Postal bank transactions
Parcels
Registered mail
Value insured mail
Cash on delivery
Etc.

LIST OF ENTRY ITEMS

Postal Form Bl. XVII "List of Entry Items", summarizing the entire period for the Jamboree Post office July 29 to August 7, 1975.

A total of 704 payment transactions were made, and a total of 1369 mail items were handed in or delivered out.

The list is dated August 13 and signed by the postmaster Arne I. Olstad.

Original list, unique.

POSTVERKET **OPPGAVE** over bokførte sendinger m. v.

Postkontor/avdeling: Nordjamb 75
Dato: 29.7– Måned: 7-8 År: 1975

NORDJAMB·75 2600 LILLEHAMMER UK 7-8-1975

Månedsoppgaven for postkontorer (A) og postkontorer sendes Postdirektoratet, Budsjett- og statistikkontoret, og distriktssjefen seinest den 4. i den påfølgende måned. Postkontorer sender også oppgave til postsjefen.

		Antall
A. INN- OG UTBETALINGER	1. Innbetalte innenrikske postanvisninger	7
	2. Innbetalte postanvisninger til utlandet	4
	3. Utbetalte utenrikske postanvisninger	55
	4. Innbetalingskort	28
	5. Utbetalingskort/utbetalte innenrikske postanvisninger	41
	6. Innskudd i Postsparebanken	41
	7. Uttak i Postsparebanken, norske bøker	338
	8. " " , svenske bøker	168
	9. " " , finske bøker	5
	10. Utbetalte kontantkort	17
	11. Innløste feriebøker	—
	12. Innløste gjeldsbrev fra Statens lånekasse for utdanning	—
	Sum A	704
B. INNLEVERT OG MOTTATT (med og uten oppkrav)	1. Innleverte vanlige innenrikske pakker	2
	2. " innenrikske verdipakker	2
	3. " vanlige pakker til utlandet	178
	4. " verdipakker til utlandet	—
	5. " rek. sendinger	522
	6. " verdibrev	9
	7. Mottatte rek. sendinger og verdibrev	509 ~~508~~
	8. " vanlige innenrikske pakker	43 ~~39~~
	9. " vanlige utenrikske pakker	95
	10. " innenrikske verdipakker	—
	11. " utenrikske verdipakker	9
	Sum B	1369
C. MOTTATTE POSTINKASSASJONER	Returnerte —	—
D. MOTTATTE VANLIGE BREVPOSTOPPKRAV	0	2
E. RENTEKORT		
F. TRANSITT-SENDINGER	1. Rek. sendinger	
	2. Verdisendinger	
	3. Tolltransittpakker (også verdi)	
	Sum F	
	Sum A–F	2075
G. MOTTATTE POSTOPPKRAV (medregnet under B 7–11)	1. Rek. sendinger og verdibrev — Returnerte 0	1
	2. Pakker — 1	4
	Sum G	5

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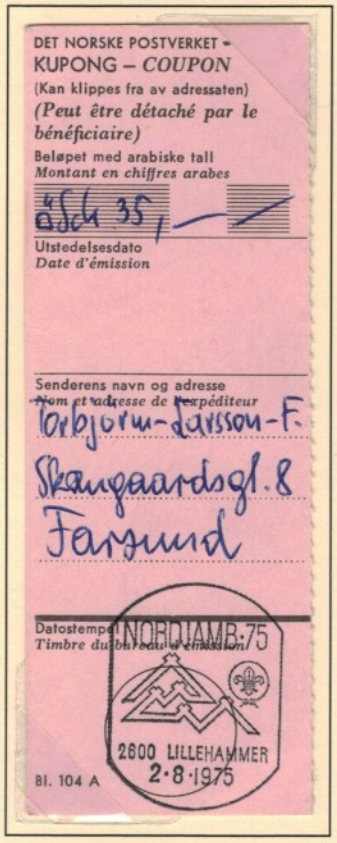
Dato 13/8 75

Underskrift: A. Olstad.

Bl. XVII

Standard Norwegian post office forms were used at the Jamboree post office for transmission of money.

MONEY ORDER TO AUSTRIA



Money order no. 0001 for ATS 35 to Austria from Nordjamb-75 2-8-1975. Left: Stub/coupon for the recipient. Right: Stub/coupon retained by the sender.
250 øre fee for amounts to 100 kr 1.3.1975-1.3.1977.
Only four foreign money orders were sent from Nordjamb-75 – not many Scouts in camp have excess money to send home!

MONEY ORDER TO AUSTRIA

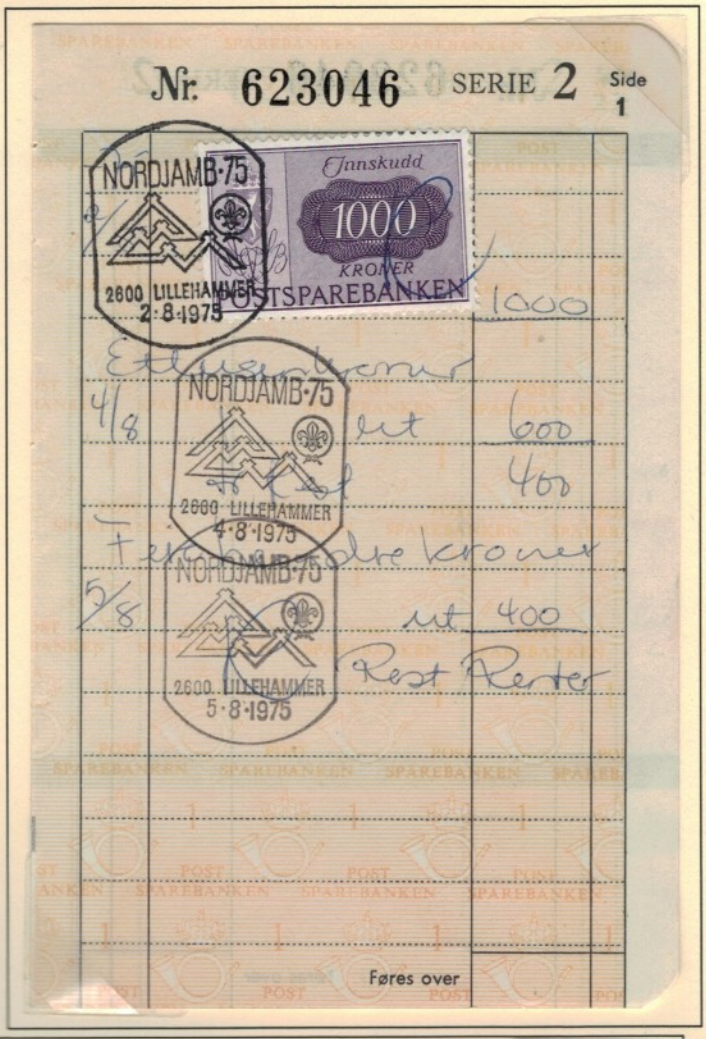
DOMESTIC MONEY ORDER

Complete domestic money order form, no. 5003 from Nordjamb-75 2-8-1975 to Farsund, and not collected.
200 øre fee for amounts to 50 kr 1.3.1975-1.3.1981. **Only seven domestic money orders were sent from Nordjamb-75.**
The left stub was for the recipient, the central part was to be kept by the post office, and the right stub was for the sender.

Post Office Savings Bank

The Norwegian Post Office Savings Bank (Norges Postsparebank) was founded 1948 after a major political battle, with the goal to encourage savings. The bank offered its services through all Norwegian post offices.

41 deposits were made at Nordjamb-75, and there were 338 withdrawals from Norwegian accounts.

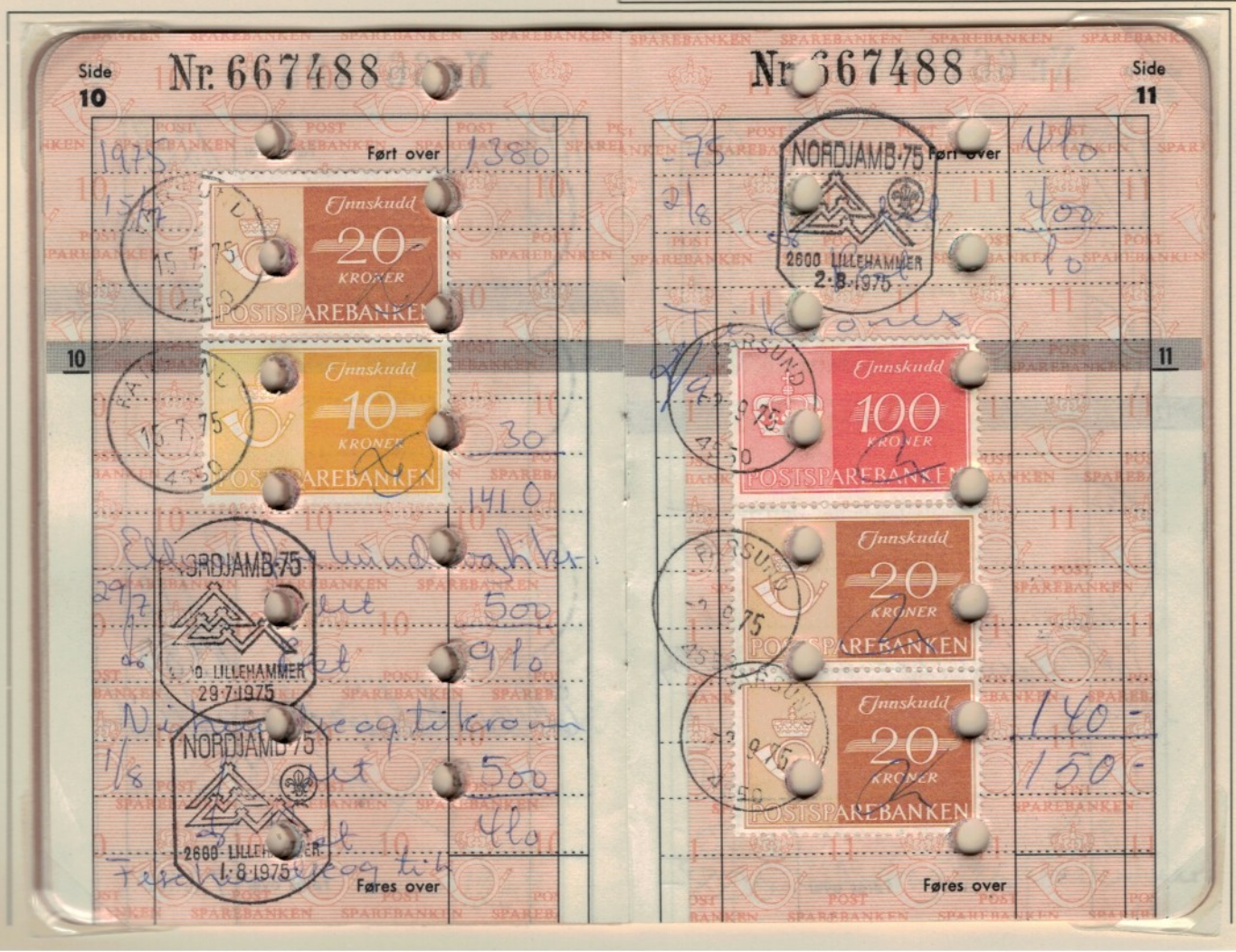


DEPOSIT AND WITHDRAWALS AT NORDJAMB-75

Post Office Savings Bank, page from deposit book. The account was opened by a Jamboree attendee and used only at Nordjamb-75. One deposit on August 2, and withdrawals August 4 and August 5.

WITHDRAWALS AT NORDJAMB-75

Post Office Savings Bank, complete deposit book belonging to camp attendee, covering the years 1974-1977. Three withdrawals at Nordjamb-75, on July 29, August 1 and August 2.
The punctures were made by the bank when a new deposit book was issued.



178 parcels to abroad were were sent from Nordjamb-75. Numbers to each country were not recorded.

PARCEL TO THE UNITED STATES

For parcels to the United States, a buff coloured, tie-on label (form Bl.181) had to be completed and affixed to the parcel, stating the contents and value and instructions for disposition of the parcel if not deliverable as addressed.

The twin-language Norwegian and English label and its rouletted stub were poststamped with the Nordjamb postmark, the stub being detached and retained by the exchange post office.

Right: stub / coupon for parcel to the United States, Nordjamb-75 2-8-1975.

PARCEL TO AUSTRIA

Piece of parcel wrapper to Austria, sent from Nordjamb-75. Lillehammer rouletted parcel label no. 00035.
It seems that the Nordjamb-75 post office used a set of regular parcel labels from the Lillehammer post office.

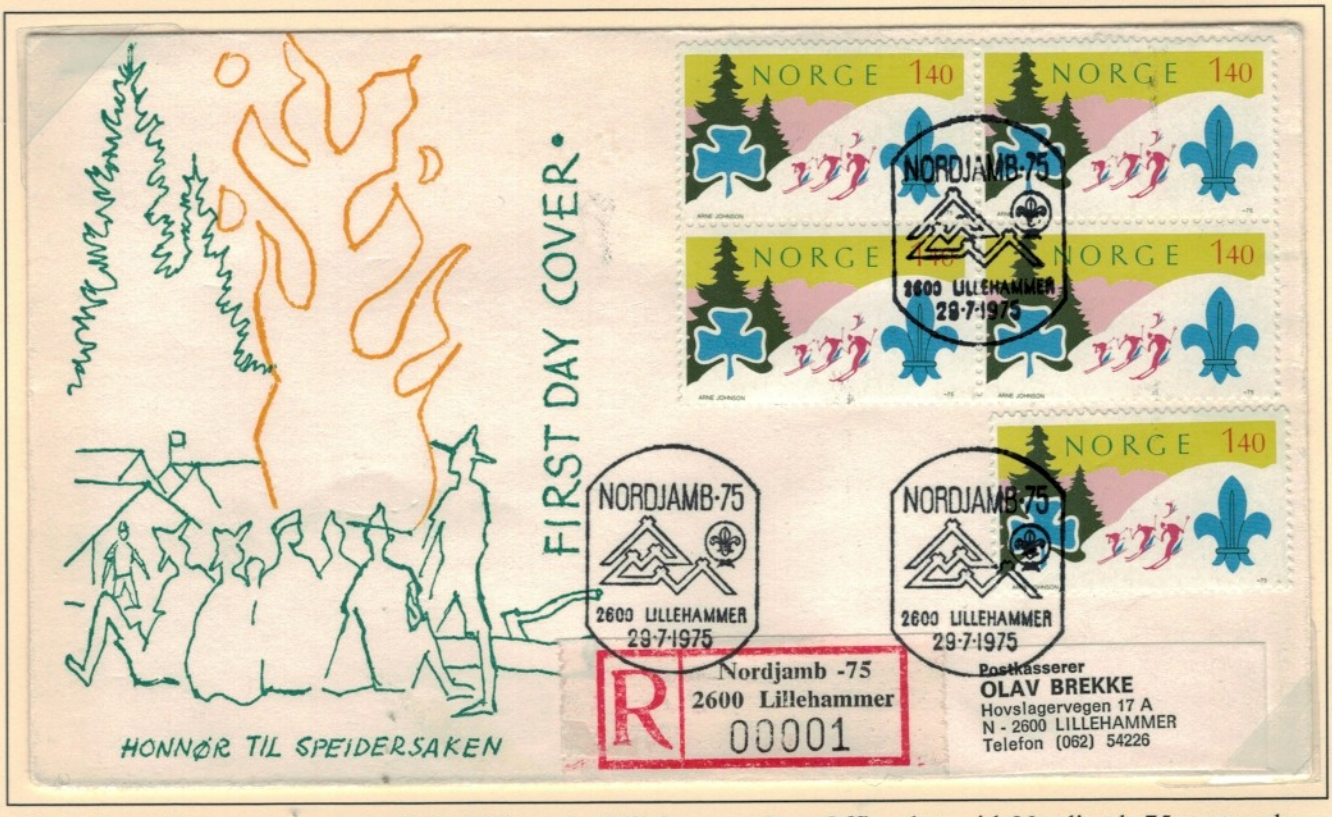
3. The Jamboree Postal Arrangements — Registered Mail – Oslo and Lillehammer

The registration fee during Nordjamb-75 was 450 øre to any destination, in addition to regular postage. A special registration label was used at Nordjamb-75, and the labels were used in numerical order. A total of 522 registered items got the special Nordjamb-75 registration labels. In addition, registered covers could be ordered from Norway Post Philatelic Services, Oslo.

NORWAY POST PHILATELIC SERVICES IN OSLO

Uprated unaddressed postal card (SSCC-P1), Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975, and registration label from Oslo PFS. It is not known how many items with Nordjamb-75 postmark were registered from Oslo PFS.

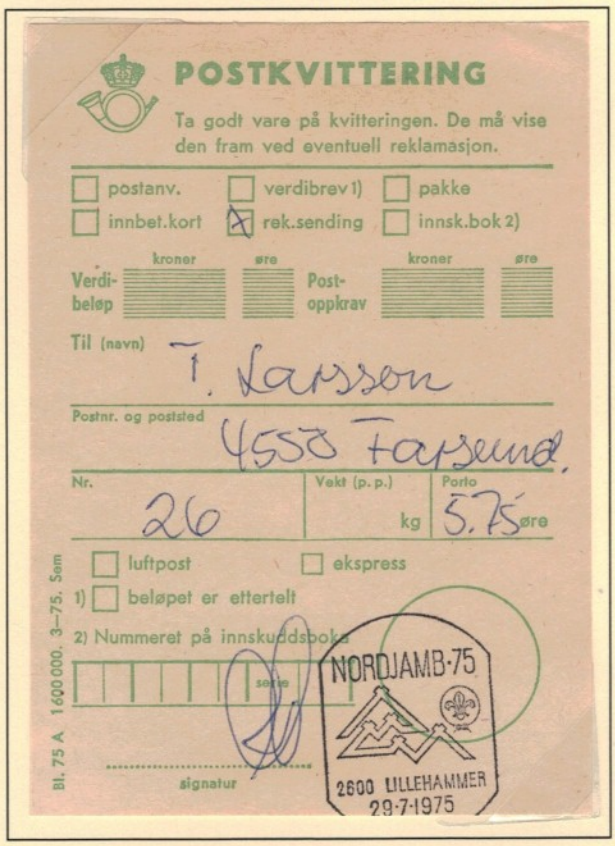
LILLEHAMMER POST OFFICE



The first 14 items were sent on July 29 from the Lillehammer Post Office, but with Nordjamb-75 postmarks and registration labels. FDC-envelope (SCC-E54), Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975, **registration label no. 00001**.

The registration labels were supplied as a coil and are perforated vertically. They were supposedly used in numerical order, and reports from the Jamboree state that numbers 00015 to 00285 were used on July 29, the Jamboree opening day.

CERTIFICATE OF POSTING


POSTKVITTERING

Ta godt vare på kvitteringen. De må vise den fram ved eventuell reklamasjon.

☐ postanv. ☐ verdibrev 1) ☐ pakke
☐ innbet.kort ☒ rek.sending ☐ innsk.bok 2)

Verdi-beløp kroner øre Post-oppkrav kroner øre

Til (navn) T. Larsson

Postnr. og poststed 4550 Farsund.

Nr. 26 Vekt (p. p.) kg Porto 5.75 øre

☐ luftpost ☐ ekspress

1) ☐ beløpet er ettertelt

2) Nummeret på innskuddsbok

signatur

NORDJAMB·75 2600 LILLEHAMMER 29·7·1975

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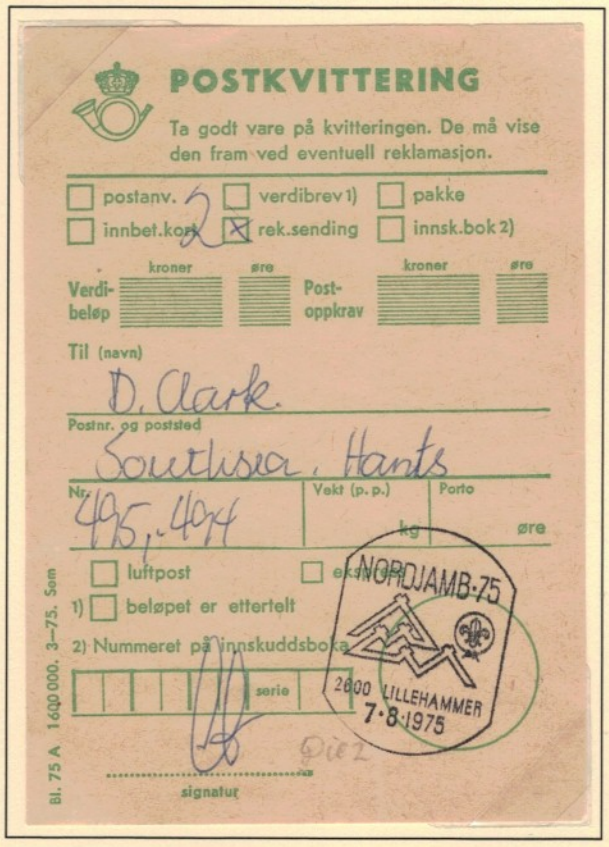
Certificate of posting registered item no. 26. Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975.

JULY 29, DOMESTIC REGISTERED LETTER

Domestic registered letter (SSCC-E53), Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975, registration label no. 00026.

Reports from the Jamboree state that numbers 00491-00522 were mailed on August 7. It is also stated that numbers 00491-00499 erroneously have postmark date August 6.

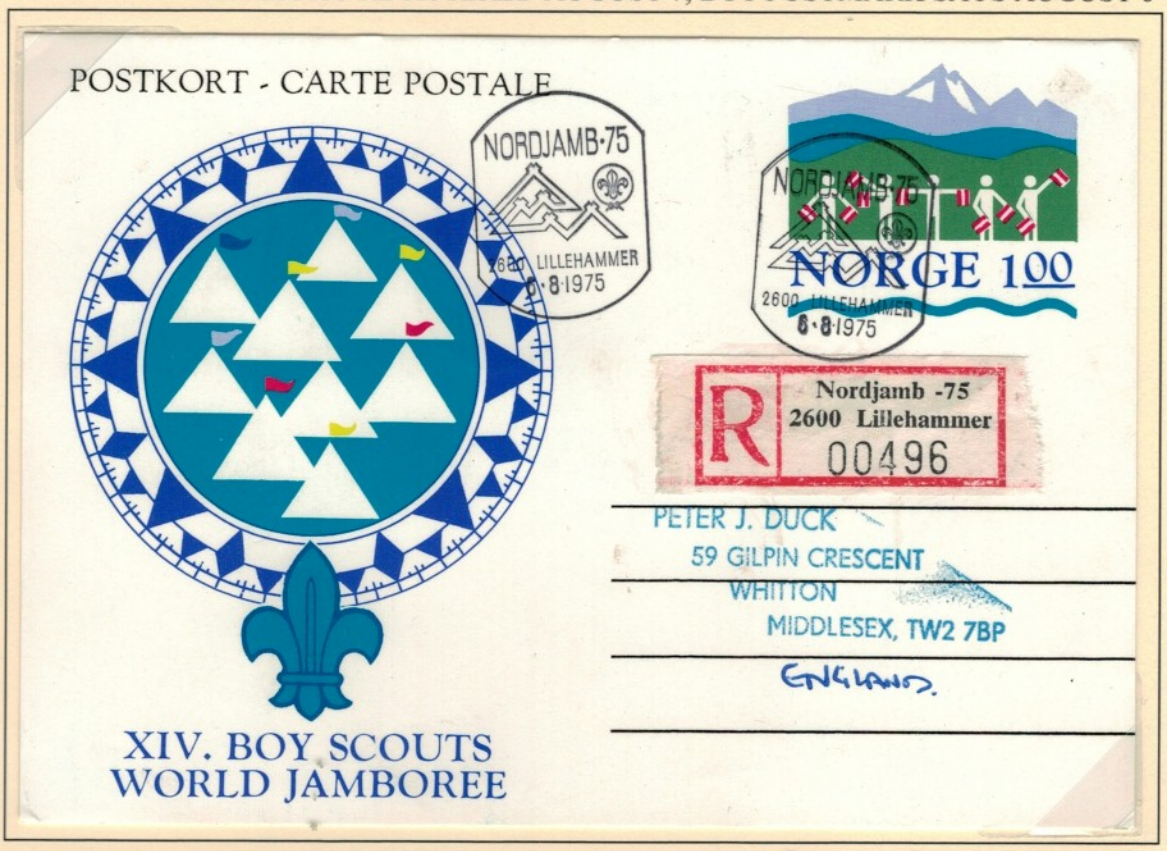
REGISTERED AUGUST 7



Receipt for items 494 and 495, Nordjamb-75 7-8-1975.

It was reported that numbers 491-499 were erroneously dated August 6, however the receipts had the correct date August 7.

DOMESTIC REGISTERED AUGUST 7, BUT POSTMARK SAYS AUGUST 6



Postal card (SSCC-P1) registered from Nordjamb-75 7-8-1975, with incorrect postmark date 6-8-1975, registration no. 00496. Additional 450 øre (registration fee) on reverse.

FOREIGN VALUE INSURED AUGUST 6, OFFICIAL SEALING

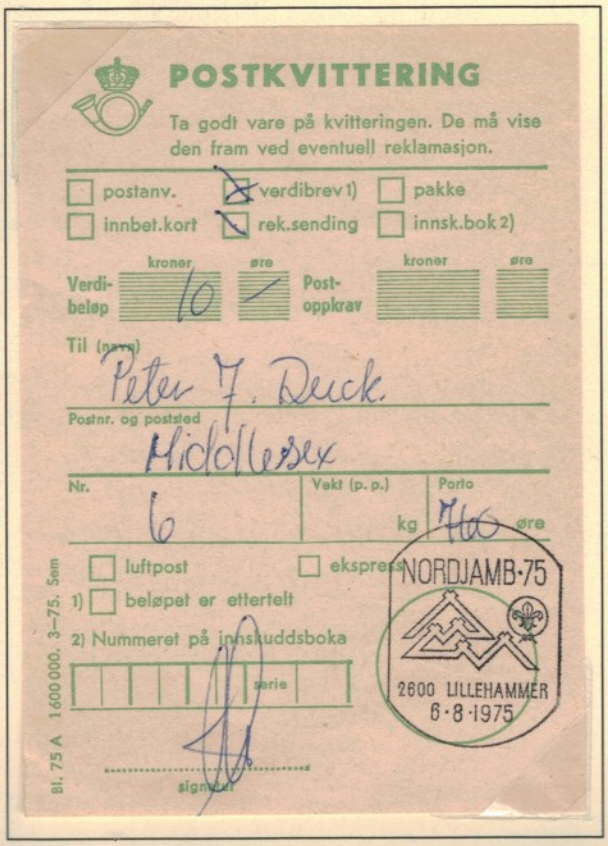
Value insured letter no. 00006 to England (NOK 10) from Nordjamb-75 6-8-1975. The Jamboree post office used blank/neutral value insured labels. Postage 250 øre for letters 20-50g, 450 øre registration fee, 60 øre insurance fee for amounts up to NOK 1000, total 760 øre 1.3.1975-1.3.1977 (5 øre overfranked). Official wax seals from Lillehammer Post Office on reverse. 25 øre sealing fee has not been charged and should have been paid with postage stamps on reverse.

Only nine value insured letters were sent from Nordjamb-75.

Numbers 4-7 are known to have been sent on August 6 and no. 9 on August 7.

RECEIPT VALUE INSURED AUGUST 6

Receipt for sending value insured letter no. 00006 (previous page) Nordjamb-75 6-8-1975.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☐ postanv. ☒ verdibrev 1) ☐ pakke
☐ innbet.kort ☒ rek.sending ☐ innsk.bok 2)

Verdi-beløp: kroner 10 øre / Post-oppkrav: kroner øre

Til (navn): Peter J. Deuck

Postnr. og poststed: Middlesex

Nr.: 6 Vekt (p. p.): kg Porto: 7.60 øre

☐ luftpost ☐ ekspress

1) ☐ beløpet er ettertelt

2) Nummeret på innskuddsboka

serie

signatur

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NORDJAMB-75 2600 LILLEHAMMER 6·8·1975

DOMESTIC VALUE INSURED AUGUST 7, SENDER'S SEALING

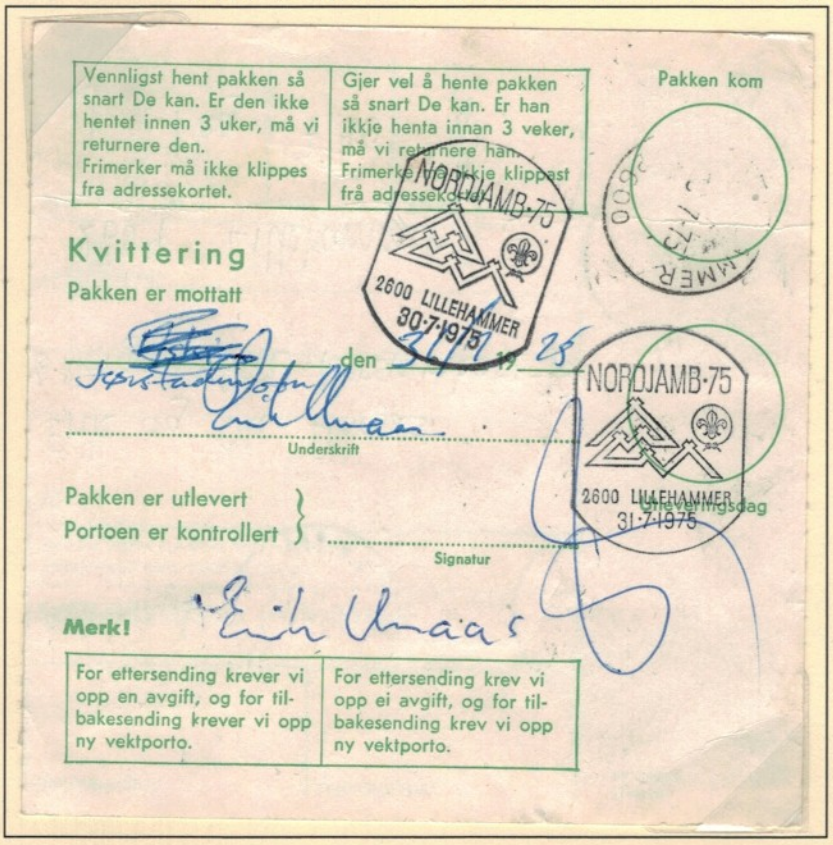
Domestic value insured letter (NOK 1000) from Nordjamb-75 7-8-1975, blank/neutral value insured label no. 00009 (the last value insured letter sent). On reverse sender's private wax seals. 125 øre for letters to 20g, 450 øre registration fee, 60 øre insurance fee for amounts up to NOK 1000, total 635 øre 1.3.1975-1.3.1977 (5 øre overfranked).

43 domestic parcels were received at Nordjamb-75.

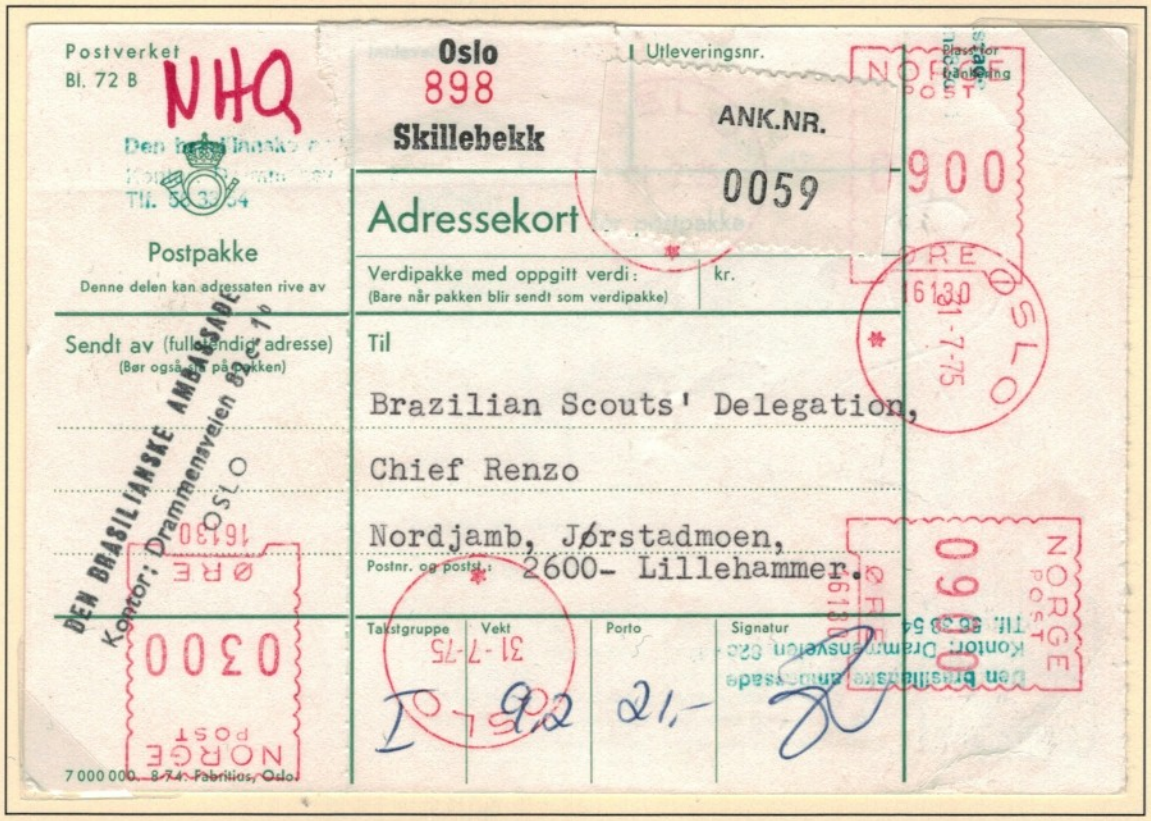
PARCEL FROM ASKIM TO NORWEGIAN SCOUT

Despatch note for 1 kg parcel from Askim 29-7-75 to two Norwegian Scouts in subcamp 6 Skåne. 7,50 kr postage for domestic parcels to 1 kg 1.3.1975-1.3.1980.

Arrival label no. 0022 (front), arrived Nordjamb-75 30-7-1975 and collected by addressee the next day 31-7-1975.

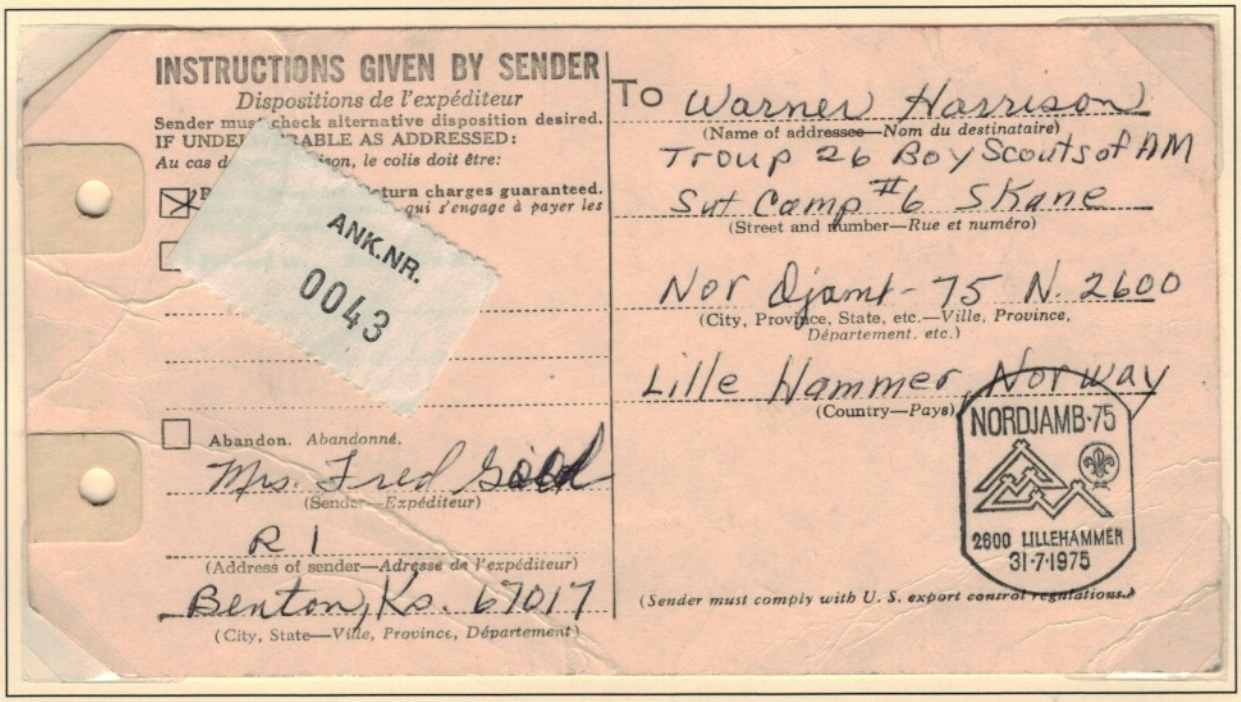


PARCEL FROM OSLO TO BRAZILIAN SCOUTER



Despatch note for 9.2 kg parcel from the Brazilian Embassy in Oslo, from Oslo 31-7-75 to Chief Renzo of the Brazilian Delegation. 21 kr postage for domestic parcels 7-10 kg 1.4.1974-1.3.1980. NHQ (National Headquarters Area) is the sorting code from Lillehammer P.O. Arrival label no. 0059, arrived Nordjamb-75 1-8-1975 and collected by addressee 2-8-1975. It seems that the arrival labels were used in numerical order combined for domestic and foreign parcels.

95 ordinary parcels were received from abroad at Nordjamb-75.



INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN BY SENDER
Dispositions de l'expéditeur
Sender must check alternative disposition desired.
IF UNDELIVERABLE AS ADDRESSED:
Au cas de non-livraison, le colis doit être:
☒ Returned, return charges guaranteed. *qui s'engage à payer les*
☐
☐ Abandon. *Abandonné.*
Mrs. Fred Gold
(Sender—*Expéditeur*)
R 1
(Address of sender—*Adresse de l'expéditeur*)
Benton, Ks. 67017
(City, State—*Ville, Province, Département*)

ANK.NR. 0043

To Warner Harrison
(Name of addressee—*Nom du destinataire*)
Troup 26 Boy Scouts of AM
Sut Camp #6 Skane
(Street and number—*Rue et numéro*)
Nor Djamt-75 N. 2600
(City, Province, State, etc.—*Ville, Province, Département, etc.*)
Lille Hammer Norway
(Country—*Pays*)

NORDJAMB-75
2600 LILLEHAMMER
31-7-1975

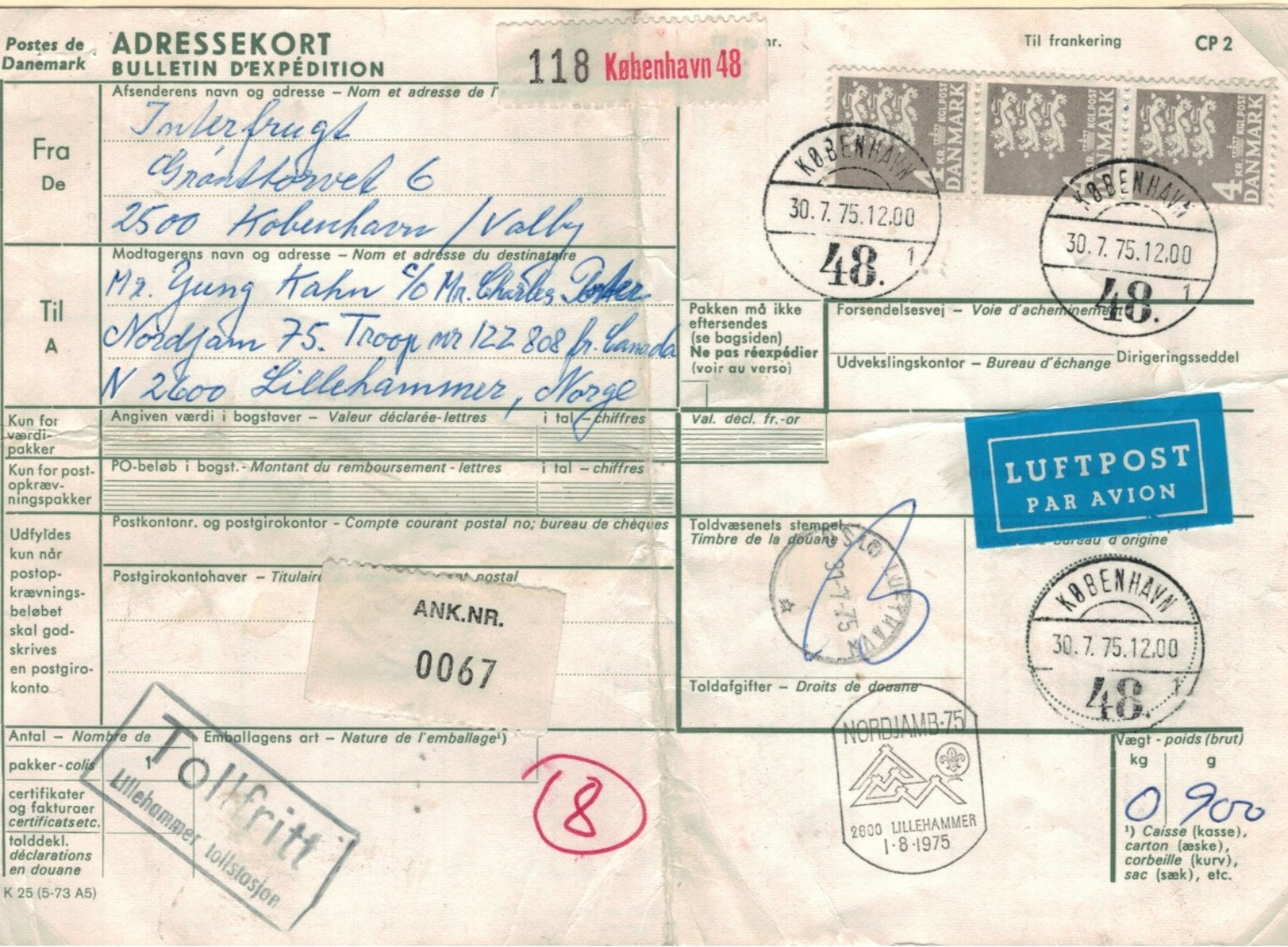
(*Sender must comply with U. S. export control regulations.*)

PARCEL FROM THE U.S.A.

Parcel despatch note from Benton, KS, JUL 26 1975 to American Scout in subcamp 6 Skåne, arrival label no. 0043, arrived Nordjamb-75 31-7-1975 and collected by addressee same day. The parcel contents were vitamins.

Below: Despatch note for air mail parcel from Copenhagen 30.7.75 to a French-Canadian Scout, probably from the Home Hospitality family that this Scout had stayed with prior to the Jamboree, containing items left behind. Transit Oslo Airport 31-7-75, squared duty free customs mark from Lillehammer customs station. Arrival label no. 0067, arrived Nordjamb-75 1-8-1975. The subcamp is not specified in the address, and red marker circled "8" is postal sorting denoting subcamp 8 Dovre.

PARCEL FROM DENMARK



Postes de Danemark
ADRESSEKORT
BULLETIN D'EXPÉDITION

118 København 48

Til frankering CP 2

Fra / De: Interfrugt, Gråstenvej 6, 2500 Kobenhavn / Valby

Til / A: Mr. Gung Kahn c/o Mr. Charles Porter, Nordjam 75. Troop nr 122 808 fr. Canada, N 2600 Lillehammer, Norge

Pakken må ikke eftersendes (se bagsiden) Ne pas réexpédier (voir au verso)

Forsendelsesvej – *Voie d'acheminement*

Udvekslingskontor – *Bureau d'échange*

Dirigeringsseddel

Kun for værdipakker: Angiven værdi i bogstaver – *Valeur déclarée-lettres* i tal – *chiffres*

Val. décl. fr.-or

Kun for postopkrævningspakker: PO-beløb i bogst. – *Montant du remboursement - lettres* i tal – *chiffres*

Udfyldes kun når postopkrævningsbeløbet skal godskrives en postgirokonto: Postkontonr. og postgirokontor – *Compte courant postal no; bureau de chèques*

Postgirokontohaver – *Titulaire du compte postal*

Toldvæsenets stempel – *Timbre de la douane*

Bureau d'origine

Toldafgifter – *Droits de douane*

Antal – *Nombre de* pakker-*colis*: 1

Emballagens art – *Nature de l'emballage*[1])

certifikater og fakturaer *certificats etc.*

tolddekl. *déclarations en douane*

Vægt - *poids (brut)* kg g: 0 900

[1]) *Caisse* (kasse), *carton* (æske), *corbeille* (kurv), *sac* (sæk), etc.

K 25 (5-73 A5)

LUFTPOST PAR AVION

KØBENHAVN 30.7.75.12.00 48.

ANK.NR. 0067

Tollfritt Lillehammer tollstasjon

NORDJAMB-75 2600 LILLEHAMMER 1-8-1975

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Only 9 value insured parcels were received from abroad at Nordjamb-75.

PARCEL FROM SWITZERLAND, VALUE 30 FR.

Schweiz
Suisse
Svizzera

Platz für die Aufgabenumm
Emplacement réservé au n
Posto riservato per il n°

512 3053 Münchenbuchsee

Begleitadresse
Bulletin d'expédition
Bolle

Frankatur
Affranchissement 10 20

CP 2

Absender / Expéditeur / Mittente
Fam. W. Gasser
Lindenweg 17
3053 Münchenbuchsee

Empfänger / Destinataire / Destinatario Reto Gasser
Trupp 01/63 Schw. Pfadf. bund
Unterlager 06 Skåne Norjamb 75
N-2600 Lillehammer Norwegen

Nicht nachsenden (siehe Rückseite). Ne pas réexpédier (voir au verso). Non rispedire (vedasi a tergo).

4017 Basel 17

Auswechslungsamt / Bureau d'échange / Ufficio di scambio

NORDJAMB-75
2600 LILLEHAMMER
5·8·1975

Wertangabe in Worten / en lettres / in lettere: dreissig
Valeur déclarée
Valore dichiarato Ziffern / chiffres / cifre: Fr. 30.–

Goldfranken / Francs-or / Franchi oro

Nachnahmebetrag in Worten / en lettres / in lettere
Montant du remboursement
Importo del rimborso Ziffern / chiffres / cifre

Postcheckkontonummer und Postcheckamt / Numéro du compte courant postal et bureau de chèques / Numero del conto corrente postale e ufficio dei conti correnti

Inhaber der Postcheckrechnung
Titulaire du compte courant postal
Titolare del conto corrente postale

Zoll... douane / Bollo della dogana

Stempel der Aufgabestelle / Timbre du bureau d'origine / Bollo dell'ufficio d'origine

ANK.NR. 0107

Zollgebühren / Dro... ritti doganali

MÜNCHENBUCHSEE 3053 30.-7.75-11 3b

OSLO 1 4-8-75 POSTALVX TRANSIT

Tollfritt
Lillehammer tollstasjon

	Anzahl / Nombre de / Numero di	Art der Verpackung / Nature de l'emballage / Natura dell'imballaggio
Pakete / Colis / Pacchi	1	1) Paket
Zeugnisse u. Rechn. / Certificats et factures / Certificati e fatture		
Zolldeklarationen / Déclarations en douane / Dichiarazioni doganali		

1) Kiste, Paket, Schachtel usw. / Caisse, paquet, carton, etc. / Cassa, pacco, scatola, ecc.

Gewicht (brutto) / Poids (brut) / Peso (lordo): kg 4 g 600

PTT 318.40 IX.70 A5 K180

Despatch note for 4.6 kg value insured parcel
from Münchenbuchsee 30-7-75
to Swiss Scout in Subcamp 6 Skåne.

Arrival label no. 0107, arrived Nordjamb-75 5-8-1975
and collected by addressee 6-8-1975 (reverse).

4. The Philatelic Arrangements

Overview

Philatelic traces can be found from the Jamboree Committee and Jamboree staff by way of covers, cachets etc. The Jamboree Post Office provided various free handouts, and had, in addition to the regular post office services, a philatelic sales bureau. Camp shops had postcards etc. for sale.

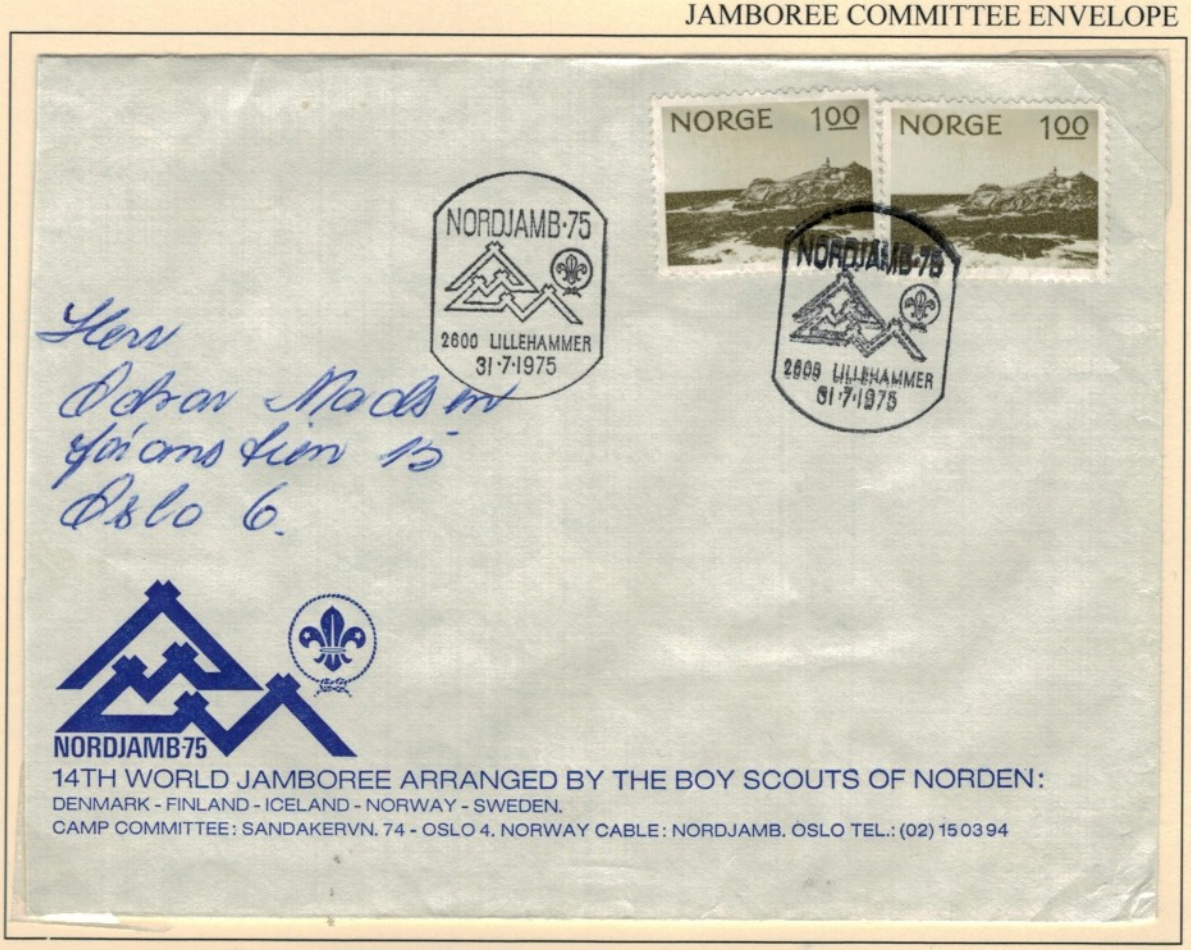
In the central Market Area adjacent to the Jamboree Post Office, a focus for philatelic interest was provided in the form of a marquee or large tent entitled Scout "U" Bank. The Scout "U" Bank gathers stamps of the world from donors for resale to collectors with all profits going to aid disabled Scouts.

The Scout "U" Bank tent housed a series of booths – all but one having philatelic interest:

- The Scout "U" Bank. Every Jamboree attendee was requested to bring 30 used stamps with him as a donation to the stamp bank. This booth was extremely well patronized because the material on offer had universal appeal
- Norwegian Scout Stamp Collectors; offering Norwegian FDC's, the Jamboree card cancelled on the day of issue, the Norwegian Scout HQ meter slogan and the two Austrian meter slogans
- The Swedish Scout Union, taking orders for the forthcoming issue of Swedish Scout stamps including FDCs, and Swedish Scout meter slogans
- The Danish Scout Stamp Collectors Club; offering Danish and Greenland Scout covers
- The Benelux Scout Stamp Club; offering Benelux Scout covers together with the Swiss meter slogan
- SSCC, the Scout Stamp Collectors Club (U.K.); offering Scout stamps & Scout covers of the world
- SOSSI, Scouts On Stamps Society International (U.S.A.); offering Scout covers
- The Badger's Club offered badges and patches not for sale but rather for trading; one patch in the pot for every one extracted

Finally, there are covers which private individuals have mailed from Nordjamb-75.

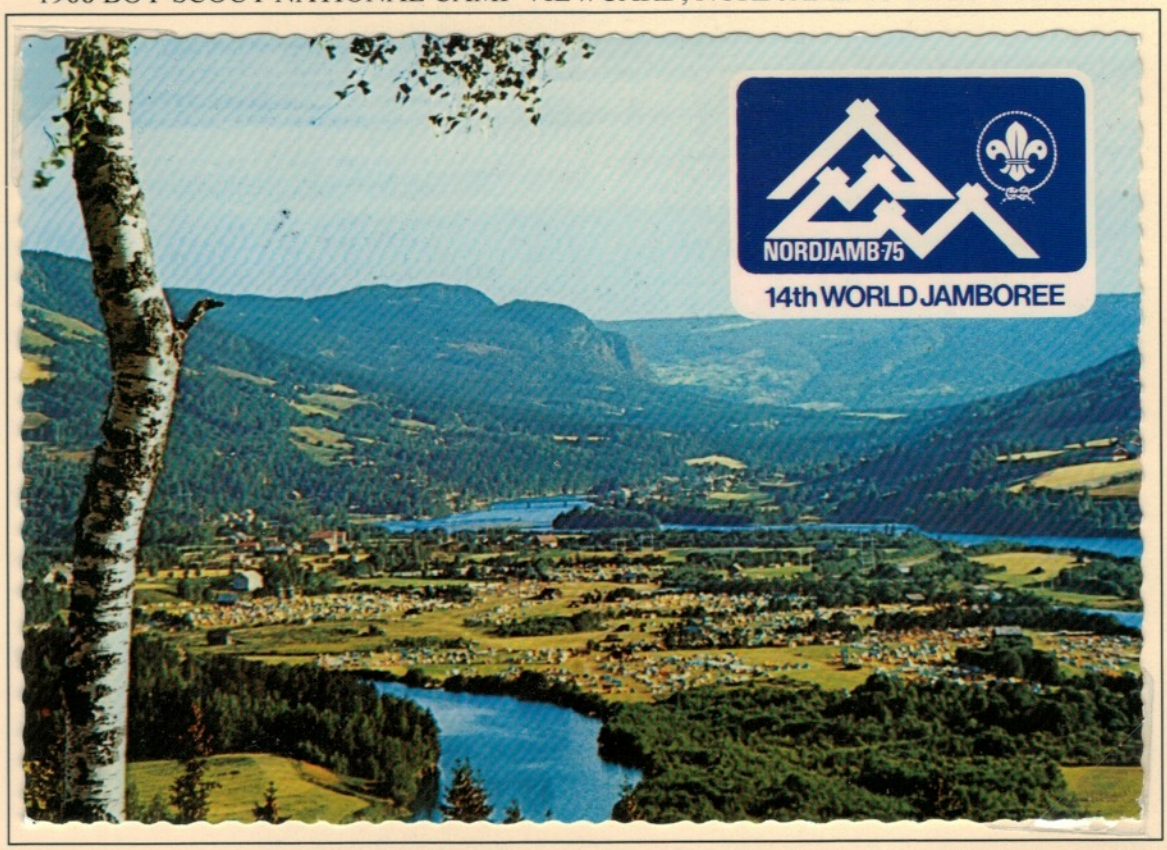
JAMBOREE COMMITTEE ENVELOPE



Letter to Oslo from Nordjamb-75 31-7-1975.
Envelope used by the Jamboree Committee (not recorded by SSCC).

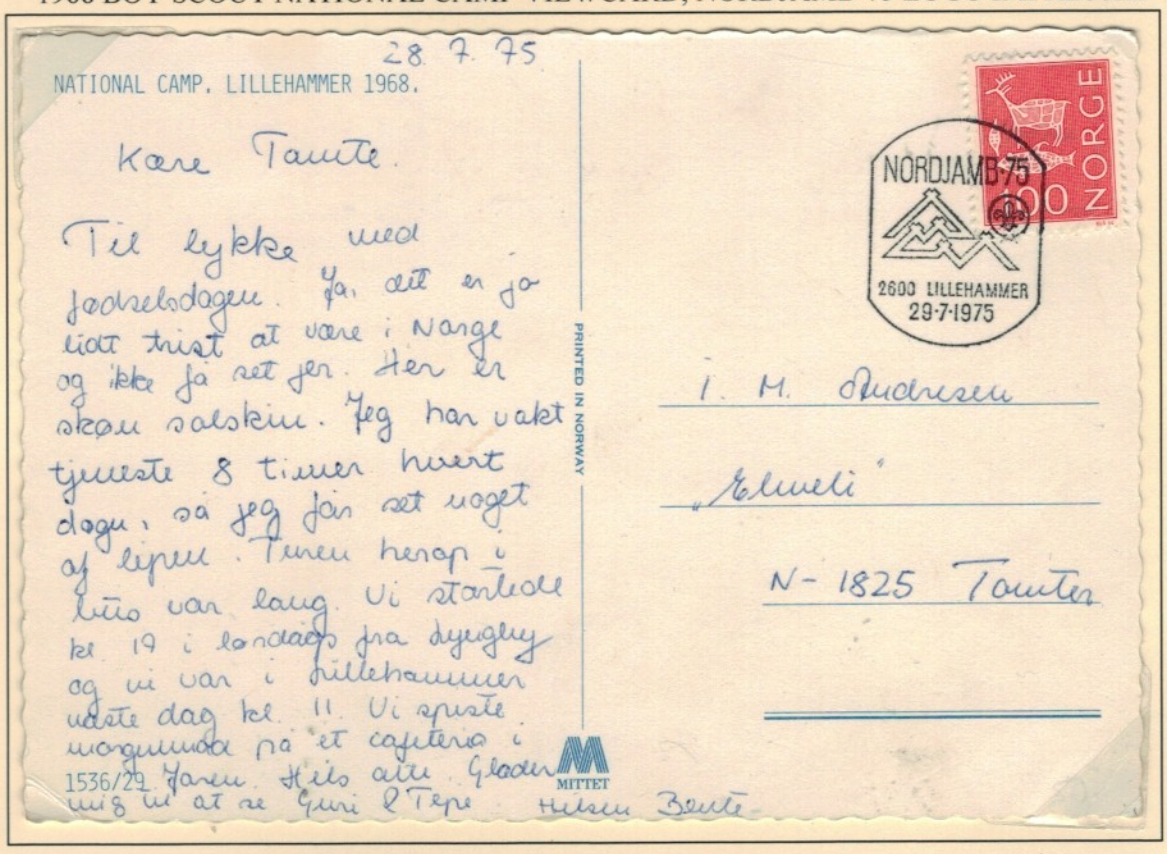
The subcamp administration centres had various facilities, including sale of souvenirs, refreshments, stationery and postcards. The Scout Shop in the central Market Area also offered a full range of camping equipment.

1968 BOY SCOUT NATIONAL CAMP VIEWCARD, NORDJAMB-75 LOGO IMPRESSED



The 1968 Boy Scout National Camp was located same place as Nordjamb-75 and was kind of a test Jamboree. Viewcard of the 1968 camp with Nordjamb-75 logo impressed (SSCC-P6). Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975 to Kolbotn.

1968 BOY SCOUT NATIONAL CAMP VIEWCARD, NORDJAMB-75 LOGO IMPRESSED



Viewcard as above, Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975 to Tomter.

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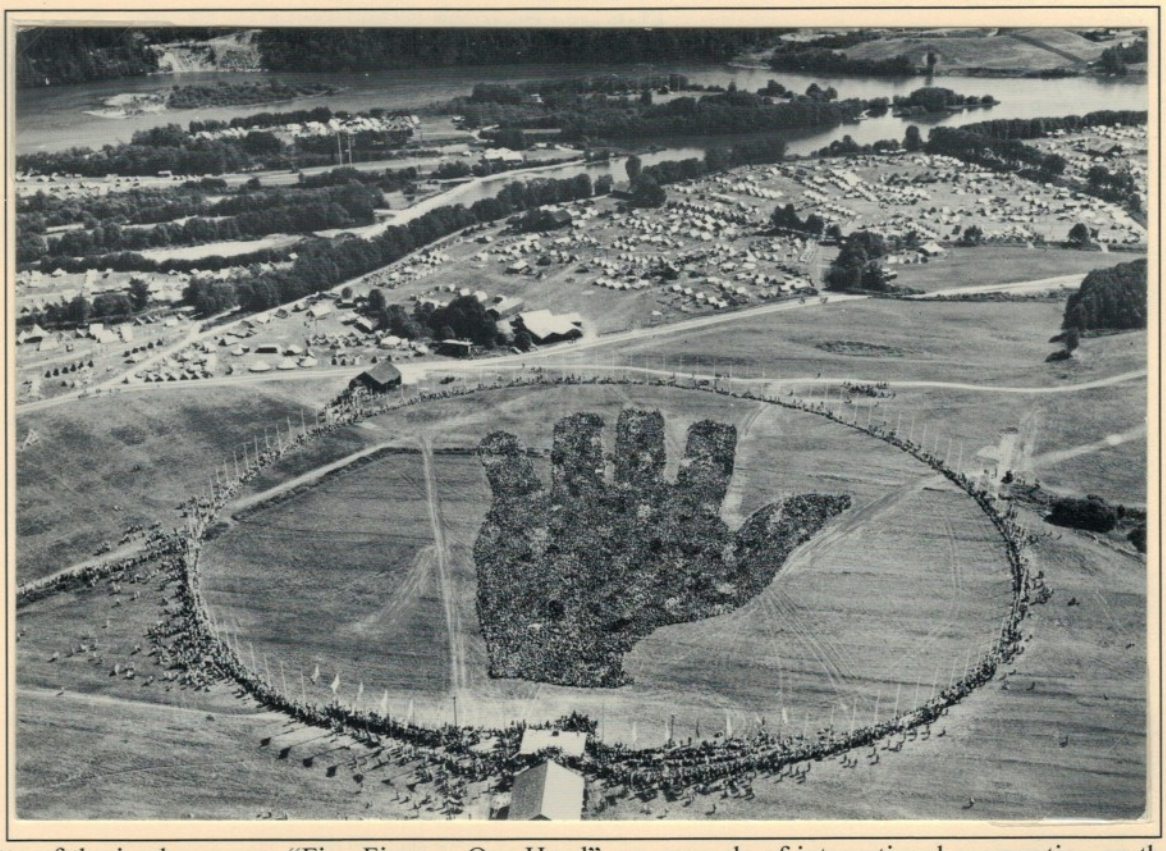
AERIAL PHOTO OF THE OPENING CEREMONY



The motto of the jamboree was "Five Fingers, One Hand", an example of international cooperation on the part of the five Nordic countries responsible for its organization. At the opening ceremony, all of the Jamboree participants in the central arena were formed into a giant hand that was photographed from aircraft flying overhead.

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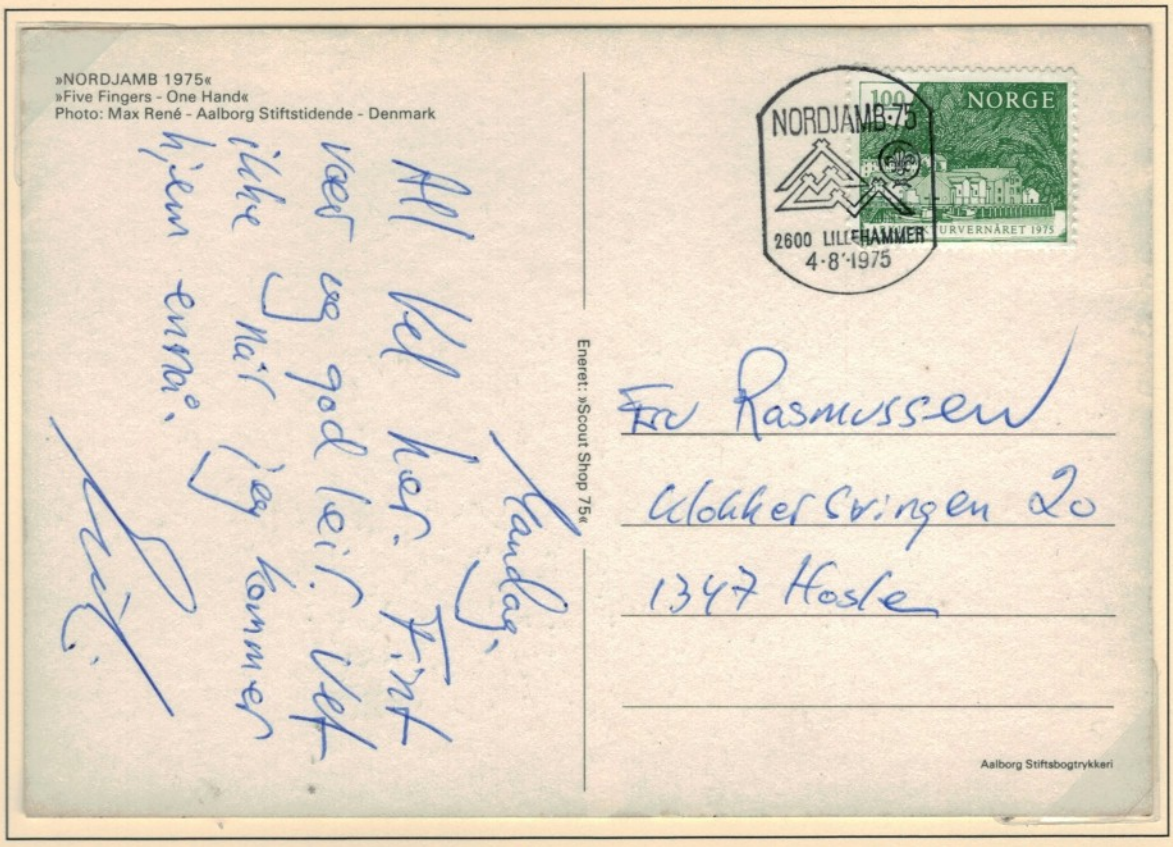
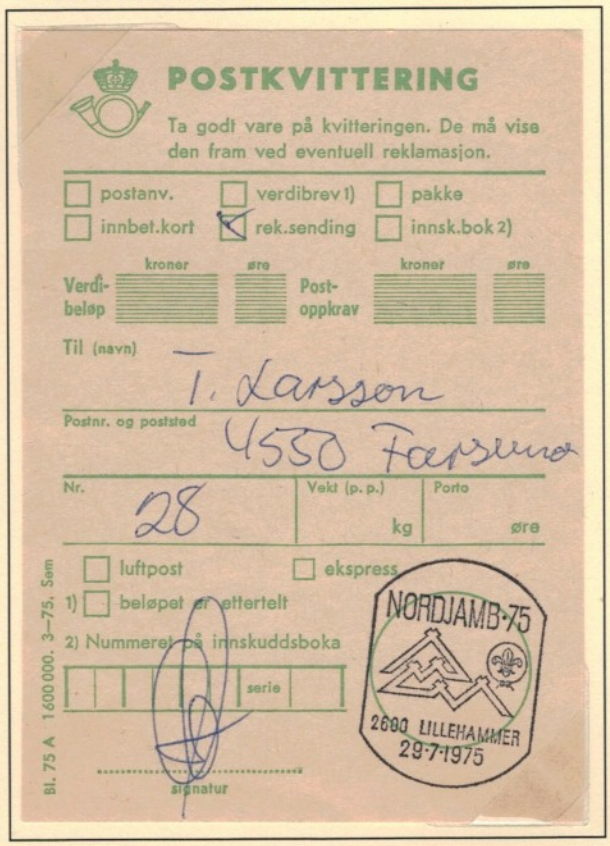


The postcards were sold from the camp shops. Card as above, from Nordjamb-75 4-8-1975 to Hosle (SSCC-P20).

The booth of the Norwegian Scout Stamp Collectors was manned by Reinert Rødland and his son Erik, assisted by Wilhelm-Otto Neubäck of Austria and Torbjørn Larsson-Fedde.

LARSSON-FEDDE RECEIPT AND COVER


POSTKVITTERING

Ta godt vare på kvitteringen. De må vise den fram ved eventuell reklamasjon.

☐ postanv. ☐ verdibrev 1) ☐ pakke
☐ innbet.kort ☒ rek.sending ☐ innsk.bok 2)

Verdi-beløp kroner øre Post-oppkrav kroner øre

Til (navn) T. Larsson

Postnr. og poststed 4550 Farsund

Nr. 28 Vekt (p. p.) kg Porto øre

☐ luftpost ☐ ekspress

1) ☐ beløpet er ettertelt

2) Nummeret på innskuddsboka

serie

signatur

Bl. 75 A 1.600.000. 3—75. Sem

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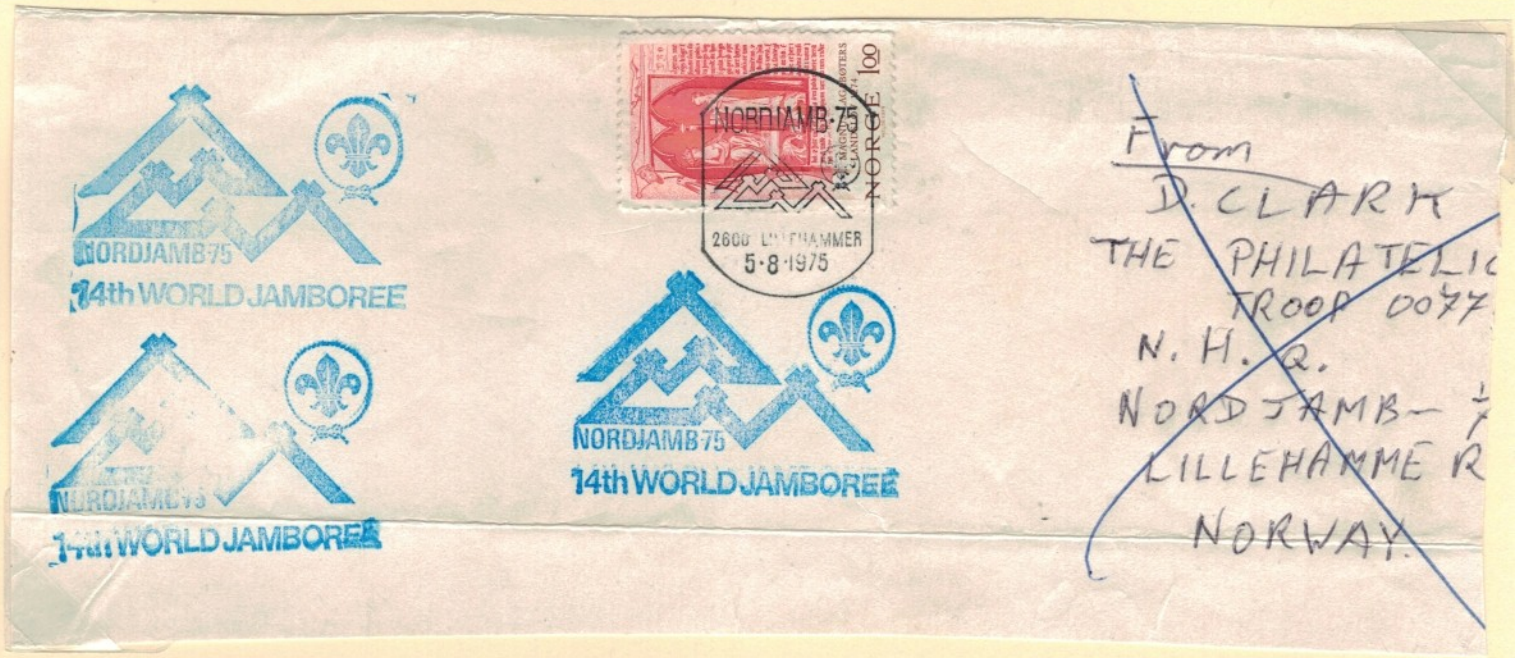
Registered cover to Torbjørn Larsson-Fedde, registration label no. 00028, Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975. 125 øre for domestic letters to 20 g and 450 øre registration fee 1.3.1975-1.3.1981.

The Scout Stamps Collectors Club had a booth staffed by Peter and Audrey Duck, David Clark and David Jefferies when his official duties permitted. The SSCC was the only booth offering scout stamps along with scout covers of the world. The previous world jamboree material was in great demand and their modest stocks were rapidly sold out. Reg. Morris edited the Nordjamb-75 monograph, documenting the philately of the 14th World Scout Jamboree.

JEFFERIES CACHET ON CLARK MAIL



Cachet in blue, probably provided by David Jefferies of the Scottish Jamboree HQ (SSCC-C15).
Also used pre-jamboree, and also used by Reinert Rødland, Norway.
On envelope cut-out from David Clark, Nordjamb-75 5-8-1975.

UNDERFRANKED MORRIS COVER

Scout cover (SSCC-E27) by Reg Morris, U.K., postmarked Nordjamb-75 31-7-1975.
Fewer than 30 covers were used at Nordjamb. The cover was printed for the 1971 World Scout Jamboree in Japan, and photocopied Nordjamb-75 labels were glued over the 1971 logo.
15 øre underfranked for the 140 øre foreign letter rate to 20g 1.3.1975.1.3.1977.
The postal clerks at Nordjamb-75 were too busy to aply postage due markings.

David Clark and Peter Duck, assisted by Audrey Duck were the primary manning of the SSCC booth.

DUCK AND CLARK USING OLD COVERS

Boy Scouts Commemorative Issue Cover (SSCC-E50), PhilArt design, used by Peter J. Duck, U.K.
The cover has been seen at least from 1970 onwards.

Re-used cover 60 years of Scouting in Portsmouth (not recorded by SSCC), used by Dave Clark, U.K.

Many philatelists thoroughly enjoyed Nordjamb-75, some are well-known and some remain anonymous. The Jamboree Newspaper "Five Fingers One Hand" was handed out free to participants each evening.

NEWSPAPER NO. 2

Part of Newspaper No. 2 of July 30, mailed as printed matter to Belgium (not not recorded by SSCC). Nordjamb-75 1-8-1975. Overfranked for the 80 øre printed matter rate.

NEWSPAPER NO. 5

Part of Newspaper No. 5 of August 2, mailed as printed matter to Belgium (not not recorded by SSCC). Nordjamb-75 7-8-1975. Overfranked for the 80 øre printed matter rate.

It was not only the Jamboree participants that enjoyed Nordjamb-75.
Local philatelists visited the camp and sent letters and cards.

JOHNNY HAUGEN COVERS

Registered cover to Johnny Haugen, registration label no. 00513, Nordjamb-75 7-8-1975, last day of the Jamboree.

Johnny Haugen is a local philatelist (The Lillehammer Municipality corner card cover is not recorded by SSCC).

Registered cover to Johnny Haugen, registration label no. 00514, Nordjamb-75 7-8-1975, last day of the Jamboree.
Johnny Haugen is a local philatelist (The LOBB corner card cover is not recorded by SSCC).

5. The Jamboree Campsite

Overview

The contingents with Scouts and leaders were clustered into 10 subcamps which were run and staffed by the different Nordic countries and the major camp activities took place on a subcamp basis. The only activities that took place en mass were the opening and closing ceremonies and the Sunday religious services.

The Main Post Office was located in a large tent in the central Market area. The post office comprised two sections; a post office, staffed by four counter clercs, and a philatelic sales bureau staffed by 2-3 ladies.

MAP OF JAMBOREE CAMPSITE

Original map from the Jamboree Guide Book.

Subcamp / area:

1. Siljan is a lake in the Swedish province of Dalarne east of the Jamboree site.

2. Teno is a river in Lapland connecting Norway and Finland.

3. Nordkapp is the northernmost point in Norway and Europe.

4. Trelleborg is the site of an ancient Viking settlement in Denmark.

5. Hekla is one of Iceland's most active volcanoes.

6. Skåne is the southernmost province of Sweden.

7. Jurmo
Jurmo is an island in the Åland archipelago off the southwest coast of Finland.

8. Dovre is a large mountain area in central Norway.

9. Sarek is a mountain area in northern Sweden.

10. Lillebelt is the strait between Jutland and the Funen island in Denmark.

SSC, Senior Scout Camp Service corps for the Jamboree.

NHQ, National Headquarters Campsite for Contingent Leaders and staff, and for Jamboree staff.

Althing, Althing Arena, area for the opening and closing ceremonies, and the religious services.

Lillehammer, visits to Maihaugen & Lillehammer.

Subcamp 9 Sarek had Scouts from: Austria, Belgium, Canada, Costa Rica, Denmark, Finland, France, Great Britain, Greece, Iceland, Iran, Irak, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Mexico, Nigeria, Norway, South Africa, Sweden, Switzerland, U.S.A., West Germany.

SUBCAMP 9 SAREK CACHET ON BUS-SERVICE TIMETABLE AS MAXICARD

Subcamp 7 Sarek cachet showing stylized pine tree and mountains (SSCC-C3). Also Subcamp 3 Nordkapp cachet (SSCC-C4). The cachets and Jamboree postage stamp are used on a bus service time-table as a maxicard (not recorded by SSCC). The bus service ran every 15 minutes between Nordjamb (stops at camp hospital and south entrance) and Lillehammer bus station.

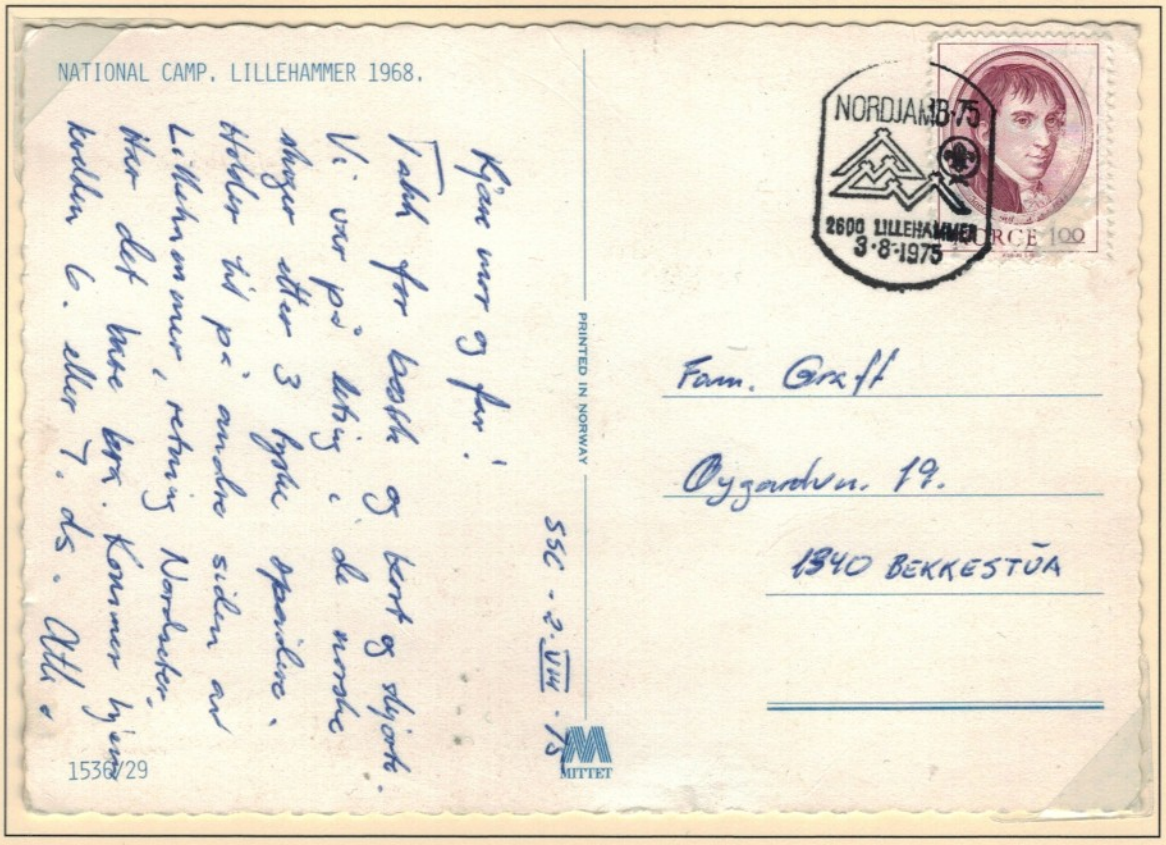
The Senior Scout Camp was the home of an important and colourful side of the support organization. It comprised Boy and Girl Scouts over the age of 18 from the Nordic countries in mixed troops. These seniors did a great deal of invaluable work during the Jamboree and were instantly recognizable by their bright orange anoraks.

SSC GIVES FIRST-AID INSTRUCTIONS

Domestic postcard written by Scout in SSC on 29 July and postmarked same day.

From the written message: *We give first aid instructions according to methods from the Icelandic Scout Association.*

SCOUTS GOT LOST IN THE WOODS - SSC IN SEARCH OPERATION



Domestic postcard written by Scout in SSC on 2 August and postmarked next day.

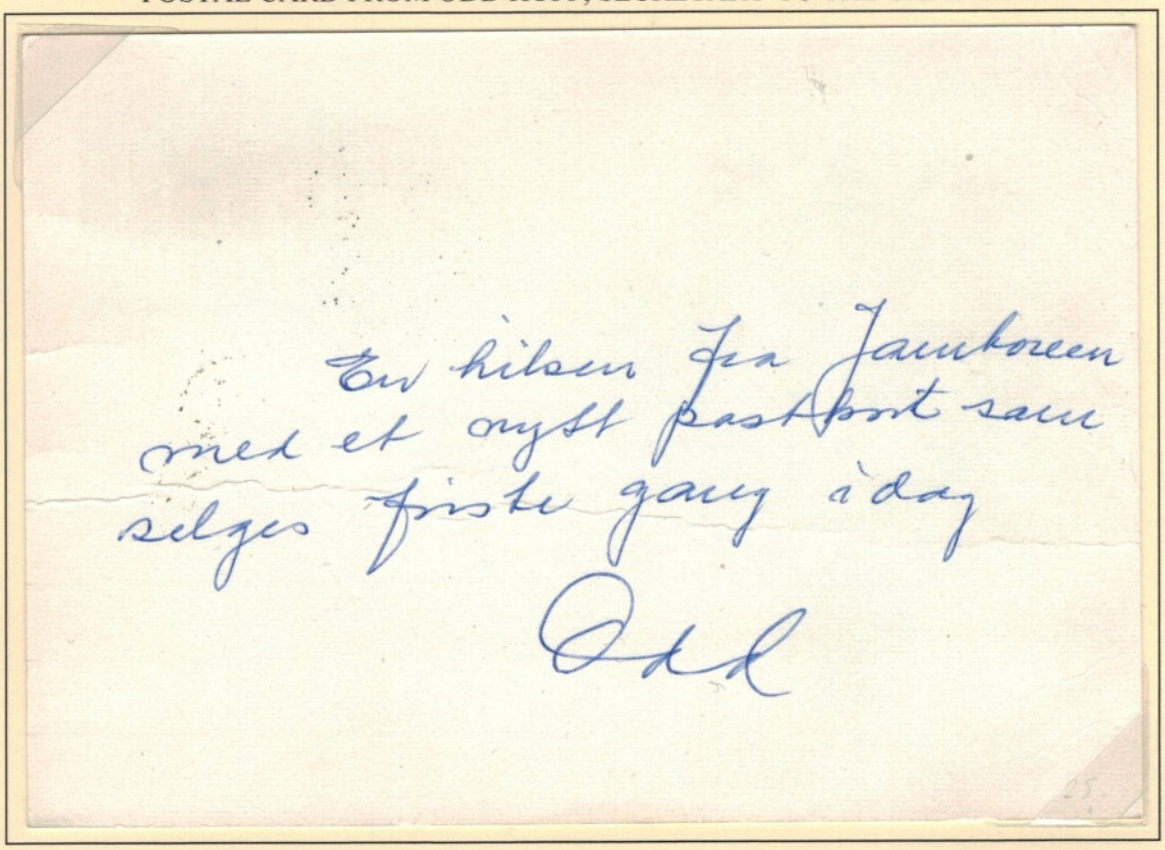
From the written message: *We took part in a search operation in the Norwegian woods for three German Scouts.*

Norway was host and co-organizer for Nordjamb-75. 696 Scouts from Norway attended, plus a signifiant number of attendees in Jamboree staff and Senior Scout Camp (the combined Nordic staff was 2141 strong).

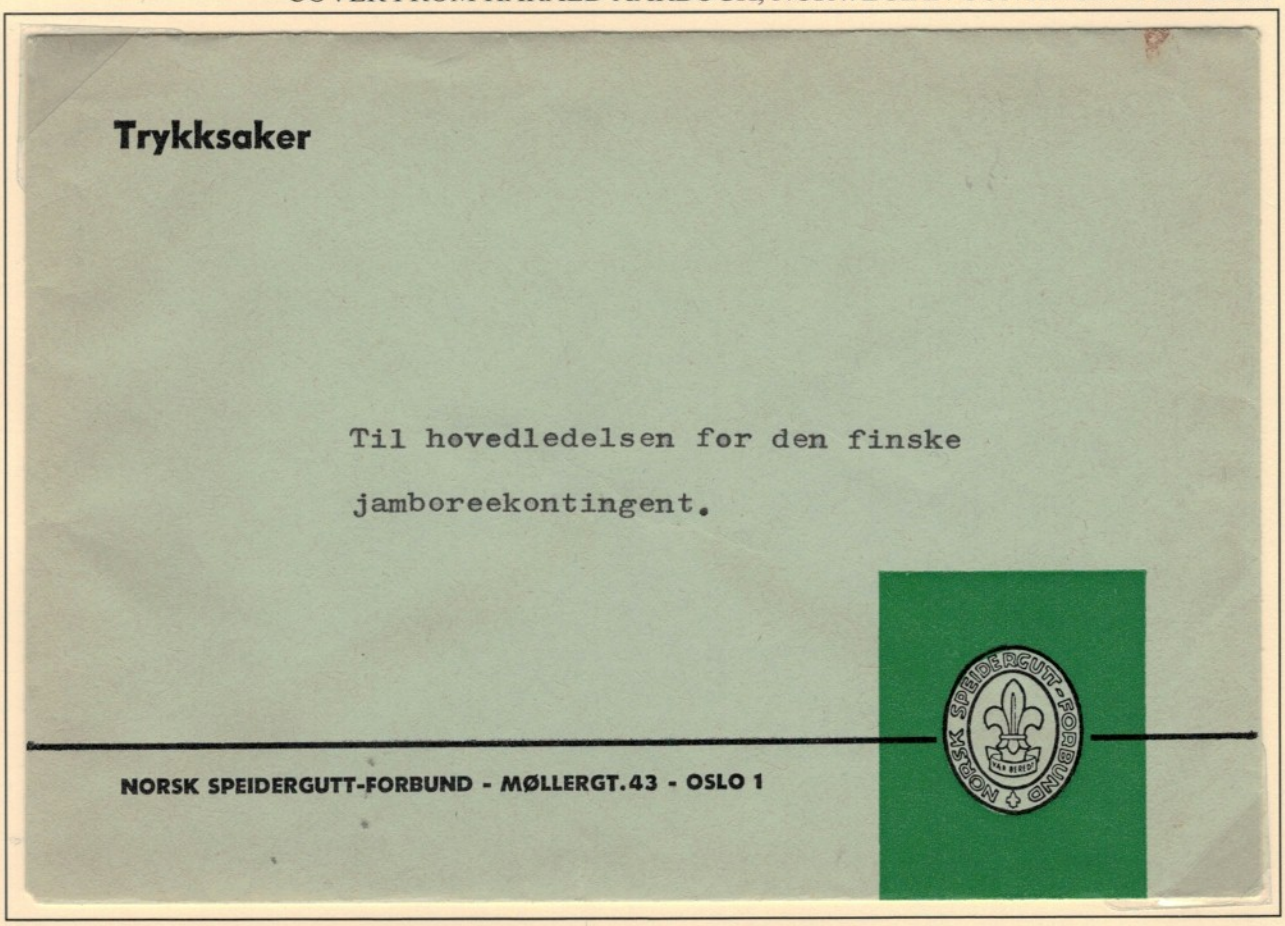
Right: Odd Hopp from Oslo was Secretary General for the Norwegian Boy Scouts Association 1945-1978, DCC for Norwegian Gilwell (leader training) 1947-1972. He was Secretary to the Camp Committee for Nordjamb-75.
Jamboree postal card, postmarked Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975 and sent to Drammen.

Below: Cover sent by Norwegian Contingent Leader Harald Aarbogh to Contingent Leader for Finland.
Local mail delivery within the NHQ at Nordjamb-75.
The contents is shown on the next page.

POSTAL CARD FROM ODD HOPP, SECRETARY TO THE CAMP COMMITTEE


En hilsen fra Jamboreen
med et nytt pastbort som
selges første gang i dag
Odd

COVER FROM HARALD AARBOGH, NORWEGIAN CONTINGENT LEADER

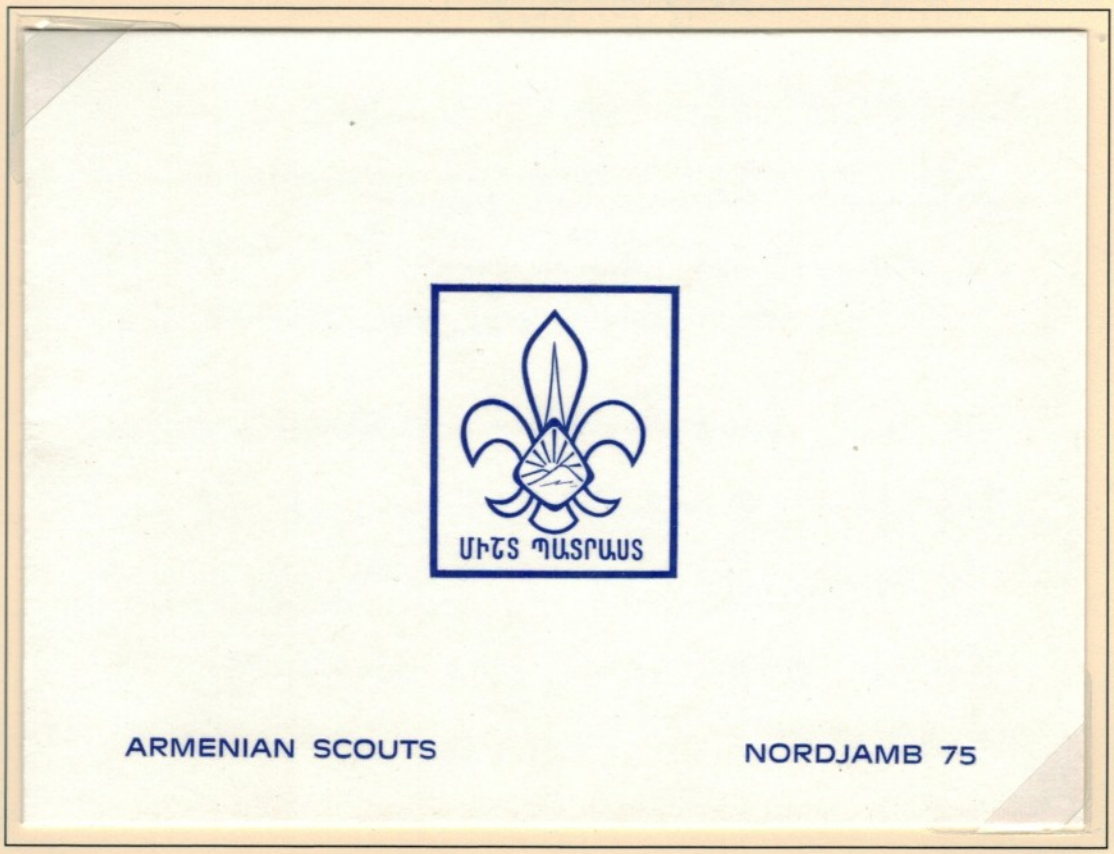


6. The National Contingents

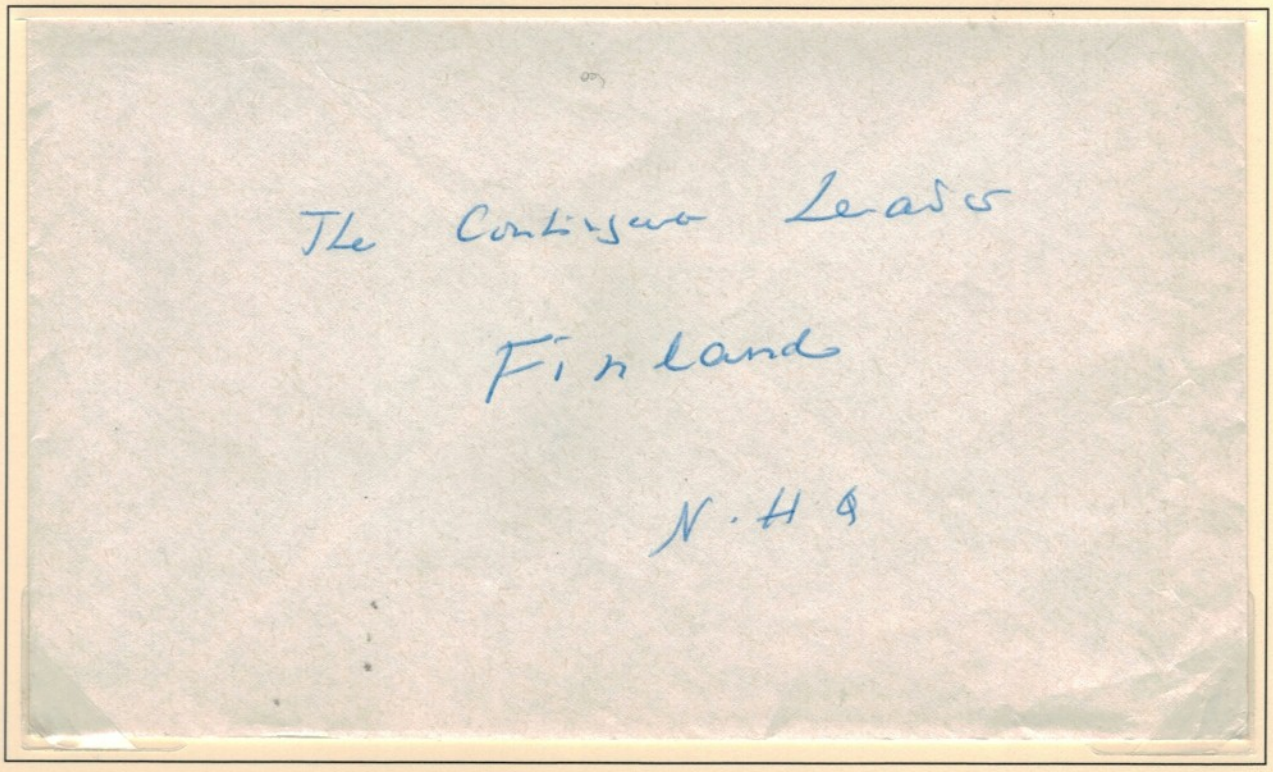
Armenia

The first Armenian Scouting groups were organized in 1910 and continued until 1922 when Scouting was banned and the Young Pioneers became the official state youth organization in Armenia. In 1929, the World Organization of the Scout Movement recognized the Association of Armenian Scouts, Haï Ari, based in France. While the Association did not have its own territorial base, it was the exception to the rule, remaining a member of the World Organization and the European Scout Region. ***27 Armenian Scouts attended Nordjamb-75.*** *In 1994, Scouting started again in Armenia.*

INVITATION FROM THE ARMENIAN SCOUTS



The Armenian Chief Scout and the members of the Armenian Contingent invite the Contingent Leader for Finland to a reception. The letter was hand-delivered within the National Headquarters Area.



Austrian Scouting was first established in 1909 in Austria-Hungary. With the arrival of the Nazis and World War II, however, Scouting in Austria was banned altogether. Austrian Boy Scouts were readmitted to WOSM in 1946. ***399 Scouts from Austria attended Nordjamb-75.***

FROM AUSTRIA TO NORDJAMB-75 AND BACK

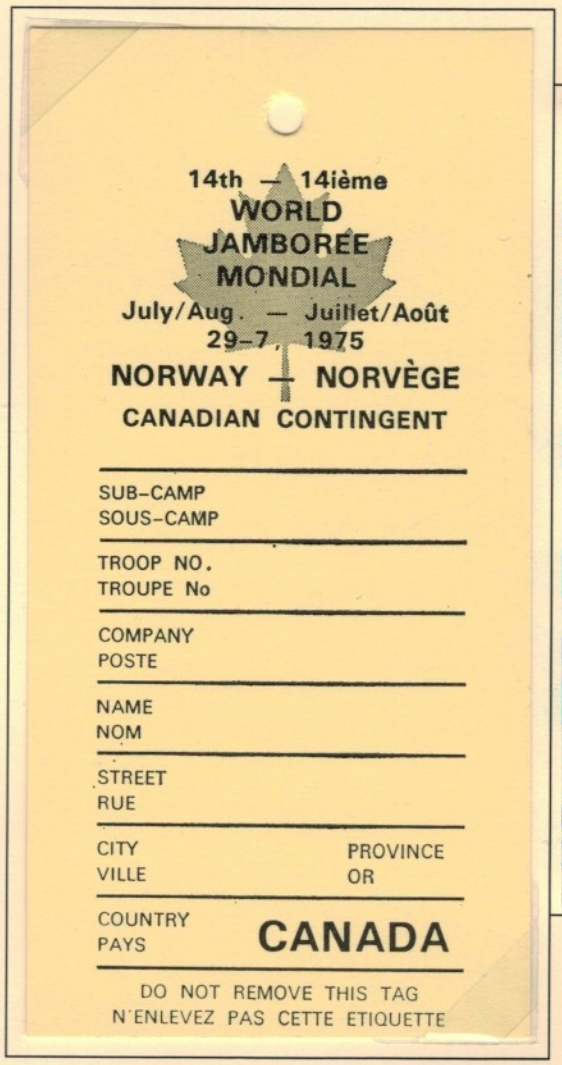
Registered air mail postcard from Austria with special postmark for departure to Nordjamb-75, sent to poste restante Nordjamb-75. Arrived 29-7-1975. Not collected and returned 7-8-1975.

FROM AUSTRIA TO NORDJAMB-75 AND BACK

Air mail letter from Austria with special postmark for departure to Nordjamb-75, sent to poste restante Nordjamb-75. Arrived 29-7-1975. Not collected and returned 7-8-1975.

The first Scouting groups in Canada were founded in 1908. Canada hosted the 8th World Jamboree in 1955 and the 15th Scout jamboree in 1983. ***1298 Scouts from Canada attended Nordjamb-75.***

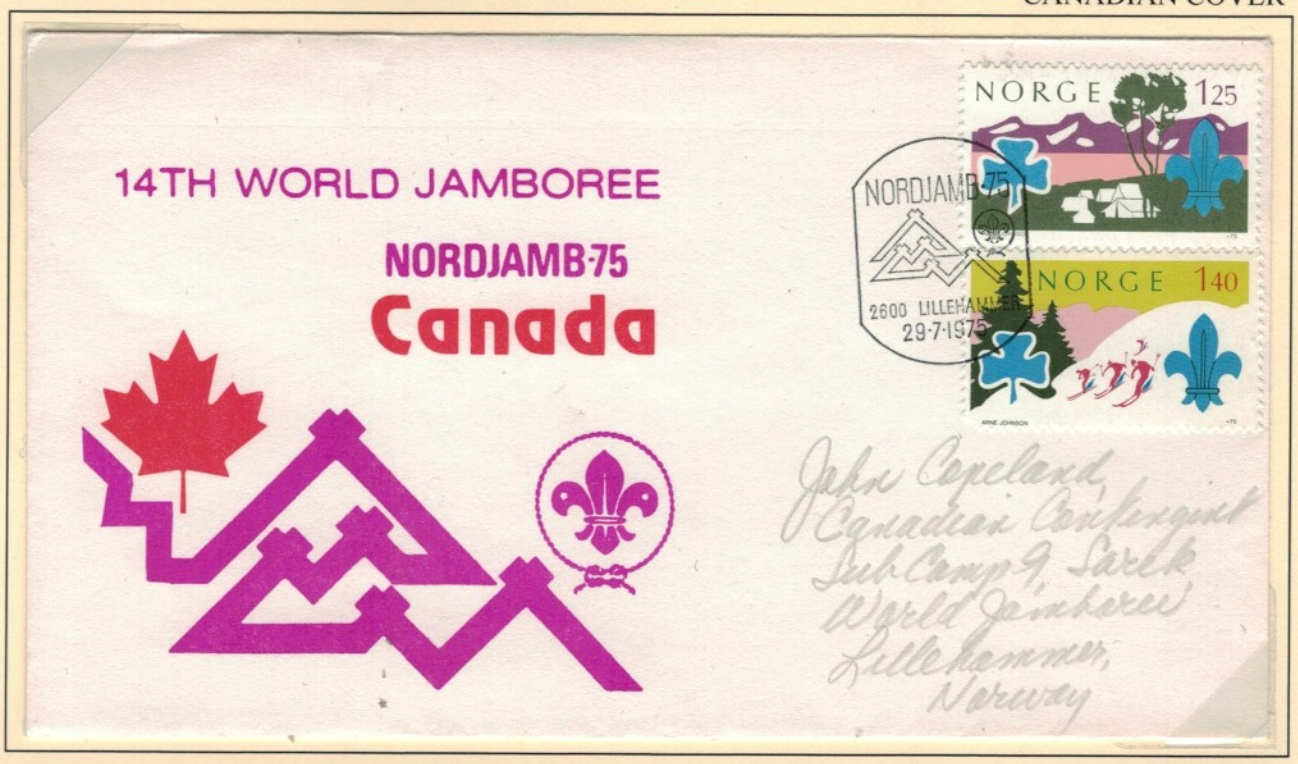
LUGGAGE TAG



POSTAL CARD TO CANADA

From Nordjamb-75 7-8-1975 to Ontario, Canada.

CANADIAN COVER



Special envelope with Maple Leaf from the Canadian Contingent (SSCC-E58), postmarked Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975.

The Danish Scout Council is the national Scouting federation of Denmark. Scouting was founded in Denmark in 1909 and among the charter members of WOSM in 1920. In 1924, Denmark hosted the 2nd World Scout Jamboree at Ermelunden.

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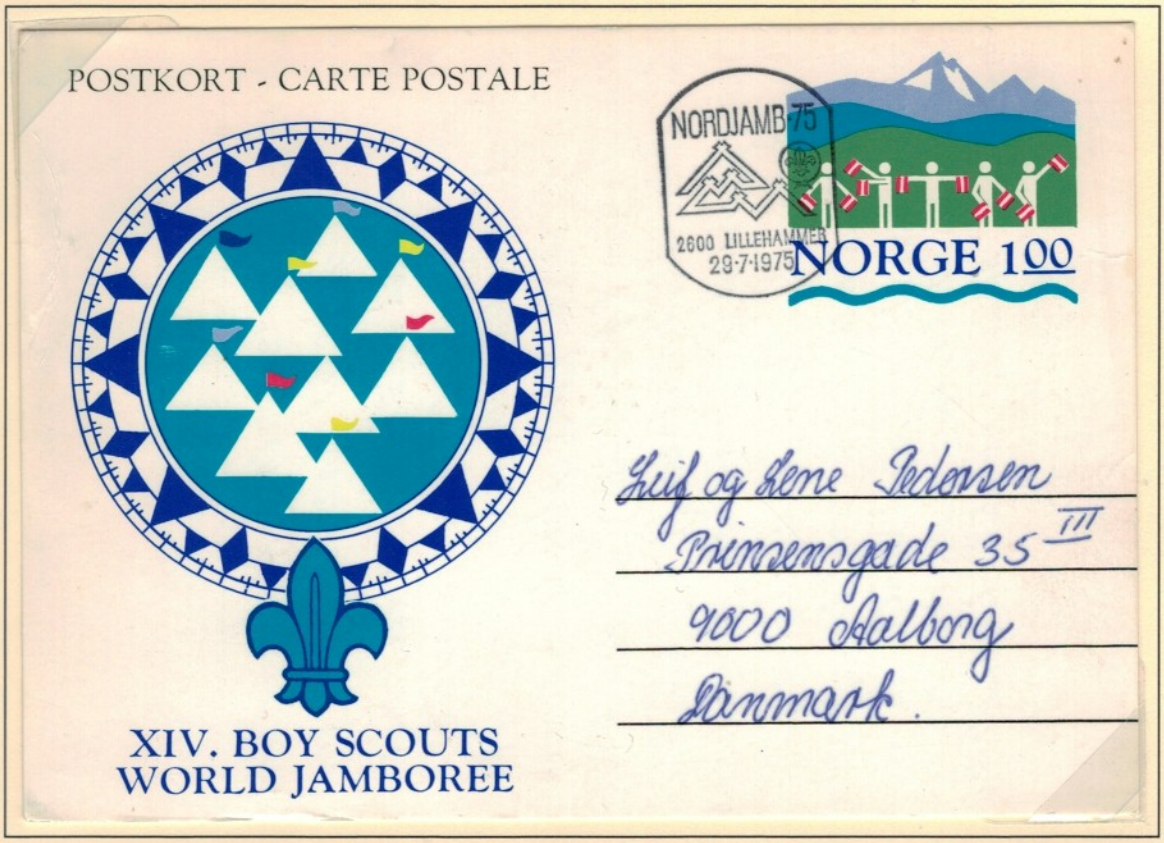
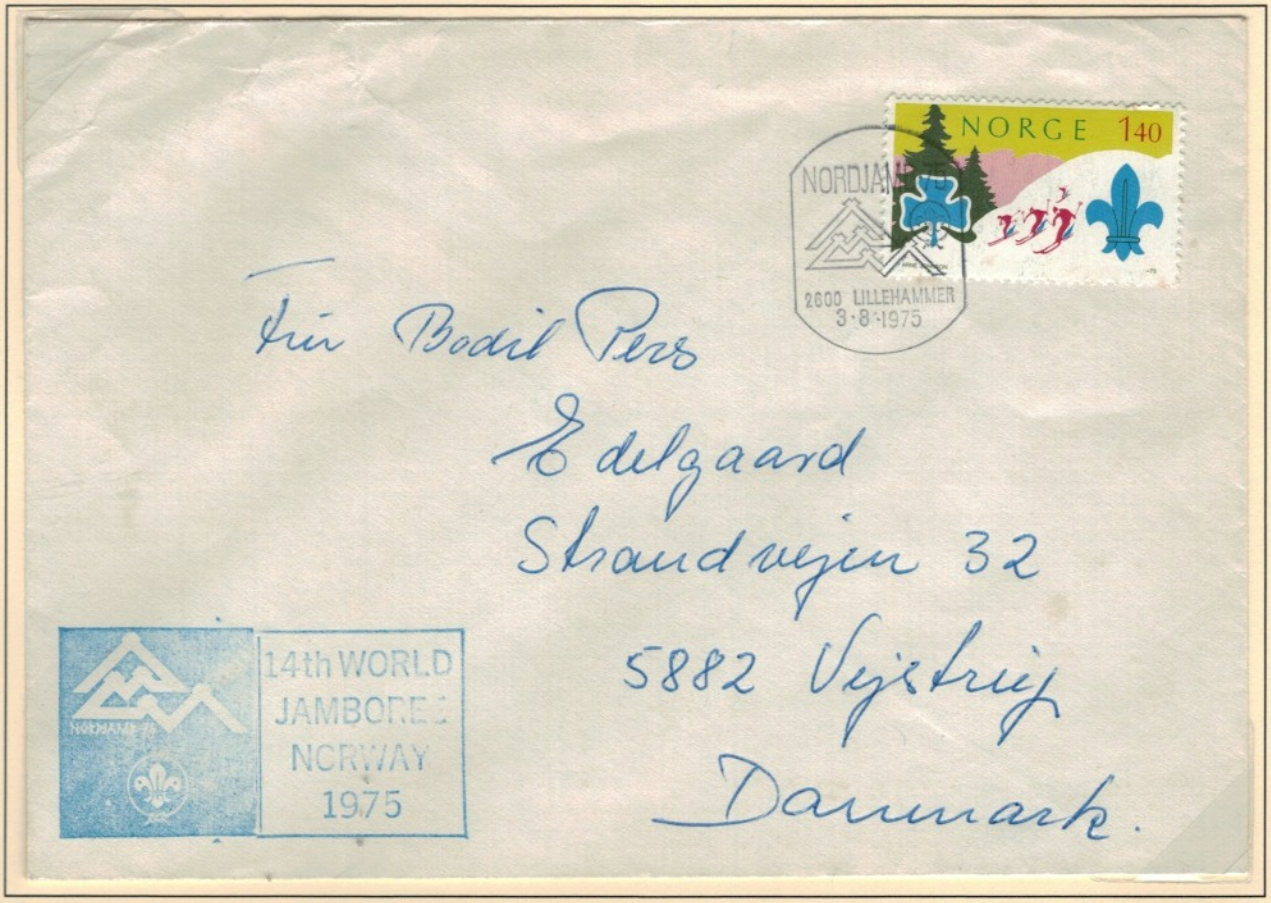
WE HAVE SHOWERS!



From Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975 to Denmark. The female sender is apparently working in the Senior Scout Camp, and writes: "What a luxury! We have showers! Cold water only, but what a happiness!".

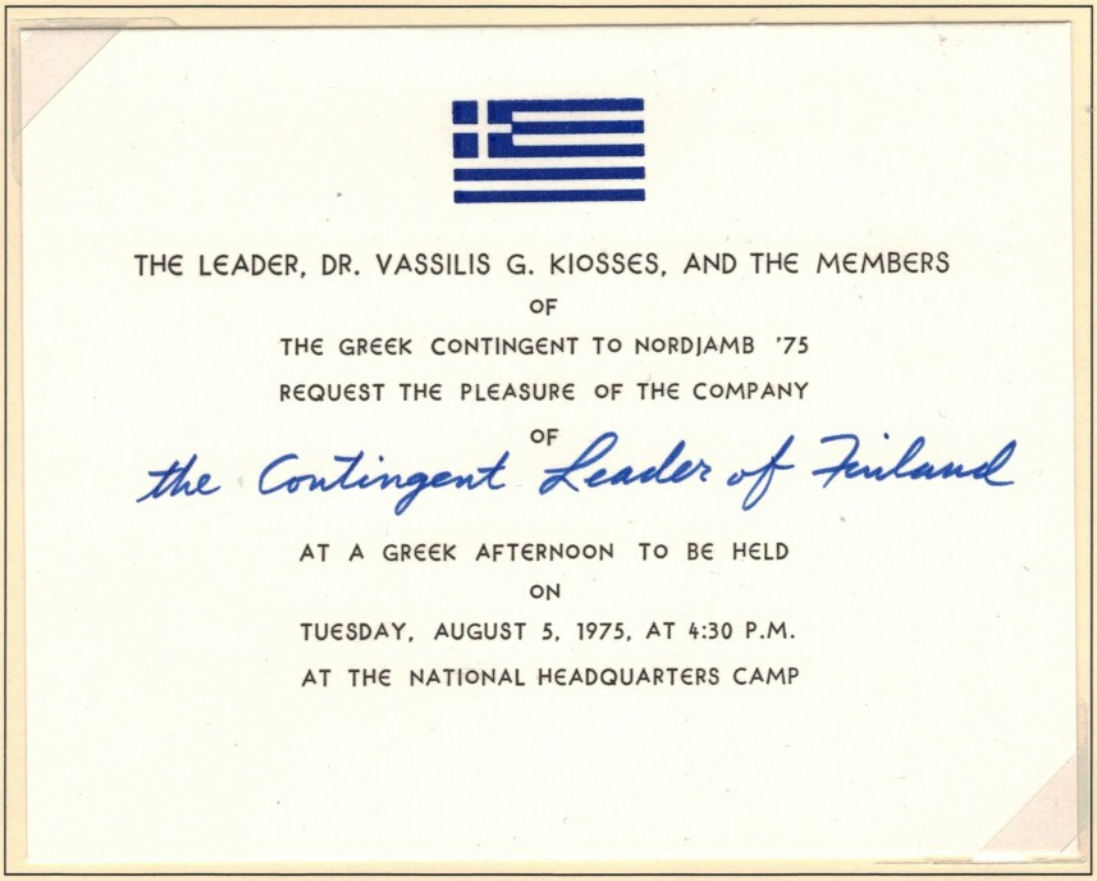
COVER TO DENMARK



Cover to Denmark with cachet from the Scottish HQ (SSCC-C12), postmarked Nordjamb-75 3-8-1975.

Scouting was founded in Finland in 1910, when Finland was an autonomous part of Russia. The Russian governor-general of Finland banned Scouting in 1911. The ban on Scouting in Finland was not lifted until after the Russian revolution in 1917, and Finland declared its independence. ***Finland was co-organiser of Nordjamb-75. 392 Scouts from Finland attended, plus an unknown number of attendees in Jamboree staff and Senior Scout Camp.***

INVITATION TO GREEK AFTERNOON



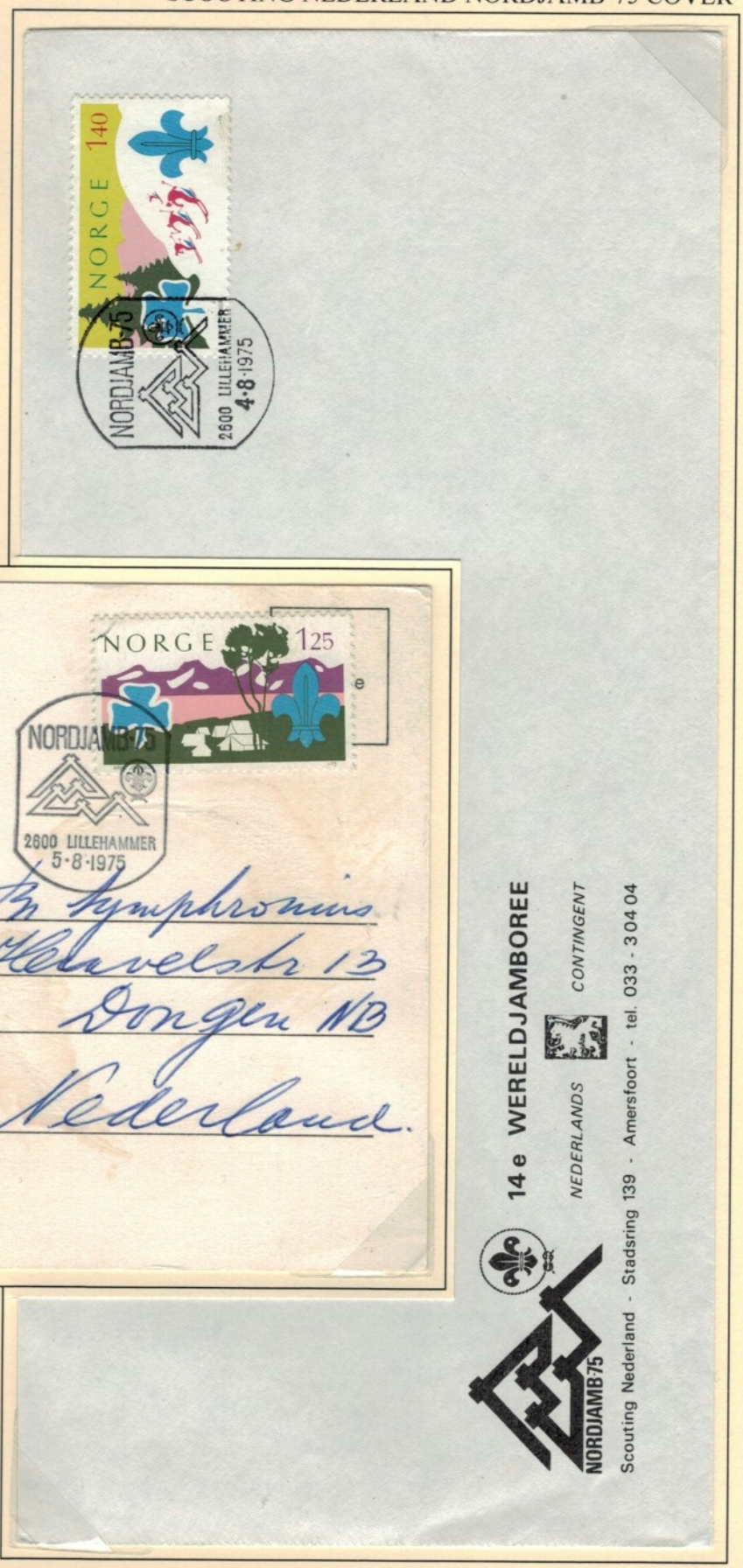
THE LEADER, DR. VASSILIS G. KIOSSES, AND THE MEMBERS
OF
THE GREEK CONTINGENT TO NORDJAMB '75
REQUEST THE PLEASURE OF THE COMPANY
OF
the Contingent Leader of Finland
AT A GREEK AFTERNOON TO BE HELD
ON
TUESDAY, AUGUST 5, 1975, AT 4:30 P.M.
AT THE NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS CAMP

Invitation from the Greek Contingent to the Contingent Leader of Finland to attend Greek afternoon. The letter was hand-delivered within the National Headquarters Area.

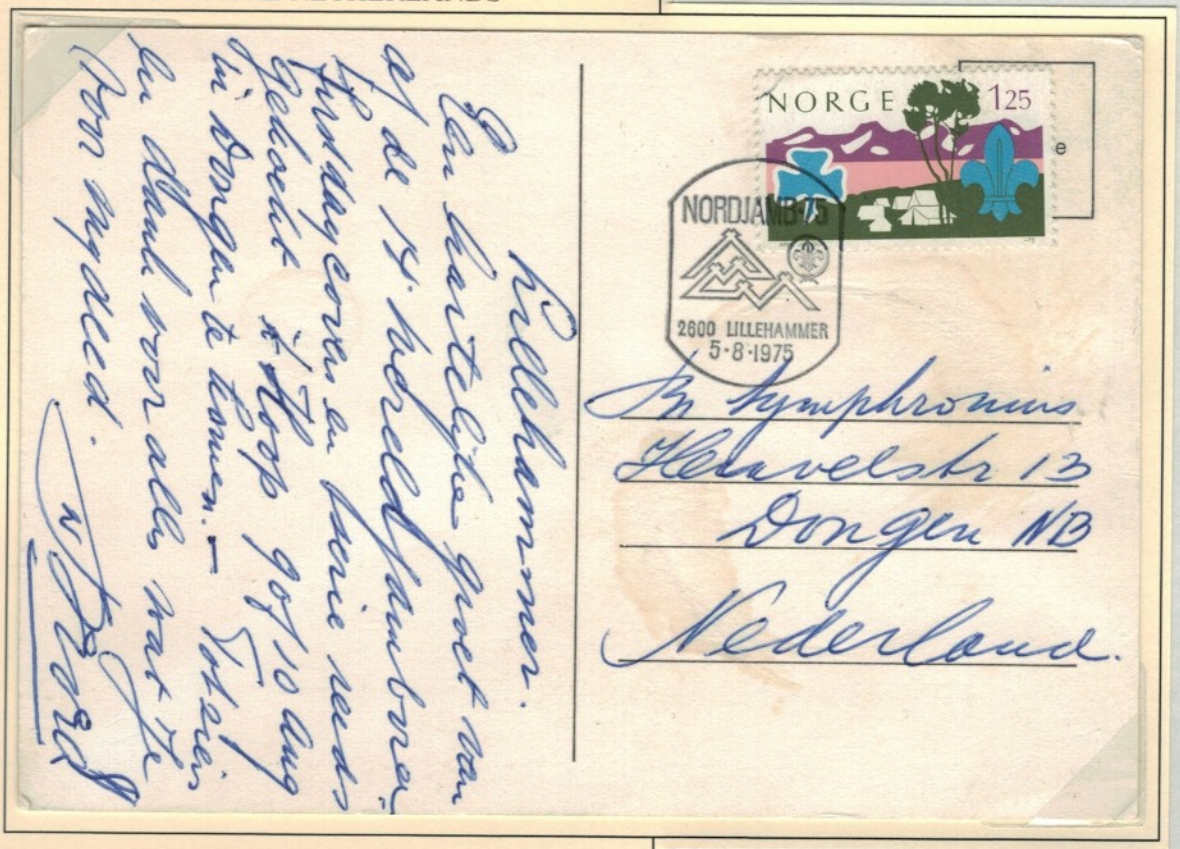
Scouting for boys was started in the Netherlands in 1910 and in 1911 the first national organisation was founded. The Netherlands hosted the 5th World Scout jamboree in 1937. During World War II all Scouting movements were prohibited and officially dissolved in the Netherlands. ***253 Scouts from the Netherlands attended Nordjamb-75.*** *In 1995, the Netherlands hosted the 18th World Scout Jamboree.*

SCOUTING NEDERLAND NORDJAMB-75 COVER

Right: Special Jamboree envelope from the Dutch Contingent (SSCC-E20), postmarked Nordjamb-75 4-8-1975.



POSTCARD TO THE NETHERLANDS



Above: Postcard to the Netherlands, postmarked Nordjamb-75 5-8-1975.
The postcard shows the 1974 Norwegian stamps; a free handout from Norway Post (SSCC-P19).

The Scout movement was first introduced in the Philippines in 1910 during the American Occupation. For most of the late 20th century and into the 21st century, the Boy Scouts of the Philippines is among the largest Scout organizations in the world. ***217 Scouts from the Philippines attended Nordjamb-75.***

PHILIPPINES POSTMARK USED AT THE JAMBOREE

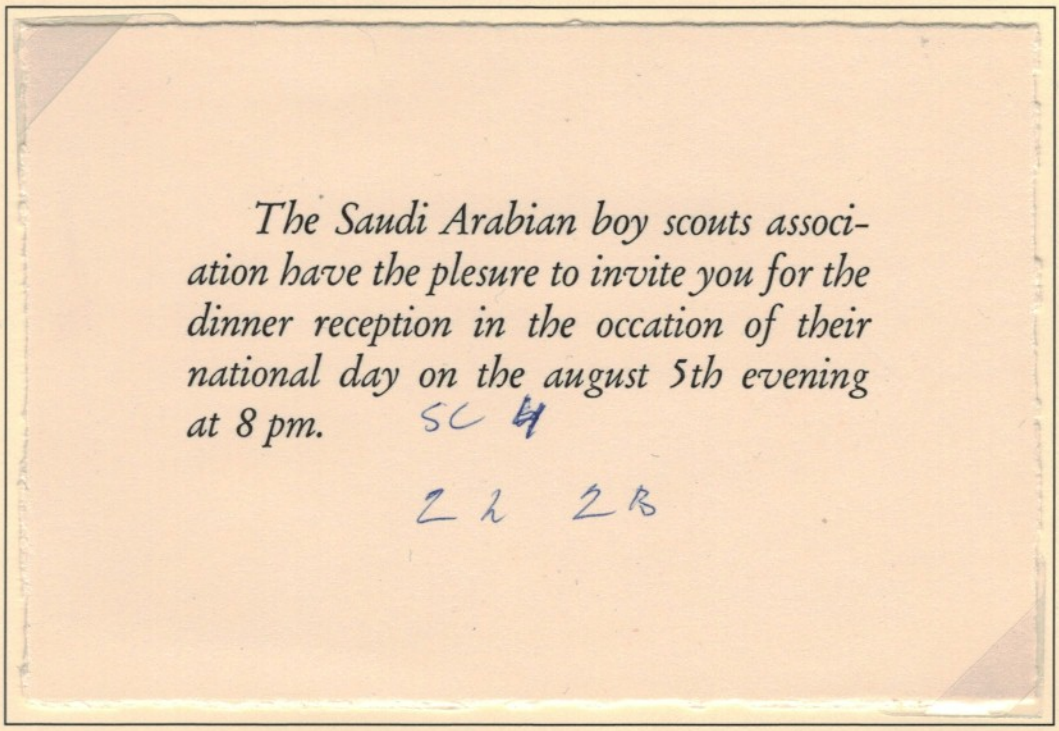
It would appear that the Philippines Contingent received permission to use a special postmark at the Jamboree for one day only to celebrate Philippines Day – August 4. 1000 covers (SSCC-E18) were prepared with a pair of the 1973 Philippines Golden Jubilee of Scouting stamps and postmarked. These covers were sold unaddressed by the Contingent for NOK 5 and later in the Scout Stamp Bank Tent for NOK 6 to raise funds for the Phillipine Contingent.

PHILIPPINES POSTMARK USED AT THE JAMBOREE, MAILED AND POSTAGE DUE

The covers with the Philippines franking and postmark were not permitted to be sent through the Norwegian mail. Covers that were addressed and posted received the small "T in circle" postage due mark. Postmarked Nordjamb-75 6-8-1975 and T in circle handstamp, but no evidence of postage due paid by the addressee.

Scouting was officially founded in Saudi Arabia in 1961, though Scouting was active many years prior to the founding date. ***35 Scouts from Saudi Arabia attended Nordjamb-75.***

INVITATION TO DINNER RECEPTION / NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATION



The Saudi Arabian boy scouts association have the plesure to invite you for the dinner reception in the occation of their national day on the august 5th evening at 8 pm. SC 4

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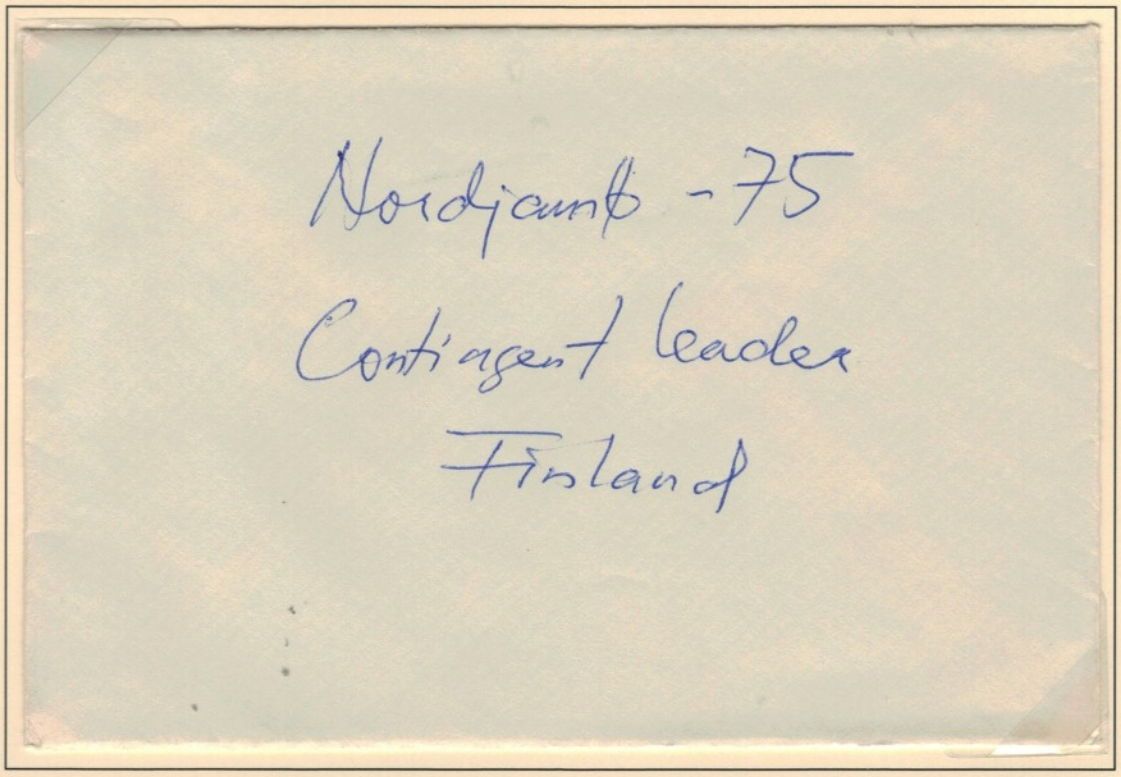
Invitation from the Saudi Arabian Contingent to the Contingent Leader of Finland to attend a dinner reception in Subcamp 4 on the occasion of their national day. The letter was hand-delivered in the National Headquarters Area.



Nordjamb -75

Contingent leader

Finland

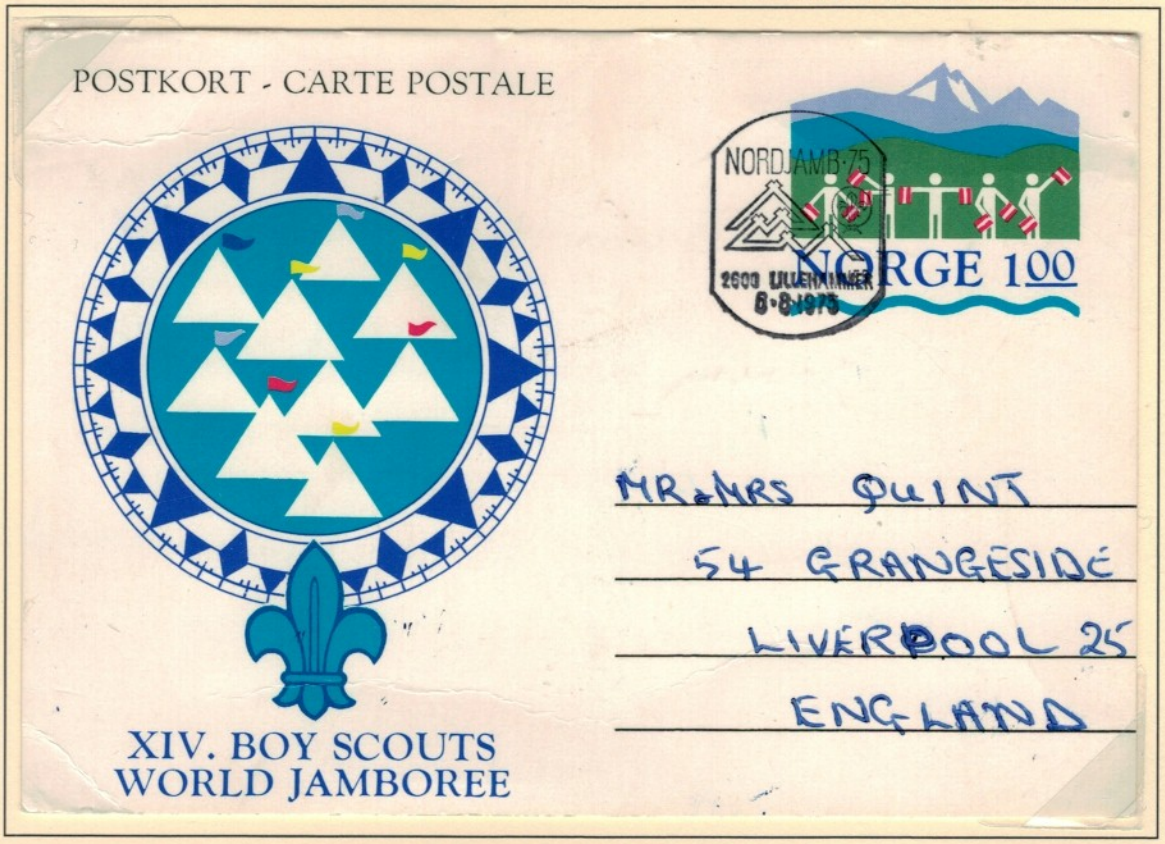
Scouting in Sweden was founded in 1910. Swedish Scouting has close relations to the Swedish royal family, and King Carl XVI Gustaf of Sweden visited Nordjamb-75. ***Sweden was co-organizer of Nordjamb-75. 602 Scouts from Sweden attended, plus an unknown number of attendees in Jamboree staff and Senior Scout Camp (the Nordic staff was 2141 strong).*** *In 2011, Sweden hosted the 22nd World Scout Jamboree.*

ENVELOPE BY 6TH SWEDISH JAMBOREE TROOP

Special envelope by the 6th Swedish Jamboree Troop (SSCC-E40), with stylized mountains with snow and sun. Postmarked Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975.

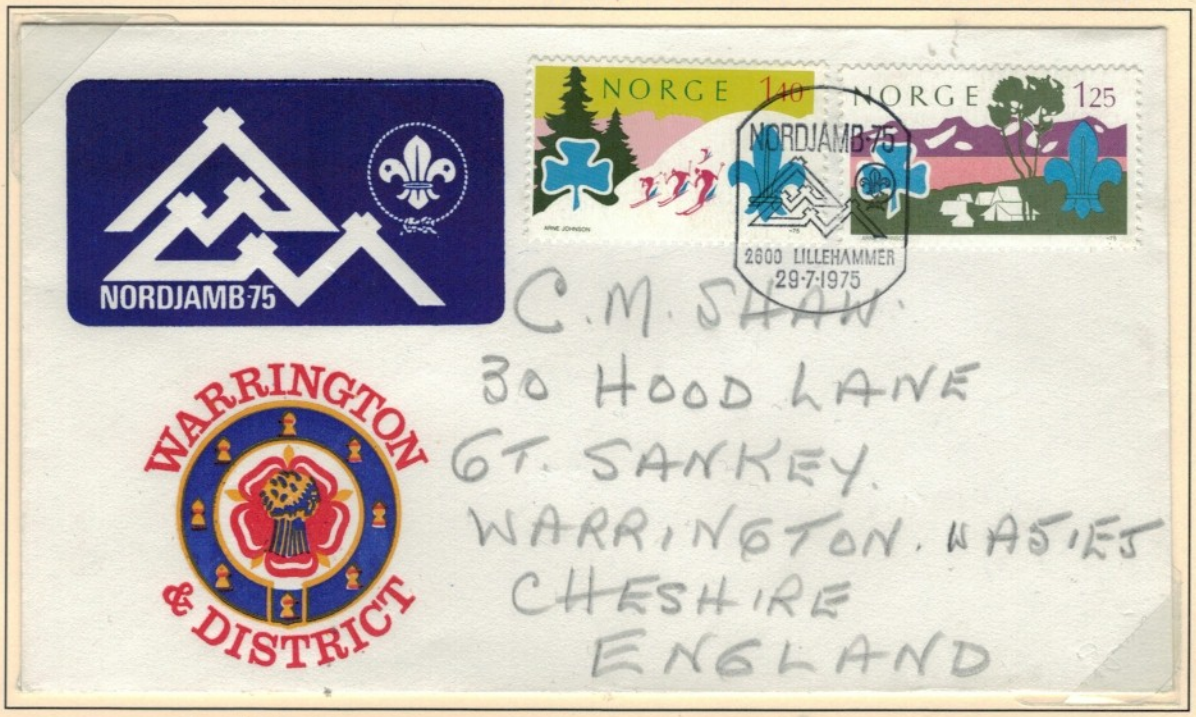
The United Kingdom is the birthplace of Scouting, and Baden-Powell organized the first trial camp at Brownsea Island near Poole, Dorset in 1907. U.K. hosted the 1st World Jamboree in 1920, the 3rd in 1929, the 9th in 1957 and the 21st in 2007. ***1627 Scouts from the United Kingdom attended Nordjamb-75.***

POSTAL CARD TO ENGLAND



From Nordjamb-75 6-8-1975 to England.

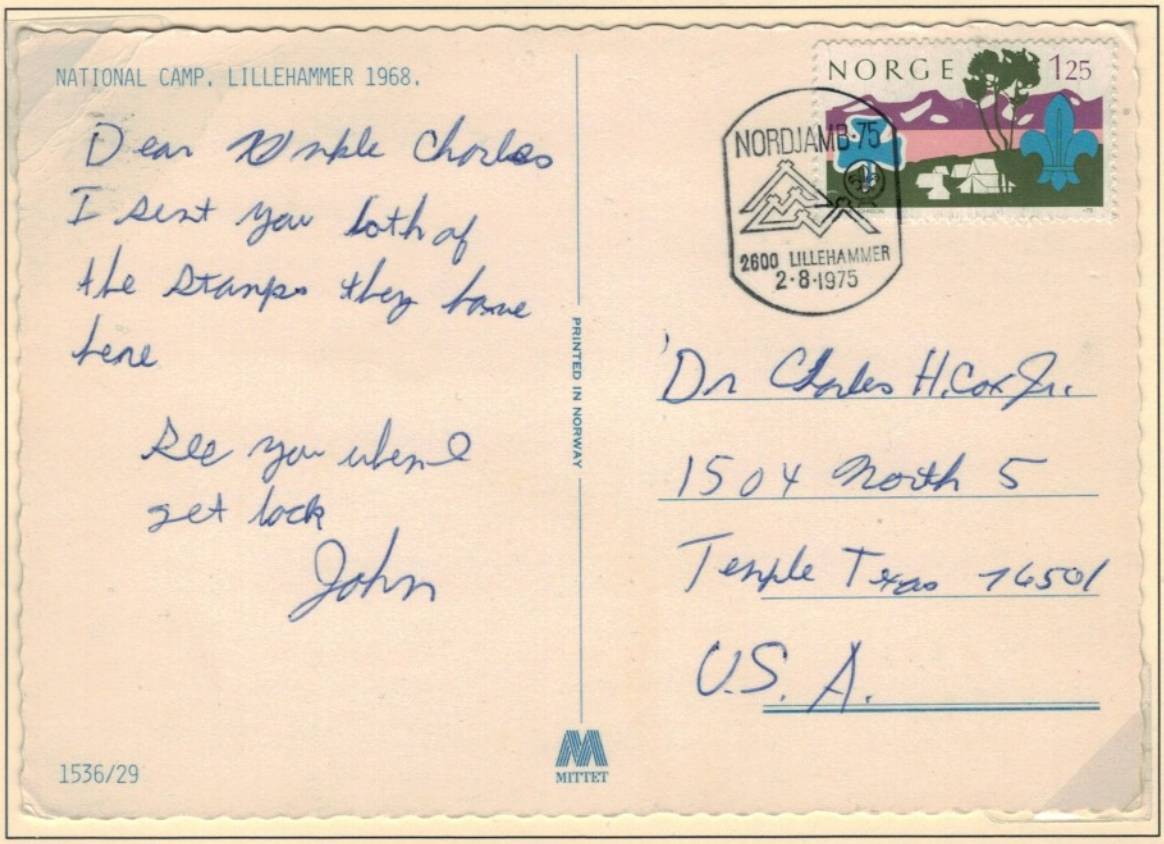
WARRINGTON & DISTRICT COVER / C. M. SHAW



Special jamboree cover (SSCC-E21) for Warrington & District (U.K.), by C. M. Shaw, U.K., postmarked Nordjamb-75 29-7-1975.

Ernest Thompson Seton started the Woodcraft Indians in 1902. Daniel Carter Beard started the Sons of Daniel Boone in 1905. When Baden-Powell created the first Scouting program in 1907, he used elements of Setons' work in his Scouting for Boys. Several small local Scouting programs started in the U.S. soon after. U.S.A. hosted the 12th World Scout Jamboree in 1967. ***2492 Scouts from the United States attended Nordjamb-75 and this was the largest contingent at the Jamboree.***

POSTCARD TO TEXAS



Nordjamb viewcard (SSCC-P6 depicting the 1968 National camp) from Nordjamb-75 2-8-1975 to the United States.

BSA COVER

Boy Scouts of America Envelope (SSCC-E22), postmarked Nordjamb-75 5-8-1975.

7. Home Hospitality

Seeking Host Families

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BROCHURE AIMED AT PROSPECTIVE HOST FAMILIES

NORDJAMB - 75

Den svenska arbetsgruppen för Home Hospitality:

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Tel. 08 - 52 09 80, 08 - 50 35 35

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Home Hospitality

Gästfrihet

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Gestrisni

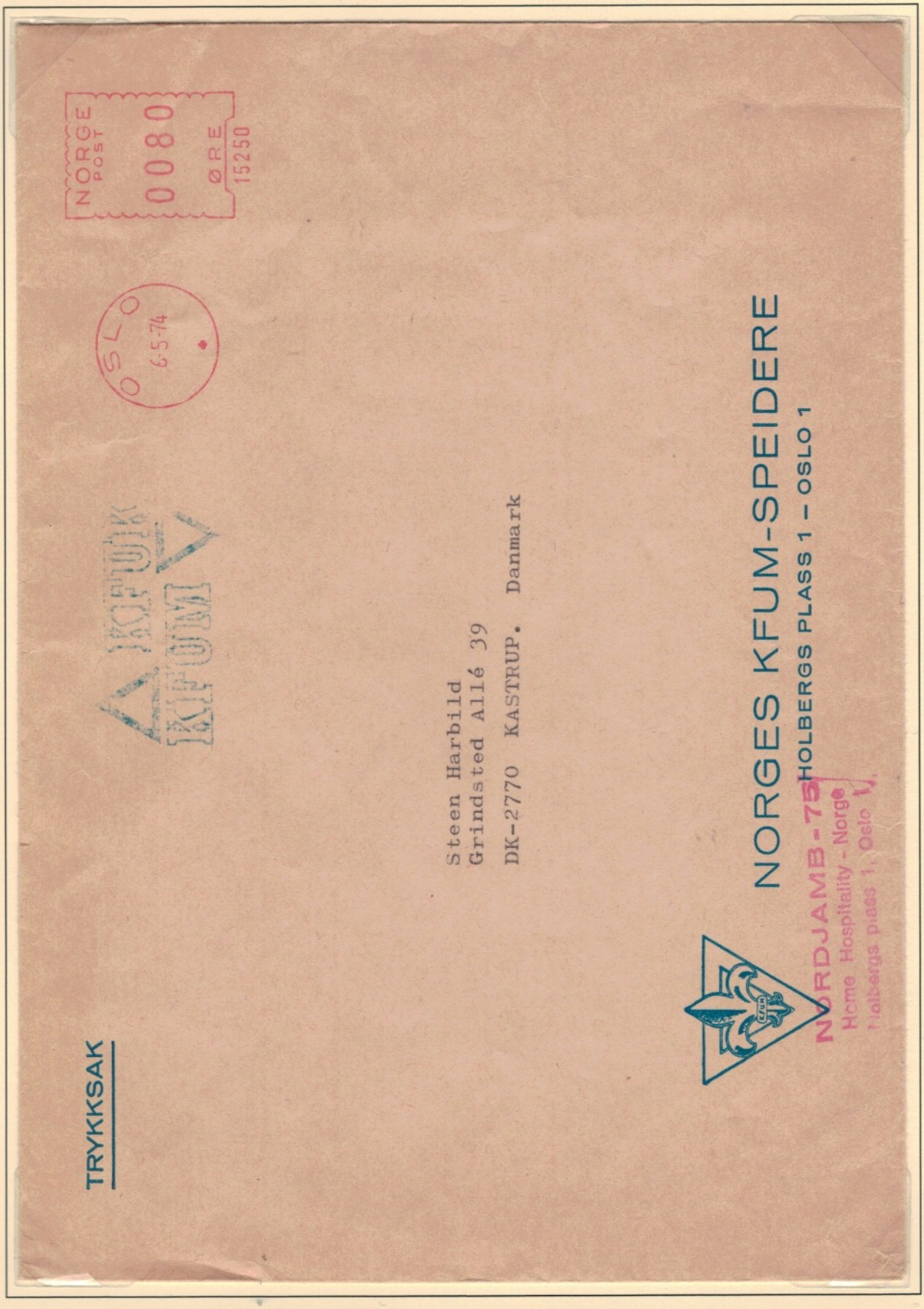
Gæstfrihed

NORDJAMB-75

The Swedish brochure explains the When, Who, Where, How and What of Home Hospitality.
It contains a form which the host family can fill in when they volunteer to invite one or more scouts to their home.

The Norwegian YMCA Scouts were responsible for the planning of Home Hospitality in Norway.

HOME HOSPITALITY CACHET TYPE 1



Corner card (envelope) from YMCA Scouts of Norway, regular YWCA/YMCA meter slogan. **Special cachet (type 1) in red "NORDJAMB-75 / Home Hospitality – Norge / Holbergs Plass 1, Oslo 1" (not recorded by SSCC).**
80 øre for domestic printed matter 21-50g 1.4.1974-1.3.1975.

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HOME HOSPITALITY CACHET TYPE 2
YMCA NORDJAMB METER SLOGAN

The YMCA Scouts of Norway were affiliated to the Norwegian Boy Scout Association.
In the Norwegian Nordjamb-75 organization, the YMCA Scouts were responsible for Home Hospitality in Norway.

Meter slogan
"NORDJAMB-75
FIVE FINGERS
ONE HAND
OSLO 16-6-75"
used by the YMCA Scouts of Norway.
Not recorded by SSCC.
The only recorded copy.

Also special cachet (type 2) in red "NORDJAMB-75 / Home Hospitality Office / Holbergs Plass 1, Oslo 1" (not recorded by SSCC).

80 øre for printed matter to Nordic countries to 20g 1.3.1975-1.3.1981.

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PLANNING FOR HOME HOSPITALITY

"GÄST-HEM TILL NORDJAMB-75" (Guest home for Nordjamb-75), advertising meter slogan used by the Swedish Scout Association in Malmö. 45 øre for printed matter (B) to 20g to any destination 1.7.1972-1.5.1975.

SCOUT DAY AT LISEBERG

Special postmark for the Scout Day at Liseberg, visited by many Scouts who were on Home Hospitality in the area. 55 øre for printed matter (B) to 20g to any destination 1.5.1975-1.2.1976.

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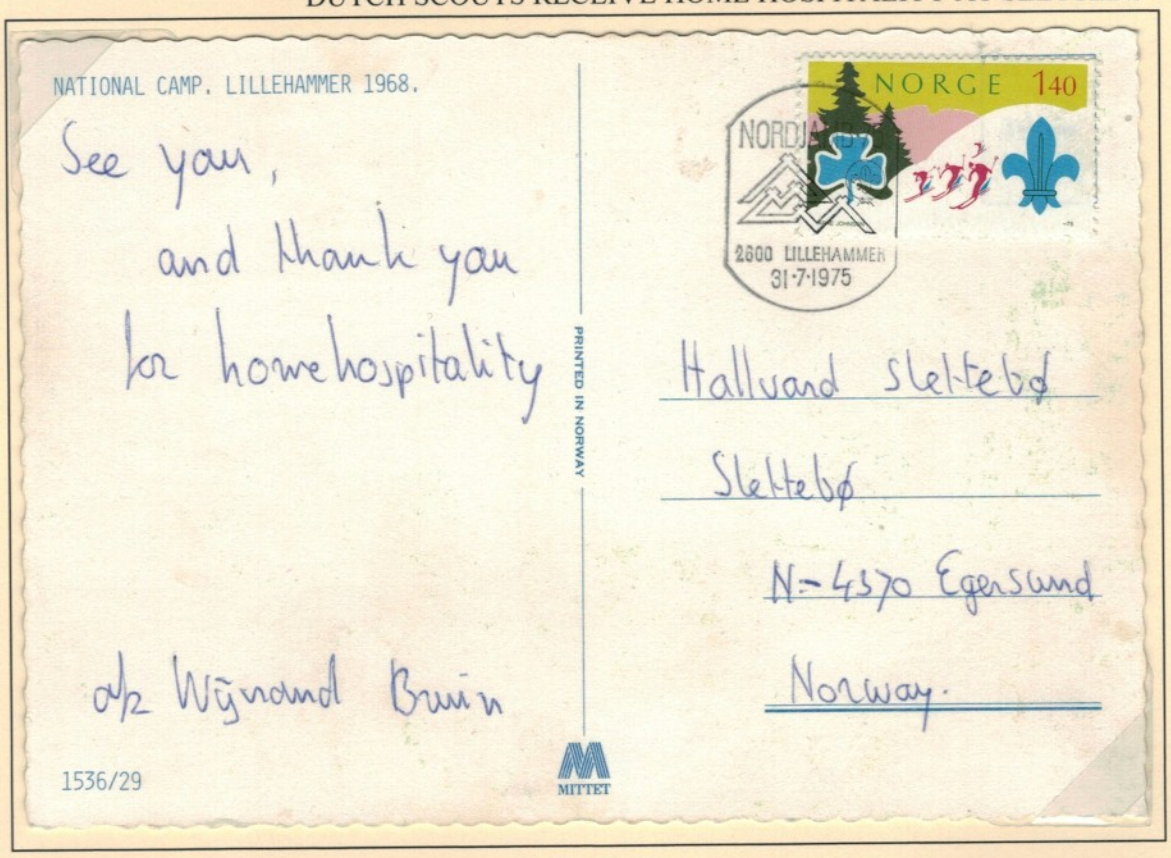
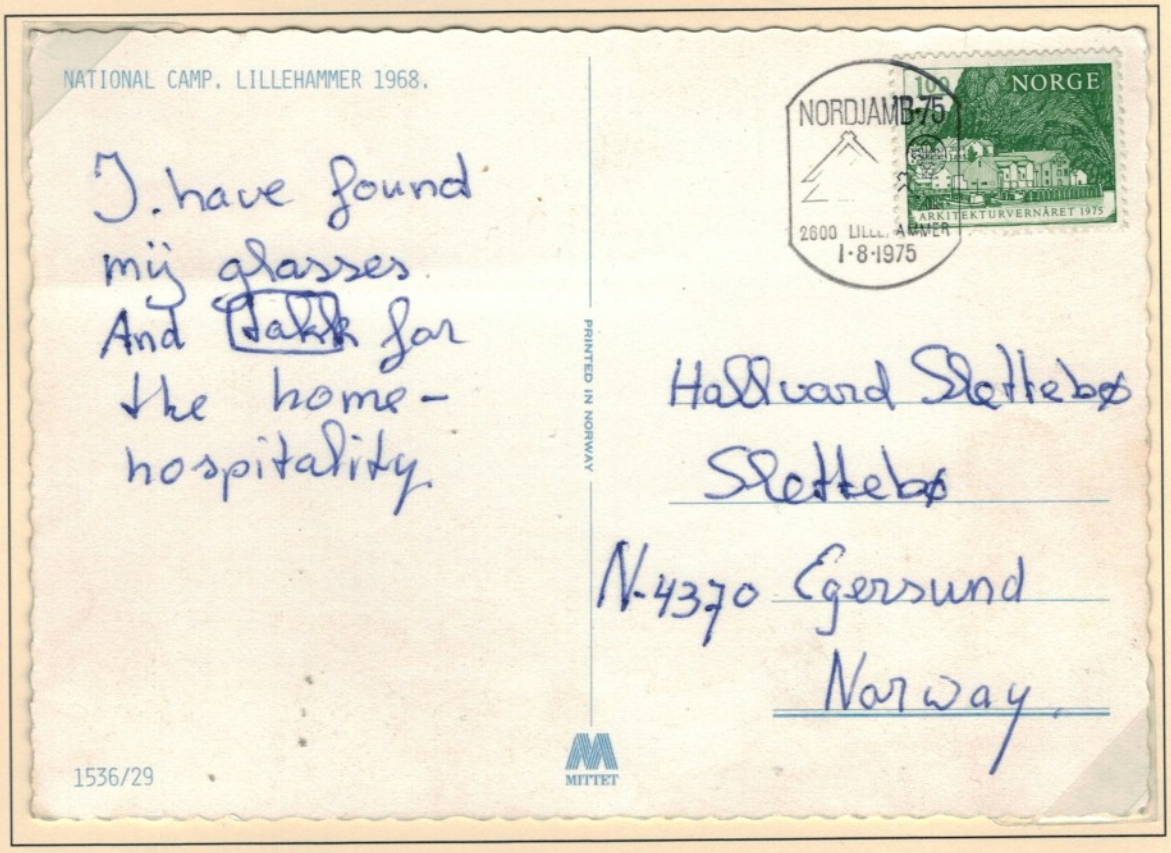
DUTCH SCOUTS RECEIVE HOME HOSPITALITY AT SLETTEBØ



Four Scouts from the Netherlands spent a week prior to the Jamboree in this exhibitor's home. Two of them wrote thank-you cards from Nordjamb.



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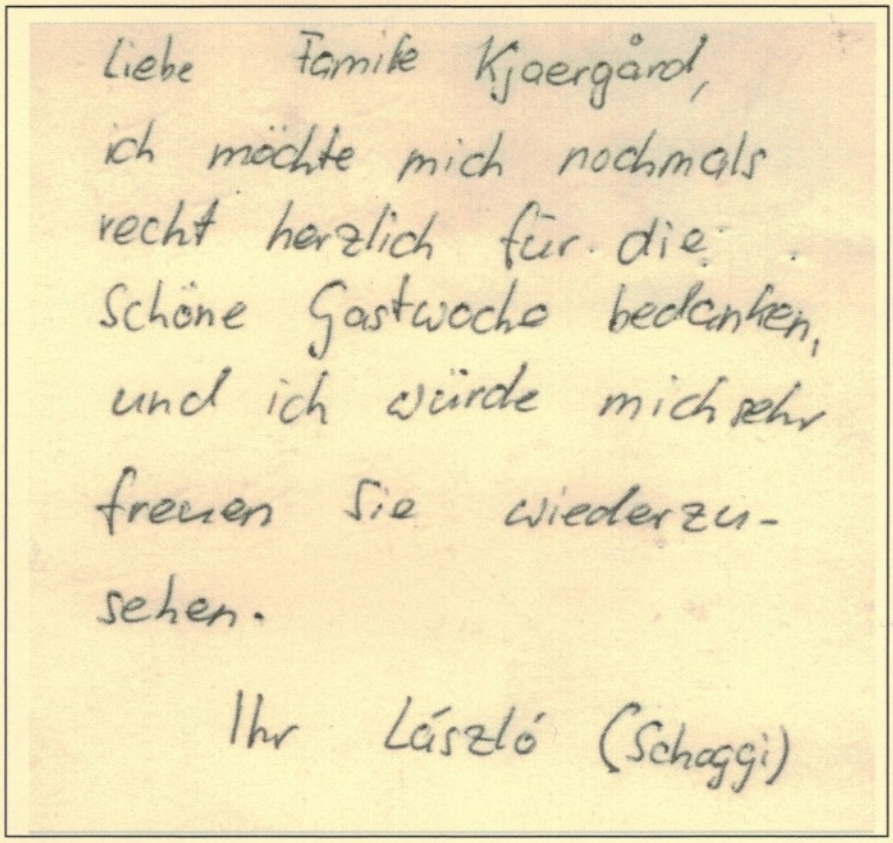
HUNGARIAN SCOUT RECEIVES H.H. IN DENMARK



Liebe Familie Kjaergård,
ich möchte mich nochmals
recht herzlich für die
Schöne Gastwoche bedanken,
und ich würde mich sehr
freuen Sie wiederzu-
sehen.

Ihr László (Schaggi)

László (presumably from Hungary) sends thank-you-for-home-hospitality to Denmark.
The message is written in German.

POSTKORT - CARTE POSTALE

XIV. BOY SCOUTS
WORLD JAMBOREE

NORDJAMB 75
2600 LILLEHAMMER
6·8·1975

NORGE 1.00

Fam.
Jens Kjaergård
Jeppe Akjaersvej 23
Digterrenget
8400 Ebeltoft
Danmark

8. The 25th World Scout Conference

Preparations and P.R.

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FINLAND WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR P.R.

Finland was responsible for public relations, for the World Jamboree as well as for the Conference. Self-adhesive seal (SSCC-SC).

CONFERENCE ADVERTISING METER SLOGAN

Two different advertising meter slogans were used by the Danish Scout Association HQ in Lundsgade, Copenhagen. The first in 1974 advertised the World Jamboree, and this 1975 second type advertised the 25th World Scout Conference. 50 øre for domestic printed matter to 20g 15.6.1974-1.4.1976.

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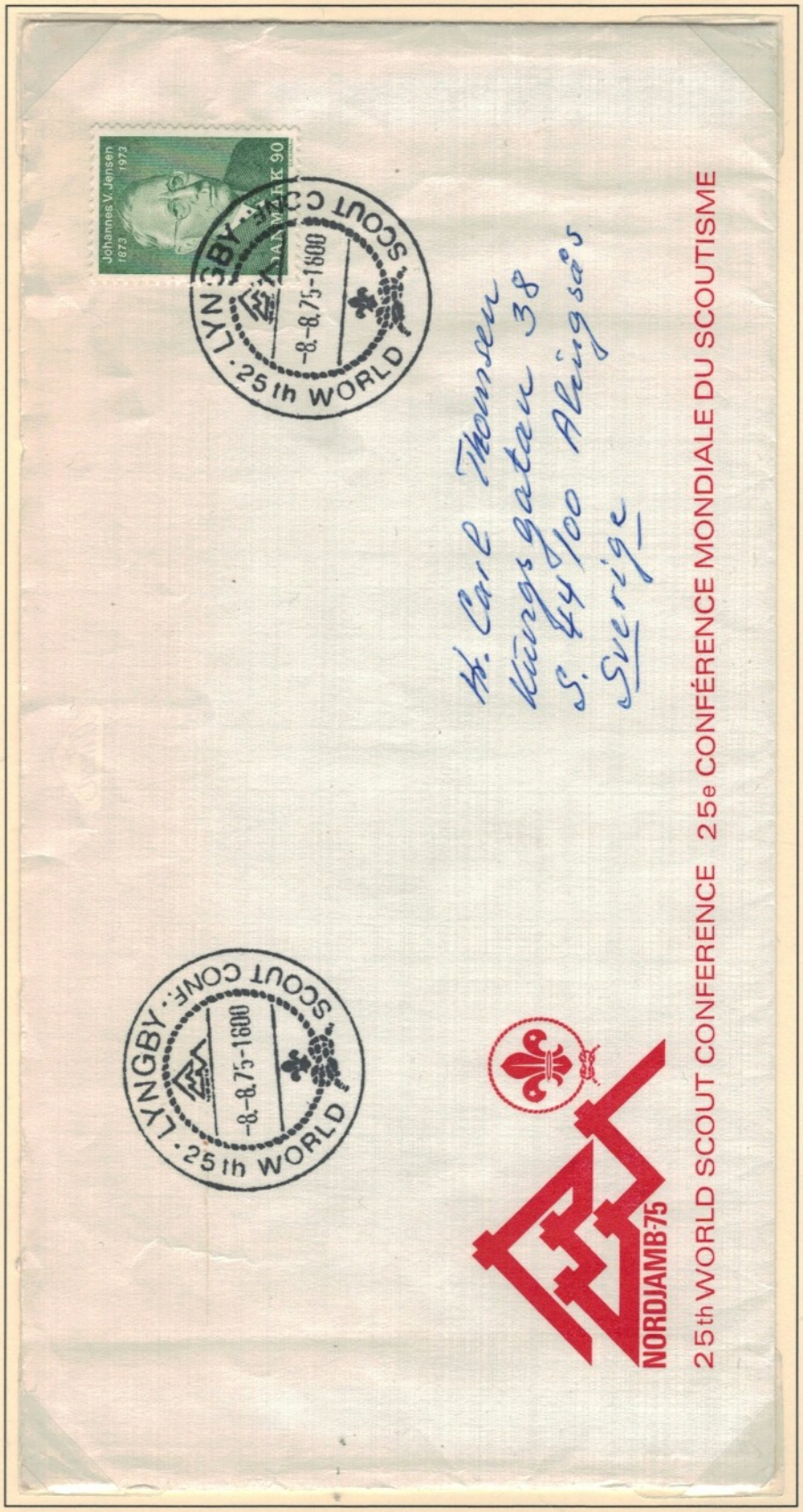
SPECIAL CONFERENCE POSTMARK



Official envelope from the World Scout Conference (not recorded by SSCC). Conference first day postmark LYNGBY -8.-8.-75.

While the Conference was held at Lundtofte, the nearest post office was Lyngby.

A special conference postmark was used from August 8th to 15th. It shows the Nordjamb-75 logo (the tent village) as well as the World Scout badge inside a rope circle.

90 øre for letters to Nordic countries to 20g 15.6.1974-1.4.1976.

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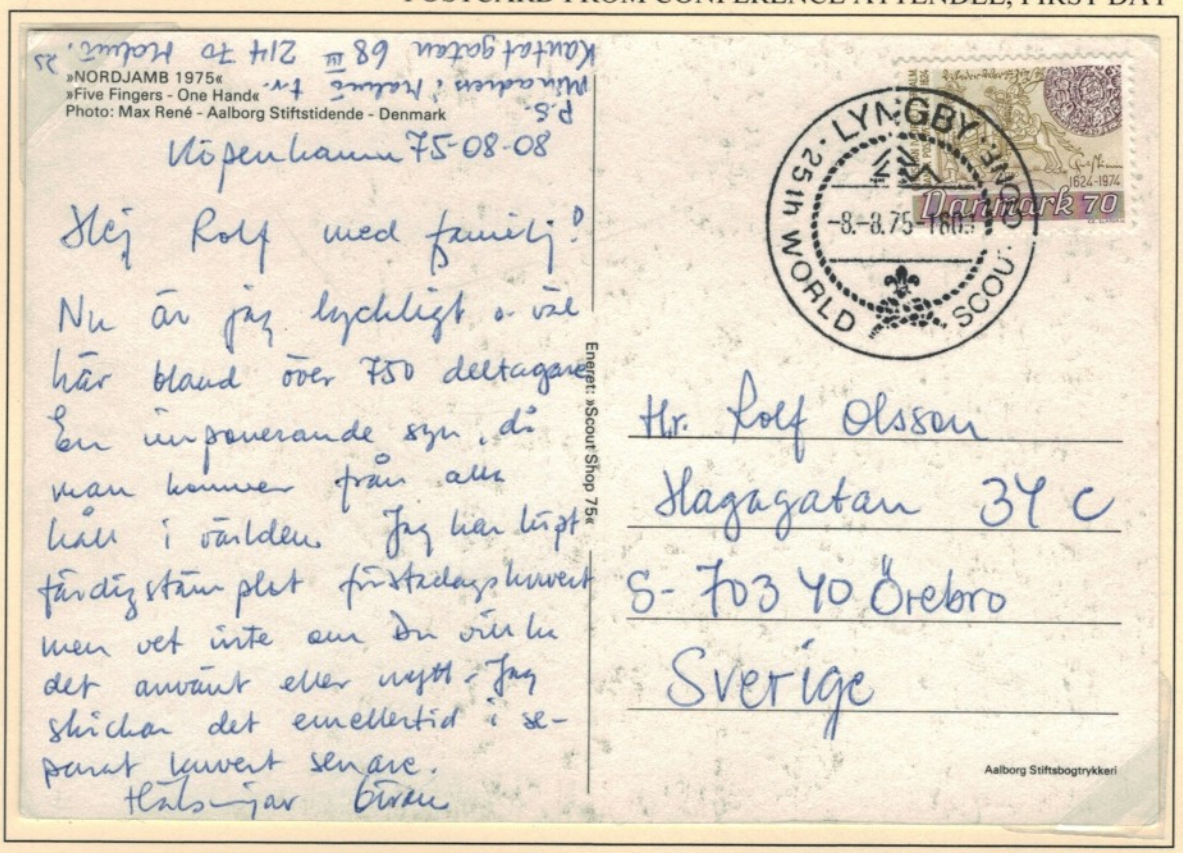
POSTCARD FROM CONFERENCE ATTENDEE, FIRST DAY



Nordjamb-75 postcard (SSCC-P6) written by conference attendee and sent to Sweden.
Conference first day postmark -8-8.75. 70 øre for postcards to Nordic countries 15.6.1974-1.4.1976.

REGISTERED LETTER, LAST DAY

Official souvenir envelope from the World Scout Conference, sent registered to Sweden with regular Lyngby registration label and conference last day postmark LYNGBY 15.-8.-75. 50 registered mail items were sent. 90 øre for letters to Nordic countries to 20g and 260 øre registration fee 15.6.1974-1.4.1976, 10 øre overfranked.

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NORDJAMB-75 SEAL USED AS CACHET, FIRST DAY

Nordjamb-75 seal used as cachet on envelope to England. Conference first day postmark -8-8.75.

SECOND DAY

A total of approx.. 11,500 covers and cards were mailed from the conference via Lyngby post office.

Official souvenir envelope from the World Scout Conference (1,500 printed), sent within Denmark and conference second day postmark LYNGBY -9.-8.-75.

9. Camp Closed

Most of the incoming mail reached the addresses. Undeliverable or non-collected mail was returned to sender when the Jamboree had closed, and similar with mail that arrived after the participants had left. A red cachet "Retur" (Return) was applied on such mail, and on reverse an explanatory label.

INSUFFICIENT ADDRESS, RETURNED

Letter from Austria, the address seem insufficient. 4S for foreign letters to 20g 1.7.1974-1.1.1976. Red "Retur" cachet. On reverse "NORDJAMB-75 29-7-1975" (arrived) and "NORDJAMB-75 7-8-1975" (returned).

DEPARTED, RETURNED

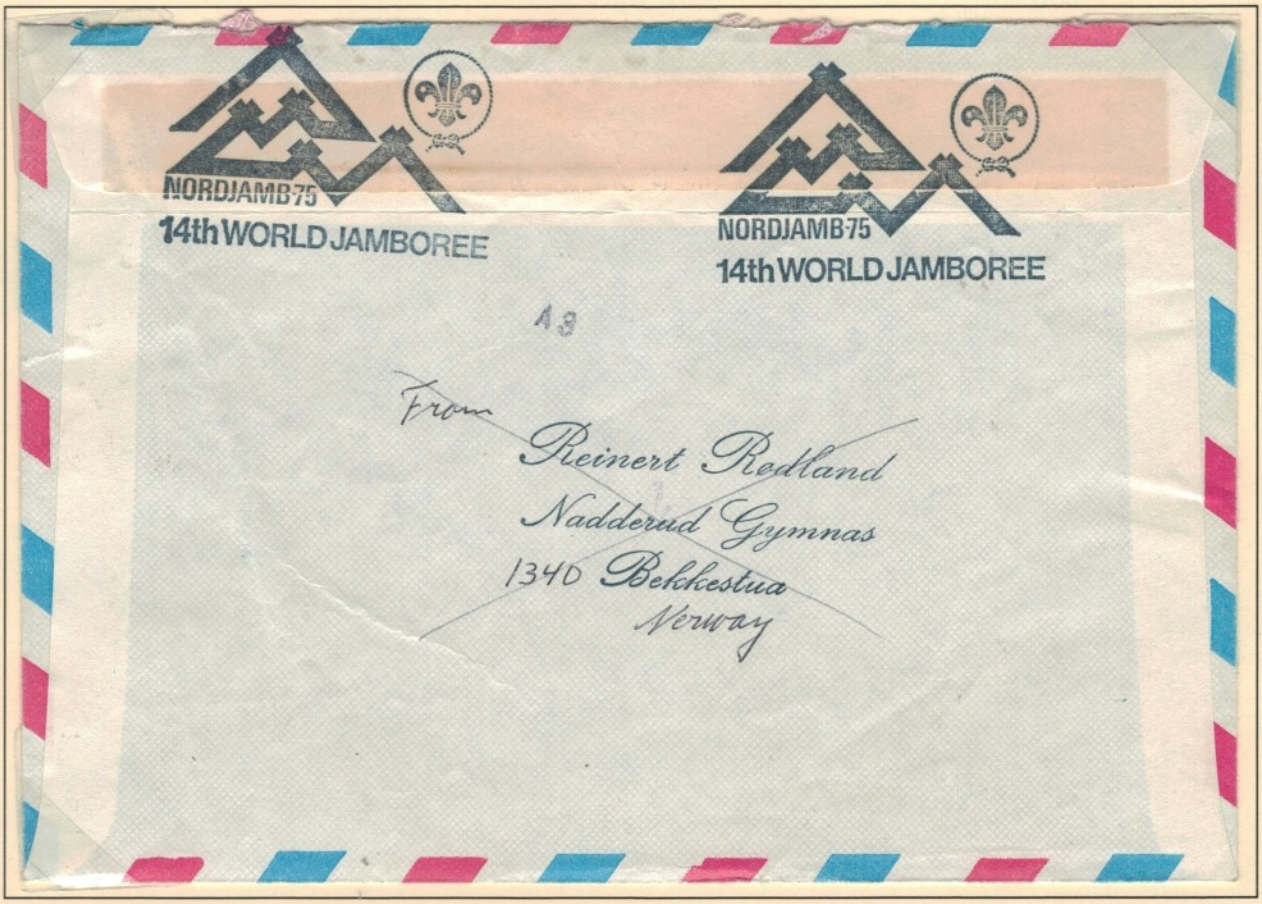
Letter from U.K. 3 AUG 1975 to the Jamboree, on front red "Retur" cachet and on reverse "LILLEHAMMER 11-8-1975" and return label ticked "Departed".

Nordjamb-75 was a resounding success for the attendees from all over the world.
It was also great experience for enthusiastic Scout philatelists!

SCOUT STAMP EXHIBITION AT THE POSTAL MUSEUM

Nordjamb-75 and the support from Norway Post by issuing two postage stamps and a postal card created interested for Scout philately. The Norwegian Postal Museum in Oslo staged a Scout stamp exhibition in the fall of 1975. Reinert Rødland was instrumental in supplying material for the exhibition which had its own special postmark.

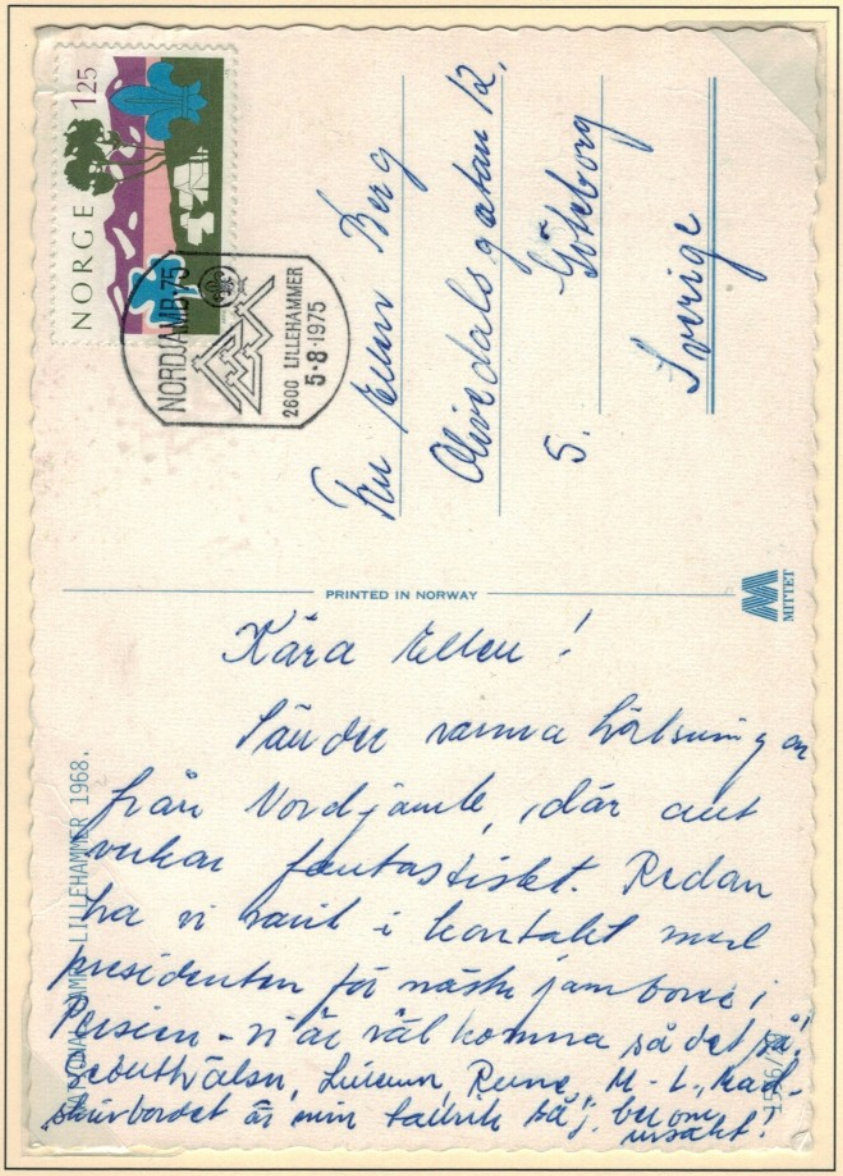
POST-JAMBOREE USE OF NORDJAMB-75 CACHET



Nordjamb-75 was not only a success for the participating Scouts. It also provided a field day for Scout philatelists, as exemplified by this January 1976 cover from Reinert Rødland of Norway to William Anderson in the United States. Mr. Rødland was central in the philatelic activities at Nordjamb-75.

THE NEXT WORLD JAMBOREE WAS PLANNED IN IRAN

The 25th World Scout Conference in Copenhagen that followed immediately after the Jamboree at Lillehammer resolved that the 15th World Scout Jamboree should be held in Iran at Nishapur.

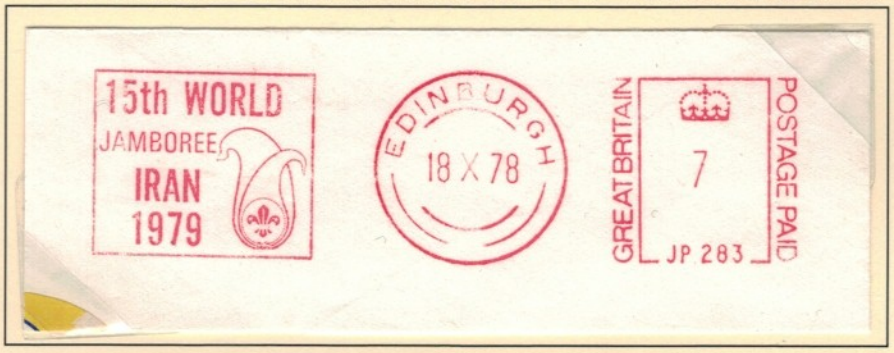


Jamboree viewcard (SSCC-P6) from Nordjamb-75 5-8-1975 to Sweden.

From the written message, translated from Swedish:
We have already been in contact with the president for the next jamboree in Iran – we are welcome!

Scouting is not political, but like anyone else, Scouting is indeed affected by politics. **The destabilizing events of the 1979 Islamic Revolution in Iran caused the 15th World Jamboree to be cancelled near the end of 1978.** Instead, the World Organization of the Scout Movement announced the "World Jamboree Year" by holding several international World Jamboree Year camps in Australia, Canada, Sweden, Switzerland and the United States.

METER SLOGAN ADVERTISING THE 1979 WORLD JAMBOREE



Meter slogan advertising the 1979 World Jamboree in Iran, used by the Scottish Scout association, from EDINBURGH 18 X 78. **Shortly after the Jamboree was cancelled.**

This concludes the history of Nordjamb-75.