

## MITÄ PUNAISELLA MERELLÄ TAPAHTUU? KOSKA PÄÄTÄJÄT HERÄÄVÄT?

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Arvoisa vastaanottaja!

Mitä punaisella merellä tapahtuu? Koska päätäjät heräävät?

***"I am sure that if the mothers of various nations could meet, there would be no more wars."***

*Edward Morgan Forster OM CH was an English author, best known for his novels, particularly A Room with a View, Howards End and A Passage to India. He also wrote numerous short stories, essays, speeches and broadcasts.*

Turkin presidentti Recep Tayyip Erdoğan uhkaili hyökkäystä Kreikkaan ja Armeniaan tammikuun lopulla.

Linkki 13: <https://www.aei.org/op-eds/turkey-threatens-to-invade-greece-and-armenia/>

Norjalainen Jacob Børresen, eläkkeellä oleva merivoimien upseeri ja vanhempi konsultti sotilasteorian, puolustus- ja turvallisuuspolitiikan ja strategian aloilla kirjoittaa vastauksessaan Norjan DCA-sopimuksesta mm. "pelotteen ja liennytyksen välistä tasapainoa siirretään siten, että pelotteelle annetaan enemmän painoarvoa, mikä vaarantaa Norjan vähäjännitteisen politiikan.....Tarkoituksena on lisätä Venäjän pelotetta tekemällä todennäköisemmäksi ja uskottavammaksi, että Norja saa Yhdysvaltain sotilaallista tukea kriiseissä ja sodassa"...

Linkki 12: <https://www.regjeringen.no/no/dokumenter/horingsbrev-forslag-om-ending-av-tilleggsavtale-mellom-norge-og-usa-om-forsvarssamarbeid/>

Liittokansleri Scholz toisti kieltäytyvänsä Taurus-risteilyohjusten toimittamisesta Ukrainaan. Linkki 3: [https://www.t-online.de/nachrichten/deutschland/militaer-verteidigung/id\\_100364946/taurus-debatte-olaf-scholz-liefert-wirklich-nicht-in-die-ukraine.html](https://www.t-online.de/nachrichten/deutschland/militaer-verteidigung/id_100364946/taurus-debatte-olaf-scholz-liefert-wirklich-nicht-in-die-ukraine.html)

Kuunnelkaa ja lukekaa alla olevien linkkien tärkeitä viestejä.

Aurinkoista kevättä!

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**1)**

**Kyiv Post – March 18, 2024 - Europe's Largest NATO Base Under Construction in Romania**

Construction work has begun to expand the existing Romanian 57th Air Base, at Mihail Kogălniceanu, to become the largest NATO military base in Europe at a cost of around €2.5 billion (\$2.7 billion), Euronews reported on March 16. Once complete the base will be the size of a small city, covering an area of almost 3,000 hectares and a total perimeter of 30 kilometers. ...

<https://www.kyivpost.com/post/29678>

**2)**

**t-online – 16.3.2024 - Der wahre Grund, warum Scholz keine Taurus liefert**

*In einer wilden Bundestagsdebatte hat Kanzler Scholz sein Nein zu einer Lieferung von Taurus-Marschflugkörpern an die Ukraine bekräftigt. Nach t-online-Recherchen könnte das einen besonderen Grund haben, der bisher nicht öffentlich bekannt ist.*

... Der ebenfalls geladene Generalinspekteur der Bundeswehr, Carsten Breuer, hielt demnach ein 20-minütiges Referat über die wichtigsten Fakten zum Taurus: Neben Einsatzfähigkeit und Stückzahl (die Luftwaffe verfügt nach Schätzungen über rund 600 Taurus) soll Breuer auch über besondere Risiken einer Lieferung für die Sicherheitsinteressen Deutschlands gesprochen haben.

Eine mit dem Vorgang vertraute Person berichtet t-online, dass manchen Abgeordneten dabei "die Kinnladen heruntergeklappt" sei. "Nach Breuers Vortrag war erst mal Stille im Raum. Selbst diejenigen, die sonst laut Forderungen stellen, hatten keine Fragen mehr."...

[https://www.t-online.de/nachrichten/deutschland/militaer-verteidigung/id\\_100364946/taurus-debatte-olaf-scholz-liefert-wirklich-nicht-in-die-ukraine.html](https://www.t-online.de/nachrichten/deutschland/militaer-verteidigung/id_100364946/taurus-debatte-olaf-scholz-liefert-wirklich-nicht-in-die-ukraine.html)

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**YouTube – March 13, 2024 - NATO Falling Apart - The US that Hurts My Heart, Col. Larry Wilkerson**

*Col. (ret.) Lawrence Wilkerson's last positions in government were as Secretary of State Colin Powell's Chief of Staff (2002-05), Associate Director of the State Department's Policy Planning staff under the directorship of Ambassador Richard N. Haass, and member of that staff responsible for East Asia and the Pacific, political-military and legislative affairs (2001-02).*

*Before serving at the State Department, Wilkerson served 31 years in the U.S. Army. During that time, he was a member of the faculty of the U.S. Naval War College (1987 to 1989), Special Assistant to General Powell when he was Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (1989-93), and Director and Deputy Director of the U.S. Marine Corps War College at Quantico, Virginia (1993-97). Wilkerson retired in 1997 and began work as an advisor to General Powell. He has also taught national security affairs at the George Washington University.*

*... Nulands departure: ..."rats leaving the sinking ship"... "you are going to see quite a few people, who are identified with and cheerleaders for the support of the Ukraine against Russia, kind of leaving the structure"..*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b6oxz7LDpeo>

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#### **Anadolu Ajansi - 12.03.2024 - Thousands rally in Athens against Greece's deployment of warship to Red Sea, Gaza war**

Thousands of people rallied Monday in Athens against Greece's deployment of a warship to the Red Sea as part of the European Union's Aspides mission and Israel's ongoing attacks on Gaza. ...

<https://www.aa.com.tr/en/europe/thousands-rally-in-athens-against-greece-s-deployment-of-warship-to-red-sea-gaza-war/3161922>

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#### **euobserver – March 11, 2024 - US and EU top arms sales to Middle East and Israel**

*The US and EU are supplying the most weapons to the Middle East, including to Israel, as the Gaza war threatens to ignite a regional conflict.*

The US, France, Italy, and Germany together supplied 81 percent of Middle East arms imports in the 2019-2023 period, said the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (Sipri), a Swedish think-tank, on Monday (11 March).

<https://euobserver.com/world/158201>

<https://www.sipri.org/media/press-release/2024/european-arms-imports-nearly-double-us-and-french-exports-rise-and-russian-exports-fall-sharply>

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### **VERTON – 11. März 2024 - Die geistige Mobilmachung und die Selbstgleichschaltung von Intellektuellen**

Vom Frieden zum Krieg führt immer derselbe Schritt, der massenmediale Gleichschritt. Der militärischen Mobilmachung geht stets eine geistige voraus, ein gezielter Angriff auf das öffentliche Bewusstsein.

Mit den Waffen der Massenmedien, mit der Erzeugung von Angst und Hass, lässt sich eine weit überwiegend friedensorientierte Bevölkerung in kürzester Zeit in eine kriegstrunkene Masse verwandeln. Ein ebenso altes wie bewährtes Mittel. Und stets Indikator einer neuen Vorkriegszeit.

<https://overton-magazin.de/hintergrund/politik/die-geistige-mobilmachung-und-die-selbstgleichschaltung-von-intellektuellen/>

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### **Ground News - March 10, 2024 - Obama adviser: "Even with the Taurus, Ukraine has no realistic chance"**

*Charles A. Kupchan was a foreign policy advisor to the Obama administration. An interview on the dangers of escalation and the prospects for peace in Ukraine.*

<https://ground.news/article/obama-adviser-even-with-the-aurus-ukraine-has-no-realistic-chance>

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### **KSL.com – March 10,2024 - Poland's foreign minister says the presence of NATO troops in Ukraine is 'not unthinkable'**

WARSAW, Poland — Poland's foreign minister says the presence of NATO forces in Ukraine "is not unthinkable" and that he appreciates the French president for not ruling out that idea.

Radek Sikorski made the observation during a discussion marking the 25th anniversary of Poland's accession to NATO in the Polish parliament Friday, and the Foreign Ministry tweeted the comments later in English. ...

<https://www.ksl.com/article/50945003/polands-foreign-minister-says-the-presence-of-nato-troops-in-ukraine-is-not-unthinkable>

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**YouTube – March 10, 2024 - "Everyone needs to WAKE UP to pay attention or thousands more will die" Scott Ritter**

*... "Israel is dictating the operations of the United States"... Israel owns Joe Biden, they own the Congress, they own America"....*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pZ4fdNFyOyU>

**10)**

**MAGYAR BÉKEKÖR - March 12, 2024 - NATO also rejects Pope Francis' peace efforts**

On Monday, NATO and its leading power, the United States, rejected Pope Francis' proposal to Ukrainian President Zelensky to conclude a ceasefire and negotiate peace with Russia, reported the correspondent of the Hungarian Peace Community.

*"Ukraine needs weapons, not a white flag,"* NATO Secretary General Jens Stoltenberg said in a statement to Reuters.

<https://bekekor.wordpress.com/>

**11)**

**POLITICO – March 8, 2024 - French soldiers train for the killing fields of Europe**

*"The world has revealed its true nature: unstable, dangerous, and not everyone is a friend,"* said senior French colonel.

... After decades of military operations in Africa, France is increasingly focusing on Europe's eastern flank — and its armed forces need to be credible, army chief General Pierre Schill said in January. By 2027 the French army aims to be able to deploy one division of about 25,000 soldiers in 30 days....

<https://www.politico.eu/article/french-soldiers-under-fire-train-for-what-war-is-like/>

**12)**

**Regeringen Norge - 25.2.2024 - Hørings svar fra Jacob Børresen –**

*Opprettelsen av omforente områder truer norsk lavspenningspolitikk*

*Jacob Børresen, pensjonert marineoffiser, flaggkommandør og seniorkonsulent innen fagområdene militærteori, forsvars- og sikkerhetspolitikk og strategi.*

... Når balansen mellom avskrekking og beroligelse forrykkes i retning av større vekt på avskrekking trues norsk lavspenningspolitikk....

<https://www.regjeringen.no/no/dokumenter/horingsbrev-forslag-om-endring-av-tilleggsavtale-mellom-norge-og-usa-om-forsvarssamarbeid/>

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**American Enterprise Institute (AEI) - February 12, 2024 - Turkey Threatens to Invade Greece and Armenia**

*By Michael Rubin, Middle East Forum Observer*

On January 27, 2024, two days after the Biden administration again urged Congress to greenlight F-16 sales to Turkey, Turkey's President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan said at a public meeting of his ruling Justice and Development Party (AKP), "Our struggle did not end with expelling the enemy [Greeks] from our lands and throwing them into the sea from Izmir." It was a provocative statement given the massacre at Smyrna, today's Izmir, killed up to 100,000 and, according to scholars, amounted to genocide against Anatolia's Greek Christians. ...

<https://www.aei.org/op-eds/turkey-threatens-to-invade-greece-and-armenia/>