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Dear Donders family

In this second edition of this year we obviously look back at the "Donders Day" at Robbers & van den Hoogen (see page 3).

Furthermore, this autumn edition contains among others the addi-

tions to the family archive.

A glance in the cellars of Robbers &

A glance in the cellars of Robbers & van den Hoogen

Do you have supplementary data or contributions from your family? Has someone been born or passed away, married or divorced, went living together or separated? Can you report about a reunion, a jubilee, a special anniversary or another special event in the family? If so please inform our secretary or e-mail the information to us. We thank you very much in advance for your cooperation. Please give special attention to address changes!

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Donders stamps (2)

In the Donders Newsletter of last May I wrote a short article on stamps. It concerned stamps published by the Dutch Postal and Telecom Company (PTT) in 1935 including a portrait of Professor Frans Donders (GS 340) and by the Surinam Postal and Telecom Company in 1982 with portraits of Peter (Peerke) Donders (GS 97). Afterwards, while reading old newspaper articles of the 'Newspaper of the South' ('Nieuwsblad van het Zuiden'), I found two summaries:

Date: 11 February 1966

On the occasion of the century celebration of the Fathers Redemptorists a stamp has been published with the portrait of former citizen of Tilburg Peerke Donders.

Date: 28 October 1966

On the occasion of the century celebration of the Fathers Redemptorists a stamp has been published by the Surinam PTT with the portrait of Peerke Donders.

So there was more. It seemed that two stamps had been published by the Fathers Redemptorists in the Netherlands as well as in Surinam. At the stamps market, after some search, one could find the stamps that were published by Surinam. They did not have anything else. So I decided to try to contact the Fathers Redemptorists directly. I received a very friendly note from them attaching several 'first-day envelopes' (26 March 1966) with the Surinam stamps. It seemed that both articles in fact meant the same stamp.

At the next page, the stamps of these 'first-day envelopes' are depicted with the following pictures:

4ct: Peerke Donders (1809-1887)

10ct: The Coppename church and vicarage in the leprous village Batavia in Surinam (1844) where Peerke Donders worked

15ct: Bishop J.B. Swinkels of Surinam (1875)

25ct: The wooden cathedral in Paramaribo (1885) where Peerke Donders is buried

With our special acknowledgements to Father Konings and Brother Paschalis.

Hein Donders (GS 809)





the Surinam stamps

Donders Day in Arnhem

On Saturday 10 may 2003 the first Donders Day was held in the wine museum in Arnhem. The Donders family that is leading the wine purchase and the wine museum happily opened their doors for this event. For us as Board of the Foundation of the Donders Family Archives it was an excellent location to further meet the many different Donders persons.

For that day we had collected the necessary material to give everyone an impression what the Foundation has been doing – and still is doing. There were photographs, Donders books with the genealogy, books in which – in whatever form – references were made to Donders persons, the many editions of the Donders Newsletter, collection material of Peerke Donders etc.

On that day we of course also tried to recruit new subscribers, since the publication of the Donders Newsletter is dependent on donations. About one hundred Donders persons were present at that day; they participated in the wine tasting of Robbers & van den Hoogen, visited the wine museum and afterwards came to the bar, where the Foundation had its stand that day. While enjoying a glass of wine and a Donders candy ('drop'), the Donders



people met each other. It became clear soon that they came from different parts of the country and many did not know each other or had never met. Everyone was interested in the work of the Foundation and in what the

wine museum had to offer.

Yvonne Donders spontaneously offered to translate Dutch texts of the Donders Newsletter into English, so that they can also be read by Donders persons abroad, who do not or no longer speak the Dutch language. Yvonne, thank you very much, we are very pleased with your offer.

That day several people promised us to keep sending us all kinds of information that has/had a link with the Donders family. Someone for example promised to send us a book of Professor Donders. We hope to receive it soon. We also hope to receive a large number of newspaper articles, adds and annoucements of marriages and marriage anniversaries, deaths, births etc. as promised.

Even if you have not promised anything, you are more than welcome to send us whatever you wish, by mail to the Secretariat or by e-mail.

We as the Foundation for the Donders Family Archives consider this day as a positive experience. A first start has been made to have more contact with the Donders family and to enlarge our file of subscriptions. We are aware that it might take some time and energy to realise these things. We will strive to organise a day like





(under reservation). We are looking for a good location and a new theme and will try to again organise a nice day for you. Make sure you will be there!

We would like to thank once again all the visitors of that day, the management of Robbers & van den Hoogen, the company 'Autodrop' who delivered the Donders

candies free of charge and those who were not present this day but have subscribed.

See you next year Corrie Donders (GS 965)

Subscribers!

As you know, the Foundation of the Donders Family Archives Tilburg can only survive with a sufficient number of subscribers. At the foundation in 1982 the Board of that time expected 500 subscribers, with which the Foundation could financially manage. Then also the Board made a firm call for more subscriptions. At first instance (1983), only 200 subscribers had registered, while one was counting on 500. In June 1985, the number of 500 subscriptions was easily met. It was in fact possible.

The last ten years, subscriptions have gradually ceased. There are currently about 260 subscriptions. In November 1998 the idea was even proposed whether it would not be better to dissolve the Foundation. Still afterwards people have shown willingness to continue this work. A continuation does not only depend on the presence of a Board, but is much more dependent upon the subscribers. Why are these subscriptions so important? From a subscriber we expect:

- A contribution in the costs. The subscription for 2004 has been set at € 10,- (for EU citizens), but you are welcome to donate more.
- A contribution in the copy. The Board alone cannot purchase all the stories to fill a Donders Newsletter.
- Information of changes in the genealogical data. For this, we are totally dependent upon subscribers, because recent information is not provided by any institution because of the protection of private data.

What can you, as subscriber, expect? The Board has the intention to:

- Increase the service and, as announced, to try again to see whether it is feasible to present two editions of the Donders Newsletter per year (with your cooperation).
- To keep the website www.dondersnieuws.nl up to date.
- To answer your genealogical Donders questions.
- To approach Donders family members abroad to ask them to become subscribers. As you know, we strive for an English version of the Donders Newsletter for them.
 When we succeed, we will let you know.

 To organise meetings from time to time (such as the Donders Day at 10 May 2003 in the Wine museum in Arnhem) to promote the friendly relationships between family members.

As stated above, there are currently 260 subscriptions. To be able to remain viable (and to continue the activities) this amount should be around 500. We therefore ask you to start 'hunting' for new subscriptions (also within your family, even abroad) to keep the Foundation and the Donders Newsletter alive. It is not necessary that these people carry the name Donders. If they warmly support our Foundation, it is an encouragement. To encourage you we have a nice surprise for the person that brings forward the largest number of (paying) subscriptions before 1 July 2004.

We count very much on you.

Hein Donders (GS 809)



In our May edition we have asked you to show us your creativity with regard to the design of the logo for our Foundation. This logo

could be used for the Donders-Newsletter and possibly also for our website and correspondence. We have received one single response of Patrick Donders asking us to send him the former logo, however, we have never had anything like that.



Who will spend the long winternights in a creative way? The wonderful bottle of Donders-wine is still waiting for the designer of the winning logo (so, Patrick, go for it...?)

Family archive or genealogical register?

The Foundation of the Donders Family Archive tries to register all family relations with the name 'Donders'. It concerns a name that originates in Tilburg and environment and until now no relation has been found with the Limburg (NL) or Belgian name 'Donders'. In the Netherlands no central or municipal persons archive exists that can be consulted by the Foundation. Consequently, the Foundation is dependent upon information of family members themselves to update its archive. To keep the system going, it is therefore important that as much family members as possible feel involved in it. We hope that they will provide the secretariat with additions and changes. As subscribers these family members will be kept informed of the things happening in the family through the Donders Newsletter which is issued twice a year.

In the past, three books have been published (in 1938, 1982 and 1996) entitled "Het Tilburgse geslacht Donders" [The Tilburg Family Donders], in which all known Donders relations at that time were included. Often these publications were considered as a genealogical register, which might be translated as 'blood relationship'. However, this is not the case. All the early data is coming from christening registers, marriage registers, sale and purchase certificates, and, as stated before, recently from family members themselves. This resulted in a publication of 'registered' data and information that the family members themselves were willing to supply. The following examples show which consequences this has.

As long as mankind exists, men and women have had relationships out of which children were born. For various reasons, the child could be unwelcome or unwanted; for example because of poverty or because of a secret relationship. In the case of poverty an adopted family was searched for. In case of a 'forbidden' relationship' it was considered better to keep silent about this relationship. The child was most often taken up by the women's

family and registered as an own child.

- In the early days, when a not-married woman had a baby, it was often the shame of the (well-to-do) family. This was also (and maybe even especially) the case for the roman-Catholic south of the Netherlands. Solutions had to be found and the church was often helpful in this respect. Often a couple was found that was willing to adopt the child.
- In war situations, relationships also existed. The child might afterwards even start to look for its biological father or mother.
- As long as mankind exists, women find men who are often in the news (men in high places, movie stars, top athletes, etc.) often very attractive. And these men find themselves irresistible. Sometimes, contacts were established and these contacts might have consequences. For the latest news it is better to read the tabloids.

Furthermore, registered data depend upon applied legislation, which changes over time, especially in the last decennia.

- When married coupled have a baby, the child is normally registered under the name of the husband. However, it can also be done under the name of the wife.
- It is possible to adopt a child. This child will have the name of the father or the mother.
- Persons of the same sex (male as well as female) can have themselves registered and can marry nowadays. These couples can also have a child in various ways.
- There is the phenomenon of ???, by which a woman gives birth to a child for another woman who wishes to be a mother, but for whom this is biologically impossible.
- Women can also have a child through IVF, by which the father may not be known.

 And what should we imagine in this regard if cloning will become part of our lives?

We do not mean to make clear that blood relationship is exceptional. On the contrary. In by far the most situations the general picture will be that of blood relationship, also in the Donders family. However, the list with possible 'twists' in the cable of blood relationship (and the list is certainly not complete), shows clearly that, if a family name is submitted, this does not always imply that the blood relationship is correct. The only basis for the family archive is the legally registered data and the information provided by you. If you have a copy of the book, you will see here and there that also in the Donders family, non-blood relationship events have happened. In fact that is the beauty of the family archive: it shows life as it is, with all its interesting components.

It is therefore more clear to speak about a family archive and family relations instead of a genealogical register. Is there anybody who would like to react on this strain of thought? Please let us know. And again, the updating of the family archive is almost completely dependent upon information supplied by you. We, as Foundation, have the feeling that too little Donders family members are subscribers to the Donders Newsletter and that therefore no information stems from this area. It is highly appreciated if you would look beyond your own family. You may consider this a call for action: **RECRUIT SUBSCRIPTIONS and HUNT FOR INFORMATION.**

Hein Donders (GS 809)

Historical news from the Tilburg newspaper "De Tilburgsche Courant" 23-08-1894

Last Sunday the announced cycling round took place of the VI department of the Noord Brabant cycling group. The results:

5.000 metres: 2nd . H. Donders 10.000 metres: 2nd . H. Donders Slow cycling: 2nd . H. Donders

Our question is: who is H. Donders and who can write a short story on him?

The books "Het geslacht Donders" [the family Donders]

We already noted in the last edition of the Donders Newsletter the fact that both the green book of 1982 and the red book of 1996 which have been published by our foundation are totally sold out. Therefore we have prepared a CD-ROM with the texts of the 1996 edition (in Word). This CD-ROM has been presented at the Donders Day on 10 May and is for sale now at our secretariat for \in 18,00 including mailing costs.



Jacques Donders (GS 261)

Dear Donders family,

We have taken a look at the CD and it is rather nice to see how far it goes back in time. It is a nice memory, we hope that in the next book my children will be also included. Best regards,

send in:

Fam Slijpen Donders



Historical news from the Tilburg newspaper "De Tilburgsche Courant" 22-1-1888 The Ice Party which was organized by the Skating Club last Thursday has been successful. Speed skating: first prize Herman Roozendaal, second E. Herculijns

Figure skating: first prize **Henri Donders**, second Fr. Janzen Speed skating for children: first prize Antoon Koene, second W. Krever. Hunt skating: one prize for Mr. W. Roozendaal.

The same question here: who knows who Henri Donders is and can write a short story on him?

Yvonne Donders (GS 771)

At the recently in May 2003 organized Donders Day at the Wine Company Robbers & van den Hoogen in Arnhem, we as foundation have called for cooperation. I would like to repeat that call here, because it not only counts for the visitors that day, but for all other members. Under the slogan "HEY, are you still there?" we are looking for:

- 200 contributors
- young active persons
- journalist regional news
- your story
- foreign Donders family members
- older active persons
- proof-reader/translator English

Very spontaneous Yvonne Donders volunteered as proof-reader/ translator English. Just what we needed to start up our foreign activities. Yvonne's own contribution you will find below.

Hein Donders (GS 809)

Yvonne Donders

During the Donders Day in Arnhem I met the board of the Foundation. I knew the genealogical register, since an uncle of my father, Peter Donders, is the author of the first edition of "the Tilburg Donders Family", which followed the book of 1938 "The Donders Family" by ing. J. van der Eerden. In Arnhem, we spoke about the statue of Professor Donders in Utrecht. For years the bad shape of the statue irritates me and I always pretend to do something about it, without actually taking any action. Perhaps this contribution can change that. Perhaps there are people who have ideas how to handle this.

When I started my studies (General Arts) at the University of Utrecht in 1990, I honestly had no idea that this was a special "Donders city". I found out that there was a FC Dondersstreet, but there is also one in Haarlem, where I was born and raised, so I did not find that really special. When during one of my exams the professor when checking the names jokingly asked me

whether I was not at the wrong Faculty, I had to think a bit before I got the joke. Soon I found the Janskerhof and there Professor Donders appeared to be sitting on his chair live-size I immediately struck me that the statue is not very well maintained. It has turned green and the name is hardly readable. I have once joked to my father that if I would once be a professor, I would sit on his lap. Professor Donders is truly famous in Utrecht, proven also by the exhibition about him that was organized in the Utrecht University Museum last year. The fame of Professor Donders goes much further indeed. Something that perhaps not many people know is that Professor Donders can even be found in the former Dutch passports! In this passport an overview is given of Dutch history, whereby on page 21 it is stated that research by eye doctor Donders gained international fame.

After my studies in Utrecht I have done a PhD on the right to cultural identity at the Law faculty of Maastricht University. Currently I am working as a human rights specialist at UNESCO Headquarters in Paris. One of the issues that UNESCO is protecting and promoting is world cultural and natural heritage. A so-called world heritage list has been developed, on which one can also find Dutch heritage: Schokland and surroundings, the defence line of Amsterdam, the mill network of Kinderdijk, the historical region of Willemstad and the harbour of the Dutch Antilles, the pumping station of Ir. D.F, Wouda, the drying of de Beemster and the Rietveld Schroder House. I read recently that the archives of the VOC will also be added to the list. The World Heritage List is linked with the UNESCO Convention concerning the Protection of World Cultural and Natural Heritage, adopted in 1972. Since then more than 175 States have signed this Convention and have indicated which sites and objects in their country fall under this treaty. These are sites and objects that are of such value that they should be preserved for humanity. By signing and ratifying this Convention States oblige themselves to protect this cultural heritage for future generations.

Well, I would not suggest to take action to have the statue of Professor Donders placed on the World Heritage List, but perhaps the Donders Family can do something to restore the statue.



Yvonne Donders (GS 771)





Have a look at our website: www.dondersnieuws.nl

Advertising in the DondersNieuws

We offer Donders family members the opportunity to advertise in the Donders Newsletter.

This way we can receive extra finances to remain the Donders Newsletter. Whoever is interested can send an ad to the secretariat or mail it to the Donders Newsletter. You will have to provide for the text yourself.

You can choose either A5 or A6 size; these cost € 75 and € 50 respectively.

In each Donders Newsletter there is only limited space for ads, because the main concern are the articles. Therefore, we presume for the time being a one-time placement. If you would like additional information, please contact one of the members of the board.

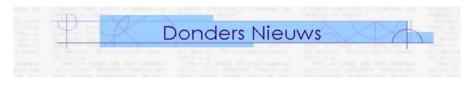
Corrie Donders (GS 965)

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Internet

The following article we found somewhere:

"Ninety-five per cent of that made by amateurs is not worth anything" said designer Louis Donders of "De Vonk communication specialists" in Tilburg. "Amongst the five per cent left you often find fresh ideas. You can profit from that, especially if you talk about a field that is developing, such as the creation of websites." Donders has graduated from the academy of arts and he is a member of the Profession Group of Dutch Designers (BNO). As a professional designer I also create websites, without being educated on that. The difference with the cowboy that creates a website at his attic room, is that I work from my profession as designer and put out the work for which I find myself not good enough. Such is the case for example in technical matters." Donders sees a tendency of customers being less critical. "Especially in the case of websites. The idea is often 'as long as we are on the web'."



Have you ever looked at our website? www.dondersnieuws.nl

Indeed it has not been built in an attic room, but "we are on the web"! Our website has not been built by a professional designer, but if anyone would like to contribute artistically, they would be more than welcome of course.



Henk Weijters



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Brabants 🌉 Dagblad

Donders Best

In the Tiburg Donders family (tree Jan Donders, obviously related to Peerke) there is the good habit of throwing a party for aunt Jac every five years. Aunt Jac is the single daughter of 'tree father' Jan who also likes to support these family reunions. Last year it was even a bigger party, because this sugar aunt turned 85.

About 160 people had travelled to party centre Riddershoeve in Berkel-Enschot. To separate all the different Donders family members, they all wore a sticker, not only with their own name, but also the names of their (grand-)parents. This way, Marthe of Henk of uncle Harry could run into Vera of Ankie of uncle Harry.

The Donders family contains a lot of musicians. You can find them in the police band, the band 'Sophia's Vereeniging uit Loon op Zand', Gao toch speule, Trammelanto, 't Muziekske and the Tilburg Big Band. It was therefore a piece of cake to establish a band for the occasion. The name of the band was **Donders Best (Donders Goed).**

The 25 members had learned four songs, among which 'vrijgezel' (bachelor) of Benny Neijman (a bachelor never sleeps).

Aunt Jac found it great and had to wipe away several tear when all Donders family members started to sing 'lang zal ze leven' (happy birthday).



Popular play Berentand promises much PassionBy Willem Geurts

Friday 25 April 2003 – The drama club 'Onderling Kunstgenot' plays tonight and afterwards five times more the play Berentand. The popular play of play writer Hans Lakwijk was once meant for performance elsewhere, but will now have its 'world premiere' in St Michelsgestel.

On the occasion of the 85th birthday of the drama club 'Onderling Kunstgenot', it treats its public to Berentand, a popular play. The visitors at one of the six nights will not await a comedy, but a play with intensity. "The character roles in Berentand are a great challenge for our players" Piet Donders said, the storyteller. "A play with much passion", promises muse Corry de Ridder.

"You are a strong person if you can handle life as it comes. That is the idea of Berentand", Piet Donders stated.

> Storyteller Piet Donders (foto Clemens Le Blanc)



We asked ourselves if Piet could also tell something about the Donders characters, but of course all of you can do that.

Brabants Dagblad run 10 KM (07-09-2003 Tilburg)

Some of the results of the 10 KM run:

Mario Donders	Laakdaal(BELGIUM)	34e
Joost Donders	CZ Actief in gezondheid	139e
Peter Donders	Hoes Technical support	382e



30-01-2003 Empty bottles for a nicer schoolvard By our reporter

Velp – pupils of the Biljoen School in Velp (in the meantime called "colour state") make sure themselves that they will have a perfect schoolvard soon. For this purpose they have last week collected in the neighbourhood hundreds of empty bottles.

Pupils of the Bilioen School carried cages of empty bottles to the street. The campaign brought the Bilioen School almost 300 euro in total. "The children would like to have a nice schoolyard, but unfortunately there is no money to buy extra equipment" says **Eleonoor Donders** (GS 1035), one of the parents involved in the bottles campaign. The schoolyard of the public school at the Grutto Street is rather sombre at the moment. On the terrain a building has been placed for the Beukenborg, an organisation for children with development arrears. Together with the Foundation Wellbeing Rheden and the Protestant-Christian Prince Bernard School, the Biljoen School and the Beukenborgh form the Children Island of Velp-South. A large part of the constructions over the last months took place at the former schoolyard of the Biljoen School, "The marks are clearly visible, Containers and building material are everywhere. The yard is still totally upside down. That has to change quickly, but money is needed to do that", Donders stated.





Dubai: Tuesday, October 28, 2003



people & places

Walking camels through the desert for a cause

L By Shalini Ran L 07-11-2002

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Lilianne with a Hospital in Dubai. Lilianne Donders to walk from Iran to Oman, raise funds for the Palestinian people

GS 132 (Elisabeth, roepnaam Lilianne),

Often called the "camel rider", Lilianne Donders was in Dubai recently to give a talk to the German Speaking Women's Group at the Umm Suguiem Coffee Shop.

camel at the Camel This is one tough lady. She has fought breast cancer and walked with her camels from Syria to Tehran (Iran). Now she is all set to traverse the sands once again with her companions - the camels.

This time, Lilianne has decided to walk from Tehran to Oman to raise funds for the people of Palestine. Another inspiring reason for this journey will also be to take her two white camels back to their homeland, Oman.

When she was in Oman for many years, Lilianne discovered her true calling while learning about the Bedouin culture, educating them and being a part of their everyday life. At the end of her stay in Oman she felt more enlightened.

Through our website we get more in contact with members of the Donders family abroad. The last period we received e-mails of among others Bernie Donders from Wales, Stéphane Donders from Paris and Mauricio Ramirez Donders from Santiago de Chile.



Bedevaartsoord krijgt er waterput bij

Complex Peerke Donders renovated

From a correspondent

Tuesday 19 August 2003 - TILBURG - A large renovation and restoration project has been planned for the Peerke Donders complex in North Tilburg. The pilgrimage place for the missionary who was blessed in 1982 will be renovated between coming fall and spring. Among others a well will be installed, from which drinking water can be obtained. The Foundation Jacques de Leeuw, named after the founder of the editor Audax from Gilze, will pay the necessary 150.000 euro. "The project fits well in our purpose to support cultural projects in the Tilburg region", says vice-chairman of the Foundation G. Mannaerts. The Tilburg Monument Commission has given a positive advice on the activities. The Peerke Donders complex is an official monument since the end of 2001. "Partly because of that official recognition, we have made a long-term maintenance plan", says priest D. Hendrickx of the Heikant religious community, who is also member of the board of the Father Donders association.

House of Birth

The association is the administrator of the complex at the Father Dondersstreet, which consists of, among others, the rebuilt house of birth, a chapel and a monumental statue of the blessed. There is also a cafe. The chapel of 1923 has been renovated by changing the stairs and renewing the drain. Several fences have also been replaced and an toilet for handicapped persons will be installed. A major work will be the renovation of the statue of Peerke Donders, which was built in 1933 from French lime stone. "The monument is certainly not in a bad shape, but to avoid that it will erode in the coming years, a solid cleaning and maintenance operation is necessary", says Hendrickx. The way this should be done is now being examined. Cleaning and maintenance at place is possible, but this will not have as good as a result as to remove the monument to be handled by a specialized firm in Germany. The last thing is more expensive. A major task is also the renovation of the plateaus on

which there are fourteen groups of sculptures, which form a cloister in the park. The sculptures, most were placed between 1936 and 1940, have already been renovated, but the plateaus are in bad shape.

Pilgrims

Apart from renovation, the large work on the Peerke Donders complex consists of the installation of two new elements. "The dried out old well at the house of birth of Donders will be rebuild and based on old pictures a water pump will be installed", explains Hendrickx. That means that pilgrims, as was possible before, can tap drinking water from the well. Just as other pilgrimages, Tilburg considers this water as having a beneficial effect.



This is an old picture of the well and the water pump.

Would you like to have a copy of a former edition of the Donders Newsletter? That is possible! We have copies of several years for sale for € 0,50 per piece, ex. postage. For information, write to our secretariat (or e-mail).

Ton Donders (GS 531) from Heeswijk sent us "read for you in":





PeerkeDonders

Some time ago our village member Mies v.d. Sluis on holiday in Ecuador. During one of the travels through that country, which is 6,5 times bigger than the Netherlands, he arrived in a small town in the centre of Ecuador, Cuenco. The same day they also visited the cathedral. What a surprise to see next to the beautiful altar a painting of "our" Peerke Donders. With this you see a picture of the painting.



We like it if family members are in the news and therefore we include these newspaper articles to involve everyone in what is going on in several families. These people are very often "unknown Donders family members" for us.

A call to these family members and our readers to "place" these persons who are in the news. Where do they belong in the family? We count on your overwhelming response!

FAMILIEARCHIEF DONDERS

Aanvullingingen / supplement tot / until 15 October 2003

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★ = geboren / born; d/o = dochter van/daughter of;
s/o = zoon van/son of;  <math>\vec{\sigma} = man/man;
Q = vrouw/woman; (Henk) = roepnaam / usual name;
GS. = gezinstaat nr. / family list nbr.;
→ = nieuwe GS. / new GS. \infty = getrouwd / married;
O-O = samenwonend / living together; OIO = gescheiden / di-
vorced; wed = widow(e)(naar) widow or widower;
+ = gestorven / died; (NL-L) = land-staat of provincie / country-
state or province;
Corr.= correctie / correction; echtg. = echtgeno(o)t(e) spouse;
         Mien Donders ♀ 82 jaar/age + 05-07-2001 te Waalwijk
GS 46
         (NL-NB) wed. Van Leo van Dongen o.
GS 47
         Cornelia Mulders ♀ 80 jaar/age + 24-02-2001 te
         Waalwijk (NL-NB) echtg. van Adriaan Donders ♂.
         Sjuul Donders o → Volgt GS 1194
GS 58
         Leny Holland ♀ 72 jaar/age + 5-07-2003 te Waalre
GS 74
         (NL-NB) wed. van Peter Donders O.
         Johan Franssen ♂ 62 jaar/age + 28-11-1955 te Tegelen
GS 130
         (NL- L) echtg. van Martina Donders Q.
         Peter Franssen ♂80 jaar/age + 25-08-1964 te Venlo
GS 130
         (NL- L) wed. van Agnes Donders Q.
GS 139
         Wilhelmin Heffels Q 87 jaar/age + 02-01-1998 te
         Eindhoven (NL-NB) wed. van Sjef Donders o.
         Theresia Henriette Antoinette Donders Q 101 jaar/age +
GS 168
         19-10-2003 te Tilburg (NL-NB) wed. van Cornelis van
         de Sanden d'.
         Willem Brinkhorst ♂ 90 jaar/age + 22-12-1983 te
GS178
         Dongen (NL-NB) wed. van Anna Donders Q.
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- GS 190 Sjef Donders ♂ 61 jaar/age + 24-12-2000 te Dongen (NL-NB) echtq. van Loes Bogaers ℚ.
- GS 190 Maria (Riet) van de Sande Q 88 jaar/age + 15-10-2002 te Tilburg (NL-NB) wed. van Wim Donders σ .
- GS 209 Franciscus (Frans) Donders \mathcal{O} 86 jaar/age + 28-04-2003 te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) wed. van Cornelia van de Hout \mathcal{Q} .
- GS 216 Antonia (Tonnie) van Kolsteren ♀ 87 jaar/age + 15-06-2003 te Tilburg (NL-NB) wed. van Willem (Wim) Donders ♂.
- GS 216 Johanna (Ans) Donders Q → Volgt GS V.312
- GS 217 Sabine Donders Q → Volgt GS V.311
- GS 217 Erwin Donders ♂ → Volgt GS 1200
- GS 249 Piet Donders σ 84 jaar/age + 18-01-1998 te Tilburg (NL-NB) wed. van Barbara Duijkers Ω.
- GS 256 Maria Catharina Philomena van der Boom ♀ 94 jaar/age + 26-02-2003 te Berkel Enschot (NL-NB) wed. van Johan Donders ♂.
- GS 265 Wilhelmus Maria Hubertus (Wil) Donders ♂ O-O 01-03-2002 te Tilburg (NL-NB) met Maud Lautenslager ♀ ★ 13-08-1952 te Tilburg (NL-NB)
- GS 266 Dave Donders ♂ → Volgt GS 1199
- GS 267 Ignatius Jacobus Maria Josephus (Nas) Donders of 60 jaar/age + te Helmond (NL-NB)
- GS 294 Wilhelmina Donders Q → Volgt GS V.294
- GS 299 Petronella Wilhelmina (Nelly) Dekker Q 78 jaar/age + 28-11-2002 te Tilburg (NL-NB) wed van Bernard Donders 0.
- GS 303 Ad van de Sanden ♂ 59 jaar/age + 24-06-2001 te Tilburg (NL-NB) echtg. van Riet Donders ♀.
- GS 352 Martha Donders Q 96 jaar/age + 10-07-1995 te Venlo (NL-L) wed. van Willem Ambaum ♂.
- GS 408 Maria (Rita) Donders Q 83 jaar/age + 22-12-2002 te s'Gravenhage (NL-ZH) wed. van Luc Cammel σ .

- GS 409 Florentius Johannes Cornelis Petrus (Rens) Donders ♂ 79 jaar/age + 31-05-2003 te S'Gravenhage Echtg. van Maria Paulina Johanna Thevissen ♀.
- GS 481 Johanna Petronella Josefina (Ans) Cornelissen Q 65 jaar/ age + 18-03-2003 te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) echtg. van Toon Donders σ.
- GS 499 A.J. Maria Donders Q 79 jaar/age + 21-01-2003 te Tilburg (NL-NB) wed. van Frans Laurijssen **o**.
- GS 594 Astrid Donders Q → Volgt GS V.304
- GS 656 Antoon (Tonny) Donders σ 61 jaar/age + 25-03-2003 te Geldrop (NL-NB) echtq. Catharina (Toos) Staals Q.
- GS 660 Adrianus Martinus Adriana (Janus) Donders σ 56 jaar/ age + 14-02-2001 te Geldrop (NL-NB) echtg. van Maria Elisabeth Helene (Els) van den Boogaard Q.
- GS 692 Johannes Donders & 89 jaar/age + 06-03-2003 te Tilburg (NL-NB) echtg. van Antje Kuiper Q.
- GS 733 Catharina Maria Johanna (Toos) Donders Q 82 jaar/age + 24-06-2003 te Tilburg (NL-NB) Wed. van Baptist (Dré) Schellekens **d**.
- GS 741 Erik Donders ♂ → Volgt GS 1202
- GS 803 Peter Donders of 40 jaar/age + 12-07-2002 te Maastricht (NL-L)
- GS 803 Mia Moenen Q 69 jaar/age + 08-05-2002 te Maastricht (NL-L) echtg. van Martien Donders σ .
- GS 831 An Swaans Q 74 jaar + 16-02-2000 te s'Hertogenbosch (**NL-NB** echtq. van Jan Donders σ .
- GS 861 Peter Alphons Jozef Maria Donders **o** 54 jaar/age **+** 25-10-2002 te 's-Hertogenbosch (**NL-NB**).
- GS 902 Arnold Schraven ♂ 84 jaar/age + 12-04-1998 te Tilburg (NL-NB) wed. van Anna Paula Donders Q.
- GS 952 Theresia (Resi) Donders Q 55 jaar + 14-12-2002 te Eindhoven (**NL-L**) echtg. van André van Vrede σ.
- GS 891 Catharina Maria (Toos) de Goeij Q 81 jaar/age
 + 05-05-2003 te Veldhoven (NL-NB) wed. van Adrianus

- Lambertus (Ad) Donders d.
- GS 953 Patrick Donders ♂ → Volgt GS 1197
- GS 953 Bonnij Donders Q → Volgt GS V.303
- GS 966 Johannus Gerardus Carolus Maria (Jan) Donders **σ' ΟЮ** 01-04-2000 te Goirle **(NL-NB)** van Catherina Maria Anna (Carma) van Opstal **Q**.
- GS 966 Johannus Gerardus Carolus Maria (Jan) Donders ♂ O-O 27-12-2000 te Goirle (NL-NB) met Adriana Johanna Pieternella Cornelia Maria Besems ♀.
- GS 975/2 Adrianus Corneliis van Tilborg ♂ ★ 24-10-1873 te
 Tilburg (NL-NB) s/o van Adriana Cornelia Donders ♀ en
 Jan Baptist van Tilborg ♂.
- GS 975/2 Adrianus Cornelis van Tilborg **d** + 1943 te Semarang (**Java Indonesie**)
- GS 979 Johannes Wilhelmus (Jan) Donders ♂ 89 jaar/age + 06-03-2003 te Tilburg (NL-NB) Wed. van Johanna Catharina Jacoba Langenhuijsen ♀.
- GS 979 Maria Palange Donders Q → Volgt GS V.305.
- GS 979 Huberdina Donders Q → volgt GS V.306.
- GS 979 Adriana van de Vliet Donders Q Volgt GS V.307.
- GS 979 Catharina van Ierland Donders Q Volgt GS V.308.
- GS 1001 Johannes Cornelis Alphonsus (Jan) Donders σ 76 jaar/ age + 21-06-2003 te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) Wed. van Tini van Dam Q Wed. van Toos Horsthuis Q Echtg. van Loes Versmissen Q
- GS 1081 Frederique Donders Q * 16-01-1999 te Biezenmortel
 (NL-NB) d/o van Frank Donders o en Bettina Rom Q
- GS 1082 Cas Donders of * 23-06-1998 te Loon op Zand (NL-NB) s/o van Coerd Donders of en Corinne Struyken Q
- GS 1082 Diede Donders ♂ ★ 23-06-1998 te Loon op Zand (NL-NB) s/o van Coerd Donders ♂ en Corinne Struyken Q.
- GS 1082 Thom Donders $\sigma' * 23-06-1998$ te Loon op Zand (NL-NB) s/o van Coerd Donders σ' en Corinne Struyken Q.

- GS 1088 **Corr.** Donders Nieuws 2002 Henk Donders ♂

 21-07-2002 te Oss (**NL-NB**) met Eleonora Godefrida
 Teodora van der Heijden ♀. Moet zijn ☎ 21-07-2000 te
 Oss (**NL-NB**) met Elona Godefrida Teodora van der
 Heijden ♀.
- GS 1094 Femke Donders Q * 02-08-2000 te Kaatsheuvel (NL-NB) d/o van Ronnie Donders σ en Nicolet Korthout Q.
- GS 1123 Suzanne Johanna Gerarda Catharina Maria Donders Q * 09-07-2001 te s'Hertogenbosch (NL-NB) d/o van Patrick Donders O en Marie-Louise van Uden Q.
- GS 1149 Edwin Donders **σ' O-O** 17-06-1999 te Berkel-Enchot ` (NL-NB) met Coline Broeks Q.
- GS 1149 Nina Donders Q * 11-07-2000 te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) **d/o** van Edwin Donders O en Coline Broeks Q.
- GS 1152 Antonius Harko André (Toine) Donders ♂ ★ 15-02-2000 te Leiden (NL-NH) s/o Frans Donders ♂ en Andy Post Q.
- GS 1152 Mathieu Johannes Emile Donders ♂ ★ 30-07-2003 te Leiden (NL-NH) s/o Frans Donders ♂ en Andy Post Q.
- GS 1163 Demy Donders of * 07-08-1998 te Tilburg (NL-NB) s/o van Michael Donders of en Anja van Disseldorp Q.
- GS 1169 Tjitse Donders Q * 18-07-1997 te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) **d/o** van Har Donders O en Mayke Bloem Q.
- GS 1169 Jikke Donders $\sigma' * 18-06-2001$ te Tilburg (NL-NB) s/o van Har Donders σ' en Mayke Bloem Q.
- GS 1171 Teun Donders σ * 14-01-1997 te Tilburg (NL-NB) s/o van Bart Donders σ en Jolanda Spijkers Q.
- GS 1172 Floris Arnoud Richard Donders ♂ ★ 29-10-2000 te Zeist (NL-Utr) s/o Richard Donders ♂ en Annette Broers ♀.
- GS 1180 Adriaan Hendrik Roeland Donders ♂ ★ 08-05-2003 te Amsterdam (NL- NH) s/o Ronald Donders ♂ en Fieneke van Eijl Q.
- GS 1181 Jaimy Donders ♂ ★ 24-01-2003 te Waalwijk (NL-NB)

- **s/o** van Remco Franciscus Josephus Wilfridus Donders ♂ en Jessica Lucia Catharina Elisabeth Maria Verboven ♀.
- GS 1194 Vervolg van GS 58

 Sjuul Donders ♂ ♥ 1996 te Tilburg (NL-NB) met Miranda Mouwen ♀.
- GS 1194 Zoë Donders ♀ *****01-10-1997 te Tilburg **(NL-NB) d/o** van Sjuul Donders ♂ en Miranda Mouwen ♀.
- GS 1194 Wessel Donders ♂ ★ 01-12-1999 te Tilburg (NL-NB) s/o van Sjuul Donders ♂ en Miranda Mouwen Q.
- GS 1197 Vervolg van GS 953
 Patrick Donders σ Drs. Algemene letteren σο sinds
 Augustus 1997 te Utrecht (NL-Utr) met Elisabeth
 Gerarda Josina (Sabeth) Elberse Q * 06-01-1968.
- GS 1197 Finn Donders ♂ ★ 14-04-2002 te Utrecht (**NL-Utr**) s/o van Patrick Donders ♂ en Sabeth Elberse Q.
- GS 1198 Imke Donders Q * 02-09-2002 te Goirle (NL-NB) d/o van Leek Donders σ en Suze Wakkee Q.
- GS 1199 Dave Donders σ 00-00-0000 te Tilburg (NL-NB) met Silvia Verstijnen Q * 23-01-1972 te Udenhout (NL-NB).
- GS 1199 Isa Donders Q * 28-05-2003 te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) **d/o** van Dave Donders O en Silvia Verstijnen Q.
- GS 1200 Vervolg van GS 217.

 Erwin Donders ♂ 00-00-0000 te Tilburg (NL-NB)

 met Colette Q...????
- GS 1202 Vervolg van GS 741.

 Erik Donders ♂ 01-11-1996 te Tilburg (NL-NB) met Karin van der Vleuten ♀ ★ 22-12-1972 te Best (NL-NB).
- GS 1202 Thijs Donders σ * 24-11-1999 te Tilburg (NL-NB) s/o van Erik Donders σ en Karin van der Vleuten Q.
- GS 1202 Aniek Donders Q * 15-03-2001 te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) **d/o** van Erik Donders G en Karin van der Vleuten Q.

- GS 1202 Aniek Donders Q * 15-03-2001 te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) **d/o** van Erik Donders σ en Karin van der Vleuten Q.
- GS 1202 Lisa Donders Q * 15-03-2001 te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) **d/o** van Erik Donders O en Karin van der Vleuten Q.
- GS V.40 Mr Johannes Quirinus Maria Boelen σ O σ O σ Sinds 28-05-2001 te Tilburg (NL-NB) van Ilona Ignace Maria Lammertink σ .
- GS V.42 Martine (Tiny) Donders Q 80 jaar/age + 07-02-2003 te Nuenen (NL-NB) wed. van Jan Ansems σ .
- GS V.45 Jan Franken σ 69 jaar/age + 06-10-1998 te Tilburg (NL-NB) echtg. van Maria Donders Q.
- GS V.54 Johan van Amelsfort σ 83 jaar/age + 22-09-1999 te Tilburg (NL-NB) echtg. van Liesje Donders Q.
- GS V.62 **Corr.** Van Donders Nieuws 2002 Adrianus Antonius Hendricus Maria (Ad) van <u>Driessen</u> σ 79 jaar/age + 03-07-1999 te Luxemburg. **(Lux)** Driessen moet zijn <u>Diessen</u>.
- GS V.62 **Corr.** Van Donders Nieuws 2002
 A.L.P.J.M. (Toine) van <u>Driessen</u> of 51 jaar/age + 19-042001 te Steinheim (**Lux**) **s/o** van Ad van <u>Diessen</u> of en
 Corry Donders Q. Toine <u>Driessen</u> of moet zijn Toine
 <u>Diessen</u> of.
- GS V. 67 Paulina Donders Q 88 jaar/age + 20-03-1998 te Geldrop (**NL-NB**) wed. van Harrie Janssens σ .
- GS V.80 Leo Mutsaers ♂ 74 jaar/age + 27-01-2001 te Tilburg (NL-NB) echtg. van Adriana (Jeanne) Donders ♀.
- GS V.115 Johanna Donders Q 87 jaar/age + 16-02-2003 te Eindhoven **(NL-NB)** echtg. van Henricus Bernardus Peijnenburg σ .
- GS V.147 Ranco Burg ♂ ★ 07-05-2001 te s'Hertogenbosch (NL-NB) s/o van Eric Burg ♂ en Julia Donders Q.
- GS V.163 Jacobien Scheepens Q * 28-04-1998 te Aerdenhout (NL-NH) d/o v. Wouter Scheepens σ en Anne-Marie Donders Q.

- GS V.163 Tobias Wouter Cornelius Scheepens σ 19-06-2000 te Aerdenhout **(NL-NH)** s/o van Wouter Scheepens σ en Anne-Marie Donders Q.
- GS V.166 Jimi Haans $\sigma' * 14-05-1998$ te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) s/o van Ton Haans σ' en Francis Donders Q.
- GS V.169 Wilhelmina Wick Donders ♀ moet zijn Wilhelmina Maria Catharina (Wilma) Wick Donders Marcus Wick ♀ ★ 06-04-1955 te St Gallen (CH) O-O in het Donders boek staat abusievelijk 30-07-1985 dit moet zijn 30-07-1982.
- GS V.169 Sara Maria Wick ♀ * 14-06-1985 te Grabs (SG-CH) d/o van Wilma Donders ♀ en Marcus Wick ♂.
- GS V.169 Eleonora (Nora) Wick Q * 30-06-1987 te Grabs (SG-CH) d/o van Wilma Donders Q en Marcus Wick Q.
- GS V.189 Siem Marinus Bernard Maria Verhaegh of * 30-06-2001 te? s/o van Leo Verhaegh of en Monique Donders Q.
- GS V.268 Geertje Peters ♂ ★ 01-04-1998 te Oisterwijk (NL-NB) s/o van Tom Peters ♂ en Carola Donders Q.
- GS V.268 Guusje peters ♂ ★ 20-05-2001 te Oisterwijk (NL-NB) s/o van Tom Peters ♂ en Carola Donders Q.
- GS V.269 Gijs Abrahams ♂ ★ 06-03-1999 te Hilvarenbeek (NL-NB) s/o van Geert Abrahams ♂ en Ingrid Donders ℚ.
- GS V.273 Julie van de Ven Q * 12-10-1997 te Tilburg (NL-NB) d/o van Wil van de Ven \mathcal{O} en Angelique Donders Q.
- GS V.282 Petronela Maria (Manon) van Beek ♀ ★ 08-11-1996 te Geldrop (NL-NB) d/o van Miriam Donders ♀ en Frits van Beek ♂.
- GS V.282 Maria Catharina (Vivian) van Beek Q * 16-07-1999 te Geldrop (NL-NB) d/o van Miriam Donders Q en Frits van Beek O.
- GS V.282 Frederiek Maria (Daphne) van Beek Q * 30-01-2003 te Geldrop (NL-NB) d/o van Miriam Donders Q en Frits van Beek Q.
- GS V.285 Kas Gerard Jan van der Velden ♂ ★ 07-11-2002 te

- Tilburg (NL-NB) s/o van Pim van der Velden σ en Kathelijn Donders Q.
- GS V.294 Anaya Madouni ♀ ★ 05-05-1996 te Breda (NL-NB) d/o van Wanda Donders ♀ en Abdellatif Madouni ♂
- GS V.294 Manar Madouni ♀ ★ 14-08-2001 te Breda (NL-NB) d/o van Wanda Donders ♀ en Abdellatif Madouni ♂
- GS V.303 Vervolg van GS 953
 Bonnij Donders Q Drs. Milieukunde **O-O** November 1996
 van Theodorus Johannus (Tonnij) Buijs ♂ ★ 12-12-1967.
- GS V.305 Vervolg van GS 979
 Maria Palange Donders ♀ moet zijn Maria Huberdina

 Adriana Johanna (Riane) Palange Donders ♀ ☎ 15-081968 te Rome (Italië) met Cerare Palange ♂ ★ 15-101942 te Rome (Italië).
- GS V.305 Chantal Germaine Catharina Maria Palange ♀ ★ 12-01-1969 te Goirle (NL-NB) d/o Riane Donders ♀ en Cesare Palange ♂.
- GS V.305 Myra Dafne (Myra) Palange Q * 15-09-1971 te Tilburg (NL-NB) d/o Riane Donders Q en Cesare Palange Q.
- GS V.305 Joëlle Palange Q * 04-02-1988 te Briosco (**Italië**) **d/o** Riane Donders Q en Cesare Palange O.
- GS V.306 Vervolg van GS 979
 Huberdina Donders ♀ moet zijn Huberdina Judith Maria
 Johanna (Judith) Donders ♀. Zij was ☎ met Paul
 (Karremans) in het Donders boek staat abusievelijk
 Karremans

- Dit moet zijn Korremans. * 22-07-1950 te Tilburg (NL-NB)
- GS V.306 Tessy Catharina Elisabeth Korremans Q * 31-01-1978 te Goirle (NL-NB) d/o van Judith Donders Q en Paul Korremans G.
- GS V.306 Mirco Alfonso Johannes Korremans ♂ ★ 01-01-1980 te Goirle (NL-NB) s/o van Judith Donders ♀ en Paul Korremans ♂.
- GS V.306 Jasper Paulus Maria Korremans σ * 03-04-1989 te
 Utrecht (NL-Utr) s/o van Judith Donders Q en Paul
 Korremans σ.
- GS V.307 Vervolg van GS 979
 Adriana van de Vliet Donders Q moet zijn Adriana
 Catharina Maria (Sjannie) van de Vliet Donders Q. Ferry
 van de Vliet **T** * 04-06-1952 te Tilburg **(NL-NB)**
- GS V.307 Sean van de Vliet ♂ ★ 15-01-1989 te Utrecht (**NL-Utr**) **s/o** van Sjannie Donders Q en Ferry van de Vliet ♂.
- GS V.308 Vervolg van GS 979
 Catharina van Ierland Donders ♀ moet zijn Catharina
 Cornelia Maria Huberdina (Cathy) van Ierland Donders ♀.
 Hans van Ierland ♂ ★ 02-07-1951 te Tilburg (NL-NB)
- GS V.308 Suzan van Ierland Q * 20-06-1981 te Tilburg (NL-NB) d/o van Cathy Donders en Hans van Ierland σ .
- GS V.308 Debbie van Ierland Q * 07-04-1983 te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) **d/o** van Cathy Donders en Hans van Ierland σ .
- GS V.311 Sabine Donders Q O-O 01-08-1998 met Corné Petrus Johannes Swaans ♂ Geb. 27-09-1974 te Tilburg (NL-NB)
- GS V.311 Rik Swaans ♂ ★ 26-02-2001 te Tilburg (NL-NB) s/o van Sabine Donders en Corné Swaans ♂.
- GS V.311 Isabella Donders ♀ * 01-06-2003 te Tilburg (NL-NB)
 d/o van Sabine Donders ♀ en Corné Swaans ♂.
 Vervolg van GS 216
- GS V.312 Johanna (Ans) Donders ♀ ∞ met Joseph (Joost)

Robben o.

- GS V.312 Astrid Robben Q * 00-00-0000 te Tilburg (**NL-NB**) **d/o** van Johanna Donders Q en Joost Robben σ .
- GS V.312 Frank Robben $\sigma * 00-00-0000$ te Tilburg (NL-NB) s/o van Johanna Donders Q en Joost Robben σ .

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