

Nazi traditions

**No beer  
from, for  
and with  
Nazi fans.**

**BRYGGERI HELSINKI PUB:  
BROWN BEER FROM FINLAND.**

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# DEAR RESIDENTS!

The brewery pub “Bryggeri Helsinki” is located here in the neighbourhood (Raumer/Göhren-Str.). Pekka Kääriäinen from Helsinki, the manager of this pub and a brewery of the same name, is chairman of the SS-veterans organization “Veljesapu-Perinneyhdistysry” (Brothers Aid e. V.) in Finland.

This association cultivates the tradition of a 1,400-person Finnish SS-battalion. The so called Schutzstaffel, or SS for short, was a central organisation during the Nazi regime. It was responsible for the operation of the concentration and extermination camps and, as the Waffen-SS, involved in countless war crimes. In the course of the Nuremberg Trials, in which war crimes were negotiated, the SS was classified as a criminal organization.

The Finnish SS-battalion, which was composed of volunteers, was involved in war crimes and the Holocaust, according to the latest research by the Finnish National Archives. From 1941 to 1943, Finnish soldiers and officers fought on the Eastern Front as part of the infamous SS-division “Viking”. It is certain that they were involved in the murder of Jews and prisoners of war.

On the homepage of the veterans organization you will find many pictures of runes, SS-symbols and even swastikas. It reports on a meeting with the German SS-association “Korps Steiner” (2004) and participated in a memorial service at an SS-cemetery in Ukraine (2007). Heinrich Himmler is proudly quoted as saying about the Finnish SS-battalion: „I thank you for your courageous service to the SS, which brings reputation and honor to your beautiful patriotic army. „

In the pub “Bryggeri Helsinki” nothing points to a glorification of the Nazi regime and its crimes. After all, it’s about profits. However, it is widely known that many traditional clubs only survive through the financial support of their members. That’s why we can’t enjoy beer in this pub. We don’t want to glorify criminal organisations. We demand: Nazi and SS-veteran associations must be dissolved.

*You can find more information and material:  
Berlin alliance against the far-right – [berlingegenrechts.de](http://berlingegenrechts.de)  
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**TELL YOUR FRIENDS:**

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