

UFO / UAP OBSERVATIONS (pp. 130–138)

Hans-Werner Peiniger describes two classes of IFOs that literally flooded the GEP in the last years: white clouds caused by rockets when they release fuel in the atmosphere, and helium-filled toy balloons (often in some image) that are seen drifting in the sky. Rocket fuel was seen and photographed (examples only, there are far more reports) on 29 May 2024, at Bernau, Aschersleben, Schneeberg, Rostock, Grömitz and Berlin, on 9 July 2024, at Roklum, Görlitz, Bitterfeld, Michendorf, Wildau, Reinhardshagen, Tauche, Grebenstein and Friedland, and on 16 August 2024 at Kopfing in Austria, at Marktneukirchen and Schagen in the Netherlands. Foil balloons in the form of numbers or animals which puzzle the observers are often observed and photographed, such as the unicorn on 10 April 2023 at Weiden, the giraffe on 3 August 2024 at Schönwölkau, the figure 1 on 11 May 2024 at Hamburg, and a glass of beer on 18 October 2023 at Seckach.

CLOSE ENCOUNTERS AND ABDUCTIONS (pp. 139–150)

At the GEP, André Kramer deals with exceptional and very personal reports such as encounters with aliens and psychic experiences and abductions. Often, there are clear medical indications of mental disturbance while other cases may be conventionally explained by sleep paralysis and hypnagogia. The episodes described here are: 1) March 2017, Grisons, Switzerland (sleep paralysis and hypnagogia), 2) since September 2019, Germany (possible effects of a tropical disease), 3) 1964 and 1969/70; Waibstadt (sleep paralysis), 4) 1989 and 2012 to 2014, Irlbach (sleep paralysis), 5) May 2016, Astrup (a MIB threatens to steal witness' soul, psychological), and 6) date unknown, Bremen (possibly psychosis). Each case is thoroughly examined and argued with the relevant medical literature.

BRIEF NOTES (pp. 151–153)

Flight tracks on passive radar – the author found, on his passive radar, strange winding, parallel traces which were revealed to have been two helicopters in training, and one trace that cannot be explained yet.

Foo fighter on old photo – a youtube video allegedly shows balls of light close to WWII fighter planes, taken on 29 April 1944 somewhere between Estonia and Bucharest.

BOOK REVIEWS (pp. 154–160)

No English language books are reviewed in this issue.