



Leros- New Friends....

If it had to happen, then fate took care of us this year...the house on the hill has been a refuge, a house with a heart and a place to bring together all those who have been so kind to us.

What a shame we can't speak Greek to Vallandi and his lovely family of 3 gorgeous girls and one cheeky little guy. The house is sparkling white, the stone floors varnished thanks to him. It was also great fun to host the French for lunch, swap sailing tales and sing along to French songs....

And always there is the view..ever-changing with the wind, the light and the hour....



And how cool is this? We've met the loveliest sailors from Israel, Nira & Nati (bottom right above). Their boat is named "Yam Uno" after their last name which translated means "Sea". So they are Mr. & Mrs. Sea. They tell wonderful jokes (how does he remember them all) and are full of fun. I imagine humour is a good commodity to have in Israel. They will winter their boat in Leros like us so we look forward to sharing more good hours together and hearing more jokes....

From mid-June to mid-July, we stayed at the house. I went home to visit Dad and returned via Samos for Jan & Lene's 3 week holiday. In August we spent almost a month travelling to/from DK and enjoying a stay with Dad & our English friends at the summerhouse in Rørvig. We came home to a wonderful double 60th birthday party for Lisbet & Jes (Lisbet is one of Jan's former colleagues) in a huge tent complete with camel-riding and python wrestling....beat that!



Klaus, Ute, Maximillian & Alex...our German neighbours who have sold up to spend a year or two here in their Leros home. We couldn't wish for better neighbours.

