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Pink Army København/Danmark/Verden

Pink Army er et kunstnerisk antikrigsprojekt. Pink Army er også navnet på en kollektiv kunstnergruppe. Antallet af medlemmer er uvist, men det anslås af Pink Army, at de er cirka 200 aktive over hele verden.

Den første gruppe blev oprettet i København i 2007 af general Ruseus på det vilkår, at Pink Army er en åben konstruktion. Pink Army opererer internationalt i celler, som arbejder uafhængigt af hinanden, og alle arbejder mod et højere mål: en fredelig verden. København har flere afdelinger som Propagandaministeriet og Special Forces, mens afdelingen i Aarhus hedder Aarhus ARTillery. Pink Army findes desuden i Tyskland, Italien, Frankrig og USA.

De enkelte grupper opretter sig selv, og der findes sandsynligvis Pink Army-grupper, som ikke kendes af den første oprindelige gruppe fra København. Medlemskab oprettes ved en kunstnerisk fredsaktion, hvor man selv vælger dag, tid og sted.

Medlemskabet er betinget af, at man anskaffer sig de såkaldte myresoldater (det er ganske små plasticsoldater i skala 1/72), men legetøjsoldater i andre størrelser kan nu også gå an. Dem sprayer man lyserøde, anbringer et sted i byen, og man husker at tage et foto af opstillingen. Fotoet skal derefter uploades til Pink Army's hjemmeside på www.myspace.com.

Pink Army foretager jævnligt invasioner især på mærkedage, hvor der opsættes små tableauer med lyserøde legetøjsoldater i byens rum.

Pink Army Copenhagen/Denmark/The World

Pink Army is an artistic anti-war project. It is also the name of a global artist collective with an unknown number of members, but estimates state there are approximately 200 active artists around the world.

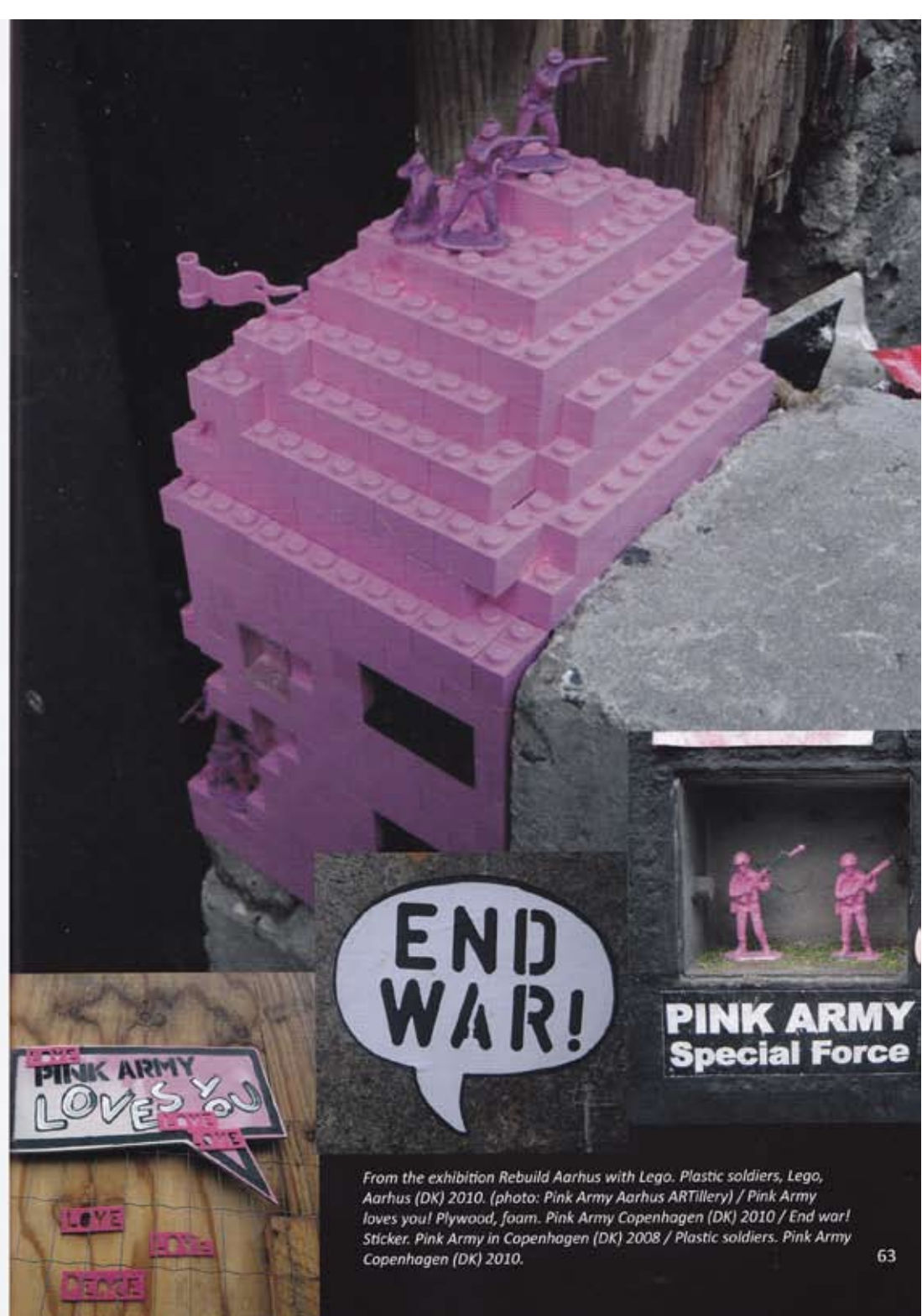
The first group was established in Copenhagen in 2007 by general Ruseus on the condition that Pink Army is an open construction. The group operates internationally through cells that work independently of each other towards one common goal: a peaceful world. There are several departments located in Copenhagen, for instance the Ministry of Propaganda and Special Forces, while the Aarhus department is called Aarhus ARTillery. Pink Army has factions in Germany, Italy, France and the US.

The individual groups start up by themselves and likely there are Pink Army groups out there who have no knowledge of the founders in Copenhagen. Membership is obtained through an artistic peace action and you pick day, time and place yourself.

In order to become a member you have to acquire the so-called ant soldiers (tiny toy soldiers 1/72 in scale), yet different sized toy soldiers are acceptable too. You spray-paint the soldiers pink, place them somewhere in town and remember to take a picture. Then you load it up to Pink Army's homepage on www.myspace.com.

Pink Army often conduct invasions, especially on red-letter days, making tableaus of pink toy soldiers within the public space.

Modstående side: Fra udstillingen Genopbyg Aarhus med Lego. Plasticsoldater, Lego, 2010. (Foto: Pink Army Aarhus ARTillery) / Pink Army loves you! Træfiner, skum. Pink Army i København, 2010. / End war! Sticker. Pink Army i København, 2008. / Plasticsoldater, mas. Pink Army i København, 2010.



From the exhibition Rebuild Aarhus with Lego. Plastic soldiers, Lego, Aarhus (DK) 2010. (photo: Pink Army Aarhus ARTillery) / Pink Army loves you! Plywood, foam. Pink Army Copenhagen (DK) 2010 / End war! Sticker. Pink Army in Copenhagen (DK) 2008 / Plastic soldiers. Pink Army Copenhagen (DK) 2010.