

OBN News Review, 1 August 1999

Headlines

- Strong explosion at the Orthodox church in the center of Pristina – there were no casualties
- Two days after the Stability Pact Summit – criticising and praising
- Topic of TV INFO: What did Senad Pecanin and Perica Vucinic tell the US President?
- Process of return in Fojnica, Krnjeusa and Rajsevo
- Long weekend in Sarajevo – a report on a car accident

Kosovo

Approximately 30 people are killed every week in Kosovo. The lack of law and police systems encouraged creating a “vacuum of law and order”, [NATO](#) Spokesman, Jamie Shea, said today. He added that the situation in Kosovo is “difficult, but not catastrophic”. A report on the current, uncertain situation in Kosovo was produced by OBN journalist, Mladen Maric. In Serbia, protests against Slobodan Milosevic continue. Three thousand people gathered last night in Pozega asking for his dismissal, and similar protests were held in Leskovac, Valjevo and Kragujevac.

Summit – Reactions

[SFOR](#) Commander in BiH, General Montgomery Meigs, said that the Stability Pact Summit was successfully completed and that [SFOR](#) was proud of its role in this exceptional event. This was followed by reactions from the world on the Summit. A report on this was produced by OBN reporter, Adis Saranovic. Reactions came from Washington, Zagreb, Belgrade & Athena.

US President in Sarajevo

A report on the USA President, Bill Clinton's, visit to Sarajevo, during the second day of the Summit and his meeting with the BiH representatives of media, including the Editor-in-chief of the Sarajevo weekly "Dani", Senad Pecanin and the Editor-in-chief of the Banja Luka "Reporter", Perica Vucinic. Statements from the both editors were presented.

World

A report on the great heat in the USA where 26 people died was followed by a report on floods in South Korea where at least 12 people died. A piece on new struggles in Afghanistan was presented as well as report on the current events in Turkey and in the Middle East.

Process of Return

A report on the return to the Krnjeusa village and Fojnica area in the BiH Federation was followed by a report on the return to the Rajsevo village in the RS.

Vozuca

This was followed by a report on the construction of a new factory in Vozuca, near Zavidovici. The factory will produce french fries. The project is worth DEM 5 million.

Sarajevo

A report on the car accident in Sarajevo which occurred on Sunday and problems Sarajevo has with traffic jams in general.

Sport

A report on Formula One was followed by a report on the European Championship in swimming in Istanbul and the beginning of the European Championship in football France.