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europeans – Greece: taming the default

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From rage to good will, from pride to despair. Just some of the emotions felt by Greeks as Athens tries to battle the country's crippling economic crisis with tough austerity measures. This week on Europeans, "Taming the default."

A report by Sergio Cantone.

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reporter – Belgium: divorce or unity?

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Will Belgium break up soon? The quarrel between French-speaking Walloons and Dutch-speaking Flemish is intensifying. Opinion polls show a sharp rise for Flemish separatists. Will Belgium split up? Or will the Flemish and Walloons communities be able to find a compromise on state reform that gives Belgium a future?

A report by Hans von der Brelie.

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news

interview – Günther Oettinger, European Commissioner for energy

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Günther Oettinger, the former governor of the southwest German state of Baden-Württemberg, is Germany's choice for a seat on the European Commission. For several weeks, Oettinger has been European Commissioner for energy. euronews reporter Hans von der Brelie questioned Oettinger on energy cooperation between Europe and Africa, on the upcoming directive on nuclear waste - and on the European pipeline project "Nabucco".

An interview by Hans von der Brelie.

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sport

special report – World Cup Nation 2010 – Episode 7 : Boosting the fight against AIDS

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As football fans await the first World Cup to be held on the African continent, euronews continues its series of special reports on South Africa, ahead of the June event.

1500 new AIDS cases a day: in South Africa, the hardest-hit country in the world, the disease killed 350,000 people last year. Many here hope that the World Cup will act as a kind of shock therapy to finally vanquish this plague.

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In a country where just a few years ago no one spoke of AIDS, the taboo is finally being broken: the authorities have launched the biggest campaign for testing ever conducted in South Africa. 15 million people will be tested in the coming year. Our team was authorised to film where no other TV channel has ever been allowed, in a hospital specialising in screening and treating AIDS. We report from Saint Mary's Hospital, on the outskirts of Durban.

A report by Serge Rombi.

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space – Medicine from space to Earth (part 2)

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This week we will take a close look at the effects of space travel on astronauts in orbit for short or medium missions: these include disturbances to the cardiovascular system and sense of balance, osteoporosis and other disorders. But what can we learn from human space travel that can be applied to ordinary medical care? What new horizons are explored thanks to space technology and the miniaturisation of devices? What are the potential terrestrial applications of space medicine? euronews goes to the European Astronauts Centre in Cologne and Trousseau Hospital in Tours to interview specialists in this field.

A report by Jean Marco.

lifestyle

le mag – Liz McComb tours France

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Liz McComb is an African American gospel diva, who originally came from a large family in Mississippi. Her father died when she was little and her mother was a preacher at the local Pentecostal church. She has been singing practically all her life.

She sees the gospel message as being very simple, "Love," she says, "love!" She thinks that in a time of economic crisis people want something tangible to hold onto so they turn to the blues and gospel music. « It's music you can hear in your belly », she says and stresses that she's going back to her spiritual gospel roots with her new tour.

A report by Wolfgang Spindler.

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le mag – Ghass exhibition

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A new exhibition of works by Iranian artist Ghass has opened at the Gallery Nikki Diana Marquardt in Paris. Born in 1964, Ghass began painting at the age of eight. He left Iran when he was 25 because he saw no future there. Therefore, for over 20 years now, Ghass Rouzkhosh has lived and worked in Paris.

He says that his violent painting style comes “from the past, it’s like a locomotive following me.” He added, “I lived through eight years of war, two years of being a soldier, and today, this fight. And I paint violent pictures exactly to make people question themselves, and also this society is in crisis, everything is unbalanced and I hope that through my art I can call a pause to that.”

A report by Wolfgang Spindler.

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interview – Jacques Attali, French writer and economist



The economic crisis which has engulfed Greece could be the tip of the iceberg according to French economist, writer and thinker Jacques Attali. The former chief of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development has long advocated a single tax and fiscal policy within the Eurozone, and warns failure to do so could be catastrophic. With regard to Greece, Attali argues the European Union should have intervened several months ago. An interview by Laura Davidescu.

<http://www.euronews.net/2010/05/07/economist-jacques-attali-on-the-greek-crisis-and-future-of-europe/>

interview – Pascal Fontaine, European integration expert



May 9 marks the 60th anniversary of the Schuman Declaration, considered the founding act of the European Community. For the occasion, euronews met Pascal Fontaine, an expert on European construction and former assistant to Jean Monnet. He speaks of the two founders of European unity and their efforts to secure a Franco-German reconciliation which would serve as the basis for the project. An interview by Audrey Tilve.

<http://www.euronews.net/2010/05/08/the-roots-of-the-eu/>

interview – Muntazer Al-Zaïdi, Iraqi journalist



He became famous as the man who threw his shoes at George W. Bush. And he would do it again. His only regret was he did not have good aim. The Iraqi journalist Muntazer al-Zaïdi talks to euronews after his release from prison last autumn, a Baghdad prison where he says he was tortured. Hailed as a hero in the Arab world, he talks about how all the gifts promised him, "just did not materialize", and how he is scared to go back to Iraq, because, he says, "I am alone". An interview by Chiara Buttiglione.

<http://www.euronews.net/2010/05/10/the-man-who-threw-his-shoes-at-the-american-president/>

reporter – Hungary: a far-right temptation?



We are in a park in Budapest, the capital of Hungary, celebrating Mayday. What makes this gathering unusual is that everyone is a supporter of the party that last month became the country's third strongest political force, the far-right party Jobbik. What is driving Hungary's ultra-nationalists? A report by Valérie Gauriat.

<http://www.euronews.net/2010/05/06/far-right-tendencies-in-hungary/>

special report – World Cup Nation 2010 – Episode 6 : A green World Cup?



The brand new Moses Mabhida stadium in Durban is a key symbol of the World Cup in South Africa. Designed with numerous eco-friendly technological features, it also embodies the huge efforts made to limit the environmental impact of the event. The competition is in fact expected to generate nine times more pollution than the previous Cup, due primarily to the large number of flights, along with the fact that electricity in South Africa is produced by highly polluting coal-fired plants. A report by Serge Rombi.

<http://www.euronews.net/2010/05/07/an-ecological-world-cup/>

musica – Operalia, rising stars



It's Milan, it's La Scala and it's the great Spanish tenor Placido Domingo - the world famous Opera Competition Operalia is being held for the first time in its history in this beautiful place. The contest was founded in 1993 by Placido Domingo himself. He has put his heart and soul into this contest, helping young talent achieve success. A report by Katharina Kaun.

<http://www.euronews.net/2010/05/05/domingo-nurtures-opera-s-rising-stars/>

futuris – Light out of the dark: Switching on Europe's coal pits



Coal gasification; a brand new term for a revolutionary energy technology. European researchers are working hard to produce energy inside coal mines; without further extraction of coal to the surface. The idea is to inject different gases into coal seams and process the resulting geoproduct underground. Powerful reactors are being developed to guarantee both extensive production and security. The final aim is to develop a new greener source of energy and to offer new hope to Europe's long suffering coal mining regions. A report by Julian Gomez.

<http://www.euronews.net/2010/05/05/a-tale-of-underground-alchemy/>