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Changing summer weather at Alvdal, 11 July 2011 at 09:57 hrs. Seen from South West. Photo: BP.

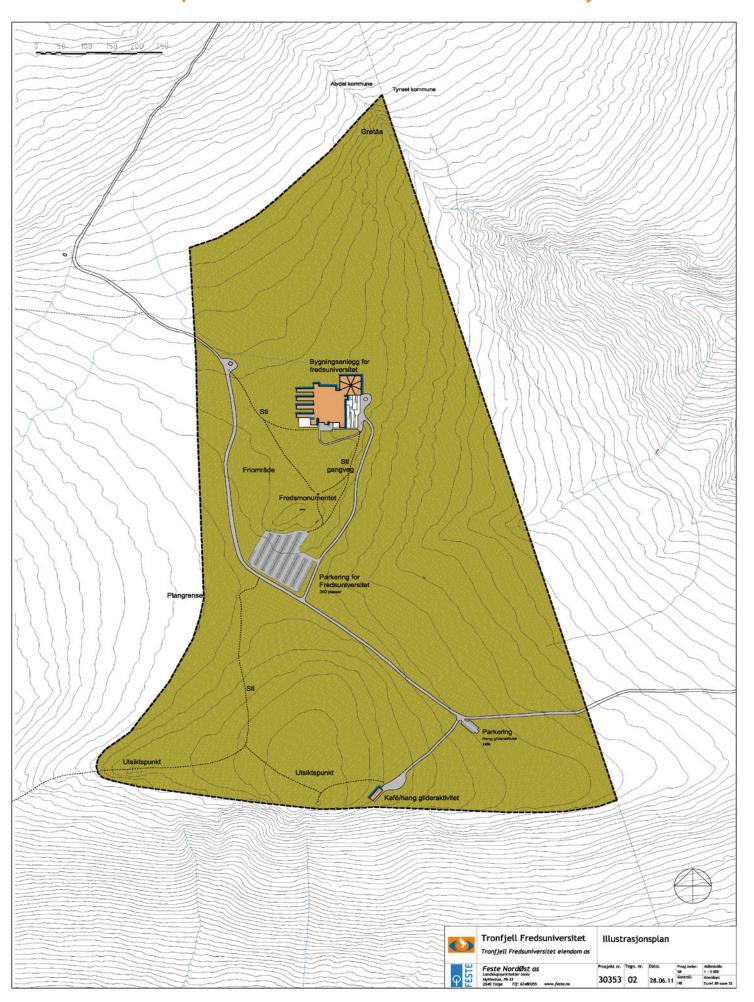
## The work with the Regulation Plan is finished!

After much effort over more than three quarters of a year our work on the Regulation Plan for the University of Peace on the "Peace Plateau" is finished! On July 1st the "Detailed Regulation for the Mt.Tron University of Peace" was submitted to the Municipality of Alvdal. The Regulation Plan contains a regulation plan map, regulation provisions and plan descriptions together with a risk and vulnerability analysis. Botanical registrations and registrations of cultural monuments were also carried out prior to this work.

The Regulation Plan is now being processed by the municipality and this will likely take the rest of the year. By the beginning of next year our hope is to have a publicly sanctioned Regulation Plan for the University of Peace. We will then be ready to negotiate with the land owners to buy land and actively go out to secure the financial support for the construction work.

See the Illustration Plan for the University of Peace on the next page!

### Illustration plan for the Mt.Tron University of Peace



Shown here is the basic Illustration Plan for the University of Peace which is included in the plan descriptions of the Detailed Regulation.

In the plan, road, parking and a small building for hang glider activity and /or cafeteria are also included.

# New homepages: www.shantibu.no

Shantibu

**Einar Beer** 

Sri Ananda

**Paramananda** 

Bjørn Pettersen

**Triptima** 















#### Welcome to Shantibu at Mt.Tron in Alvdal, Norway!

"Shantibu" means "The Home of Peace". It combines Sanskrit and Norwegian, East and West: Sanskrit 'Shanti' meaning 'universal peace' and Sanskrit and Norwegian 'bu' which in Sanskrit (lit. 'bhu') has a wider meaning which stands for 'everything that has life'.

Shantibu is the place where sincere truth-seekers from near and far, and from every corner of the world, come for conversation, guidance, retreat, silence and peace. Here the gate is wide and the ceiling is high – all are welcome and all are being taken good care of. Here there are no "-isms", dogmas or rituals, but simplicity, naturality and universality. Here no-one is forced to follow a fixed programme but may, if required, have their own, customised, arrangement tailored specifically for them. Here one can completely relax and be oneself in a free and friendly atmosphere.

Shantibu is situated at an altitude of 700 metres on the forest-clad slopes of the mighty Mt.Tron in Alvdal, Norway. It is the home of the Swami Sri Ananda Acharya Foundation (est. 1975), Mt.Tron University of Peace Foundation (est. 1993) and Mt.Tron University of Peace Estate Inc. (est. 2010). Built in 1946 by Einar Beer who lived here to his death in 1982, Shantibu is now the shelter of Bjoern Pettersen (since 1978) and Tripti Chatterjee (since 1990). Swami Paramananda lived here for a year in 1989-90, and for months at a time during three further visits in the 1990s.

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Click here to view the beautiful Shantibu in 360x180° view.



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# New homepages (cont.)

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"Mankind will fulfil its mission in the world when all see the Divine in the individual, and the individual sees the Divinity in all"

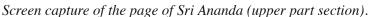
Sri Ananda Acharya











The web pages on the domain shantibu.no have been made to present easily accessible information on, first of all the two main sources of inspiration behind the idea and the project for the University of Peace, namely Sri Ananda Acharya and Swami Paramananda, and secondly, both past and present activities linked to the place Shantibu.

The new homepages contain links from the homepages of the University of Peace on www.tronuni.org (on the contact page) and links to the University of Peace are to be found on the opening page "Shantibu". The two domains refer to each other while remaining independent. The new homepages show a continuous link with the work for the University of Peace through more than 50 years!

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