



**80 years
anniversary**
Lann-Bihoué
Naval Air Station

May 10, 2026

**BECOME
A PATRON**



A word from the Commanding Officer

Welcome aboard!

Dear patrons, dear friends, in 2026, the Lann-Bihoué Naval Air Station (NAS) will celebrate its 80th anniversary.

As commander of the Lann-Bihoué NAS, it is my pleasure to ask for your generosity and commitment to help us organize a rare and significant event at the largest and most beautiful naval air base in Europe!

The Lann-Bihoué NAS is part of the local landscape and is even known worldwide for its famous bagad (traditional Breton band).



Its missions often remain unknown to most, despite the enthusiasm shown when it is possible to visit a (small) part of our military base.

Therefore, the organization of an air show will be an extraordinary opportunity for everyone to discover this unique world up close: whether they are aviation enthusiasts or simply curious, local residents or not!

Your patronage is an essential support for us, not only to make this air show possible but also to strengthen the ties between the defense sector and our fellow citizens.

Take part, as privileged participants, in this collective project, which will have a strong impact on our armed forces, our region, and our culture. Let's make this event an exceptional experience!

Thank you for your attention and for placing your trust in us.

**Capitaine de vaisseau (OF-5) Jean-Michel Aumeunier,
Lann-Bihoué NAS CO**

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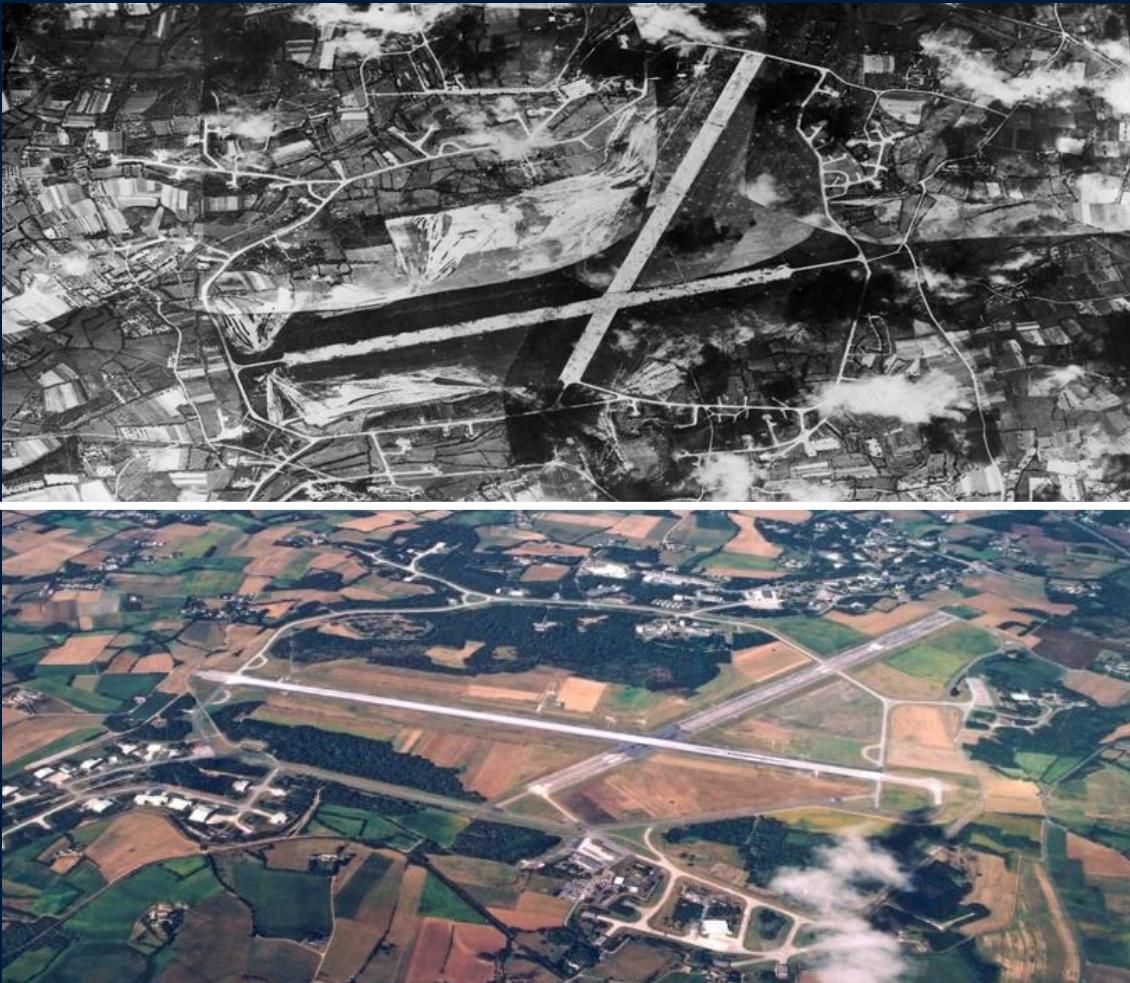
80 years of air and sea operations from Lann-Bihoué

1946

The Lann-Bihoué NAS was built on the ruins of the **German base of Kerlin-Bastard**, from which the *Luftwaffe** operated to protect U-boats** departing from Lorient. It quickly became home to **combat fleets, carrier-based fighter aircraft, and maritime patrol aircraft**.

* Nazi Germany's air force

** German submarines



80 years later, the primary mission of the Lann-Bihoué NAS is to provide direct support **to deterrence and French submarines**.

2026

2.

Our strategic missions: from naval combat to protecting our coastlines

The Lann-Bihoué NAS has several crews on call 24 hours a day, 365 days a year:

- to support French submarines (ATL2)
- to lead operations, especially outside France (ATL2)
- to carry out search and rescue at sea (F50M)
- to cover occasionally permanent air security (Rafale or Mirage 2000)



¹ an ops base

² a Strategic Ocean Force base

³ an organic unit

The NAS prepares and supports all patrol, surveillance, and maritime intervention missions, departing from Lann-Bihoué and abroad, thanks to:

- Crew training and instruction
- Aircraft maintenance and repair

Lann-Bihoué's units



4F SQUADRON on E-2C Hawkeye

Operating from Lann-Bihoué and the Charles de Gaulle aircraft carrier, the squadron carries out advanced aerial detection, fighter control, command and control, air-sea and air-land space management missions.



21F and 23F SQUADRON on Atlantique 2

They participate in anti-submarine warfare, anti-ship warfare, aeromaritime intelligence gathering, state action at sea, maritime counterterrorism, and air-land operations.



Lann-Bihoué's units



24F SQUADRON on Falcon 50M

Carrying out maritime defense missions of the territory, maritime surveillance, and search and rescue operations at sea.



28F SQUADRON on Xingu

Dedicated to pilot training and maturation, the squadron provides air liaison missions in support of the French Navy forces.



CEFAé Naval Aviation Training Center

Provides initial training for non-pilot flight personnel in the Naval Aviation Force, delivering basic training course (theory and practice).

It also provides training for maritime patrol, surveillance and intervention crews.



CENTEX PATSIMAR Center of expertise on maritime patrol, surveillance, and intervention

Ensures the operational qualification and advanced training of maritime patrol, surveillance, and intervention crews.

It also analyzes missions to advise crews and develop aircraft doctrine and equipment.

4.

May 10, 2026: a French air show like no other



over **70** aircraft attending

To celebrate its 80th anniversary, the Lann-Bihoué NAS is organizing an air show on May 10, 2026.

This event is a unique opportunity to introduce a wide audience to the range of careers in aeronautics through:

- Flight demonstrations ;
- Aircraft display.

Among the highlights will be:

- A presentation of all the French Navy's air missions ;
- A presentation of the missions and aircraft of other French and allied armed forces ;
- A presentation of numerous vintage aircraft.



This exceptional event will not only showcase naval aviation capabilities, but it will also be part of larger celebrations for the 400th anniversary of the French navy.

Throughout the day, flight demonstrations and ground display will be held highlighting the following aircraft:



French Navy aircraft (Rafale, Caïman, Atlantique 2)



vintage aircraft



allies aircraft



Innovative aircraft such as the H160M Guépard and UAVs (unmanned aerial vehicle)

Always appreciated and recognized worldwide, the **Lann-Bihoué bagad** will brighten the day with its Breton music.



Since 2018, when the opening doors of our military base welcomed nearly 50,000 visitors, no such event has been held at the Lann-Bihoué NAS. The event on May 10, 2026 will undoubtedly be a huge hit with a large audience of enthusiasts and sightseers.

The entire military base and its 2,200 staff members are enthusiastically committed to preparing this event and making it a highlight of 2026.

Such event comes with a cost commensurate with its stature: join us to make it happen!

Become a patron

5.

OFFICIAL _____ *up to 3 000 € **
PREMIUM _____ *up to 6 000 € **
ULTIMATE _____ *more than 6 000 €*

*included

	OFFICIAL	PREMIUM	ULTIMATE
VISIBILITY			
Your logo on billboards at the air show site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Your logo on official communication media	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Use of the title of OFFICIAL, PREMIUM, or ULTIMATE patron of the 2026 Lann-Bihoué air show	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Mention of your company by the announcer throughout the air show	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Your logo on the entry ticket	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Your logo on the authorities and patrons lounge screens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Your communication materials at the authorities and patrons lounge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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HOSTING AND EXPERIENCES			
Reserved access and car park	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Access to the VIP lounge for authorities and patrons during the air show (close to the aircrafts)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Meeting with naval aviation pilots after the air show	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Visit of the Lann-Bihoué NAS in 2026 including a flight simulator session	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ENTRY TICKETS			
Standard entry tickets	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	5 standard entry tickets*	15 standard entry tickets minimum*	15 standard entry tickets minimum*
VIP tickets for your employees and partners, including the access to a cocktail reception at lunch-time	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	No VIP entry ticket	2 VIP entry tickets minimum*	5 VIP entry tickets minimum*

*the amount of entry tickets will depend on the donation



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**COME ABOARD
AND FLY TOWARDS
AN UNFORGETTABLE EXPERIENCE**



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