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On 1 September 2012, delegation of soldiers from the nations represented in the Multinational Corps Northeast (MNC NE), headed by Commander Lieutenant General Rainer Korff, together with military veterans and citizens of Szczecin, participated in an annual celebration of the outbreak of World War II held at the Central Cemetery in Szczecin.

In order to pay tribute to the victims of the World War II, punctually at noon, a military appeal to the fallen was performed and honorary salves fired. During the ceremony, various delegations including the delegation from MNC NE laid wreaths at the monuments to commemorate the events of 1939.

An annual participation in the celebrations serves as an excellent example of close cooperation between the Corps and the City of Szczecin. For all Corps' soldiers from 12 nations, active involvement in municipal and national events is the way to strengthen integration of the multinational community within Szczecin and also a great opportunity to express solidarity and mutual support.

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