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# German cops mistaken for strippers while responding to complaint

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Two police officers in Germany were caught off guard when they responded to a noise complaint and found a party of women who mistook them for strippers. (GETTY IMAGES/ISTOCKPHOTO)

The party doesn't start until the police get there.

Two officers in Germany found this out the awkward way on Sunday, when they responded to a noise complaint about a 50th birthday celebration in the southwestern town of Bendorf.

It appears that the women thought the cops were actually strippers.

"When the two male officers arrived they were cheered by the crowd," the police department explained in a statement.

Police told [NBC](#) that officers' attempts to explain to "approximately 10 tipsy women," that they were real cops responding to a real noise complaint "were completely unsuccessful."

Partygoers asked for pictures and hugs from the officers.

The biggest jeers came after the cops had to ask for a final item of information: the birthday girl's phone number.

"This boosted the amusement of the ladies sky high," the statement explained.

Things finally died down when the women saw the police cruiser parked outside the birthday tent and realized that the officers would not be removing any clothing.

Then, they turned the music down.

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