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## Commemoration of 4 important Jola personalities

**So that they are not forgotten, in 2022, on the occasion of the 70<sup>th</sup> company anniversary, Jola will remember 4 people who decisively shaped the company.**

In the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary year, the past is honored at *Jola Spezienschalter*. The company emerged in the 1950s from the *Gebrüder Haas (Haas Brothers)* cloth factory in Lambrecht as a tiny electrical engineering company and over the years has developed into a permanent fixture in measurement and control technology.

On behalf of all those people who have advanced the company, four important persons will be remembered. On the anniversary of their respective death, a small commemoration ceremony will be held in the inner courtyard shortly before the lunch break, at which the management will celebrate their lives and work. In the months of May, July, November and January corresponding videos will be published on “Inside Jola”.

**Dieter Mattil** (11.02.1939-21.03.1995)

– Jola’s second Managing Director 1966-1995

Date of death: Monday, 21 March 2022

Video on “Inside Jola”: Monday, 2 May 2022

»» For Dieter Mattil, the entrepreneurial career was mapped out. At first he supported his father gradually closing the cloth factory and then helped Jola to be successful. In 1991 he received the Federal Cross of Merit with ribbon as general manager of the “Mattil Group”. ««

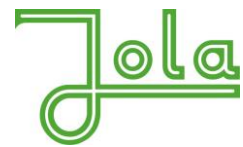
**Liselotte Mattil** (18.10.1916-01.07.2004)

– Jola’s Co-Founder and “good soul”

Date of death: Friday, 1 July 2022

Video on “Inside Jola”: Monday, 4 July 2022

»» As the daughter of an older cloth manufacturer and wife of a younger one, Liselotte Mattil born Botzong was always connected to local trade – as well as to the company *Jola Spezienschalter*, which was newly founded in 1952. ««



**Karl Mattil** (12.02.1897-13.09.1982)

– Jola’s Founder and first Managing Director 1952-1982

Date of death: Tuesday, 13 September 2022

Video on “Inside Jola”: Monday, 7 November 2022

»» Karl Wilhelm Mattil took part in both world wars as a naval officer and was director of the *Gebrüder Haas* cloth factory for many years. In 1952, he founded *Jola Spezialschalter GmbH* to market the inventions of the electrician Josef Lambrecht.

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**Josef Lambrecht** (31.12.1906-21.09.1958)

– Electrician of the cloth factory *Gebrüder Haas* and inventor of the “Jola Switches”

Date of death: Wednesday, 21 September 2022

Video on “Inside Jola”: Monday, 2 January 2023

»» With his electrotechnical inventions, electrician Josef Lambrecht laid the foundation for *Jola Spezialschalter* in the early 1950s. The company name still commemorates him today. ««

More information here:

<https://www.jola-info.de/en/70-years-jola>

Videos on:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCJ-Gm4oE2Xp0kBKNGeJwEJQ>

<https://www.jola-info.de/inside-jola>

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