

DIRECTIONS

Sportpark De Eendracht (remember this in case you need to ask for directions)
'National Rugby Center Amsterdam'
Bok de Korverweg 6
1067 HR Amsterdam-Geuzenveld
The Netherlands

How to get to the venue of Windmill Windup 2009?

By car

Coming from the south (A2/Breda-Utrecht)

1. Follow directions towards the A10 (Ring Amsterdam). Turn onto the A10 in direction South-West (s108 – s101/Den Haag). Don't go faster than 80 if indicated, we have 'Trajectcontrole' and it might cost you, it measures the average speed!
2. Take exit s103/s104, direction Haarlem. At the end of the exit, at the traffic light, turn left onto the N200 (Haarlemmerweg, direction Haarlem/Halfweg). Follow the signs Haarlem and turn left at the third traffic light (direction s104, Sloterveer/Geuzenveld). On the roundabout take the first turn-off to your right (direction Geuzenveld, Antony Modderstraat). Follow this road for quite a long time (it changes names) until you see a supermarket in front of you at the end of this road (LIDL). Directly after the sharp turn to the left (otherwise you drive right into the supermarket ;-)), turn right onto the Cornelis Outshoornstraat. Follow this road and turn left at the end onto the Bok de Korverweg. At the end of this road you should enter the parking area. At your right hand you will find the Rugby Stadium where the main tent is located.

Coming from the south-west (A4/Schiphol)

Turn on the A10 (Ring Amsterdam) direction West (Zaanstad/Leuwarden). Don't go faster than 80 if indicated, we have 'Trajectcontrole' and it might cost you, it measures the average speed! Then take it from step 2 as displayed above.

From the east (A1/Amersfoort)

Turn onto the A10 (Ring Amsterdam) direction North (Zaanstad). Take exit s102/Westpoort. At the end of the exit turn right onto the Basisweg at the traffic light, direction s102/IJmuiden. At the fourth traffic light turn left at the sign s104 (on your right at the crossing there is a building with very huge the word 'Scherpenzeel' on it), you are now on the Seineweg. Go straight and pass by two traffic lights till you hit a roundabout (following direction Geuzenveld/Sloterveer). Take at the roundabout the first turn-off to your right (Antony Modderstraat, direction Geuzenveld). Follow this road for quite a long time (it changes names) until you see a supermarket in front of you at the end of this road (LIDL). Directly after the sharp turn to the left (otherwise you drive right into the supermarket ;-)), turn right onto the Cornelis Outshoornstraat. Follow this road and turn left at the end onto the Bok de Korverweg. At the end of this road you should enter the

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By public transport

From Central Station

Take Citybus 21 (GVB) with destination Geuzenveld. You will find this city bus on your right hand across the water when you exit Central Station on the side of the city center. The bus leaves about every 10 minutes and the trip takes about 25 minutes. The last bus leaves at 0.22 h. Get off at busstop 'Freule Wittewaalpad'. That's it, all you have to do after that is follow the arrows to the front entrance of the sportspark!

From Station Sloterdijk

Take Bus 192 (GVB) with destination Schiphol Zuid P30. You can find the buses in front of the station. Buses leave every half hour. The trip takes only 10 minutes. Get off at busstop 'Freule Wittewaalpad'. That's it, all you have to do after that is follow the arrows to the front entrance of the sportspark!

From Schiphol Airport

The easiest is to take Bus 192 with direction 'Amsterdam Sloterdijk'. Follow the bus station sign to find the buses. The bus leaves every 15 minutes during daytime, after 18.00 h it leaves every 30 minutes (at .25 and at .55). The last bus leaves at 0.25 h. The trip takes about 35 minutes. Get off at busstop 'Freule Wittewaalpad'. That's it, all you have to do after that is follow the arrows to the front entrance of the sportspark!

Some tips for taking buses in the Netherlands:

- generally the bus driver will be able to speak some English
- tell the driver you are going to Sportpark De Eendracht and that you need to get off at Wittewaalpad: 'with the waal path'. Or bring a note with you ;-). Most drivers will be so kind as to tell you where to get off.
- the cheapest way to pay for your bus ticket is with a 'strippenkaart'. Strippenkaarts are sold at all rail stations, newspaper shops, post offices and all Albert Hein grocery stores. Several people can travel on one strippenkaart. Just tell the driver where you are going and he will stamp your strippenkaart (from Station Sloterdijk: 2 strippen, from Central Station: 3 strippen, from Schiphol: 4 strippen). A regular strippenkaart has 15 strippen and costs 7.30 euros. A large one has 45 strippen (for the whole team) and costs 21.60. There are cheaper ones for students but you have to be able to show a Dutch OV Studentenkaart if you want to use that.



You can pay with cash (preferably coins) in the bus, but this will cost you more and is a bit annoying if you travel with a large group.

By Bike

From Central Station it is about 8.3 kilometers. Plan your trip on: www.routecraft.com/fietsplanner. Click on the English flag to get some understandable directions.