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### DUINRELL MAGAZINE

The all-new Duinrell magazine contains stories about our guests, the multi-faceted estate and the stunning surroundings. The magazine can be read online at www.duinrell.com/magazine or is available upon request.

Duinrell, located in the woodlands and dunes of Wassenaar, stands for family fun where the keywords are passion, pleasure and purity. The vast estate offers the opportunity for a day out, or a short or long holiday. The amusement park, Tiki Pool, holiday park with its Duingalows, the camping site, the Duinhostel and the La Place catering facilities guarantee this.





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### **ESTATE DUINRELL**

THE DUINRELL ESTATE IS SITUATED IN THE GREEN HEART OF THE RANDSTAD CONURBATION, NEAR THE BEACH, AND IN THE WOODLANDS AND DUNES OF WASSENAAR. THE PARK OFFERS AN EXTENSIVE VARIETY OF DAY TRIP ATTRACTIONS AND RECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES ON THE MORE THAN ONE MILLION SQUARE METRE ESTATE.

### **ESTATE DUINRELL**

In 1935, the Duinrell Estate was opened to the public by the owner at the time, Count Philip van Zuylen van Nijevelt. For 10 cents, visitors could wander through the vast estate of forest and dunes. Over the years, the holiday and amusement park has become one of the most beautiful and friendly parks in the Netherlands, receiving between 1.3 to 1.4 million guests per year (day visits including accommodation).

### **RICK THE FROG**

Rick the Frog is the host of Duinrell and is a true hero to children.

### **AMUSEMENT PARK**

With over 40 indoor and outdoor attractions, the amusement park guarantees excitement and relaxation for young and old alike. The many attractions fully cater to young visitors, families and daredevils.

### **TIKI POOL**

The Tiki Pool, a tropical water slide paradise with over 1.3 kilometres of indoor water slide fun, is the largest indoor water slide paradise in the Benelux. All attractions in the Tiki Pool are indoors, which means the pool is open all year round, as well as in the evening.

### HOLIDAY PARK

The holiday park of Duinrell offers various accommodation options:

- 443 Duingalows; comfortable Duinrell chalets.
- The well-known welcoming camping site with its 556 pitches.
- A small number of lodge tents for a luxury camping holiday.
- Group accommodation in the Duinhostel.

### **SURROUNDINGS**

Duinrell has breathtakingly beautiful surroundings. During their holiday, guests can enjoy the woods, beach, dunes, cities and lots more.





### **NEW IN 2017**

### AMUSEMENT PARK

- A new, giant 20-metre high water slide tower with three water slides in the nostalgic playground.
- Car parks P2 and P3 are to be combined and modernised.
- The popular attraction Aqua Shute is to be fitted with a boat lift.
- The Mad Mill is to be renovated.

### **TIKI POOL**

- A new triple Cone (funnel) slide. The opening is planned for May of this year.
- A large extension for the kids waterpark Playa. A large water climbing frame is coming with a 'tipping bucket' and various items of playground equipment. The 'Triple Slide', 'Duo Racer' and 'Body Cone' are water slides especially for children from 4 to 12 years old. For children from 0 to 4 years old, a heated paddling pool is being built at Playa, where they can have fun with their parents. The official opening of Playa is expected to take place in mid-2017.

### **HOLIDAY PARK**

- 41 new Premium Plus Dungalows. The four and six-person Premium Plus Duingalows are expected to be put into use as from 1 June.
- In addition to this expansion, 100 Comfort Duingalows will be given a makeover in the form of a major paint job and 50 of these will be given new furniture.
- Two kitchens will be replaced in the Duinhostel, the interior will be repainted and the communal spaces will be supplied with new furniture.

### SUMMERSHOW

• Duinrell will present a spectacular Summer Show for the 33rd time during the peak season, from 15 July to 27 August. The Summer Show can be seen three times a day in the Summer Theatre.

### **EVENTS 2017**

Throughout the amusement park season, a range of activities and events are organized at Holiday and Amusement Park Duinrell. Below is an overview of the events calendar, which will be extended during this season.

EVENTS 2017		
1 April	The amusement park season will open	
8 April	Railsport Family day	
16 and 17 April	Nick Junior Fandagen	
May 2017	Opening new triple Cone (funnel) slide	
July 2017	Opening indoor water playground Playa	
15 July till 27 August	Summershow	
10 July till 28 July	JVA (Youth Holiday Activities Camp)	
23 and 24 September	Tina Festival	
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### **AMUSEMENT PARK**

WITH OVER 40 INDOOR AND OUTDOOR ATTRACTIONS, THE AMUSEMENT PARK GUARANTEES EXCITEMENT AND RELAXATION FOR YOUNG AND OLD ALIKE. THE MANY ATTRACTIONS FULLY CATER TO YOUNG VISITORS, FAMILIES AND DAREDEVILS.

### **ATTRACTIONS**

### Attractions for young visitors

- Row through the harbour together in row boats.
- Control traffic in the Traffic Garden.
- Jump as high as possible on the trampolines.
- Do circles on the Carrousel.
- Take a ride on the Locomotion wild west train.
- In Rick's Adventure Castle visit, many small, cool attractions.
- Climb and clamber through Rick's Fun Factory indoor playground.
- Ride through the troll cave on the Mini Train.
- Swing and slide in the classic playground. New in 2017: an extremely exciting 22-metre high slide.
- Climb the Kids Castle.
- Swing on the Swing Wheel's mini carts.
- Meet Rick the Frog during the Meet & Greet.
- Sing along during the Kwakus Kwebbel Show.
- Be a juror at the Play Kwek Show.

### Attractions for the whole family

- Get wet or stay dry in the Splash.
- Fly through the trees on the Dragonfly family rollercoaster.
- Make a rapid descent on the Aqua Shute.
- Rock back and forth in Ship Ahoy.
- Swing and sway on the Aqua Swing.
- Shoot across the water like a frog from the Catapults.
- Take a ride on the Frog rollercoaster.
- See who reaches the bottom first on the Niagara Superroetsj.
- Sail and collide in Bumper Boats.
- Shoot up into the sky on the Everlasting Candle.
- Dodge and collide on the Bumperfrogs.
- Cycle through the air on the Monorail.
- Enjoy the view from the Kikkerrad Ferris wheel.
- Photograph shadows in the Shadow Room.
- Enjoy the new Summer Show "Cirque Lumière".
- Buy souvenirs, sweets and clothing in the shops on the Promenade.

### Attractions for true daredevils

- Take a dive on the Falcon rollercoaster.
- Twist and squirm high in the sky on the Mad Mill.
- Do countless different loops on the Waterspin.
- Whiz down the dunes on the Toboggan Run.
- Do rolls or just glide in the newest attraction Wild Wings.





### Technical details of the biggest attractions of Duinrell

ATTRACTION	DATE OF CONSTRUCTION	SUPPLIER	CAPACITY	MAXIMUM HEIGHT	LENGT TRACK	V MAXIMUM	G Maximum	CYCLE	HEIGHT REQUIREMENTS
			[pers./h]	[m.]	[m.]	[km/h]	[N/mm2]	[sec.]	[m.]
Dragonfly	2012	Gerstlauer	750	15,3	362	45	-	80	1
Falcon	2009	Gerstlauer	850	22	361	70	5	75	1,2
Mad Mill	2001	Huss	1200	24	-	-	-	progr.	1,4
Waterspin	1996	Huss	1000	19	-	-	-	progr.	1,4
Splash	1992	Hopkins	1200	15	228	55	-	80	1,2
Rodelbaan	1984	Wiegand	600	35	350	25	-	260	1,4
Wild Wings	2016	Gerstlauer		22	-			progr.	1,2

### **OPENING HOURS AMUSEMENT PARK**

1 APRIL TILL 21 APRIL 2017			
Monday - Friday	10 a.m 4 p.m.		
Weekend	10 a.m 5 p.m.		
14 en 17 april	10 a.m 5 p.m.	Good Friday and Easter Monday	

22 APRIL TILL 7 MAY 2017		
Daily	10 a.m 6 p.m.	May holiday

8 MAY TILL 7 JULY 2017		
Monday - Friday	10 a.m 5 p.m.	
Weekend	10 a.m 6 p.m.	
25 and 26 Mey and 5 June	10 a.m 6 p.m.	Ascension Day and Whit Monday

8 JULY TILL 3 SEPTEMBER	2017	
Daily	10 a.m 6 p.m.	Summer holiday

4 SEPTEMBER TILL 29 OCTOBER 2017		
Daily	10 a.m 5 p.m.	
23 and 24 September	9 a.m 7 p.m.	Tina Festival

30 OCTOBER TILL 2 NOVEN	IBER 2017	
Daily	11 a.m 4 p.m.	Fall break Belgium





### **TIKI POOL**

THE TIKI POOL, A TROPICAL WATER SLIDE PARADISE WITH OVER 1.3 KILOMETRES OF INDOOR WATER SLIDE FUN, IS THE LARGEST INDOOR WATER SLIDE COMPLEX IN THE BENELUX. ALL ATTRACTIONS IN THE TIKI POOL ARE INDOORS, WHICH MEANS THE POOL IS OPEN ALL YEAR ROUND AS WELL AS IN THE EVENING. WITH MORE THAN 700,000 VISITORS EACH YEAR, THIS IS THE FIFTH LARGEST WATERPARK IN EUROPE.

### WATER ATTRACTIONS AND SLIDES

In addition to the wave pool, the toddlers' pool and the mini slides for younger children, the Tiki Pool houses following attractions:

### Blue Shark and en Green Barracuda

LENGTH: approx. 110 metres per slide HEIGHT: approx. 14 metres per slide SPEED: approx. 20km per hour Two medium-sized slides.

### **Blits and Flits**

LENGTH: approx. 80 metres per slide HEIGHT: approx. 14 metres per slide SNELHEID: approx. 60km per hour Two turbo slides, one of which now has Crystal Clear sections for extra excitement.

### **Cannon Ball**

LENGTH: approx. 6 metres per slide HEIGHT: approx. 2 metres per slide SPEED: approx. 60km per hour This slide is short and sweet. From the upper level, you jump into a dark hole to be launched out over the water, where you literally fly through the air for a moment.

### **Hotwhirlpools**

After all the excitement of the water attractions, take it easy in the oval whirlpool bath, where the temperature is about 35°C.

### Lazy River

LENGTH: approx. 250 metres per slide WIDTH: approx. 2.5 metres This attraction is another world first: an indoor Lazy River. But don't get too relaxed; the journey down the Lazy River also features a number of rapids.

### Moonlight en Starfright

LENGTH: approx. 150 metres per slide HEIGHT: approx. 16 metres per slide SPEED: approx. 20km per hour These two slides send you down a darkened pipe on a two-person inner tube over waterfalls, past lighting effects and through sharp turns!





### **Pelican dive**

LENGTH: approx. 4 metres per slide HEIGHT: approx.7 metres per slide SPEED: free fall A very short, steep and open turbo-slide featuring a free fall.

### Space Bowl Cycloon

LENGTH: approx. 150 metres per slide HEIGHT: approx. 15 metres per slide SPEED: approx. 60km per hour A giant funnel, the first in Europe to be fitted with a so-called 'high entry' system. Climb a 15-metre high tower, plunge down the slide at top speed, whirl round inside the funnel and finally splash into a catching pool. The Space Bowl is made of translucent material, so that onlookers can see the silhouettes of spiralling bodies. A catwalk has been built above the Space Bowl for visitors who would rather play it safe.

### Tyfoon

LENGTH: approx. 78 metres HEIGHT: approx. 15 metres SPEED: 50km per hour A lightning fast slide that noticeably subjects the body to g-forces.

### X-stream

LENGTH: approx. 16 metres HEIGHT: approx. 7 metres SPEED: 40km per hour Daredevils feel the floor fly out from under their feet at a staggering height of 7 metres, before they fall down into the skim out at a speed of up to 40km per hour.

### **NEW: Triple Cone water slide**

LENGTH: approx.163 metres HEIGHT: approx. 20 metres Guests will slide down on a two person tube at lightning speed from a height of almost 20 metres into the so-called Cone (funnel) before sliding upwards against the wall and then downwards once again. After these twists and turns, guests continue sliding into the following two Cones, after which the ride ends.

### **NEW: KIDS WATERPARK PLAYA**

The name Playa emphasises the water fun that children can experience in the new section of approx. 1,000 m<sup>2</sup>. A large water climbing frame is coming with a 'tipping bucket' and various items of playground equipment. The 'Triple Slide', 'Duo Racer' and 'Body Cone' are water slides especially for children from 4 to 12 years old. For children from years old, a heated paddling pool is being built at Playa, where they can have fun with their parents. The official opening of Playa is expected to take place in mid-2017.

### SAFETY

Unlike regular swimming pools, the Tiki Pool has additional safety rules in place due to the spectacular and fast water rides. A buoyancy aid is required for anyone using the Tiki Pool who does not have a swimming certificate and anyone who is under 1.20 metres, with or without a swimming certificate. There are also a number of special height and weight requirements per water slide.





### **OPENING HOURS TIKI POOL**

WINTER till 31 March 2017			
Monday	Closed		
Tuesday	4 p.m 10 p.m.		
Wednesday	2 p.m 8 p.m.		
Thursday	4 p.m 10 p.m.		
Friday	4 p.m 10 p.m.		
Saturday	10 a.m 10 p.m.		
Sunday	10 a.m 6.30 p.m.		

Extended opening hours during national and regular holidays.

SUMMER: 1 April till 2	9 October 2017
Daily	10 a.m 10 p.m.

During this season, the Tiki Pool can only be visited in combination with admission to the amusement park, with the exception of the evenings after the amusement park is closed.





### **HOLIDAY PARK**

WITH OVER FORTY INDOOR AND OUTDOOR ATTRACTIONS, A CAMPSITE, 399 COMFORTABLE DUINGALOWS, GROUP ACCOMMODATIONS, AND ITS LOCATION – SURROUNDED BY FOREST AND DUNES, AND NEAR THE BEACH AND MAJOR CITIES – DUINRELL GUARANTEES A VARIED HOLIDAY FOR YOUNG AND OLD ALIKE

### ADMISSION TO THE AMUSEMENT PARK AND TIKI POOL INCLUDED

From 1 April to 29 October 2017, overnight guests at Duinrell will be granted free daily unlimited admission to the amusement park. For the Tiki Pool, admission depends on the type of accommodation guests choose. Admission is included with the Duingalows, while guests of the campsite receive a special reduced rate. The tropical Tiki Pool is open all winter, and guests can plunge and splash in the water slide paradise as much as they like.

### DUINGALOWS

Duingalows are holiday homes for four, five, six or seven people, with the amusement park and the Tiki Pool at their doorsteps. There are over 2,000 beds in total.

### **Configuration of the Duingalows**

Cosy living room with sitting and dining area, TV and doors to the terrace; terrace with garden furniture and parasol; fully equipped kitchen; bedrooms complete with comforters and pillows; shower, toilet and sink; parking.

### Four comfort classes

The Duingalows are divided into three comfort classes, each with different capacity and pricing: Premium Plus, Premium, Comfort and Budget.

### NEW: Premium Plus class, spacious layout and with all mod cons

Premium Plus Duingalows, the newest Duingalows, will be available from June 2017. The Premium Plus Duingalows exude luxury and comfort. The Duingalows are located at the edge of the holiday park (previously the Eikenveld camping field), right in the centre of the beautiful forest of Duinrell. The Premium Plus Duingalows have a modern, luxurious appearance and are equipped with box spring beds, a dishwasher, flat screen TV (also in the master bedroom) and a separate toilet. The kitchen is also fitted with all luxury mod cons. The four-person Premium Plus Duingalow also has an infrared sauna. Guests who stay in a Premium Plus Duingalow receive free WiFi for 5 people during their stay. Types in this class: 4PXLS and 6PXLP

### Premium class, spacious layout and featuring top comfort

Premium Class offers the ultimate in comfort. These four and six-person Duingalows, situated on the edge of the park in quiet locations, have been available since April 2012. They have a modern look and moreover offer the most space. All XL Duingalows feature flatscreen TVs, a dishwasher, box spring beds, a separate toilet and a terrace or patio. This class is wheelchair and stroller accessible. Types in this class: 4PXL and 6PXL.

### Comfort klasse: comfort zoals het hoort voor een prima prijs

Alle Duingalows in de Comfort klasse zijn voorzien van de basisinrichting met per Duingalow verschillende extra's. Op een rustige plek aan de rand van het park zijn er typen met een vaatwasser, combimagnetron of met boxspringbedden.

Types in deze klasse: 4CO, 4COV, 6CO-1, 6CO-2, 5COV en 7CO





### Budget class: simply furnished and very affordable

These affordable and simply furnished Duingalows are on the edge of the park and are centrally located near the amusement park and Duinrell Plaza which includes, among other things, the Duinrell Superstore, Pub, Lighthouse Lounge and the La Place restaurants.

Types in this class: 4BU-1, 4BU-2, 6BU-1 and 6BU-2

### **Specials**

### Special: Baby Duingalow

In these four-person Duingalows, an extra room has been arranged as a nursery with a cot, chest of drawers and baby bath. For guests with a baby, these Duingalows offer additional facilities, such as a playpen and high chair. Type: 4COB

### Special: Pet Duingalow

A few four and six-person Duingalows are accessible to pets. Types: 4BUH-2, 6BUH-2 and 6COH-2

### Special: Kids Duingalow

A child-friendly five-person Duingalow full of fun for kids. Available from the start of the peak season.

### Special: Fisherman's Duingalow

A six-person Duingalow with a fisherman's hut theme and close to the water. Each Duingalow has a specially reserved fishing spot and includes a Duinrell fishing permit. Available as of May 2016.

### CAMPING

Duinrell gives the outdoors an extra dimension with its approx. 556 pitches. There are several areas with quiet places on the edge of the dune area, or areas with more activity near the amusement park. The camping site is open year-round and has all the modern amenities, such as toilet blocks with floor heating, hot and cold water, children's toilets, and laundry and ironing facilities. There are adapted facilities for disabled people at the Middenveld area of the camping site. Pets are allowed.

### **Camping pitches and sites**

Duinrell offers a choice of three different types of camping pitch. Each varies in their level of comfort and all are located across a range of camping fields.

Each type of pitch is available in different dimensions:

- Premium: Extra 140m<sup>2</sup> and 100m<sup>2</sup>/Plus 120m<sup>2</sup> and 100m<sup>2</sup>/Basic 140m<sup>2</sup> and 120m<sup>2</sup> private sanitary facilities
- Comfort: Extra 80m<sup>2</sup>/Plus 80m<sup>2</sup>/Basic 120m<sup>2</sup> and 100m<sup>2</sup>
- Budget: Basic 80m<sup>2</sup> and 60m<sup>2</sup>

### Lodge tents, for glamorous camping

For those who want to camp in style, there are nine spacious six-person lodge tents. Each lodge tent has three sleeping areas: one area with double bed, one with bunk beds and wardrobe and the last with box bed and storage space. The tent includes a kitchen with a dining table and a separate living/sitting area. Two lounge chairs and a picnic table adorn the partly covered terrace out front. It's only a one-minute walk to the modern sanitary building.

#### **Rental tents/mobile homes**

The estate also features fully equipped bungalow tents and luxury caravans (mobile homes). These are operated in collaboration with Duinrell by Holiday Break, Eurocamp, Canvas, VacanceSelect (Selectcamp), Al Fresco and Koko Holidays.

### Duinhostel

The Duinhostel group accommodation is suitable for a family weekend, school trip or a few days away with a club/association, colleagues or friends. The former coach house of the Duinrell estate can accommodate groups of up to 104 people. The Duinhostel is located among the trees, near the spot where Castle Duinrell once stood.





### Group accommodation

- Ground floor for up to 54 people.
- First floor for up to 50 people.
- Spacious patio with picnic tables and BBQ.
- At walking distance from the amusement park and Tiki Pool.

Ground floor (up to 54 people).

- Nine six-person bedrooms with bunk beds.
- Bedrooms include private shower, sink and toilet.
- Large communal kitchen/common room.

### First floor (up to 50 people).

- Ten five-person bedrooms with bunk beds.
- Showers, sinks and toilets off the corridor.
- Large communal kitchen/common room.





### **FOOD AND BEVERAGES**

THERE ARE VARIOUS RESTAURANTS AND SNACK KIOSKS WHERE GUESTS CAN HAVE A DELICIOUS MEAL. A NUMBER OF THESE RESTAURANTS ARE OPERATED BY LA PLACE.

### RESTAURANTS

### La Place Schaapskooi restaurant

La Place restaurant Schaapskooi is right at the centre of the amusement park. The terrace offers views of the nostalgic playground. In addition to the famous La Place sandwiches, grilled meat or fish, pizzas and delicious smoothies or freshly-squeezed juices are also offered at the buffet.

### La Place Duinrell Plaza restaurant

This self-service restaurant is located at Duinrell Plaza and is also open after the amusement park closes. This restaurant is almost like a market, where various à la minute dishes are prepared for dinner.

### **Buffet restaurant Toscane**

Buffet restaurant Toscane is also located at Duinrell Plaza and offers an unlimited family buffet, consisting of home-made soups, a salad buffet, various meat and fish dishes, pizzas from the brick oven and a dessert buffet. There is also a special buffet for children.

### Pancake restaurant De Carrousel

At pancake restaurant De Carrousel, children can play on the carousel, which dates from 1864, while they wait for their pancake.

### **SNACKS**

### Poffertjes (mini pancakes)

In the amusement park, opposite the Locomotion, there is the Oudhollandse Poffertjeskraam (Old Dutch mini pancake stall), where these treats are prepared in the traditional manner and served with powdered sugar and butter.

### Takeaways

There are takeaways located at various spots throughout the amusement park, the Tiki Pool and Duinrell Plaza, where they sell chips, snacks, soft drinks, coffee and tea.

### **Smultons**

There are three 'smultons', spread out over the amusement park, where guests can buy a Unox hot dog, Churros or a Chip twister.

#### Sweets & Fun

For sweet treats and nice souvenirs from Rick the Frog, among others, guests can visit the Sweets & Fun locations in the amusement park.





## **FACILITIES HOLIDAY PARK**

DUINRELL OFFERS A RANGE OF FACILITIES FOR GUESTS OF THE HOLIDAY PARK. AT DUINRELL PLAZA, THE BUSTLING CENTRE OF THE HOLIDAY PARK, YOU CAN DO SHOPPING, HAVE A BITE TO EAT OR JUST HAVE A DRINK. THERE IS ALSO BIKE RENTAL AND VARIOUS SPORT OPTIONS.

### DUINRELL PUB

The Duinrell Pub, with its mini bowling alley, an arcade and a smoking area, is located in the basement of Duinrell Plaza. Domestic and imported drinks are served in a welcoming and relaxed atmosphere. Football matches from the Premier League, various European competitions and large sporting events are shown on a big screen in the Pub.

### LIGHTHOUSE LOUNGE

The cosy Lighthouse Lounge and its roof terrace can be found upstairs at Duinrell Plaza.

### **SUPERMARKET**

Shopping at the Duinrell Superstore accentuates that holiday feeling. It offers a range of daily shopping items, holiday necessities, gift items and service products.

### **ENTERTAINMENT TEAM**

In the weekends and school holidays, there is an extensive entertainment programme for even more holiday fun, including a Mini-Disco, (Kids) Karaoke and a Meet & Greet with Rick the Frog.

### **BICYCLE RENTAL**

The Duinrell Bicycle rental hires out various types of bicycles, go-carts, carts, buggies and bicycle accessories.

### **ACTIVE OPTIONS**

- Come to the Playcourt for a round of football, volleyball or jeu de boules.
- There are two tennis courts and a mini golf course.
- Climb and clamber across the playgrounds.
- Try the training circuit with its exciting, sporty obstacles.
- Cast a line into Duinrell's fishing waters.
- Try your hand at table tennis at Duinrell Plaza.





### **SURROUNDINGS**

ITS LOCATION MAKES DUINRELL AN IDEAL BASE OF OPERATIONS. THE AREA HAS MUCH TO OFFER: NARROW FOREST PATHS, THE ROARING SEA AND BUSTLING CITIES.

### WOODLANDS AND DUNES

Duinrell has 55 hectares of beautiful woodlands and dunes with footpaths, where guests can take wonderful walks or runs. The Watchtower is located at the highest point of South Holland, at a height of 35 metres, offering a beautiful view of the park and the surrounding area.

### BEACH

The eight kilometre long sandy beach 'De Wassenaarse Slag' is located four kilometres away. The path to the quiet beach leads right through the dunes.

### PICTURESQUE WASSENAAR

The quiet village of Wassenaar, with its old, historic village centre, is within walking distance of Duinrell. Here, guests can experience culinary delights in the various restaurants and shop to their hearts' content in the long shopping street with its many shops.

### **UITSTAPJES IN DE BUURT**

Duinrell is an ideal base of operations for holiday guests who want to visit the numerous beautiful cities nearby and go on excursions in the area.

### Cities

The Hague city centre and charming cities like Leiden, Delft and Amsterdam, with their wide range of shops and culture, are just a stone's throw away. A visit to The Hague, the royal seaside town, with its old city centre, the Parliament Buildings and the Peace Palace, is certainly worth your while. Museum and culture lovers will enjoy one or several museums in Leiden, 'City of Discovery'. The CORPUS 'journey through the human body' attraction gives visitors look inside the human body.

### Hit the road by bicycle

The bulb-growing/coastal region and the Green Heart are perfect settings for beautiful trips on a (rental) bicycle. One recommendation is the Estates Route, a 32-kilometre bike ride through and around Wassenaar.

### Soldaat van Oranje - The Musical

A visit to Soldaat van Oranje - De Musical (Soldier of Orange - The Musical) at the TheaterHangaar at Valkenburg airfield is well worth the trip. The TheaterHangaar is five kilometres away from Duinrell and is easily reached by bicycle or car.

### Keukenhof

The Keukenhof is open from 23 March to 21 May. This beautiful flower park is just a 23 minute drive from Duinrell.





### **GROUPS AND COMPANIES**

DUINRELL OFFERS GROUPS AND COMPANIES MANY OPPORTUNITIES FOR A CAREFREE DAY OUT, FROM MEETINGS AND TEAM OUTINGS TO ALL-INCLUSIVE FAMILY OR ASSOCIATE DAYS. THERE IS A CHOICE OF A NUMBER OF LA PLACE RESTAURANTS AND BANQUET AND CONFERENCE ROOMS, EACH WITH THEIR OWN CHARMING CHARACTER.

### **GROUP PACKAGES**

Groups starting from 20 people receive a favourable group rate for Duinrell or the Tiki Pool, with a wide range of shops and culture. For a carefree day, guests can choose from a variety of group packages from La Place. The day is completely customised and provided with personal guidance.

### DINER, RECEPTIONS OR PARTIES

Duinrell offers extensive opportunities for dinners, receptions or parties. The various rooms each have their own atmosphere and theme. With a capacity of 50 to 1750 people, there is an appropriate venue for any occasion. Events are completely customised and provided with personal guidance. Themed parties, in which all arrangements are taken care of, are also an option.

### FAMILY OUTINGS

Duinrell is especially suitable as a location for family and client outings ranging in size from 20 up to 7,500 persons. The global programme for a family outing at Duinrell is as follows:

- Arrival at Duinrell.
- Special reception.
- Individual visit to the amusement park and possibly the Tiki Pool.
- Communal moment.
- Playful activity.
- Coffee, tea, lunch and dinner at La Place

Duinrell's own events team will assist in the organisation of a family outing. In recent years, many large companies have experienced a great day at Duinrell with their affiliates or families. These special days can also be arranged during the Sinterklaas' Estate event, which makes a Sinterklaas (Saint Nicholas) celebration special and memorable occasion

### **TEAMBUILDING**

Duinrell offers team building events in cooperation with Green Adventures. In the heart of the forest and dunes behind the amusement park, groups will compete with each other on Adventure Mountain. There are single or multi-day packages, with or without catering facilities.

### CONFERENCES, TRADE FAIRS, PRESENTATIONS

The conference centre has five modern, fully equipped conference and meeting rooms. The rooms, which enjoy natural daylight and meet all modern requirements, are suitable for events for 20 to 650 persons in any desired format.





### **OTHER FACILITIES FOR EVENTS**

### La Place restaurant Schaapskooi

The La Place restaurant "De Schaapskooi," with its "Old Farmers" theme and located in the bustling centre of the Duinrell's amusement park, is a charming site. With four rooms of various sizes, a stage, open areas and three bars, it is a good location for dinners, receptions or (themed) parties for up to 550 persons.

### Tiki Pool

A party in the tropical Tiki Pool makes for a special corporate event. Guests will be welcomed with Hawaiian garlands and a tropical cocktail. They are then treated to Caribbean and barbecue buffets. Guests can enjoy fun musical entertainment until the early hours. The Tiki Pool can accommodate groups of up to 700 persons for dinner and a maximum of 1,500 for a tropical party.

### Carrousel

The Carrousel is a charming spot in Duinrell's amusement park. The Carrousel Hall, with its authentic merry-go-round, is perfect for receptions of up to 150 persons. Barbecues can also be organised here for up to 100 persons.

### **Summer Theatre**

The Summer Theatre is the venue for Duinrell's spectacular summer shows. The large stage is large enough to accommodate up to 800 persons and is suitable for shows, presentations, conferences and exhibitions. When set up for theatre performances, 500 persons can be accommodated.





### **DUINRELL FACTS AND FIGURES**

### **DUINRELL'S ORIGIN**

The story of the Duinrell Estate is also the story of the Dutch coastal dunes. The elongated sand dunes, or high water lines, were formed by the tides of the sea and the Rhine. Behind these, to the west, the higher and younger dunes formed. This was the beginning of what is now one of the most popular recreational and nature areas in the Netherlands.

The Wassenaar beach and dune area is located in the direct vicinity of Duinrell and attracts daytrippers in search of peace, quiet and long walks. What are now called the inner dunes were in Roman times simply called the dunes. The present Duinrell recreational area is situated on the fourth high water line, which formed in about 500 BC; the fifth high-water line is now the first line of dunes that faces the sea. When ancient foundations were excavated, it was ascertained that in the distant past, on the spot where castle Duinrell stood, there had once been a delightful garden, and a farmstead close by.

### Water catchment

The beautiful dune landscape in and around Duinrell is an important drinking water catchment area for the Randstad conurbation. However, this same water catchment programme, which was initiated by the national government in The Hague in the first half of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, marked the demise of what was then the Duinrell farm. By 1929, the surrounding meadows had become so dry that the estate lost its agricultural function. Happily, the trees proved to be more drought-resistant and the beautiful woodlands remained intact. The lake next to the castle also continued to receive sufficient water. Previously, Duinrell castle had a succession of owners with interesting names such as "De Jonge van Ellemeet," "Van Boetzelaer" and "Van Pallandt."

### THE HISTORY OF DUINRELL - FROM 1935 TO THE PRESENT 2017

- The Tiki Pool is being expanded with a spectacular water slide and a new area full of water fun for children.
- At the holiday park, 41 new Premium Plus Dungalows are being built. These new types of Duingalows will be available from June 2017.
- A new, large 22-metre high slide is being built in the playground!
- In addition to this expansion, 100 Comfort Duingalows will be given a makeover in the form of a major paint job and 50 of these will be given new furniture.
- Two kitchens will be replaced in the Duinhostel, the interior will be repainted and the communal spaces will be supplied with new furniture.
- Upgrading access routes to the car park area.

### 2016

- Since January, La Place has been operated by the Jumbo chain of supermarkets.
- Opening of new aerobatic attraction Wild Wings.
- Commissioning of 3 special Duingalows.

### 2015

- 80-year anniversary celebrated with the memories of eighty 80-year-olds.
- Refurbishment of plumbing, changing rooms and lockers on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor of the Tiki Pool.
- Placement of 5 lodge tents.

### 2014

- In its 30 years of existence, 32.5 million kilometres have been slid at the Tiki Pool.
- Amusement park entrance is renovated.
- Opening of the Lighthouse Lounge.

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### 2013

Glamorous camping; four lodge tents opened.

### 2012

A total of 40 new, spacious four and six-person Duingalows are opened. These accommodations offer every comfort and have been designed to meet guests' needs. A new, uniquely themed family rollercoaster is opened that also suits the look and feel of the surrounding area's large-scale attractions. This family rollercoaster is 361m long, reaches a max. height of 15m and carries guests on a flight through the trees.

### 2010

Presentation of "Chronicle of a Family Firm" to mark the 75th anniversary of the opening of the estate. The first copy is presented to Prof. Van Vollenhoven LL.M. To mark this anniversary, a special Duinrell stamp is issued and at Keukenhof, a tulip is named "Duinrell." The "X-stream" is given a spectacular opening at the Tiki Pool. In autumn, the completely revamped website is launched by Mr Kees van Wijk, the General Manager of VVV Nederland.

### 2009

The completely renovated La Place (V&D's renowned restaurant brand) locations are opened. In April, the then Dutch Minister of Economic Affairs, Mrs Maria van der Hoeven, performed the official opening. In May, the much-anticipated, silent attraction "Falcon" is opened.

### 2008

Opening of the very exciting "Tyfoon" water slide at the Tiki Pool, which features many indoor water slides, at the beginning of the Christmas holiday.

### 2007

The holiday park has 417 Duingalows at its disposal, including an "Exclusive Duingalow" and approximately 900 camping pitches. Now, there is something for everyone! Duinhostel completely renovated.

### 2006

Following the opening of the Tiki Pool in 1984, Duinrell's 12.5 millionth guest is welcomed. The infrastructure is renovated; road surfaces are repaved and a roundabout is constructed to improve traffic circulation. Several toilet blocks on the camping area are remodelled. A special playground for Duinrell's youngest guests is developed. The entertainment and recreation team is bolstered.

### 2005

Duinrell's 70th anniversary, and the Holiday and Amusement Park is upgraded. Master illusionist Hans Klok gives another Summer Show. The Duingalow Park is expanded by two new seven-person Duingalows.

### 2004

Opening of Rick's Adventure Castle. It features attractions both large and small, with the home of host Rick the Frog as its core. Partnership with the "Opkikker" Foundation, which gives seriously sick children a day in the limelight. After 12 years, master illusionist Hans Klok gives another fantastic show in the Summer Theatre. The park and camping site are upgraded.

### 2003

Rick's Fun Factory, a brand new indoor playground, is opened, together with Green Adventures' Spectacular Rope Challenge, a trail of ropes through the trees. The Duingalow Park is expanded by 100 Duingalows, of which 24 are seven-person Duingalows. The Promenade Square, the Tiki Pool's food and drink area, and the photo entrance of the amusement park are all upgraded.





### 2002

Continued expansion of the Duingalow Park. The park's entrance undergoes renovations. The Promenade Square is upgraded. The Sea of Balls and the Kolder Theatre are both renovated. All dustbins are transformed into frog bins. The interior of the Summer Theatre is redecorated. In the Rembrandt Theatre, the edutainment show is alternated with two laser shows

### 2001

Duinrell's new attraction "Mad Mill" is placed next to the Splash and the Summer Theatre. The Space Bowl Tornado in the Tiki Pool is renovated. The Duingalow Park is extended by 45 six-person Duingalows. The square at the Summer Theatre and the theatre's facade are stylishly renovated. The Oranjerie, Duinrell's former tea house, is renovated.

### 2000

The Tiki Pool tower complex is renovated. It now includes two unique introductions to the world of water slides: Moonlight and Starfright. The new children's attraction "Locomotion" is placed next to the Aqua Swing whirligig. The 3D cinema is renamed the Rembrandt Theatre following the purchase of Dutch artist Sis Josip's copy of "de Nachtwacht," Rembrandt van Rijn's famous painting. The amusement park and overnight accommodations are further upgraded. Count H.R.J. van Zuylen van Nijevelt transfers management of Duinrell to his sons, Philip and Roderick, who had already been appointed to the position of statutory director on 1 January 1999.

### 1999

The Kikkertuin Conference and Party Centre is completed. Duinrell joins the Conference Society of the Netherlands (Vereniging Nederlandse Congresbelangen; VNC). Ski Valley is expanded. The tennis courts are improved and Rick the Frog receives a modern make-over.

### 1998

The Kikkertuin complex is built. Duinrell invests in a new 3D cinema, a harbour for rowboats, the Kolder Theatre and a climbing wall to entertain guests during their stay. The total investment in 1998 represented approx. €7.3 million.

#### 1997

The camping site is expanded by 194 comfort pitches. These pitches are at least 70m<sup>2</sup> in size and provide sufficient space for camping equipment, a car and a shelter. The Duingalow Park is expanded by 67 Duingalows. Duinrell now has more than 281 Duingalows at its disposal, with in total 1462 beds. The Camping Site and Duingalow reception/head office is built.

#### 1996

The number of Duingalows is increased from 119 to 214, providing a total of 1000 beds. Several Duingalows are specially adapted to accommodate families with a baby. Due to its success, the Comfort camping site was extended by 200 pitches. There are now 500 numbered pitches with space for camping equipment and a car. A new attraction, "Waterspin," is opened. This exciting attraction can accommodate 40 people and sends them spinning head over heels, all at the same time. The total investment amounted to  $\notin$ 6.4 million.

#### 1995

The camping site is expanded by 300 numbered Comfort pitches, each of at least 80m<sup>2</sup> in size. A luxurious, modern sanitary block is also built. The supermarket is given a new modern interior. Duinrell's entrance road is completely remodelled. This took the shape of a second entrance with a bus lane, which improved access for public transportation. Beautiful flowerbeds and shrubs were also planted. The capacity of the Rodelbaan (toboggan run) is increased and a new attraction is added to Funworld: radio-controlled trucks.

#### 1994

The tropical Tiki Pool is expanded thanks to an investment of €4.5 million. Many new aquatic attractions are added, such as the Cannon Ball, a Jacuzzi, the Lazy River and two enormous Space Bowls.





### 1993

The Bumperfrogs, an attraction featuring teeming, colliding frogs in a jungle of flowers and plants, is opened. The Duinhostel is expanded from 10 to 19 rooms for groups and/or families. The sanitary facilities at the camping site and in the attraction park are expanded. Five Mini Bowling lanes are constructed in the completely renovated "De Schaapskooi" restaurant.

### 1992

A new, sensational, American-style attraction is opened: the exciting, thrilling water rollercoaster Splash. Illusionist Hans Klok performs for the first time at Duinrell. Duingalow Park 2 is constructed. In total, Duinrell now has 119 luxurious Duingalows.

### 1991

The first Duingalow Park is opened, consisting of 51 luxurious Duingalows for hire located on a separate part of the Duinrell Estate. They are fully furnished and feature every comfort.

### 1984 - 1990

The name "Recreation Centre Duinrell" is changed to "Amusement Park and Camping Site Duinrell." On 19 April, 1984, Mr Pieter van Vollenhoven LL.M opens the tropical Tiki Pool. In the following years, many new attractions were added to the park: the Kikkerachtbaan rollercoaster, the Rodelbaan (toboggan run), the Aqua Swing whirligig, the Carousel, the Niagara Superroetsj, the Monorail, computerised theatre performances, the Aqua Shute (a water slide) and a 3D cinema. The investment amounted to 27.2 million Dutch guilders.

### From 1962

Count H.R.J. van Zuylen van Nijevelt, the father of Duinrell's current directors, begins to develop Duinrell into a recreation centre and camping site.

### From 1945

Damage from the Second World War is repaired. Events are organised and the motocross competitions are revived (until 1950).

### 1940 - 1945

The dune area is designated a "Sperrgebiet" and the SS occupies the castle, (which is eventually destroyed for the most part). The estate also suffers heavily during the war.

#### 1935

The estate is opened to the public in exchange for a considerable reduction in taxes. Admission costs 10 cents! "De Schaapskooi" is leased as a restaurant and the "Oranjerie" is converted into a "Tea Garden" with a tobacco and alcohol licence. In 1935 and subsequent years, the grandfather of the current directors built the first ski slope in the Netherlands, (this involved skiing on pine needles). Motocross competitions were also organised and these attracted thousands of visitors.

