Music Campsite files – Best Wishes Tower - Kortrijk

Het Pakt

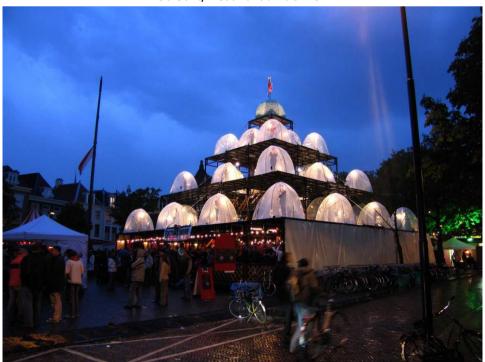
Music Campsites

Camping and music. Two totally different things. We bring them together.

The music is made by a 'fictitious' fanfare. Each band member is life-size printed on photo paper. The whole band is temporarily housed in special transparent igloos. Every musician has his own tent. Each tent will have its own sound depending on the instrument used. The musicians are thus protected from the weather. They bring a festive song called "Suzanna". This number is the start for a series of self-created songs, all are being performed by the fictitious band members. The visitor walks through a real-sounding fanfare where the individual sound of each instrument merges into a real marching band performance.

The arrangement of the tents varies depending on the **form** and **content**.

Hopper is in the form of a <u>city campsite</u>. This installation is built up in the height, such as a block of flats. This campsite is spread over several floors in a pyramid shape. The visitor can access this installation onto the 2nd floor. At the core of the pyramid there is room for many tents, each harboring an installation created specifically on the form and content of this tent.



Utrecht/ Festival aan de werf

Best Wishes Tower is in the form of a <u>city campsite</u>, the same shape as Hopper. This variation to our installation in Utrecht was fully created by Het Pakt. During the transition from old to new this year there will be a shining point on earth to be witnessed. An unusual phenomenon. A special, favorable and hopeful gleam.

BEST WISHES recreates the Kortrijk city center to a square of happiness, prosperity and good health. Central stands a tower with four floors. On it are transparent tents where a brass band blows party-music and where everyone, in an unforgettable way, receives his best wishes. At <u>the ground</u> floor we organized a bar fully adapted to the special atmosphere of feast and happiness. People could drink a glass of champagne with an own wish engraved on the surface of the glass. On the first floor the brass band plays at the outskirts of the square, in the center we have six specially created tents in the theme of the end of the year. On the <u>second floor</u> people could visit two specially created tents while on the outskirts of the square the rest of the brass band plays their individual tune. On the <u>third floor</u> we introduce our special "wish" messengers who bring luck and



wellbeing over the town of Kortrijk. People can visit the tower up to the second floor and have a clear and overall view of the central market place of Kortrijk.





Our engraver working in his own special tent, he scratches all wishes on the glass surface. The tent of the world famous hand shaker invited everybody to have his own individualized handshake. At the third floor we introduce two interactive installations in which the visitor can explore, discover and ...laugh.



