

UIAA Ice Climbing
Continental Open Utrecht
Zaterdag 14 december 2024



Infosheet Ice Climbing Continental Open Utrecht 2024

Date 14th december 2024

Organised by NKBV and Sportcentrum Olympos

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Venue

Sportcentrum Olympos, Klimmuur Kalymnos, Uppsalalaan 3, 3584 CT, Utrecht

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/BAEek2NXDzYrPgLu7>

Klimmuur Kalymnos is part of Sportcentrum Olympos. It is an outdoor climbing wall build against the P+R Science Park (carparking).

Officials

Chief Routesetter: Willis Morris (GBR)

Routesetters: Elwin van der Gragt (NED), other setters to be confirmed.

Jury President: Oana Harabagiu (ROM)



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Registration

UIAA link: <https://uiaa.results.info/users/login>

Registration Fee: €50,- to be paid cash or pin during the athlete sign-in.

NKBV members will have €10,- discount.

Registration deadline: Monday 9th december 2024

For registration for the Continental Open competitions, athletes do not need an UIAA license. To register for the individual events the federation can register on the UIAA registration system. Athletes can register themselves out with the federation on the UIAA registration system - <https://uiaa.results.info/users/login> if you have competed before.

If you are not already registered with the system then please complete this form - https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdXP66u_9c6VZogB63cxIqXd2YFhn-phu8DeJ-kuO8U4zTbXQ/viewform and you will be sent an invite to register with the system.

Demonstration Qualification flash routes

Demonstration video's will be available on Friday 15th December through this link:

<https://www.youtube.com/@nkbvnationalecompetitie1902/playlists>

Prize Money

1st place Men & Women €300,-

2nd place Men & Women €200,-

3rd place Men & Women €100,-

Provisional programme

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When	What	Where
Friday 13 december		
17:00 -18:00	Athlete Sign-in	Sportcentrum Olympos
18:30-19:00	Technical briefing	Sportcentrum Olympos



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When	What	Where
Saturday 14 december		
08:40	Sunrise	
09:00	Warm-up zone open	Competition Area
10:00-15:00	Qualification Men & Women (50 + 30 athletes)	Competition Area
15:15	Results Q Men & Women	Competition Area
16:00-16:15	Isolation Finals Men and Women Open	Parking zone
16:30	Sunset	
17:15	Presentation Finalists Men & Women	Competition Area
17:30 -20:00	Finals Men & Women	Competition Area
20:15	Results & Ceremony	Competition Area

* Men and Women categories will be ranked in 4 separate age groups being: Seniors, U20, U18 and U16**

**U16 will climb on top rope, all other age groups will lead their routes.

How to get to Utrecht?

Car

Utrecht is located in the heart of the Netherlands. Several major highways pass the city, like A2, A12, A27 and A28. Parking is easy since the climbing is built against a carpark.

Airplane

Schiphol is the major airport in the Netherlands. You can reach the venue within one hour from Schiphol airport by taking the Intercity train to Utrecht CS, then take tram 22 to *P+R Science Park*. The tram terminal is right behind the venue but only rides during business days.

Train

Go to Utrecht Central Station and take tram 22 to P+R Science Park. See directions Airplane. You can check [9292.nl](https://www.9292.nl) for travel advice

Note: From Utrecht Central Station the tram only runs on working days. In the weekend you need to take bus line 28 to the venue.

[Overview Public Transport Utrecht](#)



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Accommodation

You have several hotel options in the city of Utrecht, just check [booking.com](https://www.booking.com) or any other online booking platform.

The best accommodation option is probably the [Youth Hostel Stay Okay](#) in Bunnik. This is just 3km from the venue. The hostel hires bicycles so you cycle in 10 minutes to the venue or simply take a scenic walk in 35 minutes.

2024 Venue

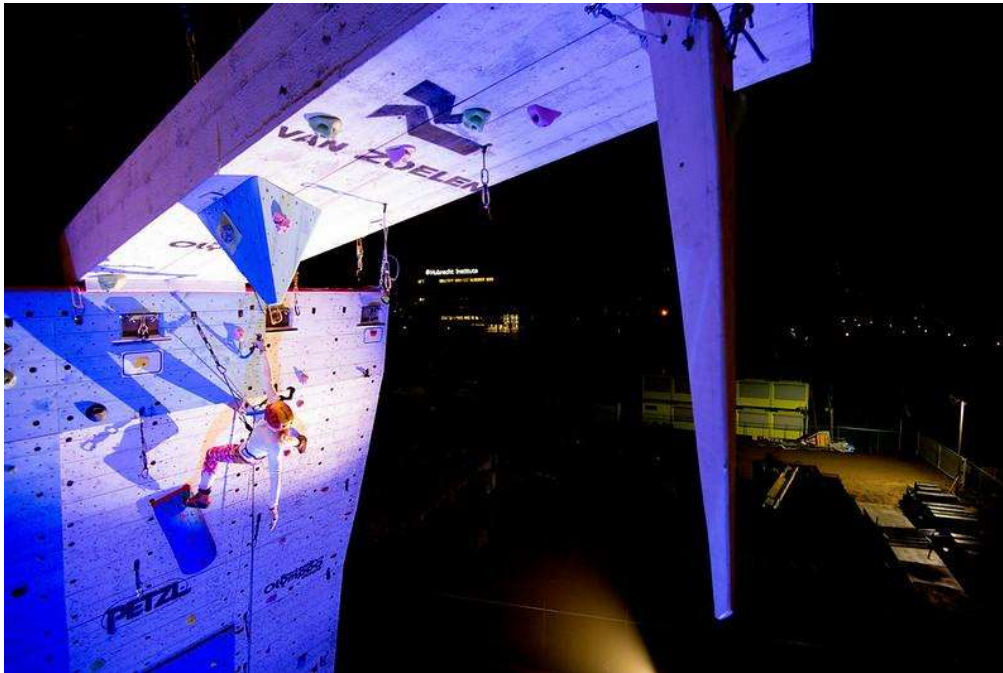
The competition wall is built against a solid concrete climbing wall. It gets a winter dress of wooden panels when the leaves start falling. We added a roof section for competitions. We are planning to further extend the competition wall with two extra lead lines. This will result in two competition walls with both about 15 meters height. One has about 14 degrees overhang on average. The other is on average about vertical.



The about 14 degrees overhanging competition wall.



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The roof section above the overhanging competition wall.

