

# 2014

10/11/2014

Reflection on Armistice, cooperation with In Flanders Fields Museum, City of Ypres, Flemish Peace Institute and Cultuurcentrum Ieper.

**11 November lecture**

11/11/2014

**Remembrance 96th anniversary of Armistice**

Org. Last Post Association - [www.lastpost.be](http://www.lastpost.be)

**Remembrance concert 'The Great War remembered'**

**Peace Prize award ceremony**

18/12/2014

Concert to commemorate the Christmas truce - 8:00 pm - Boezinge Church - Tickets: €21.50 - [www.gonewest.be](http://www.gonewest.be) - +32 (0)70 21 15 15 + Ypres/Ieper Tourist Office

**Alan Stivell**

22/12/2014

Performance about the Christmas truce with narrators Michael Morpurgo and Virginia McKenna and music by The Voices at the Door.

8:30 pm - Saint Martin's Cathedral - Tickets VVK: €16.50 - ADD: €19.50  
[www.gonewest.be](http://www.gonewest.be) - +32 (0)70 21 15 15 + Ypres/Ieper Tourist Office

**Michael Morpurgo** The Best Christmas Present in the world

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COMINGWORLDREMEMBERME

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**Coming World Remember Me**

The Province of West Flanders has commissioned VZW Kunst to organise workshops together with the artist Koen Vanmechelen in which participants make small sculptures out of clay. The 600,000 sculptures for the 600,000 victims of the Great War will form part of the land art installation ComingWorldRememberMe in De Palingbeek provincial park as of 2018.

Would you like to be part of this project? If so, come make a sculpture yourself in our studio in the visitor centre De Kazematten (Kazemat 5) Bollingstraat 1 in Ypres. Participation costs 5 euros. - free admission / opening hours: Tuesday to Saturday, 1:30 pm - 6:30 pm / workshops for groups of 15 or larger by request. - [www.comingworldrememberme.be](http://www.comingworldrememberme.be)



## A preview of events for 2015

- 04/04/2015** **Opening three new access points to the Ypres Salient**  
The Ypres Salient is being made accessible with new walking and cycling routes at the Klein Zwaanahof farmstead in the north, Hooze Crater Museum in the centre and De Palingbeek provincial park in the south.
- 11/04 - 30/08/15** **Second Battle of Ypres – Gas Attack / Castle parks, Westhoek Zuid**  
Historical Exhibition – In Flanders Fields Museum
- 17/04/2015** **Start of second edition of Gone West** [www.gonewest.be](http://www.gonewest.be)
- 22/04/2015** **Remembrance of the First Gas Attack**  
Memorial ceremony 100th anniversary of the First Gas Attack: partnership with City of Ypres, municipality of Langemark-Poelkapelle and OPCW
- 23 - 25/04/2015** **Conference about weapons of mass destruction**  
Linked to literary programme of Gone West 2
- 25/04/2015** **Remembrance of ANZAC Day**
- 30/04 - 02/05/15** **Ypres, as we remember...**  
The Koninklijke Harmonie Ypriana invites national and international artists for an exceptional concert. With Luka Bloom, Willem Vermandere, Patrick Riguelle, Wannes Cappelle, ...- CC Het Perron
- 24/05/2015** **Multimedia dance performance** in remembrance of the Second Battle of Ypres. Organisation of Gone West 2 – [www.gonewest.be](http://www.gonewest.be)
- 04/07 - 03/01/16** **Artist in Residence** – In Flanders Fields Museum
- 09/07/2015** **An ode to the Ode - 30,000th Last Post**  
Large participatory event led by Wim Opbroeck.  
[www.lastpost.be](http://www.lastpost.be) – [www.gonewest.be](http://www.gonewest.be)
- 22/08/2015** **Four Days of the Yser** - final day in Ypres - [www.vierdaagse.be](http://www.vierdaagse.be)
- 18/09 - 03/01/16** **A Group Photograph**  
Exhibition – In Flanders Fields Museum/Andrew Tatham
- 10/11/2015** **11 November lecture**
- 11/11/2015** **Remembrance 97th anniversary of Armistice**  
**Remembrance concert 'The Great War remembered'**  
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**Tourism Ypres**

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the WWI Salient Centenary

**2014**  
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**2018**

## EVENTS

# 2014 > 2015

Exhibitions - Remembrances  
Community events  
Lectures & conferences  
Concerts





## EVENTS 2014 > 2015

A large number of events have been organised from 2014 to 2018 for the centenary remembrance of the First World War.

organised in Ypres, the Westhoek, Flanders and the Western Front region as a fitting remembrance for the First World War. This calendar gives an overview of the events in Ypres in 2014 and 2015.

Many different types of events will be

For complete information go to [www.visit-ypres.com](http://www.visit-ypres.com) and [www.inlandersfields.be](http://www.inlandersfields.be)

Daily at 8:00 pm: **LAST POST CEREMONY** under the **MENIN GATE**  
Calendar of special Last Post ceremonies at [www.lastpost.be](http://www.lastpost.be)

**GoneWest** reflections on the Great War



**Artistic Remembrance of 100th anniversary of the Great War in West Flanders.**

'Gone West' is a series of outstanding cultural and tourist events using contemporary, forward looking, multidisciplinary content

in remembrance of the 100th anniversary of the Great War in West Flanders. The first Gone West event period runs from 14 October to 24 December 2014. The second period is from 17 April to 24 May 2015.

Full programme and ticket sales: [www.gonewest.be](http://www.gonewest.be)

# 2014

14/06 - 14/10/2014

Archive exhibition - Museum café of the In Flanders Fields Museum  
**Fair play? Sports and the First World War**

14/06/2014 - 19/10/2014

Historical & artistic double exhibition with Philip Aguirre y Otegui, Johan Tahon, Tamara Van San and others. - Saint Martin's Cathedral (org. Vrienden van de Sint-Maartenskathedraal)  
**Tempus Horribilis**

04/07/2014

Series of live carillon concerts by West Flemish and international carillonneurs  
4:15 pm to 6:20 pm - Cloth Hall - Free in and out  
**Carillon festival**

05/07/2014 - 04/01/2015

Installation by the German artist Thorsten Brinkmann. - In Flanders Fields Museum  
**Artist in Residence - Thorsten Brinkmann**

09/07/2014

Ypres was chosen as the start location for the fifth stage as part of the centennial remembrance of the First World War. Full programme of the route and activities at [www.tour-ieper.be](http://www.tour-ieper.be)  
**Fifth stage of the Tour de France**

12-13/07/2014

Exhibition - Vleeshuis/Neermarkt Ypres - [www.academiebelgium.be](http://www.academiebelgium.be)  
**Mail in times of turmoil 1914-18**

04/08/2014

Noon: **National minute of silence** in remembrance of the invasion of Belgium. Start of the day to day publication of **the Name List** in the In Flanders Fields Museum  
**Assembly Memorial Chairs** (art project by Val Carman, as of 29/07) -  
**Concert: Naming Names** by Coope Boyes and Simpson & Ensemble Paul Rans.  
(8:30 pm - CC Het Perron - Tickets: €10 - Tourism Ypres - +32 (0)57 239 220)

23/08/2014

Four day walking tour - final day in Ypres - [www.4daagse.be/en/](http://www.4daagse.be/en/)  
**Four Days of the Yser**

# 2014

28/09/2014

International tattoo on the Grote Markt - [www.ypresmemorialtattoo.be](http://www.ypresmemorialtattoo.be)  
**Ypres Memorial Tattoo**

04/10/2014 - 04/01/2015

Historical exhibition - In Flanders Fields Museum  
**The Battle of the IJzer and the First Battle of Ieper + Antony d' Ypres**

17/10/2014

The front line as of October 1914 lit up with torches from the beach in Nieuwpoort to the French border at Ploegsteert. - Gone West - Province of West Flanders - [www.gonewest.be/en/events/light-front](http://www.gonewest.be/en/events/light-front)  
**Light front - participatory remembrance project**

Projection of all the war dead onto the three symbolic towers. Bell Tower Ypres, Yser Tower Diksmuide and Albert I Monument Nieuwpoort.

**The Name List**

18/10/2014

**Käthe Kollwitz Vredesloop** [www.vredesloop.be](http://www.vredesloop.be)

26/10 - 16/11/2014

Exhibition - Kazematten/Bollingstraat 1 Ypres - [www.kantatelierdekersecorf.be](http://www.kantatelierdekersecorf.be)  
**War Lace / Oorlog & Kant**

28/10/2014

International remembrance of the First Battle of Ypres and the flooding of the Yser. Evening concert by Wim Mertens - Voice of the Living in Saint Martin's Cathedral in Ypres.

**National remembrance of start of First World War in Nieuwpoort and Ypres**



07/11 - 10/11/2014

Four-day walking event between Albert (Fr.) and Ypres  
**Remembrance march between Somme and Yser**  
09/11 third leg of Remembrance March - Walking Day Diksmuide  
10/11 fourth leg of Remembrance March - Walking Day Ypres