SUMMERTIME



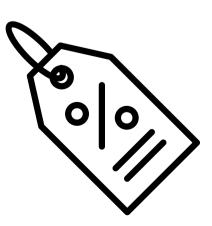
RECOMMENDATIONS IN GHENT

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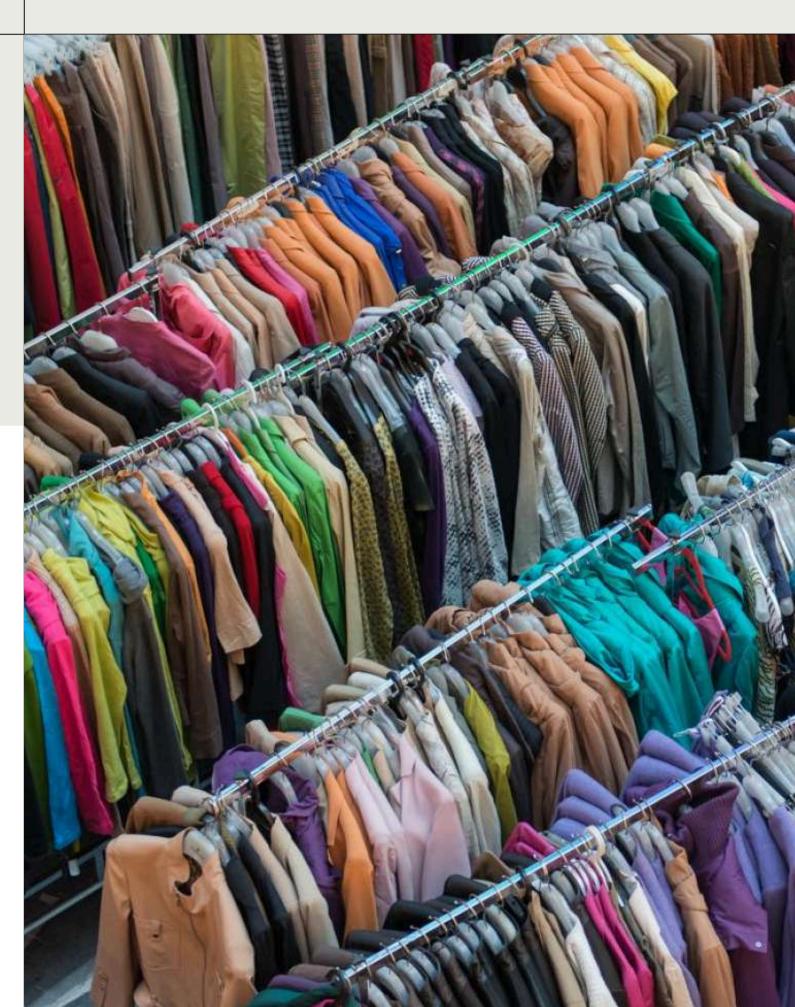
FUN SHOPPING IN PICTURESQUE GHENT - WHAT'S NOT TO LIKE?

In a traffic-free city centre, shopping is overwhelming, with retailers displaying their wares for festive fairs with special offers and discounts.





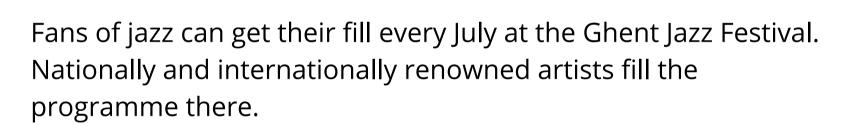






GHENT JAZZ FESTIVAL

FESTIVAL FOR JAZZ LOVERS









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GENTSE FEESTEN

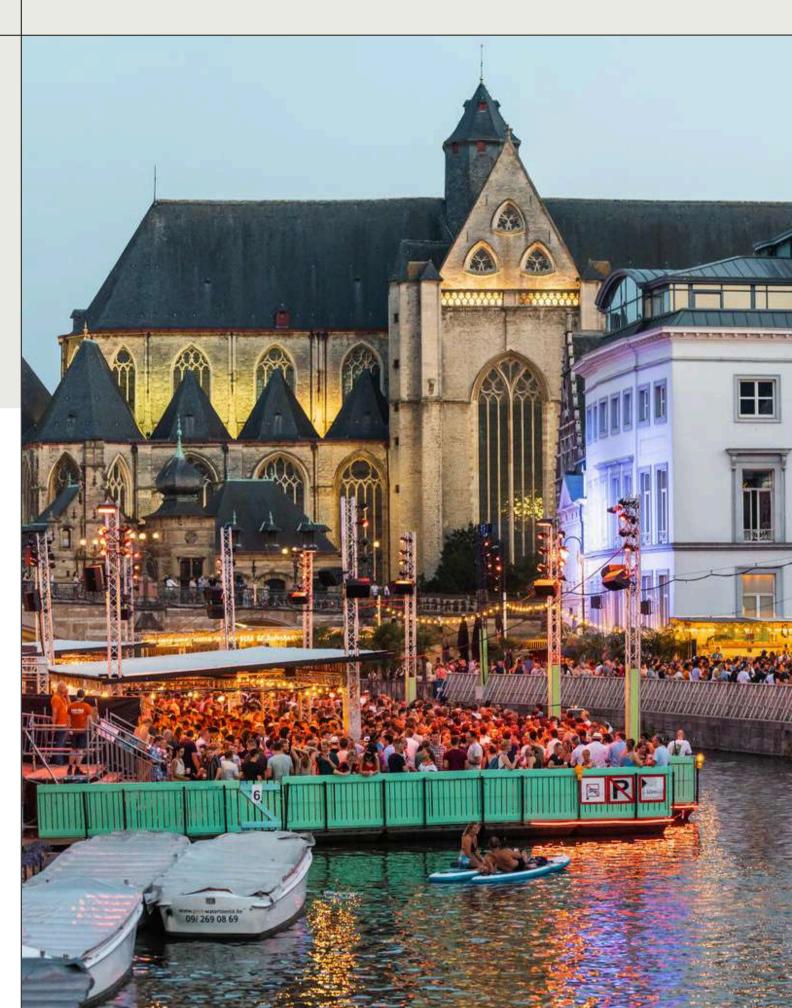
THE GHENT FESTIVITIES SET THE CITY ON FIRE FOR 10 DAYS

A popular cultural festival featuring numerous national and international artists: unique in Europe because of its varied and free offer of performances, theatre, exhibitions, children's entertainment, funfair and so much more!









RECOMMENDATIONS IN GHENT



GENTSE LICHTPLAN

A TRAIL OF LIGHT TROUGHOUT THE CITY

At dusk, daylight in Ghent does not just give way to artificial light. Streets, squares and buildings are artistically enveloped in light and atmosphere at dusk.







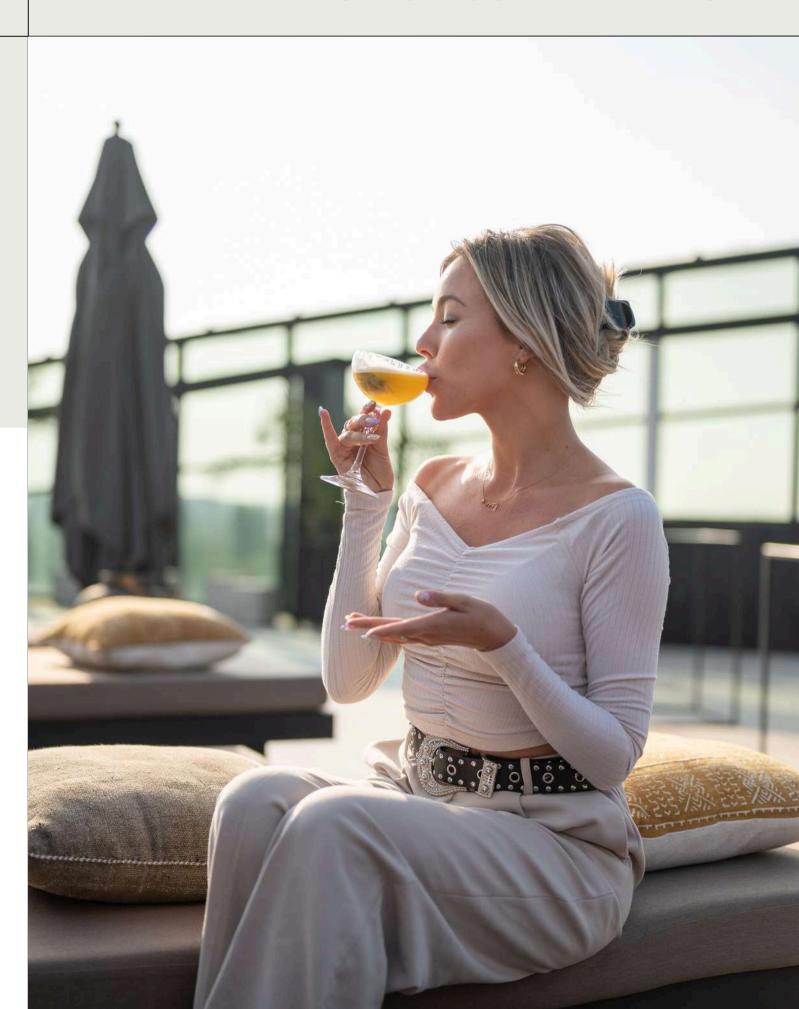
POP-UP SUMMER BARS

ROOFTOP TERRACE

DON'T LOOK TOO FAR, ENJOY A REFRESHING COCKTAIL IN OUR SKYBAR

On the 10th floor of the Van der Valk Hotel Ghent is our hotel's rooftop bar. Enjoy a snack and a drink with a view of the city of Ghent.





POP-UP SUMMERBARS



15 MAY UNTIL 24 SEPTEMBER

RIVIERA

WELCOME TO THE GENTH RIVIERA

Riviera is a bar in the historic centre of Ghent. Here you escape from the crowds and watch the boats sail by while enjoying a bite to eat and a drink.





POP-UP SUMMERBARS



GAZON

SUMMER BAR IN THE KRISTALLIJN'S BEAUTIFUL PRIVATE GARDENS.

Plop down in the cushions with a cocktail, unwind under the trees or have a drink by the pond. Be sure to visit with children. There is a large playground. For the adults, there are plenty of activities provided, such as a Kubb game or petanque.











COSY SPOTS

DE BLAUWE KIOSK

FOR THOSE WHO LOVE A GOOD APERITIF

At De Blauwe Kiosk, the real connoisseurs gather around 11 o'clock. Turned into an apero bar, this monument provides market gourmets with a glass of cava, fresh oysters and other amuse-gueles.









BLOEMENMARKT

SHOPPING AT THE KOUTER



Do you like flowers and cosy crowds? Then the weekly flower market on the Kouter is something for you. Live performers line the kiosk and treat you to free music.







COSY SPOTS

VENTURA

AUTHENTIC CAFÉ LOCATED AT VRIJDAGSMARKT

Café Ventura exudes authenticity, with a range of aperitifs, snacks and cocktails. In the summer months, the terrace is a great place to relax.





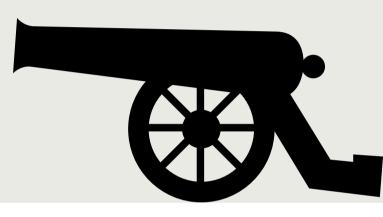


COSY SPOTS



'T KANON

LE PETIT GRAND CAFÉ



Café 't Kanon, a few steps from Vrijdagmarkt. A Parisian atmosphere in the heart of Ghent.







CULTURE

GRAVENSTEEN

VISITING KNIGHTS



A visit to the Castle of the Counts in Ghent is a must during your city break. It offers a fascinating insight into the knightly culture of the 12th century, with accessible sights such as the gatehouse, the rampart wall, the keep, the count's residence and the stables.







CULTURE



BOAT RIDES IN GHENT

EXPLORE GHENT FROM A DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVE

Explore Ghent from the water for an enchanting perspective during your city break. Enjoy a boat trip along Ghent's inland waterways and discover hidden treasures in the emperor Karel city.







SPORT EN RECREATION

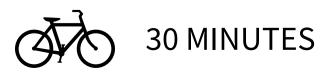


DE BLAARMEERSEN

RELAXATION, SPORT AND NATURE ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF GHENT.

Located at the Ghent Water Sports Course, there is a green oasis where youngsters can swim, kayak, pedal boat, surf, fish and much more.









NATURAL PARK



CITADELPARK

LARGEST GREEN CITY LUNG BETWEEN SCHELDT AND LYSS



This historic site, once an impressive military fortress, now offers green tranquillity and recreation to visitors, with sprawling lawns, beautiful footpaths and biodiversity.

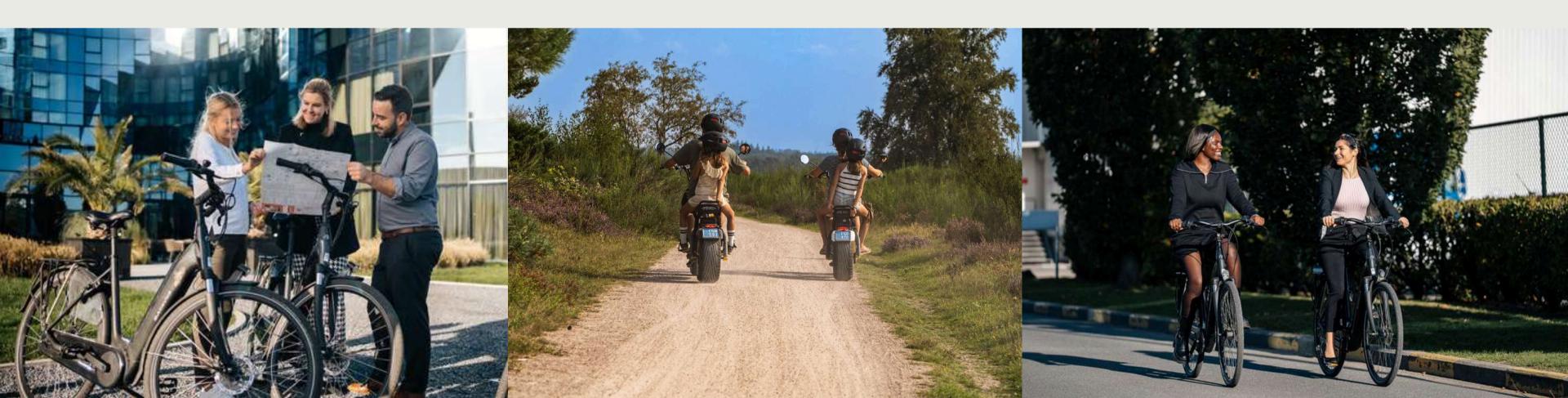






VAN DER VALK HOTEL GHENT NEAR THE CITY OF GHENT

Discover the possibilities at your fingertips! Our brochure guides you through a range of locations, all within a 20-minute radius of our Van der Valk Hotel Ghent. Enjoy a relaxing bike ride, a quick car journey or opt for sustainable mobility with our electric options such as E-choppers and E-bikes. There is also the convenient option of taking bus 19 from our hotel directly to Ghent Sint-Pieters station. The latter is not for weekends.



TRANSPORT

E-CHOPPERS

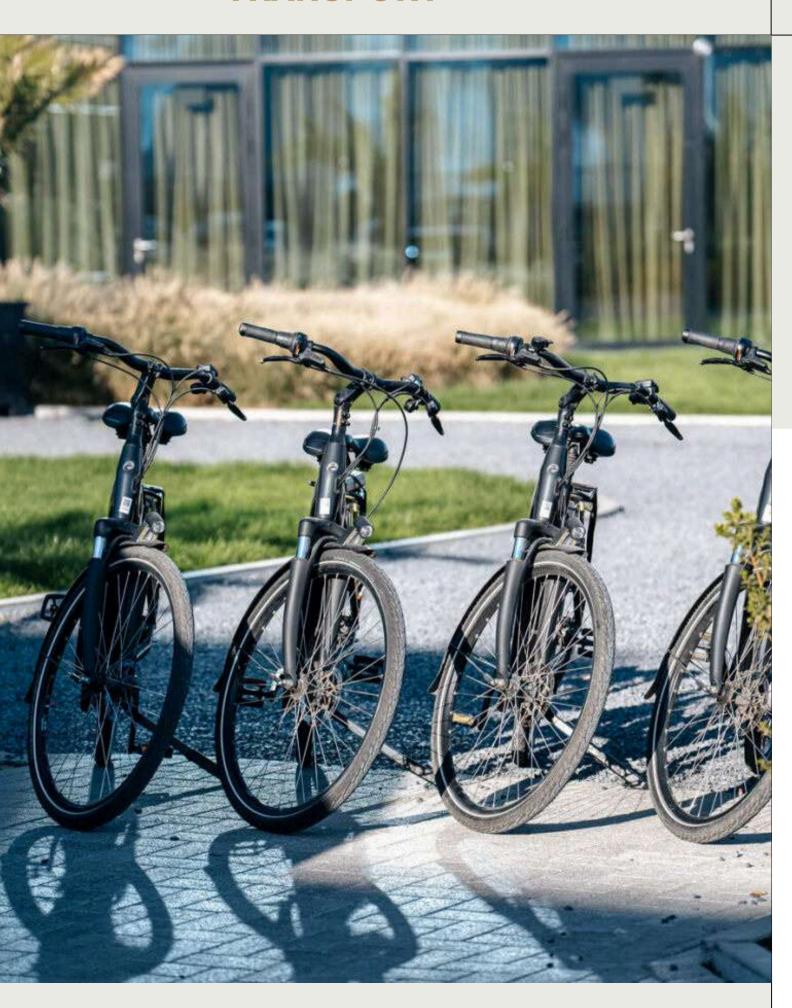
DISCOVER GHENT AND ITS SURROUNDINGS WITH THE MOST FUN SUSTAINABLE MEANS OF TRANSPORT: THE E-CHOPPER!

Drive to the centre of Ghent in 15 minutes or discover the beautiful nature that gent has to offer.





TRANSPORT



E-BIKES

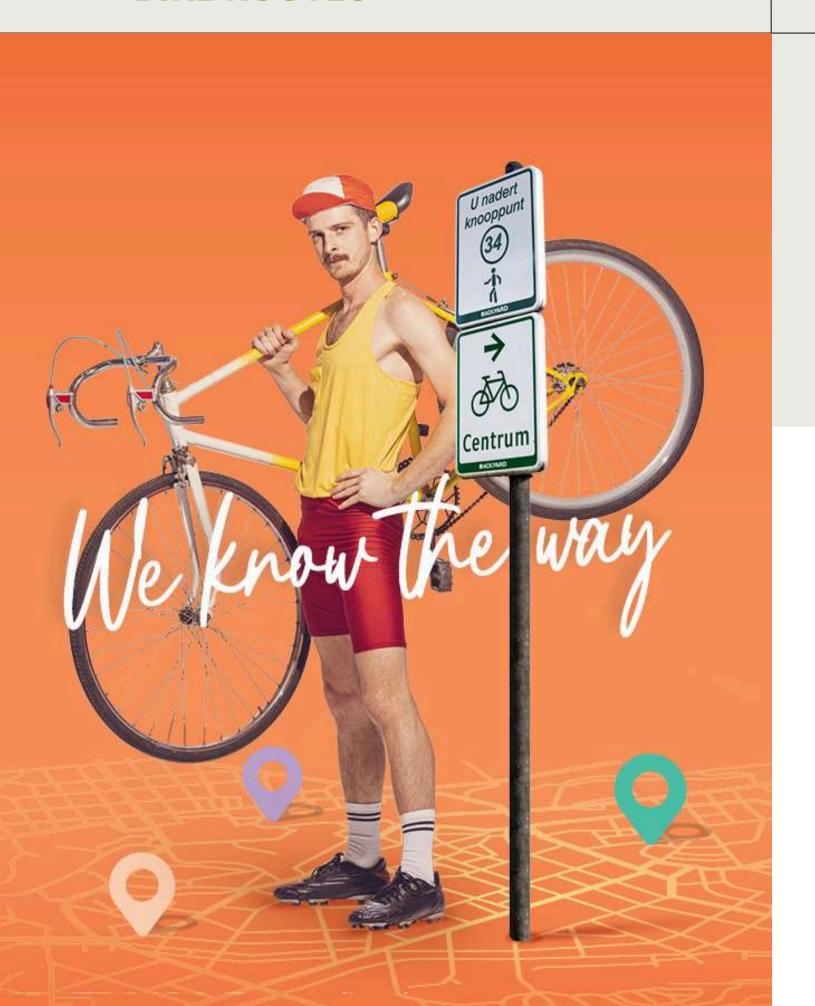
CYCLING GETS YOU EVERYWHERE



Van der Valk Hotel Ghent offers you the possibility of renting bicycles. By using this means of transport, you can explore the surroundings in a relaxed way and enjoy the many beautiful things Ghent has to offer.



BIKE ROUTES

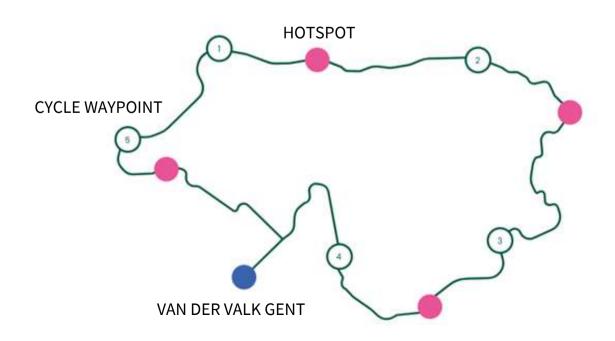


BACKYARD

DISCOVER THE MOST BEAUTIFUL CYCLING ROUTES IN AND AROUND GHENT

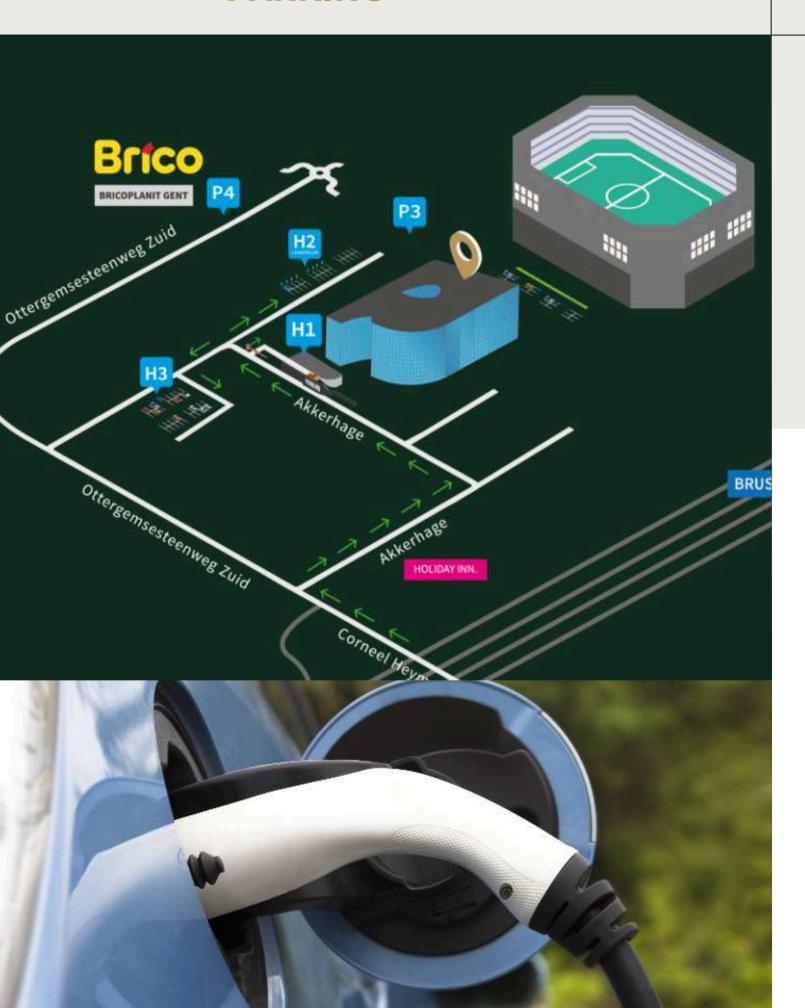
Backyard is an engaging website for cycling enthusiasts for all Van der Valk hotels. Discover hidden gems in our beautiful city with just one tap on your device.







PARKING



PARKING FACILITIES AND CHARGING STATIONS

NO MORE SEARCHING ENDLESSLY FOR A PARKING SPACE IN THE CITY?

At Van der Valk Hotel Ghent, we have an abundance of ample parking but also economical parking.

Van der Valk Hotel Ghent has above-ground car park H1, a spacious underground car park H2 with bicycle storage, and an additional car park H3. There are also 8 charging stations available for electric vehicles in the hotel's above-ground car park.



