



VISIT GUIDE 2026

Walibi Belgium

Wavre - From 55€

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History & experience

ORIGIN & HISTORY

Fifty Years of Belgian Adventure

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In the early 1970s, Belgian entrepreneur **Eddy Meeùs** purchased a pond in Limal to sell water ski rights. Facing high investment costs, he envisioned a larger project: a theme park. By combining the first syllables of Wavre, Limal, and Bierges, he created the name Walibi. His son noted the resemblance to the Australian wallaby, cementing the park's iconic orange kangaroo mascot.

The gates opened on **26 July 1975**, launching Europe's first single-day ticket system for unlimited rides. The park immediately captured attention with its Tintin-themed attractions, thanks to a historic agreement with Hergé and Les Éditions du Lombard. This collaboration made Walibi a unique destination where comic book heroes came to life, attracting over 47,000 visitors in its inaugural season.

Expansion accelerated rapidly throughout the late 1970s and 1980s. The **Rivière sauvage** log flume debuted in 1978, followed by the Tornado roller coaster in 1979, which featured two inversions—a European first. In 1987, the Aqualibi water complex was inaugurated, adding a summer dimension that allowed families to combine dry thrills with swimming in one location.

Ownership changed hands several times, including a period as Six Flags Belgium from 2001 to 2004. However, the park returned to its roots under the Compagnie des Alpes. Today, it remains a cornerstone of Belgian heritage, having received a prestigious Thea Award. With recent additions like Dock World, the park continues to evolve while honoring its fifty-year legacy.

THE EXPERIENCE

Stepping through the main entrance, you are immediately enveloped by the vibrant energy of **Dock World**. The harbor atmosphere blends with the distant roar of coasters, creating a sensory symphony that promises an unforgettable day. The architecture is designed to guide you seamlessly between themed zones, ensuring no moment feels rushed or disjointed.

As you walk toward the central hub, the sunlight filters through the trees, highlighting the colorful facades of restaurants and shops. The air is filled with the scent of fresh food and the laughter of families. Whether you seek adrenaline on Kondaa or gentle rides for children, the park's layout ensures that every visitor finds their perfect rhythm. The promise here is simple: pure joy, crafted with precision and heart.



PREPARE YOUR VISIT

Practical information

ADDRESS

Walloon Brabant · Direct road access via E411. No metro; allow less than an hour from Brussels by car outside peak hours.

OPENING HOURS

Main season from April to November. Winter opening during Christmas holidays since 2023. Check exact time slots on the official website.

PRICES

From 55€ per adult (varies by date). Child free depending on age (check variants). {promo}.

VISIT DURATION

Plan for a full day (8h to 10h) to fully enjoy the themed zones and new additions like Mecalodon. A half-day is not enough to see everything without stress.

PHOTOS

Photography freely allowed throughout the park. Professional photos are available at official sales points near major attractions like Kondaa.

AUDIENCE

Designed for families with dedicated zones for young children. Also ideal for teens thanks to the park's intense coasters and dynamic atmosphere.

HOW TO GET THERE

Access & transport

**Metro**

: Bierges-Walibi Gare — 4 min à pied

Bierges-Walibi Gare (7 min) · Gare De Wavre (10 min)

**Bus**

: Bierges Village — 6 min à pied

Bierges-Walibi Gare (9 min) · Gare De Wavre (14 min)

**Car**

Bierges-Walibi Gare (4 min) · Gare De Wavre (8 min)

**Bike**

Bierges-Walibi Gare (4 min) · Gare De Wavre (9 min)

LOCALISATION

Où se trouve Walibi Belgium ?



📍 100 Boulevard de l'Europe — 1300 Wavre

🌐 50°42.234' N, 4°35.727' E



ORGANIZATION

Organization

Dock World Zone

This newest area features the massive Mecalodon coaster, spanning 935 meters. The harbor-themed setting includes unique dining spots and photo opportunities. It serves as the central hub for modern attractions.

Tintin & Classic Zones

Home to the iconic Tintin-themed rides and classic coasters like Kondaa. These areas offer a mix of nostalgic charm and high-intensity thrills. The layout encourages exploration of smaller, hidden gems.

Aqualibi Water Complex

Adjacent to the dry park, this area offers pools, slides, and relaxation spaces. Entrance is separate but easily accessible for combined visits. Ideal for cooling down during hot summer days.

ACCESSIBILITY

**Disabled Access**

Accessible facilities available for entry to the main areas and certain attractions.

**Families**

Ideal park for families, with dedicated areas for young children and varied activities.

**Audio guide**

French, English, Dutch



Must-sees

SELECTION

Must-Ride Attractions and Experiences

01

Dock World

Mecalodon

The longest family coaster in the Benelux, stretching 935 meters. It features 14 airtime moments and three surprising accelerations. This award-winning attraction is a must-ride for all ages.

💡 It recently won a major industry award for its innovative design and smooth ride experience.

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Thrill Zone

Kondaa

One of the most intense coasters in Europe, known for its steep drops and high speed. It delivers a raw, unfiltered adrenaline rush. Perfect for thrill-seekers looking for a challenge.

💡 Visitors often report feeling weightless during the initial drop, making it a legendary ride among fans.

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Classic Zone

Le Loup-Garou

An iconic wooden-style coaster that will close in January 2027. This final season offers a rare chance to ride a true legend. Its length and intensity impress even cautious riders.

💡 It is being transformed into a new RMC coaster for the Festival World zone in 2028.

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HERGÉ Family Area

Tintin Zone

Dedicated to The Adventures of Tintin, this area features gentle rides and fairy-tale settings. It is ideal for young children and families seeking a softer experience. The thematic design is immersive and detailed.

💡 The original partnership with Hergé dates back to 1975, making it a historic part of the park.

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Park-wide

Ibilaw Halloween Event

From October to November, the park transforms into a horror-themed experience. New haunted houses like The Grand Hotel add to the terror. Extended hours allow for night-time scares.

💡 The third edition introduces three new experiences, including a mysterious rally point.

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Water Complex

Aqualibi Pools

A unique water park adjacent to the main attractions. It offers various slides and relaxation pools. Combining dry thrills with swimming is a popular summer activity.

💡 Inaugurated in 1987, it was one of the first integrated water parks in Belgium.

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Park Trails

Walibi Winter Run

A timed running event held on December 4th, just before winter opening. Participants run through the illuminated park, accessing backstage areas. It's a unique way to experience the park differently.

💡 It combines fitness with the festive atmosphere of the upcoming winter season.

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Main Stage

Bill: A Fairy Tale Show

A spectacular show featuring Bill, the park's villain character. It combines live action with special effects. The performance is both scary and entertaining, suitable for older audiences.

💡 The show has become a centerpiece of the Ibilaw event, drawing large crowds.

TIPS

Smart Tips for a Perfect Day

TIMING

Arrive early in the morning to enjoy soft light and fewer crowds for photos. Avoid peak return hours (5–7 pm) when driving back to Brussels.

BILLET

Book tickets online in advance, especially for July-August and weekends. Compare packages to ensure you include Aqualibi access if desired.

PARCOURS

Start with Dock World to catch Mecalodon before lines build up. Then move to the Tintin zone for a calmer midday break.

PHOTO

Take group photos before boarding intense coasters. Favor outdoor settings in Dock World for crisp, well-lit images.

PAUSE

Bring your own picnic if possible to save money. Otherwise, aim for food courts rather than sit-down restaurants for better value.

ENFANTS

Check height requirements for each attraction before starting. Strollers are allowed but can be cumbersome in crowded areas.

AUDIOGUIDE

Use the official mobile app for real-time wait times and navigation. It also allows booking certain attractions directly.

CONFORT

Wear comfortable shoes for walking the 62-hectare park. Bring a swimsuit and towel if planning to use Aqualibi.



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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

FAQ

What is the difference between a Walibi Belgium ticket and an Aqualibi ticket?

They are two distinct entities: the former gives access to the dry park with its roller coasters, the latter to the water complex. Combined packages sometimes exist but you must check exact availability. Remember to sele

Should I book my ticket in advance?

Advance booking is strongly recommended, especially in high season (July-August) and weekends. This guarantees entry and significantly reduces queue times at the ticket booths. On weekdays outside holiday periods, on-sit

Can I visit Aqualibi and Walibi Belgium on the same day?

Yes, it is logistically feasible as the sites are adjacent, but this requires careful organization. Check whether your ticket includes both accesses or if they must be purchased separately. Plan a full day so you don't s

Are there discounts for families?

Special rates often exist for children depending on their age, and family packs may be offered. Consult the official pricing page before booking to compare options. Child tickets are generally less expensive than adult o

How long does it take to visit Walibi Belgium?

Allow at least a full day to explore the different themed zones without rushing. A half-day won't let you do the major attractions like Kondaa or Mecalodon comfortably. Arrive early to maximize your time on popular rides

DID YOU KNOW?

Anecdotes & curiosities

The Name Origin

Walibi is an acronym of Wa (Wavre), li (Limal), and bi (Bierges). This name was chosen at the 1975 inauguration to reflect the park's location across three municipalities.

Tintin Heritage

Since 1975, the park has featured Tintin characters due to a historic agreement with Hergé. This collaboration helped establish Walibi as a unique cultural destination in Europe.

Winter Season Launch

Since 2023, the park offers a winter opening during Christmas holidays. This extends the traditional April-November season, allowing year-round visits.

Thea Award Winner

Walibi Belgium received a Thea Award from the Themed Entertainment Association. This prestigious distinction highlights the quality of its thematic design and innovation.

AROUND THE MUSEUM

After your day at the park, explore the charming surroundings of **Wavre city center**, ideal for a family meal with varied restaurant options. For a peaceful digestive walk, head to Bierges Park, a green space offering tranquility after intense rides. If you have younger children or face rainy weather, the Natural Sciences Museum provides a rich alternative activity full of discoveries. Don't miss the Limal water area, a historic site linked to the park's origins, perfect for a photo stop or light picnic. Finally, the Wavre commercial zone is convenient for buying extra souvenirs or refueling before heading back to Brussels via the E411.



Leaving Walibi Belgium, you carry more than just memories; you hold a piece of Belgian history. The thrill of **Mecalodon** and the charm of the Tintin zone create an emotional tapestry that lingers long after the ride ends. This is not just a park; it is a celebration of family, adventure, and imagination. Come back, because every visit reveals new details and deeper connections. Your next story starts at the gate.