

CIRCUIT GUIDE

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The Circuit Guide contains information for your trip to Belgium.

It provides essential information and insights for visitors attending a Grand Prix, offering details about the access points, food and drinks stand, prohibited items and more of the racing circuit.

Enjoy reading and have a good trip on behalf of Race Experience!

CIRCUIT DE SPA-FRANCORCHAMPS

This historic circuit has become a legendary circuit on the Formula 1 calendar. Despite the many modifications, the Circuit de Spa-Francorchamps is still an authentic circuit. One of these modifications is the construction of the famous bus stop chicane.

The circuit has 20 turns and is 7,004 meters long. This makes it the longest circuit on the current Formula One calendar.

In doing so, the track follows the natural slopes of the Ardennes landscape. The circuit is incredibly popular with drivers, thanks to the challenges offered by some of the corners. A good example is definitely Eau Rouge.



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How To Get There

The circuit is best reached by car. Parking tickets can be purchased on [our website](#).

Other options are to take the City Shuttle Bus. The buses leave from different places in the Netherlands, Germany and Belgium towards the circuit and also bring you back. It is organized by the circuit.

Opening Hours

The track opens at 6:00 all weekend. On Friday and Saturday, the doors close at 22:30. On Sunday, the doors close at 20:00.

Sanitary Facilities

In general, there are plenty of restrooms on the track. Pay attention to the signs directing you to the nearest restroom.

Walking Distance

Visiting a Grand Prix often involves covering considerable distances. Be sure to wear comfortable shoes for all the walking required of you, and wear comfortable clothing.



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Food and Drinks

Most of the food stalls can be found in the Fan Zone, behind the Silver 2 Grandstand near Eau Rouge. There are also some smaller food stalls scattered around the circuit.

Food and drink is comparatively quite expensive at Spa. A bottle of water cost €3.50 last year, half a liter of beer was €6. A hamburger or hot dog cost between €8 and €10.

Spa-Francorchamps has had a token system since last year. You can use different payment methods when you buy your tokens in the Food & Beverage tent: credit card, debit card and cash. If you do not buy these tokens, you can only use cash in the foodtrucks. So, take your precautions.

You are allowed to bring your own and drinks (except alcoholic beverages). Glass containers are not allowed. There are no free (refillable) water points available on the track.

Taking pictures on the circuit

Taking photos is allowed, but only with a simple camera. Attention will also be paid to obstructing the view of other spectators. The enjoyment of other spectators should not be interfered with by anyone, so we advise spectators to always pay attention to others.

Climate

The race takes place in late July. Average daytime temperatures are up to 23°C. Bring plenty of sun protection, but also be sure to keep in mind that it may rain.

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Recommended to take to the track

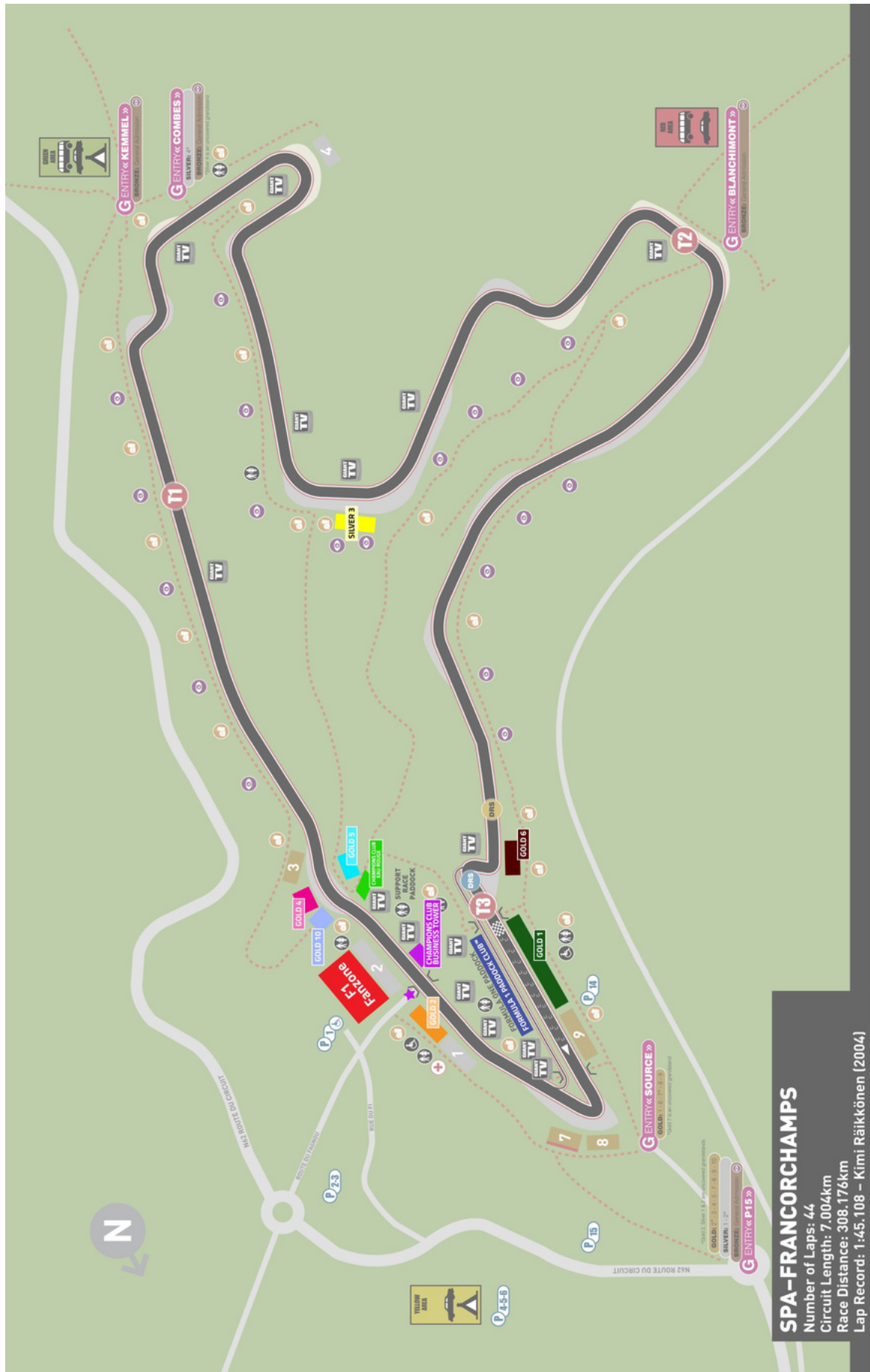
- ID proof and entrance ticket;
- Sun protection;
- Sturdy walking shoes;
- Hearing protection;
- Photo camera incl. extra battery and memory card;
- Your printed ticket.

Circuit Access Criteria

In case you are wondering whether something is allowed or not, please refer to the list below. All unauthorized items must be dropped off at the circuit entrance gates. Circuit staff have the right to add other items to the list.

- Aerosols (deodorant, mosquito repellent, etc.)
- (Domestic) animals
- Alcoholic beverages and drugs
- Barbecues or (electric) stoves
- Cans, metal, and glass bottles
- Drones
- Flagpoles and umbrellas
- Fireworks, smoke bombs, rockets, laser pointers, stadium horns
- Glass containers and/or objects
- Hazardous objects
- Harmful and flammable substances
- Mirror reflex cameras or video cameras
- Tents and sleeping bags
- Vehicles (bicycles, scooters, etc.)

Please note that smoking is permitted on the track, but strictly prohibited in the grandstands or VIP areas.



SPA-FRANCORCHAMPS

Number of Laps: 44

Circuit Length: 7.004km

Race Distance: 308.176km

Lap Record: 1:45.108 – Kimi Räikkönen (2004)

- Formula 1 Paddock Club™**
- Premier
 - Paddock Club
 - Legend
- Champions Club Business Tower**
- Champions Club Business Tower
 - Champions Club Business Tower
 - Champions Club Entrance Tunnel
- Champions Club Eau Rouge**
- Starter
 - F2 Showcase
- F1® Fanzone (Merchandising & Exhibition Area)**
- Gold 5
 - Gold 2
 - Gold 1
 - Gold 4
 - Gold 6
 - Silver 3
- Champions Club Eau Rouge**
- Starter
 - F2 Showcase

- Start / Finish: Direction of track**
- Run-off areas, gravel/asphalt
 - Gold Covered Grandstand
 - Gold Non Covered Grandstand
 - Silver Non Covered Grandstand
 - Bronze Area / General Admission
- Gate**
- First Aid
 - Pedestrian Walkways
 - Giant TV Screen
 - Food & Beverage
- Toilets**
- Wheelchair Access Toilets
 - Medical Centre
 - DRS Detection
 - DRS Activation
 - Timing Sector



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