



# Dutch Tour - 2013

Train in Holland

# Why Holland?

The land of tulips, windmills, wooden shoes, bicycles, and ..... Oh and yes, great soccer.



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# Holland



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For starters, they proudly speak English, and it's a small country. When centrally located, you can travel to major cities with a short drive. It also borders Germany which offers an opportunity to visit and play there.

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# Trip Benefits

- Meeting new people, making new friends
- Experience a different culture and lifestyle
- Experiencing soccer in a country that soccer dominates
- Visiting places you may never see again
- Being in a part of the world that lived through World War II and see how it is remembered and preserved
- Seeing more people riding bikes than you could ever imagine
- And returning home with memories for a lifetime  
....as a TEAM.

The end goal is to experience the Dutch soccer culture, and understand how incorporating it into your soccer vision, mission and goals each season as a team.

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# Trip Agenda

- 8 Days
- 6 Training Sessions with Dutch coaches
- 6 Games vs Teams from Holland and Germany
- Sightseeing Tour of Amsterdam, Nijmegen & Dusseldorf
- 3 Pro League Games in Holland and Germany

The number of training sessions and games is customizable and may change depending what we can handle. Sightseeing tours and visits to museums are included. We'd be travelling just as the Dutch and Germany league start so the end total of Pro games will depend of schedule.

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# Club Visits



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# Opponents

6 Games vs Professional and Amateur Club Teams  
(U16/17 Age Group)  
Holland and Germany



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# Facilities



We will be training at Achilles '29 most of the time, just down the road from our hotel/resort.

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# Amsterdam



Amsterdam is one of the most beautiful cities in Europe. Our sightseeing tour will give an education on the history of the city.

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# Details

- Village of Groesbeek, eastern Holland. Near City of Nijmegen
  - 20K residents
  - Well known for clubs playing in the Topklasse, the country's semi-pro/amateur level.
  - August Average Temps 72°F -54°F

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# Quote for Thought

As Mark Twain once said, "20 years from now you will be more disappointed by the things that you didn't do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover."

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# Details

Dates: Aug 5-13. (departure is Aug 4)

Price: TBA for the package, Flight is separate

Chaperones: The desired ratio is 4:1

Team Selection: can't take everyone, players are invited.

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