



War Remembrance Trails 1914–1918 in Ploegsteert and Comines-Warneton



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Remembrance Trails. Follow the 1914–1918 front to discover memorials to the Great War in the area of Ploegsteert and Comines-Warneton.

The Tourist Office of Comines-Warneton proposes a trip down memory lane to various historical sites relating to the First World War.

Starting from the [Centre d'interprétation Plugstreet 14-18 Experience](#), the visitor will have the chance to discover the sites of the catacombes, the Ploegsteert woods and the Mount of the Hut (Hill 63), the craters left by the mine explosion, the site of the 1914 Christmas Truce with the Croix de Saint-Yvon regularly decorated with symbolic football objects, the many British cemeteries, the "cottage" of Bruce Brainsfather who created the character Old Bill, the tribute plaque in honour of Winston Churchill.

Practical Information

This route for **individual visitors** is marked with information panels giving a pedagogical dimension to the marked circuit.

This tour is also **suitable for groups** who'll enjoy historical facts and anecdotes placed throughout the Ploegsteert Woods.

If you want to discover even more about the 14-18 events in this region don't hesitate to go to the virtual meeting of Mademoiselle from Armentieres, A French cabaret waitress and Old Bill - the famous English character with the big moustache recounting anecdotes from the past.

The information contained herein is provided as a guide only.

We recommend that you check with the local supplier before you leave.

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