
Hallo, Is Daar lemand? / Ben Even Weg

'Hallo, Is Daar lemand?' and 'Ben Even Weg' by Martijn Sandberg are located in the district of Floriande in Hoofddorp. The piece of artwork consists of two free standing walls 4.5 metres high and respectively 24.5 metres and 14.5 metres long.

While passing the piece of artwork, a series of letters appears and disappears in the alternating of the railings of the iron fence over its full length. As if someone has just left a memo, a memento for ever in the trellis: 'Hallo, is daar iemand?' and 'Ben even weg'. *)

*) 'Hello, is anybody out there?', 'Back soon'.

Title: 'Hallo, Is Daar lemand?' / 'Ben Even Weg'

Artist: Martijn Sandberg

Location: Dussenstraat / Hankstraat, Floriande Hoofddorp/ NL Material: 2x screen, brown coated steel, precast concrete

Measurements (lxhxw) 'Hallo, Is Daar lemand?': 25m x 4.5m x 0.4-0.7m Measurements (lxhxw) 'Ben Even Weg': 14.7m x 4.5m x 0.4-0.7m

Concept and design: 2005-2006

Final design: March 2006

Completion: 2007

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