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# DAILY NEWS JIM



## PROGRAMME

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 6TH

- 08:45 **Marli Hommel Prize**  
Jumping International CSI1\* 1.25m  
with jump-off
- 10:30 **Jumping International CSI4\* 1.45m**  
against the clock
- 13:00 **MECC Prize**  
Jumping International CSI1\* 1.35m  
with jump-off
- 15:15 **Grand Prix of Maastricht**  
Jumping International CSI4\* 1.55m  
with jump-off

Subject to change

## SHOT OF THE DAY

*Sky High*



Maikel van der Vleuten - Equus Tame

## QUOTE VAN DE DAG

Pieter Devos:  
"JIM to me is a super  
accommodation for  
the horses and a  
great atmosphere"

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## TALENTED THIJSSSEN FAMILY

Dad Leon Thijssen has already won the Grand Prix of Maastricht twice (2007 and 2010) and daughters Sanne and Mel and son Mans gained their first experience in the pony classes in the MECC arena. "I remember it was very exciting and there were a lot of people with banners along the side," Mel says, laughing. "That was a lot of fun!"

All of them enjoy being active in the sport together as a family. From outside, they also get a lot of response to this. "People think it is special but for us it is very normal," says Mans, "we work together every day. We each invest a lot of time and energy in training the horses and we also help each other."

They are family but also competitors. "Generally, it goes very well among ourselves, but when we are in a jump-off together, it's every man for himself," says Sanne.



## OLIVIER PHILIPPAERTS GOES FOR A WIN

Belgium's top rider Olivier Philippaerts has fond memories of Jumping Indoor Maastricht. In 2017, he won the Grand Prix of Maastricht with H&M Legend of Love. "We love coming to Maastricht. We have also had the necessary successes here." Father Ludo was also on the entry list but unfortunately he is not there. "No he wasn't in enough shape and then he doesn't want to start," laughs Olivier. The 29-year-old rider from Gruitrode has been working towards today's Maastricht Grand Prix. "I ride H&M Miro, she is one of my best horses and I really hope to make a serious effort today anyway."

## COURSE DESIGNER QUINTIN MAERTENS: ROLLED INTO IT BY ACCIDENT

44-year-old Quintin Maertens from Deventer designs the courses at Jumping Indoor Maastricht together with Louis Konickx. Maertens does not come from a 'horse family' and got into equestrian sports by chance. "I was just curious how it all worked and rode at basic level, just as a hobby. I happened to meet Louis Konickx and so I also wanted to know how to build a course. One thing led to another and now here I am. I could never have thought of that myself." For the Maastricht Grand Prix, his goal is "to build a nice course, fair to the horses but difficult enough to get the best out of horse and rider."



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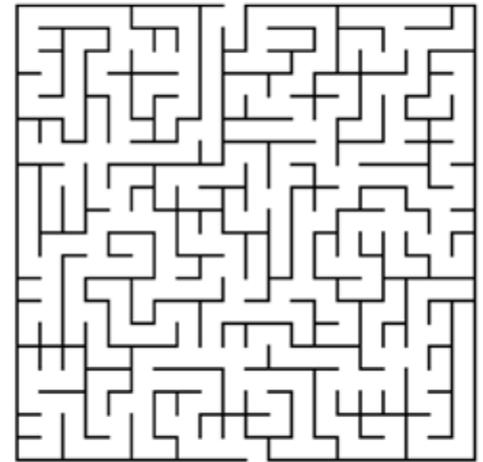
## NEW: JIM MEDIA PAVILIOEN

New at JIM this year, the Media Pavilion! Here, visitors can take photos in front of the photo wall, perform the tack-up challenge and it is the place to meet JIM's top riders. Several meet & greets are planned every day, so grab your chance to ask that one pressing question to your idol. In addition, Bas van Mulken will stop by every day to interview several riders. Check the board near the Media Pavilion to be informed of all times and activities.



### COLOFON

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## SOSO KIDS CLUB

During Jumping Indoor Maastricht there is plenty to do for the youngsters. In the promo village, they can visit the SoSo Kids Club near the Jimmy arena where all kinds of fun activities will be organised by SoSo Events. Here, all children can participate in Limburg games including Unicorns angling, ball throwing, ring throwing, but there is also a shivering spiral, an air hockey game, a football game, a playstation and there are fun films to watch with friends. If you prefer to be creative, there are colouring pages and rosettes available to colour. You can also get a nice Unicorn glitter tattoo. In the Jimmy arena, stick horses will be ready for the races on Friday. On Friday there will be bixie dressage from 5pm, on Saturday and Sunday bixie jumping in the Jimmy arena.