Cruyff Courts x Magical Bridge Playgrounds

Sport en Spel Voor Iedereen





We create space for children to sport and play.

We create playgrounds that bring communities together.

Cruyff Foundation x Magical Bridge Foundation

Bringing sport and inclusive play together for the whole family



The Cruyff Foundation and Magical Bridge Foundation are bringing Cruyff Courts and Magical Bridge Playgrounds together at select locations across the Netherlands.

Each site will offer sports, coaching, leadership programs, and inclusive play for people of all ages and abilities—bringing neighbors together, supporting health, and helping everyone feel they belong.

Connecting the community

On the court

Cruyff Coaches—local professionals, such as sports coaches and youth workers—lead sports activities for young people on the court. Training and ongoing support help them run programs, recruit players, and involve student volunteers.

On the playground

Magical Bridge provides Cruyff Coaches and student leaders with training and activity guides to run inclusive playground programs and events. Designed for all ages and abilities, these activities encourage kindness, inclusion, and connections across generations.

Magical Bridge programs include:

- Performances and storytime on the Play Stage
- Buddy playdates with games and kindness prompts
- STEM activities and crafts exploring universal design
- Movement and fitness for all ages and abilities



A sample Cruyff Court and Magical Bridge campus



Cruyff Courts are more than football pitches—they're safe places where children build friendships, discover their talents, and learn about teamwork, winning, and losing. These experiences support their physical, mental, and social well-being.

Magical Bridge Playgrounds welcome the whole family to play. Designed with local equipment providers and construction partners, each playground reflects the interests and values of its community.

Play Zones:

1. Slide and Climb Zone
2. Spin Zone
3. Kindness and Conversation Circle
4. Swing Zone
5. Tot / Kinder Zone
6. Fitness Zone
7. Sensory Zone / Music
8. Imagination Zone / Play Stage

Additional Features

Hideaway Hut™ quiet retreats
Communication Board
Welcome Sign
Seating Walls and Planting
Perimeter Safety Fencing
Game and Book Cabinet
Shade Sails and Trees

Why is this important?

Most public spaces, including sports fields and playgrounds, don't meet the needs of people with disabilities, autism, or age-related changes. Cruyff Court programs welcome participants with diverse needs, while Magical Bridge playgrounds remove physical and social barriers—creating joyful, inspiring places for everyone to play, move, build skills, and make friends.

We need spaces that bring people of all ages and abilities together

Nearly 1 in 4 people have a disability

Only 10% of disabilities are physical

The other 90% are sensory, cognitive, or autism

Add to that: 80% of people report feeling lonely

The good news? Outdoor sport and play connects people while offering physical, mental, and social benefits — and our solution ensures that everyone is included.

At Magical Bridge, inclusive means everyone

All ages, all abilities, all welcome

Backed by decades of research and universal design expertise, award-winning Magical Bridge is more than a playground—it's a community space that supports the health and well-being of the whole family.

Key Features

- Accessible play and fitness equipment with multiple challenge levels
- Play Zones for predictability and decision making
- Smooth surfacing; no bark, sand, gravel, or raised barriers
- Sensory-rich, imaginative play — Play Stage and Hideaway Huts™
- Wide pathways, accessible wayfinding, and perimeter fencing to explore safely
- Canopies, trees, and shaded seating with open space for gathering
- Collaboration with the community to reflect local culture, art, specific needs, and values
- Events and volunteer programs that unite the community

Play Zones — the foundation of univsersal design

Magical Bridge Play Zones group play experiences for greater predictability and accessibility. Each zone introduces beneficial movement and imaginative, sensory-rich play that inspires creativity, cooperation, and connection.



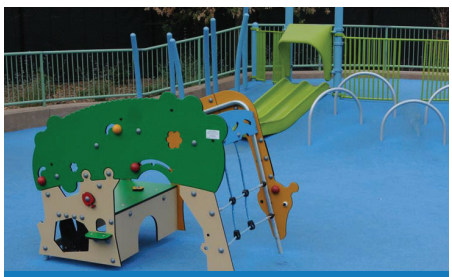
Swing and Sway Zone



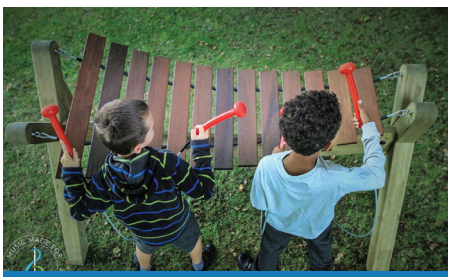
Slide and Climb Zone



Spin Zone



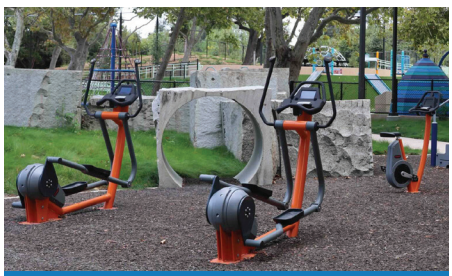
Tot / Kinder Zone



Sensory and Music Zone



Kindness and Conversation



Fitness Zone



Play Stage and Gathering



Hideaway Hut™ Quiet Retreat

Learn more at magicalbridge.org