

# Destination DURBAN



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# The Durban Metropolitan area



# Mayor's message

On behalf of the people of eThekweni Municipality, I am delighted to welcome you to Durban, a vibrant city where the blend of local cultures – African, Asian and European – is reflected in a montage of architectural styles, and a melting pot of traditions and colourful cuisine.

We are a true reflection of the rainbow nation which embraces its unity in diversity.

Our location and accessibility make us a gateway to Africa and the World.

Through the investment we are making in upgrading tourism infrastructure, Durban and South Africa are fast on their way to

becoming leading global destinations in competition with the older, more established markets.


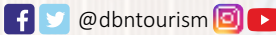
Durban is a lifestyle destination that meets the requirements of modern consumers, be they international or local tourists, business travellers, conference attendees or holidaymakers.

We are not only famous for our great weather and warm beaches, but we are also a destination of choice for outdoor and adventure lovers, ecotourists, nature lovers, and people who want a glimpse into the unique cultural mix of the city.

It is my utmost pleasure to welcome you to Durban and hope that you will have a wonderful stay in our city.



**His Worship the Mayor of eThekweni Municipality Cllr Mxolisi Kaunda**

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# Welcome, Siyakwamukela!

Durban is a leading South African Tourist destination and is marketed globally by Durban Tourism, an official marketing unit that forms part of the eThekweni Municipality. Durban is a modern, vibrant cosmopolitan city and its lifestyle, architecture and culture reflect and thrive on its warm sub-tropical climate. Durban Tourism has made considerable progress in repositioning the City as a sophisticated destination with an extensive variety of things to do.

In re-aligning itself to be at the cutting edge of worldwide trends in destination marketing, the City is focusing on providing visitors with a unique set of experiences that go beyond the beach and into the realm of Durban's cultural and scenic diversity.

The strategic focus of Durban Tourism is to drive tourism and make it a key contributor to the local economy, thereby promoting economic upliftment for all its communities. Recognising that tourism is an industry that is never static, Durban Tourism is committed to building and defending the Durban brand, thus ensuring that it remains not only the national destination of choice, but also that of the global market.

We invite you to visit our beautiful city, and we are confident that you will thoroughly enjoy your stay and come back soon to take in all the exciting attractions that you may have missed the first time around.

# Durban CBD Bus Service

A high quality wheelchair friendly bus service operates on the routes shown on this map

Enquiries 031 309 2731



**PeopleMover**  
A high quality wheelchair friendly bus service

- KEY**
- T Transfer points
  - Beach Line
  - City Line
  - Circle Line

## BUSES DEPART EVERY 15 MINUTES FROM 05H00 TO 22H00 DAILY

Fares: R5.50 Single trip, R16 Day pass

Free transfer only at Transfer Points (T) - valid within 60 minutes of ticket issue

### Beach Line

- T Beach Terminal
- Victoria Park
- AE Buildings
- Jay Ramani
- Sanderson
- Blue Water
- Sorrento
- Kings Park
- The Wharf
- Pinna
- Respal

### City Line

- 17. Pinet
- 18. Mills
- 19. Playwatts
- 20. Devaldale
- 21. Ferry

### Circle Line

- 3. AE Malliga
- 4. City Lodge
- 5. Johannes West
- 6. Dr. Yusuf Dadoo
- 7. Madrasa
- 8. Dr. Percy Kibane
- 9. West Walk
- 10. The Star

- 48. Dick King
- 49. Yacht Mica
- 50. Albert Park
- 51. McArthur
- 52. Victoria Market
- 53. North Mall
- 54. Parkside
- 55. Solihwa Way
- 56. City Engineers
- 57. Durban Station
- 58. The Goodness
- 59. UMUSA



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## ROAD NAMES

Many of Durban's streets were re-named recently. We have included the old and new street names for your information. The street sign boards all carry the new names, and in some cases both the old and new names.

NEW NAME	FORMER NAME	NEW NAME	FORMER NAME	NEW NAME	FORMER NAME
Anton Lembede	Smith Street	Felix Dlamini	Brickfield Road	Mahatma Gandhi	Point Road
Archie Gumede	Old Fort Place	Florence Nzama	Prince Alfred Street	Margaret Mncadi Ave	Victoria Embankment
Bertha Mkhize	Victoria Street	Ingcunxe	Albert Street	Masabalala Yengwa	NMR Ave
Bram Fischer	Ordinance Road	Isaiah Ntshangase	Walter Gilbert Street	Masobiya Mdluli	Fisher Street
Charlotte Maxeke	Beatrice Street	Joe Slovo	Field Street	Mathews Meyiwa	First Ave + Stamfordhill Road
Che Guevara	Moore Road	John Zikhali	Sydenham Road	Monty Naicker Road	Pine Street
Chris Ntuli	Old Dutch Road	Joseph Nduli	Russel Street	OR Tambo	Marine Parade
David Webster	Leopold Street	Julius Nyerere	Warwick Avenue	Peter Mokaba Rd	North Ridge Road
Denis Hurley	Queen Street	KE Masinga	Old Fort Road	Peter Mokaba Ridge	Ridge Road
Dorothy Nyembe	Gardiner Street	Khuzimpi Shezi	Williams Road	Problem Mkhize	Cowey & Edith Benson Road
Dr Goonam	Prince Edward	King Dinuzulu (North)	Berea Road (North)	RD Naidu	Stanley Copley Drive
Dr Langalibalele Dube	Winder Street	King Dinuzulu (South)	Berea Road (South)	Samora Machel	Aliwal Street
Dr Pixley KaSeme	West Street	Lena Ahrens	Manning Road	Sandile Thusi	Argyle Road
Dr Yusuf Dadoo	Grey Street	Lillian Ngoyi	Windermerer Road	Smisso Nkwanyana	Goble Road
Dullar Omar	Masonic Grove	ML Sultan	Centenary Road	Stephen Dlamini	Essenwood Road
Esther Roberts	Frere Road	Magwaza Maphalala	Gale Street	Steve Biko	Mansfield Road
				Sylvester Ntuli	Brickhill Road



*An aerial view of the iconic Moses Mabhida Stadium.*



# Durban - city in the sun

*Tourist from all over the world have been coming to Durban for more than half a century, attracted mainly by the city's famous beaches and the all-year-round sunshine. But once they arrive here, they soon discover that this city has a lot more than beautiful, golden beaches to offer.*

It is a centre of world-class sport and hosts major international events. It is a shoppers' paradise with sophisticated shopping malls and precincts, craft markets and street bazaars. It is an entertainment and hospitality centre offering a wide range of accommodation from swish beachfront hotels to themed lodges, guesthouses, self-catering apartments and homely B&Bs. It is also a bustling commercial and manufacturing centre connected to the business capitals of the world, and is built around one of the busiest ports in Africa.

Durban's people are friendly and laid-back, and reflect a rich cultural diversity that includes African, Eastern and Western influences.

Perhaps it's this blend of culture, art and environment that makes Durban so unique. There's nowhere else quite like it.

There is an abundance of breathtaking scenery just beyond the city. To the north lies the bustling coastal town of Umhlanga, packed with hotels, restaurants and beautiful beaches. To the south is the Sapphire Coast, an endless stretch of sub-tropical paradise dotted with holiday towns. To the west lies the verdant Valley of 1000 Hills with its nature reserves and cultural villages. A little further afield, the Big 5 game reserves are just a few hours' drive away, while to the west the mighty uKhahlamba Drakenberg Park - a World Heritage Site - beckons.

*Durban's Golden Mile in the glow of a summer sunrise.*





# Durban Central Experience



*Durban is a vibrant and dynamic city of contrasts with a potent and exciting mix of cultures. There is so much to do and see, you will have to come back again and again to experience all that it has to offer.*

**T**he Durban city centre is a bustling business and entertainment hub situated around a busy harbour. The best way to enjoy views of the harbour and city skyline are to take a harbour cruise or eat at one of the waterfront restaurants at Wilson's Wharf.

A mile of golden beaches on the eastern edge of the city extend from the exciting uShaka Marine World near the harbour entrance all the way to the Suncoast Casino, Hotels & Entertainment World with its restaurants, cinemas and gaming halls. There are many hotels, restaurants and bars dotted along this strip to keep you entertained.



*The Durban Yacht Mole.*



*The Durban Country Club*





## Durban's ocean playground

Durban is one of the few cities in the world that offers world-class surfing waves right on its doorstep. Epic 'beach break' surf conditions can be found along the entire Durban beachfront, particularly at New Pier, North Beach and Battery Beach. For more experienced surfers, the Bluff and North Coast offers powerful reef breaks, and the South Coast is home to some world-class point breaks.

Other ocean activities that can be enjoyed are swimming, fishing, jetskiing, snorkelling, canoeing, windsurfing and kite surfing. Durban's mild all-year-round climate and 19°C-24°C water temperature make it a summer AND winter holiday destination.

## Big Rush Big Swing: the leap of a lifetime!

For the ultimate adrenalin rush, climb the Moses Mabhida Stadium's iconic arch and take the leap of a lifetime. The 'Big Rush Big Swing' is the world's only stadium swing and the largest swing anywhere in the world.

The stadium's arch affords a breathtaking bird's eye view of the city, as you brace yourself and jump into the void – 106 metres above the pitch and swing out in a huge 220-metre arc. This is truly the most exciting way to see the city!

**Enquiries: 031 312 9435 • [bookings@bigrush.co.za](mailto:bookings@bigrush.co.za)**

## Munch a 'bunny chow'

The bunny chow, a hollowed out loaf of bread filled with curry, is Durban's most famous culinary invention, and no visit to the city is complete without sampling one. They're sold at almost every corner café and take-away.



*Mabhida Stadium.  
The Big Rush Big Swing at Moses*



*When you visit Durban, you have to try a 'bunny chow'.*

## Suncoast Casino, Hotels & Entertainment

Influenced by the Art Deco style of Miami South Beach, SUNCOAST Casino, Hotels & Entertainment is Durban's leading gamer-tainment destination. It boasts unparalleled atmosphere from its location on Durban's stretch of palm-lined beaches known as the Golden Mile and is within walking distance of the iconic Moses Mabhida Stadium.

SUNCOAST has a gaming floor of over 7000m<sup>2</sup>, with coinless SMART technology, 1450 slot machines, 57 gaming tables, and an exclusive Salon Prive called 77 Ocean Drive for higher limit slots and tables. SUNCOAST's leisure, dining and retail options include 23 restaurants and fast food outlets, a kids' entertainment arcade and an 8-screen Suncoast cinema complex. SUNCOAST opens onto a boardwalk which links to uShaka Marine World to the south and Moses Mabhida stadium and Blue Lagoon to the north. There is a superb grassed area between SUNCOAST and the beach offering loungers and umbrellas for the beachgoer.

The SUNCOAST Durban complex also offers 5-star conference and eventing venues plus superior accommodation at the sea-facing Suncoast Towers and SunSquare Suncoast with its Balinese-style spa and stylish Jeera Restaurant which serves authentic Indian cuisine.

**Enquiries: 031 328 3000 • [www.suncoastcasino.com](http://www.suncoastcasino.com)**

*Suncoast Casino & Entertainment World is situated right on the beach.*



## See the city from the Ricksha bus

These doubledeckers will take you on a three-hour tour of Durban that includes the beachfront, uShaka Marine World, Emmanuel Cathedral, Victoria Street Market, Burman Bush, Blue Lagoon and other sites of interest.

**Enquiries: 031 322 4209**

## The captivating uShaka Marine World

At the end of Durban's Golden Mile is Africa's largest marine theme park. uShaka Marine World incorporates fresh and sea water, lush vegetation, and the recreation of a 1920's cargo shipwreck into a magical world of sea and marine life.

No matter what the occasion, you will always find something to do at uShaka Marine World, from dining at restaurants on the ocean's edge to the unforgettable shopping experience at uShaka Village Walk.

For the adventurous there are world-class dolphin shows and adrenalin pumping water-slides, including the highest slide in Africa. After all the action, you can spend a lazy afternoon sunbathing on uShaka beach or sipping sundowners at Moyo cafe, on the uShaka Marine pier.

**Enquiries: 031 328 8000 • [www.ushakamarineworld.co.za](http://www.ushakamarineworld.co.za)**



*uShaka Marine World: Not for the faint at heart!*



DURBAN CENTRAL EXPERIENCE



The Davenport Square shopping centre in Glenwood.

## Shop till you drop

Durban is a shopper's paradise and offers many different shopping experiences. Street markets in and around the city offer a variety of crafts and beadwork. The Indian district in downtown Durban offers a huge selection of goods from the East as well as spices and curry powders. Boutique clothing shops are dotted here and there where you'd least expect them, while the shopping malls house the big chain stores and are bursting at the seams with the latest clothes, fashion accessories and toys.

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## Musgrave Centre

Set centrally in Durban's Berea, Musgrave Centre is a classy, intimate and well laid-out mall with an emphasis on quality stores. Its location between Musgrave and Stephen Dlamini (Essenwood) Roads makes it ideal for visitors and locals alike to enjoy, and its many independent boutiques hold some lovely treasures for shoppers to discover. It has a cinema complex and on-site parking.

**Enquiries: 031 277 8420**

## More shopping experiences

There are many more smaller but no less exciting shopping malls and shopping districts scattered around Durban. These include the Davenport Square in Glenwood, Windermere Centre in Morningside, and the Workshop in the city centre, just across the road from Tourist Junction. For fine art pieces with an African flavour visit the BAT Centre, African Art Centre in Florida Road or one of the city's many art galleries.

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## Vibrant street markets

Durban is home to a number of street markets and flea-markets.

### The Essenwood Market

Saturday is the day for Durban's premier craft market. Centrally located, it trades in the best of local curios, hand-made jewellery and clothing.

### I Heart Market

9am to 2pm, first Saturday of every month. Held at Kings Park Stadium, I Heart Market showcases innovative, handmade, homemade and locally designed crafts, art, fashion, jewellery, home-ware, kiddies goods, artisanal foods and recycled, up cycled and second hand gems.

### The weekend market at North Beach

Has a fascinating assortment of stalls offering gifts, curios and novelties.

*I Heart Market.*





# Food and entertainment

## Eating out

Durban is renowned for its diverse cuisine from all over the world, but especially for its spicy Indian curries, fish dishes and exotic meat dishes like venison, crocodile and ostrich. The following areas are some of the city's best eating and entertainment zones.

### Wilson's Wharf

Wilson's Wharf is one of Durban's liveliest venues offering a fusion of food, live music and shopping overlooking the Durban harbour.

Enquiries: 031 907 8792 • [www.wilsonswarf.co.za](http://www.wilsonswarf.co.za)

### Florida Road, Morningside

For a trendy and cosmopolitan eating and social experience, visit Florida Road where cafés and restaurants line the sidewalks amidst buzzing art galleries and boutique shops.

### Helen Joseph (Davenport) Road, Glenwood

Take a walk up this leafy suburban road and choose from a range of restaurants serving Moroccan or Portuguese cuisine, or gourmet pizza and pastas. The coffee is always fresh.

### Sundowner Harbour Cruise

For a unique eating and entertainment experience, book a trip on one of the many charter boats that offers day, sunset, or night cruises around the harbour.



COURTESY OF MOYO'S BAR AND CAFE





# Nightlife

*Party till dawn in the 'warmest place to be' and be sure to watch a magnificent sunrise over the warm Indian Ocean. Durban is famous for its Zulu and traditional music and is a hot-bed of musical talent, and live bands can be seen most nights of the week.*

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## Theatres

Durban has a number of excellent theatres where local and touring productions put on top class shows. There are also a number of dinner theatres.

### Clubs and bars

Durban people enjoy a fun night out, so there are many clubs and bars scattered around the city. Your best bet is to speak to the locals to find the

best venues. Many of these are concentrated in certain districts, like Glenwood, Florida Road, the beachfront, Kloof, Hillcrest and Umhlanga. Most of the big hotels, malls and casinos have clubs and cocktail bars where the trendy folk hang out.

### The Origin

separate zones playing straight-up dance music, soul and funk, deep house, vocal electro and minimal tech.

Enquiries: [www.330.co.za](http://www.330.co.za)

### BAT Centre

The BAT Centre is an arts and culture community centre designed to showcase African art and culture, and to promote local talent. Live bands perform at the venue Thursdays to Sundays, and bands range from jazz and rock to isicathimiya and reggae.

Enquiries: 031 332 0451





# Art and architecture

Visually, Durban is a captivating city thanks to its heady mix of Victorian, Edwardian, Art Deco, Indian Traditional and modern architecture. The influences of Asian, African, English Colonial and Afrikaans cultures have all produced some rare and obscure styles, making Durban's architecture astonishing in its quality and diversity. It is also a city that is rich in art – both African, classical and modern.

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A city tour will take in Durban's gorgeous Golden Mile, the City Hall and the Natural Science Museum, not to mention the numerous art galleries such as the Durban Art Gallery, the BAT Centre and the African Art Centre.

Founded in 1887, the Natural Science Museum is one of South Africa's smallest but busiest and most interesting museums. Set in the City Hall building, the museum is renowned for its realistic habitat displays, life-size model of a Tyrannosaurus Rex, a near-complete Dodo skeleton and Egyptian mummy, Peten Amen.

DURBAN'S CITY HALL



uMkhumbane Cultural & Heritage Museum.





# Arich cultural heritage

*One of Durban's most unique features is the cultural mix of its people who have come from all corners of the globe.*

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The Nguni people migrated from Central and East Africa many centuries ago and settled in what is now KwaZulu-Natal where they herded cattle and hunted wild game. King Shaka was instrumental in unifying different tribes and the Zulu nation was born. The colonial era began in the early 1800s with the arrival of British settlers, followed by Boers from the Cape, originally from Europe. In the 1860s Indian indentured labourers were brought in from British India to work the sugar plantations. They were followed by traders, merchants and religious leaders from the East, which resulted in the establishment of a large and diverse Indian population. The result is a cultural mix of Eastern, Western and African influences that are visible everywhere, in the art and architecture, fashion, cuisine and language.

Be cause of the religious and cultural diversity, many fascinating festivals and celebrations are held in and around the city throughout the year. Hindu temples hold annual fire-walking ceremonies, and in April the Durban beachfront comes alive with masses of devotees celebrating the Hare Krishna Festival of Chariots. On weekends Zionists gather at various sacred spots around the city in their flowing white robes. They also hold baptising ceremonies at the beachfront.

## The Jumma Masjid

The sound of the muezzin calling the faithful to prayer echoes

across downtown Durban from Jumma Masjid, one of several mosques dotted around the city, and the largest mosque in the southern hemisphere.

## Brave the Muti Market

Durban's 'Muti' (traditional medicine) Market, in the city centre allows an insight into the world of traditional African medicine and healing practices. Visitors can make their way through the market and witness a variety of traditional medicine being made and prepared for sale. It is recommended you only visit the market with an accredited tour guide.

## Art galleries for Africa

Durban is home to many art galleries that exhibit a mixture of contemporary, classic and traditional arts and crafts, including the work of celebrated South African artists.

## KwaMuhle Museum

Once the office of the notorious Department of Native Affairs, the KwaMuhle Museum provides a vital link with the city's apartheid past with its powerful displays. Learn about the history of Cato Manor, which has been restored and upgraded to cater for previously marginalised communities.

## Victoria Street Market

This vibrant Indian Market with its colourful stalls, fish market and curio outlets is a favourite for tourists.



THE JUMMA MASJID IS THE BIGGEST MOSQUE IN THE SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE.



*The Oyster Box Hotel overlooking the Umhlanga lighthouse.*





# The Umhlanga Coast



*The Umhlanga Coast stretches for miles north of the city, framed by fields of green sugar cane and the endless golden beaches that this part of the world is so famous for.*

At the epicentre lies the holiday town of Umhlanga Rocks, part city, part beach resort, part shopping paradise. Apart from the fine wining and dining that takes place in this holiday environment, there is an endless choice of exciting activities to enjoy, like surfing, swimming, fishing, dolphin and whale watching, shopping and micro-lighting. Or you may wish to take a hike through the coastal Hawaan Nature Reserve, or just laze around on the beach soaking up some sun.

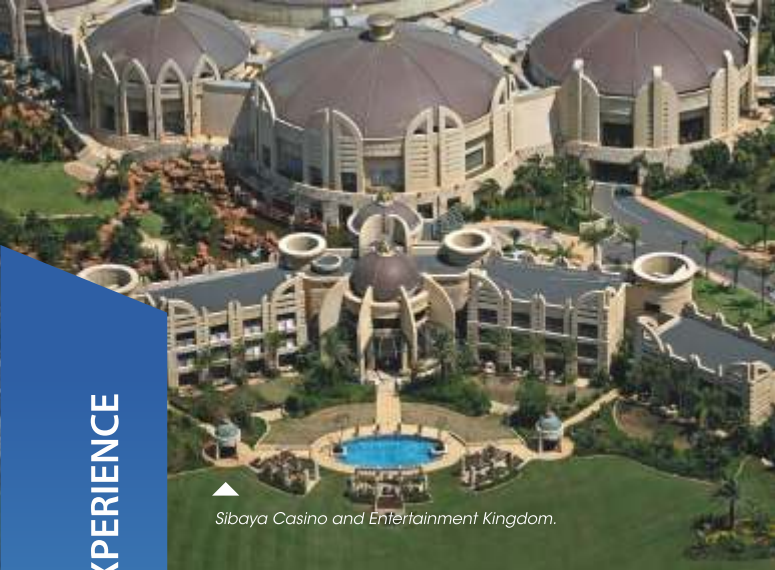
For those seeking a little more peace and quiet, the friendly villages of Umdloti, La Mercy and Westbrook lie in wait just a little further along the coast.

**Enquiries: 031 561 4257 • [www.umhlangatourism.co.za](http://www.umhlangatourism.co.za)**



*The Umhlanga pier, with its unique design inspired by the curves of whale bones.*





▲  
Sibaya Casino and Entertainment Kingdom.



## Sibaya Casino & Entertainment Kingdom

Sibaya Casino & Entertainment Kingdom lies on the luxuriant North Coast of KwaZulu-Natal. Overlooking the warm blue Indian Ocean, it is nestled between the seaside towns of Umhlanga and Umdloti. The Sibaya Drive interchange, from either the N2 or M4 motorways, leads directly to the gates of the Kingdom.

There's so much magic resting majestically on the north coast of KwaZulu-Natal. A place where winning never ends and entertainment constantly astounds. See what Lady Luck has in store for you as you try your hand at one of over 1200 slot machines, or our 49 gaming tables. Next level entertainment calls for next level dining, and Sibaya is truly a melting pot of culinary delights.

Enjoy a day of sheer decadence and relaxation on Sibaya's grounds with the Mangwanani Private African Day Spa.

**Enquiries: 031 580 5000 • [www.suninternational.com](http://www.suninternational.com)**

## Durban from above

There are many ways to enjoy Durban's unique scenery, and what better way to do it than from the air? A number of helicopter tour operators offer scenic flips, departing from Durban's Virginia Airport just north of the Umgeni River mouth.

Microlighting over Durban and the surrounding coastline offers a beautiful and unique view of the area, and the opportunity to spot whales, dolphins and giant rays cruising the deep water.

During the annual sardine run, microlighters can enjoy the sight of massive shoals of sardines being chased by dolphins and sharks, while the Valley of 1000 Hills is the venue for paragliding schools offering training and scenic flights.

**Enquiries: 031 322 4164**

# Durban North Shopping

## Gateway Theatre of Shopping

Gateway in Umhlanga is the ultimate mall, with a world-class range of shopping from chainstores to fashion boutiques and sports goods. It features a cinema complex, a supper theatre, fun science centre for kids and numerous restaurants to choose from. Then there's the world's highest freestanding rock climbing wall, the flowrider and seven water slides.

**Enquiries: 031 514 0600**

## The Crescent at Umhlanga Ridge

The Crescent is an elevated shopping Centre located in the heart of the up and coming Umhlanga Ridge New Town Centre with a high convenience factor and is home to approximately 60 interesting and essential tenants. The Crescent offers a balanced array of other well-known national's and exclusive independent retailers.

The unique circular design of the shopping Centre in a somewhat protected outdoor environment allows for exceptional convenience and boasts an ample supply of free parking.

**Enquiries: 031 566 2887**

## La Lucia Mall

La Lucia Mall is located in the up-market La Lucia suburb just north of the city. It has an exclusive and relaxed atmosphere with many local and international big brand stores and restaurants to choose from.

**Enquiries: 031 562 8420**

Gateway Theatre of Shopping.



The Crescent.



La Lucia Mall.





# Food and entertainment

## Eating out

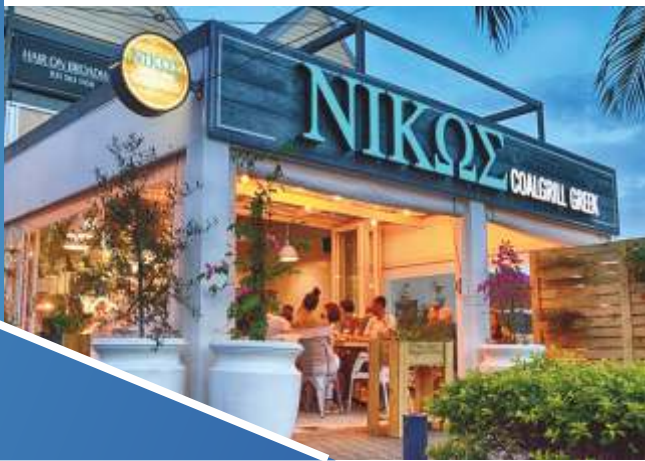
### Umhlanga

This upmarket resort area north of Durban offers a range of fine dining options, from classic and elegant restaurants to contemporary and hip eateries.

### Swapo Avenue

Sample the excitement of Swapo Avenue in Durban North. There are restaurants, pavement cafés and night spots aplenty.

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# Nightlife

## The Artizen Restuarant and Lounge

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**Enquiries: 031 566 2887**

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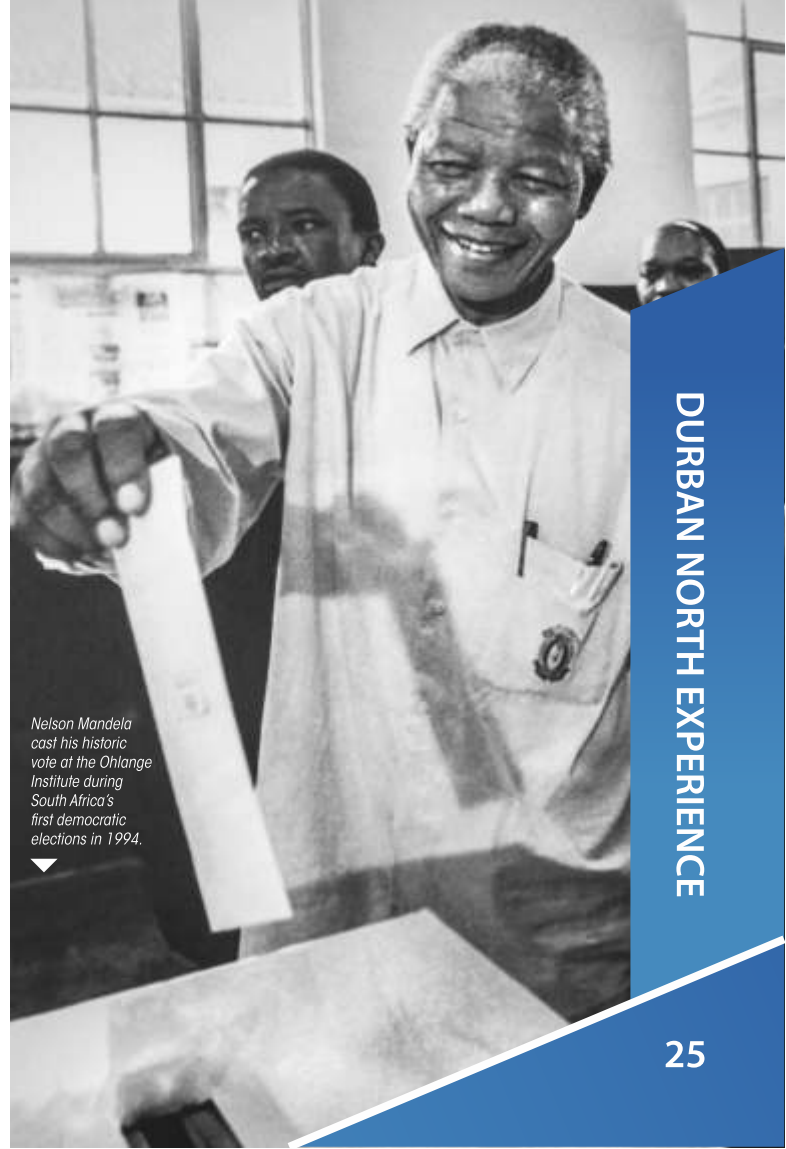
## Inanda Heritage Trail

The Inanda Heritage Trail allows a visit to some of Durban's most important historical sites, places where South Africa's future changed for the better because of the bravery of a few individuals. The Phoenix Settlement is where Mahatma Gandhi developed his philosophy of passive resistance, which has been lauded the world over, and his home has been turned into a monument dedicated to lasting peace and justice. At Inanda Township one can visit the Ohlange Institute, founded by the first president of the African National Congress, Rev. John Dube; this is also the site where Nelson Mandela cast his historic vote in South Africa's first democratic elections in 1994. The Inanda Seminary is one of the oldest and most famous schools for girls in South Africa and has a legacy of producing some of the country's finest black women leaders. Visits to those historic sites can be arranged through specialist tour operators.

**Enquiries: Inanda Tourism: 031 322 2857/6**



*The memorial to JL Dube at the Ohlange Institute.*



*Nelson Mandela cast his historic vote at the Ohlange Institute during South Africa's first democratic elections in 1994.*

# KLOOF FALLS





# The Valley of 1000 Hills

Wake up early in our hills – for we have so much to see and do that you would not want to waste a minute.

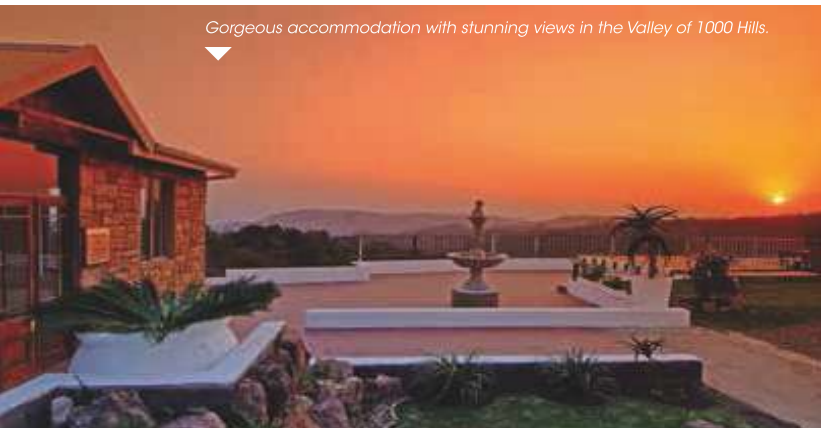


Situated between 650 and 800 metres above sea level, the area of 1000 Hills is nationally known as one of the most exciting adventure-hubs our country has to offer.

**S**ports enthusiasts and outdoor adventurers frequent our area, reputed to have one of the healthiest climates in the world. Mighty rivers rage through our valleys and sugar-cane; forests and single-tracks run through the Giba Gorge for the cycle enthusiasts.

Many of the foreign tourists that come to South Africa come to watch or participate in sport events, with spectators accounting for over half of these arrivals. The 1000 Hills area is home to some of the plushest and most beautiful golf courses, all in close proximity to one another and each with its own special features, not to mention an incredible climate all year round.

Gorgeous accommodation with stunning views in the Valley of 1000 Hills.



Traditional Zulu dancing at pheZulu Safari Park.

The sound of music rings out from our very own Botanical Gardens or alternatively, the gardens become the stage for an outdoor movie theatre. Our weekly Farmers Market opens with the call of the rooster in the early, misty hours of the morning. This could be the start of a day where you get to experience farm life or African game life and some of the best cuisine in Africa. Our sub-tropical paradise looks out over the ocean and reaches up to the clouds... Take a sail, catch a fish, ride a horse or cycle, grab a paddle or dance to the rhythms of Africa. Then at the end of a steamy African day, catch a lager or simply stretch out for a lazy massage – we have it all!

Enquiries: 031 322 2855 • [www.1000hillstourism.co.za](http://www.1000hillstourism.co.za)

Mziyathi Falls.



The vibrant Zulu culture gives the area its distinctive identity.



Overlooking the breathtaking Valley of 1000 Hills.



## Explore the roots of Zulu culture

Many local Zulu people have maintained a traditional lifestyle in the Umgeni and Shongweni Valleys, giving the area a powerful sense of history and identity. Their colourful ceremonies and expressive, artistic culture give this area its vibrant atmosphere and creative energy.

Explore the roots of Zulu culture by taking an organised tour deep into tribal lands. You can witness ancient Zulu ceremonies, as traditional diviners 'throw the bones' and communicate with their spiritual ancestors at pheZulu Safari Park. PheZulu also offers traditional Zulu dancing and cultural shows, as well as game drives, local curios, wonderful views across the valley and a crocodile and snake park. For those with adventurous taste buds and a carnivorous hunger, try out a crocodile steak at pheZulu's Croctilians Restaurant.

Enquiries: **pheZulu Safari Park: 031 777 1000**

## Krantzkloof Nature Reserve

Pack your hiking-shoes, your camera/binoculars, and pack a picnic basket, because you are in for adventure when visiting Krantzkloof Nature reserve. The Reserve is situated just outside of Kloof (4 kilometers to be exact). You can expect breathtaking views of the gorge, waterfall and hectares of dense forest and vegetation.

Ample safe parking and ablution facilities are available with beautifully green grass and braai area. Although they ask a small cover charge per person to enter the location, you can be rest assure the funds goes to a great cause. And it's totally worth it.

Reserve Manager – 031 764 3515 or visit: <https://kknr.org.za/>

The Umgeni Steam Railway's steam train runs on the last Sunday of every month.



## Oxford Village

The Oxford Village in Hillcrest is set in magnificent rose gardens creating a relaxed country atmosphere. It incorporates some 160 Victorian-style shops offering a wide range of goods from rare books to art and crafts, clothes fashion accessories, fire places, barbeques and novelty gifts. To top it off there are tea gardens, restaurants, cocktails bars and a supper theater.

Enquiries: 031 4519 680

## Vibrant street markets

### The Shongweni Farmer's Market

Held every Saturday near Hillcrest, it is the best place to buy organic produce, fresh flowers and delicious breakfasts, and has a wonderful country atmosphere.

see Directory on page 68  
[www.shongwenimarket.co.za](http://www.shongwenimarket.co.za)





# Durban West etc

## The Pavilion Shopping Centre



More than 1.8 million shoppers every month can't be wrong. Conveniently located in Westville close to the N3, the Pavilion offers the widest selection of restaurants, shops, banking facilities, fashion outlets and entertainment areas under one roof. Its unparalleled choice and stylish setting make it a must-do shopping experience.

**Enquiries: 031 256 0558**

## Giba Gorge



Giba Gorge Mountain Bike and Adventure Park  
The Eco Park on Your Doorstep!  
Why would you visit?

Safe for kids . animal friendly . fun for the whole family.  
Our friendly staff are waiting to welcome you to Giba.  
Cycle racing, outrides, bike hire, restaurant, play area.  
Cycle, walk, run, ride or simply relax and picnic with the family.

**Tel: +27 31 769 1419 . Cell: +27 79 451 4898 (Jethro)**  
<https://www.gibagorge.co.za>

## Marianhill Monastery

Mariannhill Monastery is a haven of tranquillity. The people who live and work here are friendly, and enjoy talking about the place. They don't have to follow the Trappist dictum that conversations should be entered into only when necessary. Missionary work in Africa was impossible without communication, so Pope Pius X signed a decree that separated the missionaries at Mariannhill from the Trappist Order but they remained part of the rest of the tradition.

The monastery was founded by a hard working monk called Francis Pfanner. He bought a farm called Zeekoeigat (Hippopotamus Pool) in 1882. Pfanner coaxed the local chief, Manzini, to bring 300 families to live around the monastery and form a congregation. There, the local children were given elementary schooling in the mornings, and practical courses in agriculture in the afternoons. They were also taught skills such as printing, carpentry, blacksmithing and tailoring and the mission soon became self-supporting.

**Tel: +27 31 700 4288**



Pavilion Shopping  
Centre in Westville



DURBAN WEST EXPERIENCE

Scuba diving off Aliwal Shoal.





# The Sapphire Coast

The town of Amanzimtoti (meaning 'sweet waters' in Zulu) is said to have been named by the great Zulu King Shaka after tasting the fresh water that flows out of the hills at this scenic spot. It is situated on the coast a short drive south of Durban.



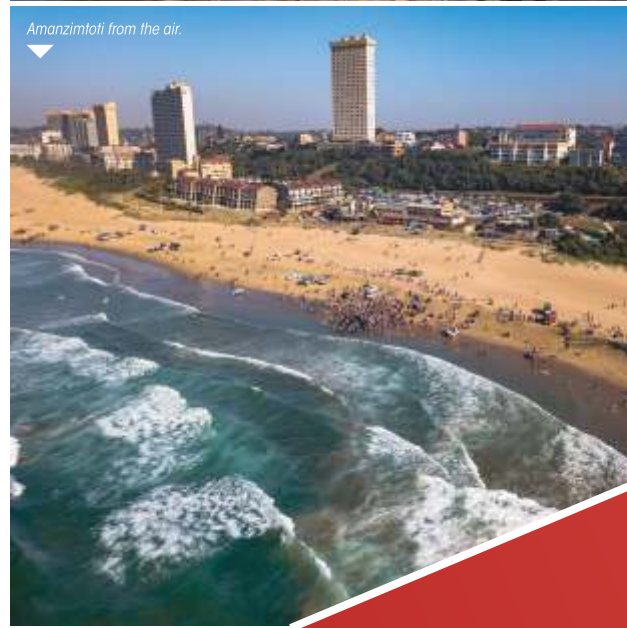
This part of the coast is a popular destination for scuba divers who come to explore Aliwal Shoal, a fossilised sand dune that lies 5km off Umkomaas river mouth. A myriad of warm water reef fish and cold water fish converge on Aliwal Shoal to create a kaleidoscope of colour. For those who prefer to remain on terra firma, the beaches of the Sapphire Coast provide plenty of opportunities to enjoy swimming, surfing or fishing.

Nature lovers can explore the Amanzimtoti Bird Sanctuary or stroll in one of the nature reserves. Visit Crocworld and get up close and personal with a giant pre-historic crocodile! Crocworld has an excellent restaurant and offers a complete wildlife experience. For a taste of local history or culture, there are a number of arts and craft stores offering a selection of handmade goods, and the Adams Mission College, founded in 1884. Mnini Dam is a great spot for water sport such as bass fishing, fly fishing, boating and canoeing. The dam is excellent for family outings, with shaded picnic spots, thatched gazebos and braai facilities making it a relaxing outdoor experience, now with an exquisite pub and grill.

Enquiries: 031 322 2852 • [www.sapphirecoasttourism.co.za](http://www.sapphirecoasttourism.co.za)



▲ An outride on the beach.



▼ Amanzimtoti from the air.

## Sardine Run

The Sardine Run is an annual phenomenon which takes place along the Eastern Cape and KwaZulu-Natal coastline in June or July.

Gigantic shoals of sardines migrate along the coast from south to north, followed by sharks, dolphins, game fish and sea birds. The sardines are often driven to the shore where they beach by the thousand.

**Enquiries: 031 580 5000 • [www.suninternational.com](http://www.suninternational.com)**

*Dolphins follow the sardines as they migrate up the coast.*



*The coastal vegetation provides some challenging play at the Amanzimoti Country Club.*



*Never-ending fun in the sunshine.*





#### Things to do:



#### Crocodile Feeding & Talk

11am & 3pm daily (except on Mondays out of season)



#### Snake Demonstration

10:15am daily (in season) | 11:30 Weekends (out of season)



#### Le Rendez-Vous Restaurant

Open 9am - 3pm daily



#### Animal Farm & Children's Playground

Open 9am - 5pm (in season) | 9am - 4:30pm (out of season)



#### Walk through Bird Aviary

Open 9am - 5pm (in season) | 9am - 4:30pm (out of season)



#### Curio Shop

Open 9am - 5pm daily in season | 8am - 4:30pm out of season

#### For more information and bookings:

Tel: 039 976 1103 | Fax: 039 978 3279

Email: [crocworld@cbl.co.za](mailto:crocworld@cbl.co.za) | Website: [www.crocworld.co.za](http://www.crocworld.co.za)

Facebook: Crocworld Conservation Centre

Twitter: CrocworldCC

# Crocworld

## Conservation Centre

#### Entrance

R70 Adults | R45 Children | R50 Pensioners

#### Other Activities & Services include:

- Children's party venue, wedding venue, conference centre venue
- School Tours
- Tour Groups
- Half Price Pensioner Special (out of season)
- Restaurant
- Nature Trail
- Wildlife talks (one talk per month)
- Annual membership available

Open 7 days a week | Out of Season from 8am - 4:30pm

During School Holidays 8am - 5pm

Part of *Mpambanyi* Conservation Development





Traditional baskets are made from reeds and printed

# Durban South Shopping

## Arbour Crossing and Galleria

For a sophisticated shopping, dining and entertainment experience, Arbour Crossing and Galleria are the premier destinations on the Sapphire Coast. Arbour Crossing has a wide variety of value stores ranging from food, furnishings, and clothing to electronics and sport. Galleria has a range of stylish big brand stores, fashion boutiques and restaurants, as well as a host of entertainment for the whole family, including a cinema, mini-golf and an ice-rink. Arbour Crossing and Galleria are conveniently located just off the N2 highway.

Enquiries: 031 904 2233 • [www.galleria.co.za](http://www.galleria.co.za)

The Galleria on the Sapphire Coast.



# Food and entertainment

## Eating out

**T**he Sapphire Coast offers a variety of delicious cuisine, from fine dining at classy restaurants to coffee shops, pubs and tasty takeaways on the beach promenades. The locations make eating out in the area a totally enjoyable, relaxing experience.

Enjoy sundowners on the beach or have a meal in a lush tropical garden to truly taste the African experience. Local cuisine not to be missed includes spicy Indian curries and amazing fresh seafood.

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# Vibrant township tours



Townships offer visitors a glimpse of another side of Durban. Originally established by the apartheid government to house black people working in the city, townships have become sprawling and vibrant neighbourhoods in the post-apartheid era where an exciting new urban African culture is being born.

No visit to Durban is complete without one of these townships. Tours guided by knowledgeable locals will provide the visitor with the opportunity to immerse themselves in the rich community

life townships enjoy and experience the pulse of this vibrant culture.

Guests can visit a shebeen (which means 'hidden' bar) or a 'shisanyama' (where meat is grilled on open fires), where locals meet to drink and eat together in a lively atmosphere. Popular spots are Meat Café in Claremont (Tel: 083 354 3985), Max's Lifestyle in Umlazi (Tel: 083 776 6545), Eyabo Butcher & Tavern in Inanda (Tel: 082 441 2317) and Hlabisa Tavern and Shisanyama in KwaMashu (Tel: 082 577 1495).

**Enquiries: 031 322 4164**

The Max's Lifestyle in Umlazi ▼





# DISCOVER



## pheZulu

SAFARI PARK



**Booking & Info: (031) 777-1000**  
**[www.phezulusafaripark.co.za](http://www.phezulusafaripark.co.za)**

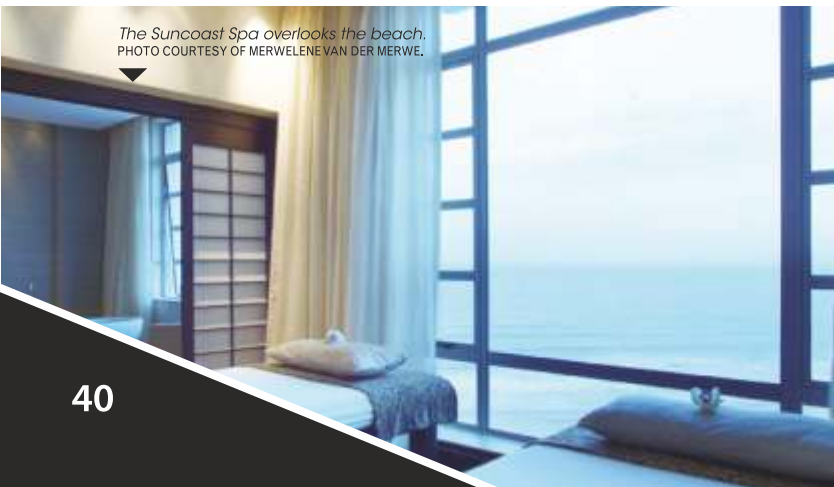
# Health and wellness

*Durban is well known for being a comfortable city where you can put your feet up, make yourself at home and relax. Everyone needs to take a break from the hectic pace of everyday life once in a while, and Durban can provide exactly that. There are a number of luxurious health spas you can visit where your well-being is the number one concern and you can unwind and let all your cares slip away.*

**D**urban's wide range of holistic health spas provide many options for health and beauty treatments. From massages to aromatherapy to full body treatments, there are many opportunities to de-stress mind and body when visiting our beautiful city.

The warm all-year-round climate, beautiful gardens and sub-tropical vegetation make Durban and its surrounds all the more soothing and relaxing. This is an environment tailor-made for promoting health and vitality.

*The Suncoast Spa overlooks the beach.*  
PHOTO COURTESY OF MERWELENEVAN DER MERWE.



## Mangwanani Sibaya African Day Spa

Mangwanani African Spa combines traditional African healing rituals with contemporary wellness therapies to nurture mind, body and spirit. The spa's customary welcome with drumming and singing is a prelude to true indulgence in the capable hands of skilled therapists. Set in tranquil locations across the country, Mangwanani spas are committed to social responsibility and empowerment through job creation and community upliftment, and sustainable development.

**Enquiries: 0860 55 00 55**



*Left and right: Mangwanani Sibaya African Day Spa, just north of the city.*  
PHOTOS COURTESY OF MANGWANANI

## Suncoast Spa

Encompassing the entire ninth floor of the Suncoast Hotel and Towers, the spa's style is spacious, contemporary and chic, incorporating modern décor with magnificent beach and ocean views giving each guest a great feeling of privacy, comfort and elegance. The spa's philosophy is to delight guests by providing service that is gracious, sincere and steeped in the values of the East.

**Enquiries: 031 314 7900**





## Makaranga Health and Beauty Spa

Situated in the leafy suburb of Kloof, Makaranga Health and Beauty Spa is a haven of pampering and rejuvenation. It is set in the African Pride Hotel Makaranga and is surrounded by beautifully landscaped indigenous gardens featuring dozens of stone sculptures.

The Spa offers a comprehensive menu of treatments to revive and revitalise your body's natural harmony.

**Enquiries: 031 764 9434**

## Crowhurst Spa

Imagine if you could drive just 20mins outside of Durban to a secluded, tranquil Day Spa surrounded by lush gardens and an avenue of trees. Crowhurst Spa is the Ideal destination to enjoy team building, some “me time” or have a pamper party. Visit Crowhurst Spa Today, our highly qualified, passionate therapists will ensure you have a memorable experience.

**Enquiries: 031 767 5078**

*Makaranga, set in a peaceful indigenous garden*



# Accommodation

*Voted by Lonely Planet as one of the top 10 family beach holiday cities in the world, Durban has a wide range of accommodation options to suit your needs and budget. There are upmarket hotels and holiday apartments, guest houses, B&Bs, backpackers establishments and bush lodges.*

**Enquiries: 031 322 4164**





## Beyond the city:

### Adventures for the bold at heart

*If you're an adrenalin junkie, you've come to the right place as there are all sorts of adventures and exciting activities to enjoy. In the water, on land or in the air, visitors can participate in a different adventure sport every day of the week.*

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### Scale a sheer cliff-face

The Valley of 1000 Hills area is home to a variety of climbing sites with routes for beginners and advanced climbers to enjoy. Monteseel and Krantzklouf Gorge are two of the best known spots.

### Gone fishing

The Indian Ocean is alive and well, and fishing enthusiasts come from all over the country to angle off Durban's beautiful shoreline. Deep sea fishing charters are also available from Durban harbour, and from ski-boat launches north and south of the city.

### Explore on horseback

Enjoy a horse trail through the sugar cane, coastal bush or along a deserted beach. It's a wonderful way to enjoy the scenery and the sunshine. These tours cater for both experienced riders and beginners, so bring the family along.



Rock climbing at Monteseel,  
Valley of 1000 Hills.





Comrades Marathon.



## Challenge our mighty rivers

Durban has a number of rivers, like the uMngeni and Umkomaas, which offer exciting white water rafting, kayaking and canoeing experiences. The Shongweni, Inanda and Hazelmere dams also offer canoeing and fishing activities, with scenic bush lodges and self-catering bungalows for overnight visits.

## Take a ride on an old steam train

For the laid-back adventurer there is a different form of excitement. The Umgeni Steam Railway offers a good old fashioned train outing on the last Sunday of every month from Kloof to Inchanga. The train winds through the Valley of 1000 Hills, with several fun stop-offs and spectacular views.

## Scuba diving wonderland

Aliwal Shoal is Durban's prime diving destination and attracts divers from around the world. Dive boats launch from the Umkomaas River, south of Amanzimtoti, to get to the reef which is about 4km long and lies some 5km offshore, with depths ranging from 5m to 35m. The reef runs almost parallel to the shoreline and its many gullies, overhangs, caves and shelves are home to a vast array of marine life. Two wrecks lying near the shoal - the Produce and Nebo - provide divers with alternative underwater experiences.

Local dive operators provide equipment and accredited training, and will introduce you to the wonders that lie beneath the waves.

*Enjoy stunning views of the Valley of 1000 Hills from the Umgeni Steam Train.*





## Dolphins and whales

The warm water of the Indian Ocean that wash Durban's shores are alive with marine life. Schools of bottlenose dolphin move up and down the coast all year round, and whales can be seen off the coast from July through to November - mainly humpback whales and occasionally southern rights. You can view these creature from high points along the coast, or oven from the beach as the dolphins frequently frolic in the waves or just behind backline.

A number of dolphin and whale watching businesses have sprung up along the coast, offering ski-boat trips to view these gentle creatures close-up. Deep-sea fishing charters also ply these waters, launching from Umhlanga, Tongaat, Umdloti, Umkomaas and Durban. Pleaseure cruise are also offered around the harbour and out to sea, with spectacular views of the city and the coastline.

## Creatures of the deep

There are a variety of shark species found off the shores of Durban and adjacent coast. Most common is the ragged-tooth shark which is especially plentiful at Aliwal Shoal, which has become famous among divers world-wide for sightings of this shy creature. For those whose interest in sharks is more intellectual, the KwaZulu-Natal Sharks Board in Umhlanga is an informative and interesting visit. Visitors have the opportunity to learn about the biology, ecology and conservation of sharks, and view a 20-minute shark dissection.

The KwaZulu-Natal Sharks Board maintain shark nets along Durban's bathing beaches to ensure the safety of water users.



Whales visit Durban shores from July to November  
PHOTO COURTESY OF 36 DEGREES/082 553 2834



Scuba diving off Aliwal Shoal.



# Stunning natural beauty

*Durban is situated in an exquisite natural environment, and the warm, subtropical climate provides an ideal opportunity to explore nature. It has a variety of unique habitats, from dense coastal forest, to mangrove swamps and estuarine systems which are home to a wondrous variety of plant, animal and bird life.*

**see Directory on page 64**

**T**he Umgeni River Bird Park is home to endangered, indigenous and exotic birds in a stunning natural environment on the banks of the uMgeni River. The park allows visitors to get up close and personal with many different birds in walk-through aviaries, open paddocks and a viewing

window into the baby room where chicks are raised by foster parents.

**Enquiries: 031 579 4601 • [www.umgeniriverbirdpark.co.za](http://www.umgeniriverbirdpark.co.za)**

## uMgeni Green Hub

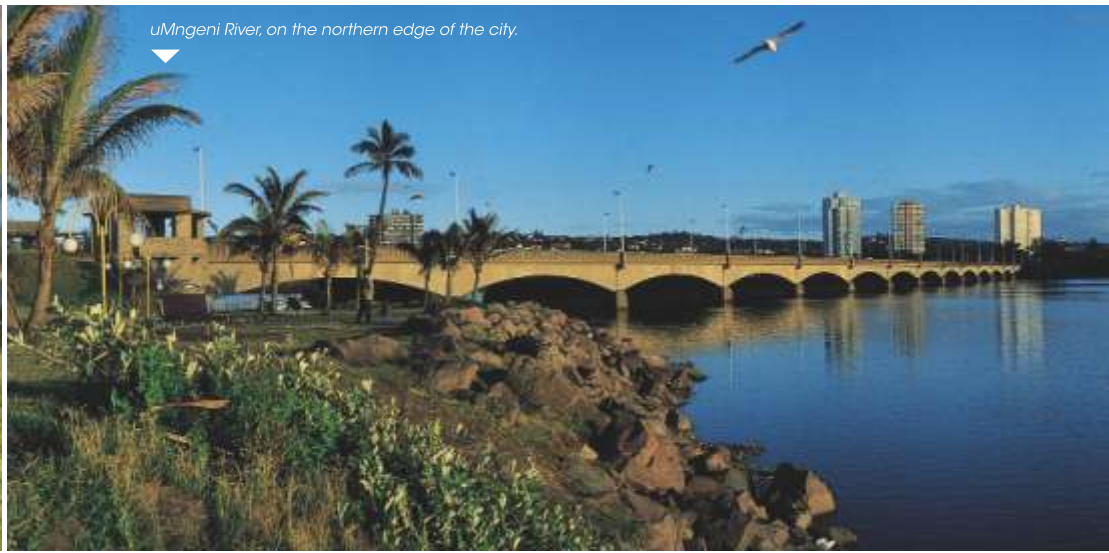
The Green Hub is Durban's central portal for eco-tourism information and bookings. Based at the uMgeni River Estuary, the Hub arranges canoe trails, nature trails and heritage trails in and around Durban. Open 09h00-17h00 daily.

**Enquiries: 031 322 6026 • [greenhub@durban.gov.za](mailto:greenhub@durban.gov.za)**

Trail rides.



uMgeni River, on the northern edge of the city.



## Silverglen Nature Reserve

The use of muthi (Zulu traditional medicine) is deeply rooted in Zulu culture. A vast number of plant species are used to make muthi preparations, and as a result of over-exploitation and shrinking habitats, some muthi plants have been driven to brink of extinction.

To help save these plants growing in the wild, the Silverglen Nature Reserve has established a nursery which propagates muthi plants using indigenous knowledge. The nursery cultivates about 120 at-risk plant species and plays a vital role in conserving Durban's natural flora.

**Enquiries: 031 404 5628**

## Beachwood Mangroves Nature Reserve

Situated on the edge of the city between the north bank of the uMngeni River and the south bank of the Tongaat River, Beachwood Mangroves Nature Reserve is home to a unique mangrove ecosystem which is as interesting as it is beautiful.

A haven for many rare bird species and thousands of fiddler crabs, these mangroves are an important part of Durban's natural heritage.

The reserve features a raised boardwalk through the mangroves for guided and self-guided walks, as well as an education centre with information about this distinctive mangrove ecosystem.



▲  
*Canoeing on the uMngeni River.*



▲  
*A beautiful local trail run.*



▲  
*The peaceful mangrove swamps.*  
PHOTO COURTESY OF EZENVELO KZN WILDLIFE

## Inanda Dam

Just a couple of kilometres beyond the Durban suburb of Hillcrest, within the Valley of a Thousand Hills, you can drive straight into South Africa sporting and viewing history at Inanda Dam and Resort. This spot has become legendary as the compulsory second overnight stop on the Dusi Canoe Marathon, a thrilling fixture here for six good decades.

Aside from sporting and all endurance busting activities, we also have wonderful day visitor's picnic areas where you can also gaze at the wonderful view of the dam, Zebra game, bird watching and sounds while relaxing.

**Enquiries: 031 766 9946**

## The dramatic Krantzkloof Nature Reserve

Krantzkloof Nature Reserve, where two river gorges, the Molweni and Nqutu, meet encompasses cliffs, waterfalls and natural forest teeming with wildlife. It has 20km of scenic walks, including a stunning waterfall and two wonderful view sites of the Krantzkloof Gorge.

**Enquiries: 031 764 3515**

*The breathtaking Inanda Dam.*



▲ Zebra and other wildlife can be spotted at Inanda Dam and Nature Reserve and PheZulu Safari Park





## Kenneth Stainbank Nature Reserve

Just 14km from the Durban city centre, the Kenneth Stainbank Nature Reserve comprises 250 hectares of riverine forest and grassland and is home to zebra, impala, bushbuck, duiker and over 200 species and birds. Well defined trails of various lengths provide good opportunities for visitors to experience the animal life. There is a 500m trail for the physically disabled and sight-impaired.

Enquiries: 031 469 2807

## Empisini Nature Reserve

The 120 hectare Empisini Nature Reserve contains 50 hectare of pristine coastal forest teeming with a variety of birds and small mammals. It has pretty picnic and braai areas and rustic accommodation in the form of a large tree-house built deep in the forest alongside the Empisini stream.

Enquiries: 039 973 0093



▲  
*Mountain biking at Giba Gorge.*



▼  
*Canoeing at Amanzimtoti.*



▼  
*Inanda Dam boat ride*



## The Durban Botanic Gardens

**Est. 1849** 170 years old

Durban Botanic Gardens is one of Durban's brightest Jewels and is the oldest surviving botanic garden in Africa. Nestled on the Berea the Durban Botanic Garden was initially developed as a site for experimenting with agricultural crops. It now boasts extensive collections of both exotic and indigenous trees and plants including cycads, bromeliads, palms and orchids. Entrance to the Durban Botanic Gardens is free although donations are encouraged. Donation funds are administered through the Durban Botanic Gardens Trust to ensure that this Garden remains a Garden of Excellence.

**For more information on the Durban Botanic Gardens contact information Centre on 031 322 4021 or [dbginfo@durban.gov.za](mailto:dbginfo@durban.gov.za)  
Venue Hire enquiries: 031 309 9240**







Cricket action at Sahara Stadium Kingsmead.  
PHOTO COURTESY OF ANESH DEBIKY/GALLO IMAGES

## *A sporting city*

Durban is a sports-mad city with world-class facilities, including the iconic Moses Mabhida Stadium that was built especially for the 2010 Soccer World Cup, and world famous sports teams with huge fan bases. Durban produced a wealth of sporting talent over the years, and many of them have gone on to become household names internationally.

### **Cricket**

The Sunfoil Dolphins are Durban's local cricket team with a long pedigree of being among the top teams in South Africa. Based at Sahara Stadium Kingsmead, the Sunfoil Dolphins play exciting cricket and are well-known for having vocal and energetic fans. A carnival atmosphere prevails at big matches. A number of the Dolphins players have gone to play for the national cricket team, the Proteas.

**Enquiries: 031 335 4200**

### **Usuthu!**

The beautiful game is alive and well, and Durban is as soccer mad as the rest South Africa. AmaZulu FC, nicknamed 'Usuthu', is Durban's local football club that features strongly in the South African Professional Soccer League. Soccer lovers are encouraged to grab a vuvuzela, go down to the stadium and give Durban's finest their most vociferous support.



## The Comrades Marathon

Durban and Pietermaritzburg host possibly the most gruelling ultramarathon in the world in June, and each year the event draws top international competitors going all out to win. The 90km race, run between Durban and Pietermaritzburg, draws thousands of runners and the route is lined with spectators. The Comrades has a unique spirit and camaraderie epitomised by its name.



*The Comrades Marathon.*



## Shark attack

The Sharks have been a powerhouse of South African rugby for many years and have developed intense rivalries with top local and international teams. The home ground, the 52 000-seater Growthpoint Kings Park Stadium, is a fantastic venue which allows spectators to feel close to the action. The Sharks are known for playing high quality and bruising rugby, and have produced many Springbok rugby players. No matter the competition format, the Sharks' games are always well supported, and the after-parties are legendary.

**Enquiries: 031 335 4200**



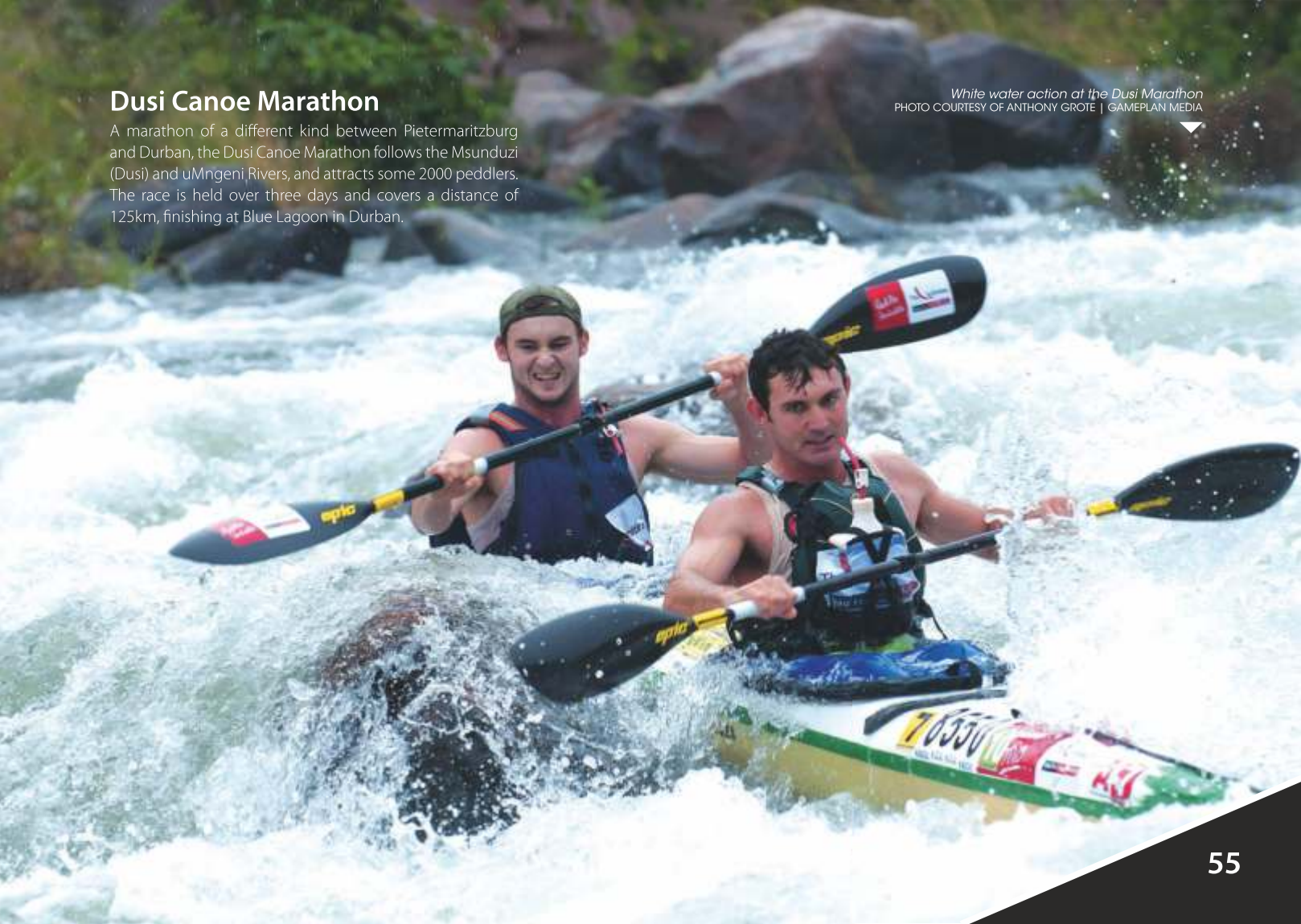
*The Sharks in action.*  
PHOTO COURTESY OF THE SHARKS.



## Dusi Canoe Marathon

A marathon of a different kind between Pietermaritzburg and Durban, the Dusi Canoe Marathon follows the Msunduzi (Dusi) and uMngeni Rivers, and attracts some 2000 peddlers. The race is held over three days and covers a distance of 125km, finishing at Blue Lagoon in Durban.

*White water action at the Dusi Marathon*  
PHOTO COURTESY OF ANTHONY GROTE | GAMEPLAN MEDIA



# A Golfer's paradise

*Durban's year-round sunny climate and lush, natural environment provide a pleasant backdrop for the numerous golf courses to be found close to the city. From sea views to indigenous forest and even some courses with wild game, golfers will find many challenges and memorable holes to test their abilities. You could spend a week or more in Durban and play a different 18-hole course every day, and the 19th-holes are also legendary. Here is a brief summary of the top courses.*

see [Directory on page 68](#)

## Durban Country Club

Durban Country Club is Durban's finest golf courses and is considered by many to be the best in the country. Rated as one of the top 100 courses in the world, the courses lies close to the beach and is fashioned into the sand dunes. Breathtaking to play and gorgeous in its verdant natural beauty, this premier golf course demands your attention.

Enquiries: [031 313 1777](#)

## Durban Country Club Beachwood

Lying some 2km north of Durban Country Club, the recently upgraded Beachwood course is no less beautiful and offers a different challenge. The fairways are narrow and long, and lined with dense foliage requiring precision tee shots, making this a difficult but rewarding course for the patient golfer.

Enquiries: [031 313 1777](#)

## Royal Durban Golf Club

Royal Durban is a link type golf course set in the middle of a horse racing track. The course is distinctive for its lack of large trees and vegetation, which means that wind becomes a major factor. It is well known for its notoriously thick rough and is a demanding course that challenges every golfer.

Enquiries: [031 309 1373](#)

## Maidstone Country Club

Suitable for golfers of abilities, this 9 hole (18 tee) course is bordered by trees and laid out in a residential village. Each hole is pretty in aspect but holds many surprises for the unwary golfer in the form of cunning water hazards and 33 bunkers. It's a testing and relaxing course and well worth the 30-minute drive north from Durban.

Enquiries: [031 945 0419](#)





## Mount Edgecombe Country Club

Tucked away into the undulating hills of the North Coast, Mount Edgecombe Country Club boasts two championship golf courses designed to USPGA specifications. Each course is a nature lover's treat, with attractive surrounds and a host of bird life. Both courses are challenging but fair, and provide a very enjoyable round of golf.

**Enquiries: 031 539 5330**

## Amanzimtoti Country Club

Located south of Durban on the attractive Sapphire Coast, Amanzimtoti Country Club is not only a unique and challenging course with a links feel to it, but the sea is visible from the majority of the course providing stunning views. As picturesque as it is enjoyable to play, Amanzimtoti Country Club is well worth a visit.

**Enquiries: 031 902 1166**

## Kloof Country Club

Kloof Country Club is a testing course set unobtrusively in the leafy natural beauty of its surrounds. Immaculately maintained and dotted with intimidating hazards, the course requires a thoughtful round that will bring golfers back for more.

**Enquiries: 031 764 0555**

## Cato Ridge Country Club

Leaving behind the balmy air of the coast, Cato Ridge Country Club lies midway between Durban and Pietermaritzburg. Set in the countryside, the course ambles and winds its way between cane fields allowing for a pleasantly relaxed day of golf. The large number of trees lining the fairways makes accurate tee shots a must.

**Enquiries: 031 782 1985**

*Amanzimtoti golf course*



*Royal Durban Golf Club*





## MORE THAN A STADIUM

# Moses Mabhida

Durban's new icon, Moses Mabhida Stadium, offers a variety of experiences and attractions for fun-seeking families, couples looking for a bit of romance, or corporate team-building. Take a trip on the SkyCar or make the 550-step adventure walk to the top of the arch and enjoy panoramic views of the Indian Ocean and Durban. Or take a look inside the stadium with one of our all-access (90 minute) or general (45 minute) tours. For the adrenaline junkies, try plunging off the 160 meter arch on the Big Rush Big Swing. The stadium also has a retail section, and some of the tenants

include: Big Rush Big Swing, Subway, Nino's, Sneakers, STS Sports, Cuba Lounge, the People's Park Cafe and Visitor's Centre. There is also a Virgin Active Gym and the Prime Human Performance Institute. More restaurants and fast food outlets are due to open over the coming months. The stadium has a wide variety of stunning venues to offer and is the perfect location for functions, conferences and product launches.

Enquiries: **031 582 8222**/[www.mmstadium.co.za](http://www.mmstadium.co.za)



### SKYCAR:

9am-5pm, last trip at 4:30pm, Monday-Sunday

### BIG RUSH BIG SWING:

8am-4pm daily, closed Tuesdays and Thursdays

### ADVENTURE WALK:

10am, 1pm and 4pm, weekends only

# Getting around Durban

Getting around Durban is easy. An efficient transport system using buses, taxis and/or trains links different areas and key attractions in and around the city.

## Airport shuttle

The shuttle to and from King Shaka International Airport runs at 15-minute intervals with stops at Umhlanga and the Durban Beachfront.

Enquiries: 031 465 5573/082 340 9990

## People Mover

The People Mover bus system provides convenient and comfortable transport around the city. It operates on three routes, linking the beachfront to the CBD. Buses depart every 15 minutes from the easily identifiable Durban People Mover bus stops, which are conveniently located for both commuters and tourists. See pages 4 and 5.

Enquiries: 031 309 2631

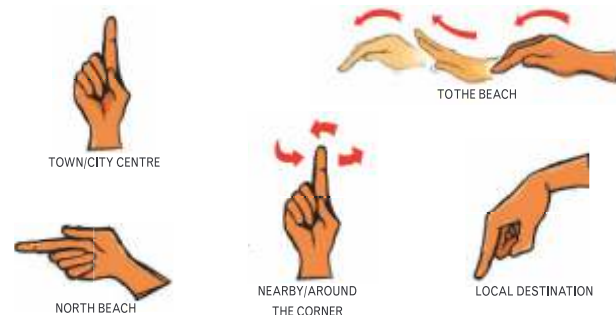


## Metered taxis

There are plenty of metered taxis operating in and around the city. They are safe and relatively inexpensive. These taxis operate in key zones, including the airport, beachfront, city centre and accommodation and entertainment nodes within Durban. Registered metered taxis are clearly marked with a coloured stickers (see above), so that you can be assured of a safe and professional service.

## Minibus taxis

Minibus taxis are hard to miss as they often have music pumping and someone hanging out of a window touting for passengers. Ask the locals for assistance when choosing a minibus taxi route. When hailing a minibus taxi, use these hand signals.





## Car rental and driving

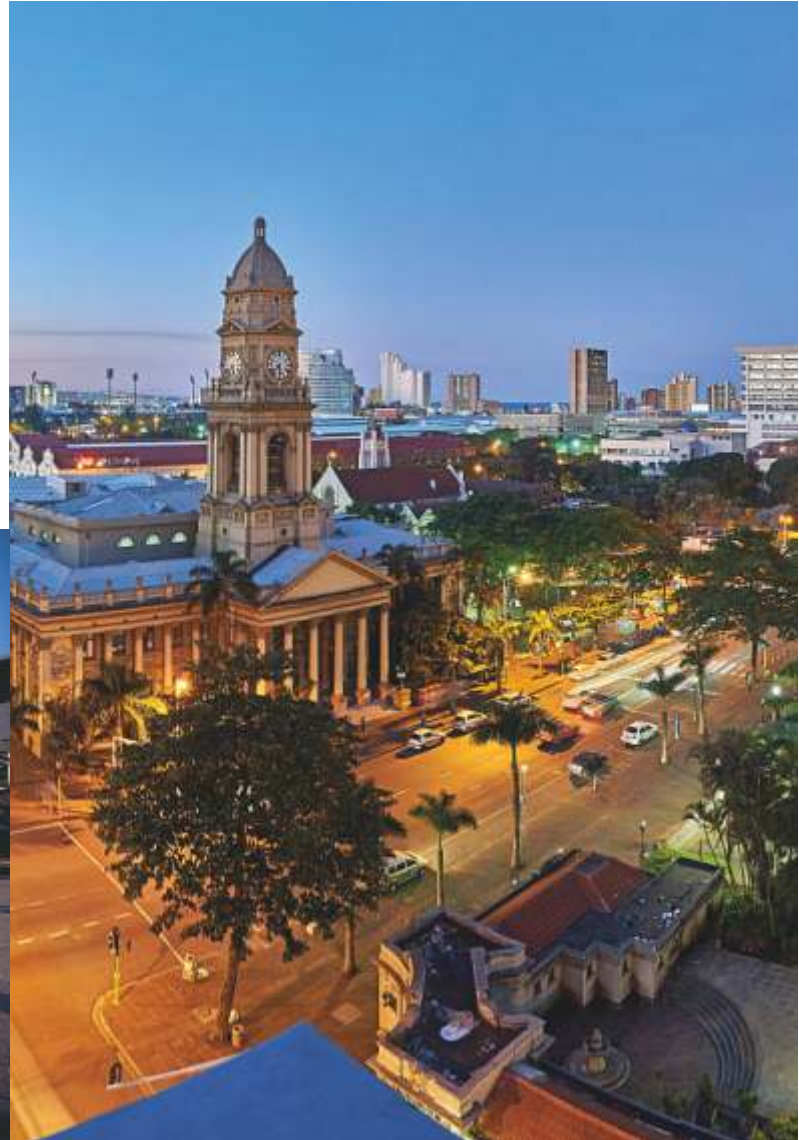
The roads in Durban are in good condition and well sign-posted. Remember, in South Africa (see Directory on page 65), you drive on the left hand side of the road! There are a number of reputable car hire companies operating in Durban.

## Tour operators and tour guides

Trained and registered tour operators offer a wide variety of trips to outlying areas of Durban or further afield in KwaZulu-Natal.

[See Directory on page 72-76](#)

*King Shaka International Airport.*





# *Getting to and from Durban*

## **King Shaka International Airport**

Durban's new international airport is located north of Durban's city centre and offers international access to Durban, as well as domestic flights to all the major South African cities. Taxis, airport shuttles and car hire are available.

**Enquiries: 032 436 6585 • Flight information: 086 727 7880**

## **Inter-city bus companies**

Durban is connected to the rest of the country by an excellent bus network, serviced by buses of international standards. The main bus station in Durban is close to the Sahara Kingsmead cricket stadium.

## **Inter-city train transport**

The Durban train station is close to the bus station and connects Durban with other major centres through a train service known as the Shosholozameyl. The service offers tourist class (with sleeper accommodation) and economy class (with sitting accommodation), and catering in the dining car.

**Enquiries: 086 000 8888 • [www.shosholozameyl.co.za](http://www.shosholozameyl.co.za)**

# Useful information

## Population and climate

South Africa - 58.5 million • KwaZulu-Natal - 10.5 million • Durban - 3.7 million. Durban is in the subtropical zone. Summers are warm, with high level of humidity and an average maximum temperature of 28°C. Winters are mild, with average temperatures around 18°C. The sea is warm, with winter temperatures seldom falling below 17°C and reaching a maximum of 24°C.

**Weather info: General 082 162 • Durban 082 231 1603 • Maritime 031 4135**

## Time zones

There is one time zone in South Africa, two hours ahead of GMT all year round.

## Electricity

South Africa's electricity supply runs at 220/230V, 50Hz AC. Sockets take round-pinned plugs. Most hotel rooms have take 110V electric shavers, but for other appliances visitors might need adaptors.

## Emergencies

The city has a number of excellent medical facilities, able to meet any medical emergency. You are advised to take out travel insurance to cover medical costs.

## Malaria

Durban and most of KZN is malaria-free. However, it is recommended that visitors to the far northern game reserves consult their medical practitioners.

## Internet

There are numerous internet cafes around the city, and most of the big hotels and public buildings have wireless internet hotspots.

## Language

English and Zulu are the main languages spoken in Durban, however most inhabitants understand and can communicate in basic English.

## Money matters

South Africa uses the Rand (R) as its currency unit. Foreign currency may be exchanged at any commercial bank or foreign exchange bureau.

Banking hours: Monday to Friday, 09h00-15h30; Saturday, 09h00-11h00.

Outside banking hours, some hotels will change money, although this entails a fairly hefty commission. You can also change money at branches of American Express and Rennie's Travel.

ATMs are widespread and will accept most international bank & credit cards.

Credit cards, including American Express, Visa, Diners Club and MasterCard, may be used at most hotels, restaurants, car hire companies etc.

## Telecommunications

Mobile phones: The country is well covered by all networks.

You can use a GSM/tri-band phone in South Africa, if you arranged for international roaming before leaving home.

International telephone dialling code is +27.

## Drinking water

South Africa's tap water is world class - it is safe to drink and tastes great.



# Directory

## ANIMAL FARMS

Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
African Birds of Prey Sanctuary	031 785 4382 Hotline: 0823590900	art@africanraptor.co.za rescue@africanraptor.co.za	Umlaas
Animal Farm Yard	031 765 2240	jenny@animalfarmyard.co.za	Botha's Hill
Phezulu Safari Park	031 777 1000 /	info@phezulufaripark.co.za	Botha's Hill
Natal Lion Park	031 777 1205		
Natal Zoo	031 785 4707	N/A	
Crocodile Creek	031 785 4708	N/A	Camperdown
Crocworld Conservation Centre	082 920 0730		Camperdown
	032 940 4444	helo@crocodilecreek.co.za	
Flag Animal Farm	039 976 1103	mroeigues@cbl.co.za	Tongaat
	032 947 2018		Scottburgh
Umgeni River Bird Park	031 579 4600 /	fosgreen@mweb.co.za/ info@flaganimalfarm.co.za	Ballito
	031 579 4601	education@urbp.co.za	Durban North
Centre for the rehabilitation of wildlife	031 462 1127	info@crowkzn.co.za	Yellowwood Park

## ARTS & CRAFTS (Continued)

Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Philani Valley Mall	031 909 0608	centremanager@philanivalleymall.co.za	uMlazi
Bluff Hillside Mall	031 467 7959	info@bluffhillside.com	Bluff
Bluff Towers	031 467 8723	msonny@broll.com	Bluff
Pearls of Umhlanga Mall	031 940 6840	pearlscontrol@gmail.com	Umhlanga
Cornubia Mall	031 001 0160	lbezuidenhout@broll.com	Mount Edgecombe
Phoenix Plaza	031 507 8505	prianka@mseed.co.za	Phoenix

## ARTS & CRAFTS (Continued)

Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Workshop Shopping Centre	031 304 9894	info@theworkshopcentre.co.za	Central
Pavilion	031 275 9800	reception@thepav.co.za	Westville
Musgrave Centre	031 277 8420	ahaffejee@broll.com	Berea
La Lucia Mall	031 562 8420	csheasby@growthpoint.co.za	La Lucia
Gateway Theatre of Shopping	031 514 0500	craig.govindsamy@cwexcellerate.com	Umhlanga
Chatsworth Centre	031 403 5451	sashena@pumalls.co.za	Chatsworth
Seadoone Mall	031 903 2681	bev.seadoonemail@gmail.com	Doonside
Umhlanga Plaza	031 561 1020	ursulag@ccis.co.za	Umhlanga
The Crescent	031 566 2887	pm@thecrescent.co.za	Umhlanga
Oxford Village	031 451 9680	bhavana@oxfordfreshmarket.co.za	Hillcrest
Umlazi Mega City	031 902 8202	zzungu@broll.com	Umlazi
South Way Mall	031 465 9411	admin@southwaymall.co.za	Seaview
Pine Crest	031 701 4164	zkaseka@broll.com	Pinetown
City View Shopping Centre	031 309 6737	peterson@growthpoint.co.za	Greyville
Windermere Centre	031 312 5959	admin@windermere.co.za	Windermere
China Mall	031 332 4338	thewheelcomplex@telkomsa.net	South Beach
Glenwood Village	031 201 0137	glenwoodvillage@3i.co.za	Glenwood
Westville Mall	031 266 0028	shgovender@growthpoint.co.za	Westville
Lillies Quarter	031 765 4037	admin@lilliesquater.co.za	Hillcrest
Hillcrest Corner	031 765 5345	b.wilson@growthpoint.co.za	Hillcrest
Watercrest Mall	031 763 1551	info@watercrestmall.co.za	Waterfall
Christians Village	031 765 8551	christianvillage@pnp.co.za	Hillcrest
Kloof Village	031 764 0314	Kloof@leonet.co.za	Kloof
Westwood Mall	031 279 2160	WestwoodReception@broll.com	Westville
Galleria Arbour Town	031 904 2233	marketing@galleria.co.za	Amanzintoti
Arbour Crossing	031 904 2233	marketing@galleria.co.za	Amanzintoti
Bridge City Shopping Centre	031 530 3190	bridgecity@capland.co.za	KwaMashu
KwaMnyandu Shopping Centre	031 907 0134	reception@kmsc.co.za	uMlazi

ATTRACTIONS			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Moses Mabhida Stadium	031 582 824252/8222	Christleena.marimuthu@durban.gov.za	Durban
Fun World	031 3329776	funpark@iafrica.com	Durban
Durban Ice Arena	031 332 4597	info@durbanicearena.co.za	Durban
Ushaka Marine World	031 328 8000	reception@ushakamarineworld.co.za	Durban
Riksha Rides	031 368 1660 083 826 9669	Nompilo.Ncube@durban.gov.za	Durban
Ricksha Bus	031 322 4209	Mzo.Hlongwa@durban.gov.za	Durban
Durban Botanical Gardens	031 322 4021	receptiondbtg.org.za	Durban
Durban People Mover Bus	031 309 2631	people.mover@hotmail.com	Durban
South African Sugar Terminal Tours	031 365 8126	tourguide@sasa.org.za	Tongaat
Umgeni River Bird Park	031 3225750	ayanda.nsele@sasa.org.za	Umhlanga
Mitchell Park & Mini Zoo	031 303 2275	education@urpb.co.za	Durban
Japanese Gardens	031 311 6975	zama.majola@durban.gov.za mercy.mfela@durban.gov.za	Durban
Sharks Board	031 566 0435 082 403 9206	sithembile@sharksboardkzn.onmicrosoft.com	Durban
Sharks Board Boat Trips	082 403 9206	sithembile@sharksboardkzn.onmicrosoft.com	Durban
Crocodile Creek	032 940 4444 086 271 5426	hello@crocodilecreek.co.za	Tongaat
Wave Park	031-5849400	Enquiries@wavepark.co.za	Umhlanga
Electric avenue	031 566 1897	gatewayfuntions@electricavenue.co.za	Durban
Centre for Rehabilitation of Wildlife	031 462 1127	info@crowkzn.co.za	Durban
Science Centre ( Closed for relocation)	031 408 1012	education@kznsc.org	Durban
Crocworld	039 976 1103	crocworld@cbl.co.za	Scottburgh
Funland	031 903 1068	info@funland.co.za	Amanzimoti
Spash Waterworld	031 904 2273	ragingrapids@yebo.co.za	Durban
Gary's Horseback Rides	084 205 9797	coetzee3@polka.co.za	Amanzimoti
Umgeni Steam Railway	031 303 3003 082 353 6003	bookings@umgenisteamrailway.com	Durban
Highstakes Adventure Venue	031 782 1139	info@highstakes.co.za	Cato Ridge
Blue Horizons Horse Trails	083 269 4945	debbie@bluehorizonsestate.co.za	Drummond
Shongweni Brewery	031 035 0827	donn@shongwenibrewery.com	Kloof
Lion Park / Zoo	031 785 4707 076 844 2818		
Phezulu Safari Park:	031 777 1000/ 1405	info@phezulusafaripark.co.za	Botha's Hill

ATTRACTIONS (Continued)			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
African Birds of Prey Sanctuary	082 925 3023	onair@africanraptor.co.za	
Marianhill Monastery	031 700 4288	Monasteryadmin@ionet.co.za	Marianhill
Makaranga Garden lodge	031 764 6616	info@makaranga.com	Hillcrest
Durban Natural Science Museum	031 311 2256	nsm.frontdesk@durban.gov.za	Durban
Durban Mini Town	031 337 7892	minitown@live.co.za	Durban
Animal Farm Yard	031 765 2240	jenny@animalfarmyard.co.za	Botha's Hill
Giba George Mountain Bike Park	031 769 1527	info@gibagorge.co.za	
Spirit of Adventure	086 133 3919	info@spiritofadventure.co.za	Shongweni
Zulumoon Gondolas		djpwbookings@gondolas.co.za	Durban
Victoria Street Market	031 306 4021	admin@victoriastreetmarket.co.za	Durban
Virginia Airport	031 563 7101	glen@indiza.biz	Durban North
Splash Waterworld	031 904 2273	ragingrapids@yebo.co.za	Amanzimoti
Suncoast Casino	031 328 3000		Durban
Sibaya Casino & Entertainment	031 580 5000	sibaya@za.suninternational.com	North Coast
Gateway Theatre of Shopping	031 514 0549		
Pavilion Shopping Centre	031 265 0558	reception@thepav.co.za	Westville Durban
Be Up Park - Gateway Clubventure	087 057 1400	enquiry@beuppark.co.za	Umhlanga
Flag Animal Farm	032 942 8014	clubventure@mweb.co.za	
The Fun Company - Pavilion	063 018 1518	fosgreen@mweb.co.za	Westville Durban
The Fun Company - Galleria Mall	031 904 5770	galleria@thefuncompany.co.za	Amanzimoti
Brain Storm Escape rooms	061 154 8290	bookings@brainstormescaperooms.co.za	Newlands East
Escape Hunt	031 566 1543	durban@escapehunt.com	Umhlanga
Mindgame Escape	087 238 2524	adventure@mindgames.co.za	Umhlanga
Segway Gliding Tours at Moses Mabhida Stadium	031 303 4534	mms@segwaytourskzn.co.za	Durban
Big Rush Big Swing at Moses Mabhida Stadium	031 312 9435	bookings@bigrush.co.za	Durban

CAR HIRE COMPANIES			
Name	Tel No.	Email	Web
Avis Budget Car Rental			
Reservation	086 102 1111	ortambo@autoit.co.za	www.avis.co.za
Downtown Royal Hotel	031 310 9700	alton.scharneck@avis.co.za	
King Shaka International Airport	032 496 7800	alton.scharneck@avis.co.za	
Pinetown	031 702 5534	william.lieamy@avisbudget.co.za	
Umlhanga	031 561 2143	dafel.varathan@avisbudget.co.za	
Amanzimtoti	031 904 3408	ricky.chellan@avis.co.za	
Bidvest Car Rental			
Reservation	086 101 7722	reservations@bidvestcarrental.co.za	www.bidvestcarrental.co.za
Downtown	031 304 9023	suew@bidvestcarrental.co.za	
King Shaka International Airport	032 436 5500	reservations@bidvestcarrental.co.za	
Umlhanga	031 561 3011	reservations@bidvestcarrental.co.za	
Durban South Branch (Umbongotwini)	031 904 5198 082 522 9935	reservations@bidvestcarrental.co.za	
Woodford Car Hire			
Reservations	031 337 8602	ordinance@woodford.co.za	www.woodford.co.za
King Shaka International Airport	032 436 2786	woodford@woodford.co.za	
Pinetown	031 700 1645	reservations@woodford.co.za	
Downtown	031 337 1645	reservations@woodford.co.za	
Hertz Car Rental			
Central Reservations	0861 600 136	res@hertz.co.za	www.hertz.co.za
King Shaka International Airport	032 436 0300	durban@hertz.co.za	
Hilton Hotel	031 335 2570	rakesh@hertz.co.za	
Umlhanga	031 561 1582	res@hertz.co.za	

CAR HIRE COMPANIES			
Name	Tel No.	Email	Web
First Car Rental			
Pine Street Branch	0861 011 323	ravikaw@cmh.co.za	www.firstcarrental.co.za
Head Office	031 335 8400	cindy@cmh.co.za	
King Shaka International Airport	032 436 0100	firstptdbn@cmh.co.za	
Umlhanga	031 566 7052	firstptdbn@cmh.co.za	
Pinetown	031 702 5575	firstptdbn@cmh.co.za	
Tempest Car Hire			
Central reservation	0861 836 7378		www.tempest.co.za
King Shaka International Airport	032 436 9800	sumaya.barnes@tempestcarhire.co.za	
Dbn Downtown	031 368 5231		
Europe Car Rental			
Central reservation	086 113 1000		www.eurocar.co.za
King Shaka International Airport	032 436 9500	Rene.anderson@eurocar.co.za	
Umlhanga	031 561 4501		
Pinetown	031 701 6138	pinetown@eurocar.co.za	
Downtown	031 337 3731	ddt@eurocar.co.za	
Other			
Rent & Drive	031 332 2803	dave@rentanddrive.co.za	www.rentanddrive.co.za
Easy Car Rental	083 313 0413	mdada86@gmail.com	
Amanzimtoti Car Hire	031 903 9400	service@southcoastmotors.co.za	
Citi Rent	031 561 4600	infor@citirentcarhire.co.za	www.citycarhire.co.za
Dollar Thrifty			
Downtown	031 368 1955		
King Shaka International Airport	032 436 3040		
Pinetown	031 702 5003		



CONSULATES (Continued)			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
China	031 563 4534	chinaconsul_db_z@mf.gov.cn	Durban North
United States of America	031 305 7600	pottierkl@state.gov	Durban
Austria	031 261 6233	ghorcicka@qfg.co.za	Overport
Belgium	031 303 2840	consuldurban@gmail.com	Morningside
Denmark	031 267 8410	consulate@itt.co.za	Westville
France	031 573 1554	fconsdbn@sos.co.za	Durban North
Germany	031 266 3920	durban-visa@hk-diplo.de durban-pass@hk-diplo.de	Glenashley
Hungary	031 251 4000	laszlo@rebinc.co.za	Westville
Korea	031 539 2234	rorym@eastcoast.co.za	Mount Edgecombe
Consulate of Madagascar	031 564 4927	info@madagascarconsul.com	Durban North
Consulate of Mozambique	031 303 7130	mozamcon@mweb.co.za	Durban
Consulate of the Netherlands	031 267 8410	consulates@itt.co.za	Westville
Consulate of Norway	031 267 8410	consulates@itt.co.za	Westville
Consulate of Poland	031 266 9792	reception@wozani.co.za	Central
India	031 332 7008/031 335 0000	officeofcg@cgidbn.com	Morningside
Lesotho	031 307 2168	lesothodurban@telkomsa.net	Durban

CULTURAL ATTRACTIONS			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
PheZulu Safari Park	031 777 1000	www.phezulusafaripark.co.za	Botha's Hill
Emanuel Catholic Cathedral	031 306 3595	www.emanuelcathedral.org.za	Central
Temple of Understanding	031 403 3328	iskson.kzn@pambo.net	Chatsworth
Durban Art Deco Society	031 301 1951	www.durbandeco.org.za	Central
Isithumba Cultural Village	031 322 6027 073 088 9874	www.durbangreencorridor.co.za	Durban
Juma Majid Mosque	031 304 1518 031 306 0026	www.ipci.co.za	Central
Woza eNanda	031 322 2856/7	www.durbanexperience.co.za	Inanda
Walk About Tour	031 322 4164		Inanda
Riksha Rides	031 368 1660 / 083 626 9669		Durban
Victoria Street Market	031 306 4021	admin@victoriastreetmarket.co.za	Central
Mariannahill Monastery	031 700 4288	www.marianhillmonastery.org.za	Mariannahill

FACTORY SHOPS		
Name	Tel No.	Location
BEAR Factory Shop	031 465 7993	Sarnia Road
Mohamedys Mayfair Discount City	031 462 2214	Mobeni
Golden Hours Family Market	083 262 3693	Durban North
Megalinen Factory Shop	031 461 4442	Durban
Live Home Linen Factory Shop	073 107 0266	Durban
It's Africa	031 701 0400	New Germany
1st Factory Shop	031 705 3844/5	New Germany
House of Classics	084 504 2626	New Germany
Playtex Factory Shop	031 303 7905	Umgeni Road
Playtex Factory Shop	031 468 5281	Jacobs
Just Plastic	031 263 1906	Springfield
Marine Salvage Warehouse	031 207 3378	Overport
Al Jays	031 309 5089	Umbilo
Grab-A-Bargain	031 312 0490	Durban
Lizzard	031 374 8400	Durban
Ripcurl Clearance Store	031 312 1729	Durban
Levi's Factory Outlet	031 263 0429	Springfield
Lucky Break	031 313 1421	Durban
Face Value Cosmetics	084 855 4044	Durban
Bluedot Footwear Planet	031 312 6920	Durban
J.A.M	031 306 9370/201 5411	Durban
Dungeon Factory Shop	031 203 5639	Mayville
Continental Crockery	031 207 5166/207 5165	Mayville
Bull Clothing	031 312 7716	Durban
Ninian & Lester Factory Shop	031 303 1422	Durban

FACTORY SHOPS		
Name	Tel No.	Location
Grab A Garb	031 337 5014	Durban
Charles WackWay	031 202 1840	Glenwood
Osmans Wholesalers	031 368 6777	53 Hospital Road
Kingsmead Shoes	031 263 0010	Springfield
Kingsmead Shoes	031 304 8915/087 150 9062	Durban

FOREIGN EXCHANGE			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
American Express Musgrave	031 202 8733	fx_musgrave@amex.co.za	Berea
American Express Umhlanga Gateway	031 566 2620/ 1412	fx_umhlanga@amex.co.za	Umhlanga
American Express Pavilion	031 265 1455/6	fx_pavillion@amex.co.za	Westville
Rennies	031 305 5722	esholan.naidoo@bidvestbank.co.za	Central Mutual Mall
FNB Durban	031 337 9464	nndlamini@fnd.co.za	Central Durban
Travellex the Workshop	031 368 7984	theworkshop@fxafrica.com	The Workshop
Travellex Pavilion	031 265 8556	pavilion@fxafrica.com	Westville Pavilion
Travellex Musgrave	031 201 8083	www.travellexretail.co.za	Musgrave Berea
Travellex La Lucia	031 562 5233	lalucia@fxafrica.com	La Lucia

FOREIGN EXCHANGE (Continued)			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Traveler Galleria	031 904 5233	galleria@fxafrica.com	Amanzimtoti
Bidvest Galleria	031 904 5000	bbamanzimtoti@bidvestbank.co.za	Amanzimtoti
Bidvest Umhlanga Ridge (Corporate Hub)	031 566 5500	bbkzncorporate@bidvestbank.co.za	Umhlanga
Bidvest Watercrest	031 763 1381	bbwatercrest@bidvestbank.co.za	Watercrest
Bidvest Musgrave	031 202 7833	bbmusgrave@bidvestbank.co.za	Musgrave Berea
Bidvest Pavilion	031 265 0751	bbpaviliononcorporateoderde@bidvestbank.co.za	Pavilion
Bidvest Central Durban	031 305 5722	bbmutualmall@bidvestbank.co.za	Durban Central
1st Zulu Safaris	031 337 3103	info@1stzulusafaris.co.za	uShaka Marine
Traveler Musgrave	031 202 8733	fx_musgrave@travelex.co.za	Berea (Musgrave Centre)
Traveler Gateway	031 566 2620/1412	fx_umhlanga@travelex.co.za	
Traveler Ballito	087 405 0407	fx_ballito@travelex.co.za	Ballito Junction Mall
Traveler Pavilion	031 265 1455/6	fx_pavillion@travelex.co.za	Pavilion Shopping Centre
Rennies (Bidvest Bank)	031 305 5722	bbdurbancentral@bidvestbank.co.za	
Fnb Durban	087 575 9404	info@fnb.co.za	
Traveler the Workshop	031 301 0352	fx_workshop@travelex.co.za	
Traveler La Lucia	031 562 8600	fx_lalucia@travelex.co.za	

GOLF COURSES			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Royal Durban Golf Club	031 309 1373	rdgc@global.co.za	Greyville
Durban Country Club	031 313 1777	golfopsmanager@durbancountryclub.co.za	Beach
Durban Country Club Beachwood	031 313 1777 031 564 4257	golfopsmanager@durbancountryclub.co.za	Durban North

GOLF COURSES (Continued)			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Windsor Park Golf Course	031 312 2245	papwagolf@telkomsa.net	Umgeni
Papwa Sewgolum Golf Course	031 262 7130	thedurbangolfclub@telkomsa.net	Reservoir Hills
Bluff National Park Golf Course	031 467 7448	bluffgc@jafica.com	Bluff
Mount Edgcombe Country Club	031 539 5330		Mt Edgcombe
Maidstone Country Club	032 945 0419	mcc@maidstone.co.za	Sugar Coast
Kloof Country Club	031 764 0555	golf@kloofcc.co.za	Kloof
Camelot Golf Estate	031 765 8347	camelotgolf@telkomsa.net	Hillcrest
Amanzimtoti Country Club	031 902 1166	totigolfclub@icon.co.za	Amanzimtoti
Amanzimtoti Country Club Bookings-David	031 902 1166 031 902 4144	totigolf@icon.co.za	

MARKETS			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Victoria Street Market	031 306 4021	admin@victoriastreetmarket.co.za	Central
Essenwood Craft Market	081 370 7577 073 625 6722	info@essenwoodmarket.com	Berea
Amphimarket	031 301 3200 083 218 7302	amphi@telekoms.net	North Beach
Car Boot Market	031 209 4751 083 261 1736	etiquette@intekom.co.za	Greyville
Shongweni Farmers & Craft Market	083 777 1674	info@shongwenimarket.co.za	Shongweni
Umkomaas Flea Market	071 354 3231		Umkomaas
Church Walk Market	031 322 9666	cynthia.dlamini@durban.gov.za	Central
Umhlanga Farmers Market	074 445 6186	underwood@telkomsa.net	Umhlanga
Stables Lifestyle Market	031 312 3058	info@stableslifestylemarket.co.za	Morningside
I Heart Market		info_iheartmkt.com	Durban
Golden Hours Family Market	083 262 3693/ 031 564 2350	lyn.wilson.ad@gmail.com	Durban North
Wonder Market		wondermarketdurban@gmail.com	Umhlanga



MUSEUMS			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Old Court House Museum	031 311 1226/2229	rebecca.naidoo@durban.gov.za	Durban
Bergtheil Local History Museum	031 266 0271/2954	mohau.qalaza@durban.gov.za	Westville
Cato Manor Heritage Centre	031 261 3216	mohau.qalaza@durban.gov.za	Cato Manor
KwaMuhle Museum	031 311 2237	thevan.harry@durban.gov.za	Durban
Old House Museum	031 311 2261	mohau.qalaza@durban.gov.za	Durban
Pinetown Museum	031 311 6343	anthee.ramlucken@durban.gov.za	Pinetown
Port Natal Maritime Museum	031 322 9598	sipho.majola@durban.gov.za	Durban
Phansi Museum	031 206 2889	admin@phansi.com	Durban
The Durban Natural Science Museum	031 311 2256	nsm.frontdesk@durban.gov.za	Durban
Ammazulu Africa Palace Museum	031 764 8000	info@ammazulupalace.com	Kloof
Durban Holocaust Centre	031 3686833	dbnholocaust@djc.co.za	Durban
Inanda Seminary	031 510 1011	Thulilec@inanda.org	Inanda
Jl Dube Interpretation Centre	031 322 2857	Mandla.Nxumalo@durban.gov.za	Inanda
Warriors Gate Moth Shrine & Museum	031 307 3337	mothoffice@worldonline	Durban
Natural Science Museum & Research Centre	031 322 4212 031 260 1720/ 031 207 3432	Theshnie.Naidoo@durban.gov.za	Durban
The Killie Campbell Africana Library		campbellcollections@ukzn.ac.za	Durban

NIGHTLIFE		
Name	Tel No.	Location
jazz clubs		
Please note that the dress code for all jazz clubs is smart-casual.		
Big Easy	031 336 8166	Durban
Centre for Jazz	031 260 3385	Pinetown
The Rainbow	031 702 9161	Pinetown
The Chairman	031 368 2133	Durban point
The Joint	031 332 0805	Durban
Zacks	031 312 0755	Windemere
Bat Centre - LIVE MUSIC	031 332 0451	Durban

NIGHTLIFE (Continued)		
Name	Tel No.	Location
Night Clubs		
Cubana Lounge Durban	031 303 2076 031 303 4383	Morningside
Club Tilt	031 306 9356	Durban
Cuba Lounge	031 584 6444	Umhlanga
Cuba Lounge	031 303 6364	Durban
Plush Ultra Lounge	031-2632578	Springfield
Origin	031 201 9959	Durban
033 Lifestyle - Pubs & Bar	031 777 1054	Bothas Hill
Cool Runnings - Reggae	031 368 5604	Durban
Lingela - Pubs & Bar	031 362 1300	Durban
Joe Cool's - Pubs & Bar	0313320977	Durban
Exchange Bar - Pubs & Bar	031 333 6000	Durban
Egagasini - Pubs & Bar	031 337 6651	Durban
Rocca Bar - Pubs & Bar	031 303 2076 031 303 4383	Durban
Unity Brasserie - Pubs & Bar	0312013470	Durban
Tiger Tiger - Night Club	0313039712	Morningside

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE		
Name	Tel No.	Location/Email/Web
Horse Rides		
Horse Back Beach Adventures	084 467 0752 081 477 9438	horsebackbeachadventures@gmail.com www.horsebeachrides.co.za horsebeachrides@gmail.com Area: Durban South
Blue Horizons Horse Trails	083 269 4945	debbie@bluehorizonsestate.co.za www.bluehorizonsestate.co.za Area: Drummond
Gary's Horseback Rides	084 205 9797	coetzee3@polka.co.za Area: Amanzimtoti

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE (Continued)		
Name	Tel No.	Location/Email/Web
Helicopter Rides		
JNC Helicopters (Virginia Airport)	031 563 9513	flightops@choppers.co.za www.jncheli.co.za Area: Virginia Airport, Durban North
BAC Aviations	031 569 1531 031 569 1248	info@bacheli.com www.bachelicopters.com
Virginia Airflip	031 563 7101	glen@indiza.biz
Sheltam	031 563 8361	susanr@sheltam.com
Parachuting & Paragliding		
Sky Adventures (Cato Ridge Airfield)	073 334 7911	robyn@skyadventures.co.za www.skyadventures.co.za Area: Cato Ridge
Sky Dive Durban	072 214 6040	vernon@skydivedurban.co.za Area: Eston – opposite Ithala Game Reserve
Rock Climbing		
Wavehouse	031 584 9400	Gateway Theatre of Shopping
Cycling and Mountain Biking		
Giba Gorge Mountain Biking Park	0794514898 031 769 1419	info@gibagorge.co.za/www.gibagorge.co.za www.gibagorge.co.za Area: Westmead
Bike Cyclesphere	031 312 2559 082 773 6870	greg@cyclesphere.co.za www.cyclesphere.co.za Area: Morningside, Durban
Fishing Charters/Dolphin & Whale Watching		
eNanda adventures	031 322 6026/7 0714153219	reservations@durbangreencorridor.co.za

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE (Continued)		
Name	Tel No.	Location/Email/Web
Isle of Capri cruises	0313053099 0828514787	
Ocean2 air - KITE SURFING	031 562 8886 082 880 1888	
Swissroll Charters	031 467 2185 082 451 6567	swissroll@absamail.co.za www.swissroll.co.za Area: Brighton Beach
TVG - TEAM BUILDING	0317012845/54086	info@tvg.co.za
Lynski Charters	0725941910	tom@lynski.com www.lynski.com Area: Mount Edgecombe
Other Activities		
Wave Park Gateway - WATERPARK	031 584 9400	kim@wavepark.co.za
Go bananaz - KIDDIES PARK	084 565 2116	bookings@gobananaz.co.za
Aliwal shoal scuba Diving	082 8004668	info@aliwalshoalscubadiving.com
Big Rush Big Swing	031 312 9281	bookings@bigrush.co.za www.bigrush.co.za Area: Moses Mabhida Stadium
Umgeni Steam Railway	082 353 6003	www.umgenisteamrailway.com bookings@umgenisteamrailway.com Area: Inchanga
Oribi Gorge (Wild 5)	039 687 0253 082 566 7424	info@wild5adventure.co.za www.oribigorge.co.za Area: South Coast
Moses Mabhida Sky Car	031 582 8222	reception@mmsdurban.co.za www.mmstadium.co.za Area: Durban Central
Spirit of Adventure	0861 333 919 082 736 3651	info@spiritofadventure.co.za www.spiritofadventure.co.za Area: Shongweni

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE (Continued)		
Name	Tel No.	Location/Email/Web
High Stakes Venue - Paintball	031 782 1139	info@highstakes.co.za
Electric Avenue	031 566 1897 031 566 5668	electric@avenue.co.za www.electric@avenue.co.za Area: Umhlanga, Gateway
Fun World	031 332 9776 031 5643425	funpark@jafrika.com Area: Durban Beachfront
Gateway Skatepark	031 584 9400	kim.perry@wavehouse.co.za Area: Umhlanga, Gateway
KZN Sharks Board	031 566 0400	nonhlanhla@shark.co.za www.kznsharkboard.co.za Area: Umhlanga
Mini Town	031 337 7892	minitown@live.co.za Area: North Beach, Durban
Durban Ice Arena	031 332 4597	info@durbanicearena.co.za www.durbanicearena.co.za Area: North Beach, Durban
Ricksha Bus City Tour	031 332 4209 031 322 4204	mzo.hlongwa@durban.gov.za www.durbanexperience.co.za Area: North Beach, Durban
Water World	031 904 2273/ 031 903 3034	elsie-rr@yebo.co.za www.splawaterworld@yebo.co.za Area: Amanzimtoti
Sugar Terminal	031 365 8100	Area: Durban
Ten Pin Bowling	031 566 5668	gatewayfunctions@electric-avenue.co.za
Phezulu Safari Park - Reptile Park	031 777 1000	info@phezulusafaripark.co.za

SHOPPING CENTRES			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Workshop Shopping Centre	031 304 9894	info@theworkshopcentre.co.za	Central
Pavilion	031 275 9800	reception@thepav.co.za	Westville

SHOPPING CENTRES (Continued)			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Musgrave Centre	031 277 8420	ahaffejee@broll.com	Berea
La Lucia Mall	031 562 8420	csheasby@growthpoint.co.za	La Lucia
Gateway Theatre of Shopping	031 514 0500	craig.govindsamy@cwxcellerate.com	Umhlanga
Chatsworth Centre	031 403 5451	sashena@pumalls.co.za	Chatsworth
Seadoone Mall	031 903 2681	bev.seadoonemail@gmail.com	Doonside
Umhlanga Plaza	031 561 1020	ursulag@ccis.co.za	Umhlanga
The Crescent	031 566 2887	pm@thecrescent.co.za	Umhlanga
Oxford Village	031 451 9680	bhavana@oxfordfreshmarket.co.za	Hillcrest
Umlazi Mega City	031 902 8202	zzungu@broll.com	Umlazi
South Way Mall	031 465 9411	admin@southwaymall.co.za	Seaview
Pine Crest	031 701 4164	zkaseka@broll.com	Pinetown
City View Shopping Centre	031 309 6737	peterson@growthpoint.co.za	Greyville
Windermere Centre	031 312 5959	admin@windermere.co.za	Windermere
China Mall	031 332 4338	thewheelcomplex@telkomsa.net	South Beach
Glenwood Village	031 201 0137	glenwoodvillage@3i.co.za	Glenwood
Westville Mall	031 266 0028	shgovender@growthpoint.co.za	Westville
Lillies Quarter	031 765 4037	admin@lilliesquater.co.za	Hillcrest
Hillcrest Corner	031 765 5345	b.wilson@growthpoint.co.za	Hillcrest
Watercrest Mall	031 763 1551	info@watercrestmall.co.za	Waterfall
Christians Village	031 765 8551	christianvillage@pnp.co.za	Hillcrest
Kloof Village	031 764 0314	Kloof@leonet.co.za	Kloof
Westwood Mall	031 279 2160	WestwoodReception@broll.com	Westville
Galleria Arbour Town	031 904 2233	marketing@galleria.co.za	Amanzimtoti
Arbour Crossing	031 904 2233	marketing@galleria.co.za	Amanzimtoti
Bridge City Shopping Centre	031 530 3190	bridgecity@capland.co.za	KwaMashu
KwaMnyandu Shopping Centre	031 907 0134	reception@kmsc.co.za	uMlazi
Philani Valley Mall	031 909 0608	centremanager@philanivalleymall.co.za	uMlazi



SHOPPING CENTRES (Continued)			
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Bluff Hillside Mall	031 467 7959	info@bluffhillside.com	Bluff
Bluff Towers	031 467 8723	msonny@broll.com	Bluff
Pearls of Umhlanga Mall	031 940 6840	pearlscntroll@gmail.com	Umhlanga
Cornubia Mall	031 001 0160	lbezuidenhout@broll.com	Mount Edgecombe
Phoenix Plaza	031 507 8505	prianka@mseed.co.za	Phoenix

TAXIS			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
U-Cabs (Umhlanga Cabs)	031 561 1846/7 082 254 1577	info@ucabs.co.za	Umhlanga
Umhlanga Express	082 268 0651 082 555 5324	mazwishozi9@gmail.com	Umhlanga
Mozzie Cabs	086 066 9943	brad@mozzie.co.za	Umngeni
Eagle Taxi's	031 337 8333/ 0800 330 336	touring@eagleafrica.co.za	Durban
Zippy Cabs	031 202 7067	mandy@zippycabs.co.za	Durban
Lighthouse Cabs	083 440 8650	lighthousecabs@telkomsa.net	Verulam
Checker Radio Taxis	031 465 5573	coastals@mweb.co.za	Clairwood
Shashi's Taxi	031 303 1356	sssb@telkomsa.net www.shashilimosine.co.za	Newlands West
Pro-Cabs	031 468 9643	procaps@telkomsa.net	Jacobs
Asiphepheni Taxi and Tours	084 252 1618		

THEATRE, SUPPER THEATRES & ENTERTAINMENT			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Live Music			
Bat Centre	031 332 0451	publicity@batcentre.co.za	Small Craft Harbour
Coco's	031 561 2323	mandy.naidoo@tsogosun.com	Umhlanga Rocks

THEATRE, SUPPER THEATRES & ENTERTAINMENT (Continued)			
Name	Tel No.	Email/Web	Location
Live Music			
Ku D' TaFusion Grill & Lounge	031 301 1650	info@kudta.co.za	Wilson's Wharf
The Joint Jazz Café	031 332 0805	info@thejoint.co.za	South Beach
Zacks	031 305 1671	zacksww@telkomsa.net	Wilson's Wharf
Theatres			
Bat Centre	031 332 0451	publicity@batcentre.co.za	Small Craft Harbour
Centre For Jazz	031 260 3385	zamat1@ukzn.ac.za	Glenwood
Elizabeth Sneddon Theatre	031 260 2296	Sneddontheatre@ukzn.ac.za	Glenwood
Izulu Theatre	031 580 5000	sibayainfo@suninternational.com	Sibaya Casino
Rhumbelow Theatre	082 499 8636	roland@stansell.za.net	Umbilo
Seabrooke's Theatre	031 277 1500	seabrooke's@durbanhighschool.co.za	Morningside
Stables Theatre	031 322 7789	thato.oliphant@durban.gov.za	Durban Central
The Natal Playhouse	031 369 9555	commscord@playhousecompany.com	Durban Central
Rockwood Theatre	031 010 6444	sibaya@rockwoodtheatre.co.za	
The Barnyard Theatre	031 940 0500	jess@barnyardtheatre.co.za	

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Dankiza Tours	076 031 3439	dankinzatours@gmail.com
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SBRM	073 189 5616	brbhengu@gamil.com
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Zulwini Tours	031 267 1619	mike@zulwininitours.co.za
Travel Tours and Safaris	082 868 1158	virash0@telkomsa.net
Khaya Nxumalo	072 267 4281	
Co-Efficient shuttle Services	792 766 934	musa.dube2009@gmail.com
Detour Travel	082 922 3055	mathew@detourtravel.co.za
Jikeleza Tours	082 350 0792	info@jikelatours.co.za
Sizwe Nyoka	078 214 6952	asiwulali.te@gmail.com
Sipho Cele	073 258 0783	
Bantu S Tour Guide	074 292 0302	banthubathi2006@yahoo.com
Wisdom Travel and Tours	082 476 0726	thoko@wisdomtours.co.za
Kimhuri Tours	072 476 5817	infor@kimhuri.com
Nozipho Khuzwayo	082 259 2322	Nozipho@gmail.com

TOUR OPERATORS (Continued)		
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1st Zulu Safaris	031 337 3103/ 082 776 6771	info@zulusafaris.com
A To Z Travellers	062 117 9664	bonganinyawose@gmail.com
Adrenaline Junkies	073 860 1409/ 078 953 5659	tmanm@saymail.co.za
African Whydah Tours	072 186 4651/ 073 051 7915	africanwhydahatours@gmail.com
African Wild Travel	031 829 3029/ 072 239 9995	xolani@africanwildtravel.co.za
Amamboma Tours and Travel	031 461 5732	mandla@amamboma.co.za
Avocatur CC	031 202 0370	mahomed@avocatravels.co.za
Away Corporate & Leisure Travel Agency	031 301 0774	info@awaycorp.co.za
Bonana Tours	083 324 6860	tezz@bonana.co.za
Bthebelel Tours	073 549 1111	motsamai@yahoo.com
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Cnqobele Travel and Tours	032 944 1475	robertmzobe@gmail.com
Co-efficient Shuttle Services	084 556 9864	musa.dube2009@gmail.com
Compasline Africa	083 633 0217	alison@compaslineafrica.co.za
Country & Coastal Touring	031 762 3374/ 074 995 6669	info@cctouring.co.za
Cybele Eco Tours	060 403 4275	cybeletours@gmail.com
Dankiza Tours	031 572 7305/ 076 031 3439	dankizalours@gmail.com
Detour Travel	082 922 3055	mathew@detourtravel.co.za
Durban Fever Travel&Tours	078 306 7549	londeka@durbanfever.co.za
Eulophia Tours	031 386 6104	info@eulophia.com
Foresure Travel Services	072 1517839	spremand@oldmutual.com
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Hylton Ross	031 275 3546	sumeshnee@hyltonross.co.za
Impilo Enhle Travel and Tours	062 580 1048	mpilohmathebula@gmail.com
Infynt Tours	078 262 1327 078 386 4389	infynt@gmail.com
Integrity shuttles	076 051 6272	bhekok@gmail.com
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Kude Travel & Tours	031 301 7760/ 083 363 9774	info@kudetours.co.za
Kuhle Tours	031 332 0768/ 081 513 8397	info@kuhletours.co.za
Kunene Travel & Tours	076 300 3422	kunenetours@gmail.com
KZN Museum Tours	031 208 7134	gogayusuf1@gmail.com
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Rose of Sharon Tours & Transfers	031 312 7332	rososharoncabs78@gmail.com
Ruby Travel Solution	076 813 9204	info@rubytravel.co.za
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Shuttle Worth Tours and Transfers	084 877 7081	shuttleworthtransfers@gmail.com
Sooreyan Travel	083 284 4951	sooreyantravel@telkomsa.net
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Trim Shuttles and Tours	078 440 2460	trimstours@gmail.com
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Shaka Tours & Safaris cc	031 368 6588	denise@shakatours.com
Uxolo Bush & Battlefield Tours	031 207 2728	bryan@uxolobushbattlefieldtours.co.za
VIP Journey	083 717 2220	info@vipjourney.co.za
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Vuka Africa Tours & Touring	078 336 5094	info@vukafricatours.com
Wild Routes Africa	066 488 1161	bookings@wildroutes.org
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World Wide Mice Pty Ltd	031 825 4892	ngubane@worldwidemice.co.za
Zaca Enterprises	083 367 2551	zacaenterprises@gmail.com
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