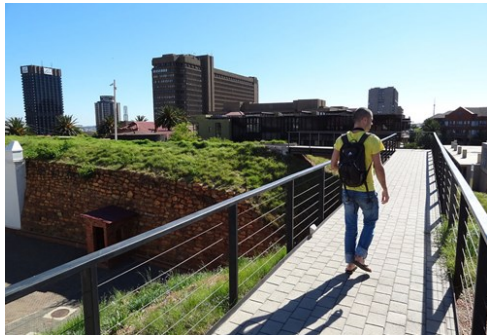


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Vibrant, ever-changing, fabulously wealthy, desperately poor, vast, multi-faceted Johannesburg flings contrasts at you from every angle. Trees line streets where houses hide their manicured gardens and pristine blue swimming pools behind high white walls, miles of shacks tell of the effects of the apartheid years – still to be overcome. The air of Africa’s most dynamic city vibrates with music and buzzes with business while its stylish restaurants, elegant shops, art galleries and theatres delight the international visitor.



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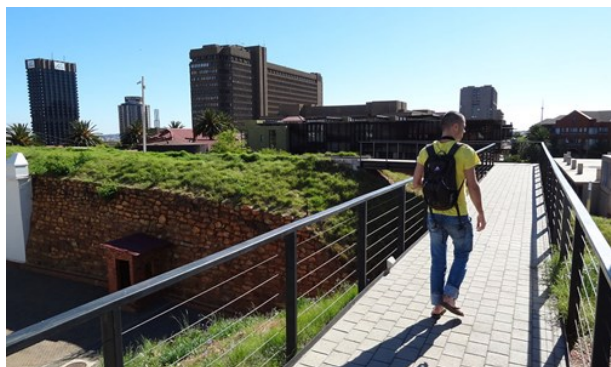
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## THE CITY



Cosmopolitan Johannesburg (also known as Jo'burg or Jozi) sprawls for miles, sprouting upper-income suburbs like satellite towns - one of them, sophisticated Sandton, is the business and economic capital of South Africa. Soweto, home to most of Johannesburg's black population, lies to the southwest, a 20 square km conglomeration of townships with homes that range from millionaire mansions and neat middle-income housing to the tin shacks of squatter camps.

The city built on gold has seen its landmark yellow mine dumps recycled and replaced by skysrise buildings and glitzy shopping malls, and its recent apartheid history remembered in superb new museums. Soaring chrome and glass buildings, housing opulent international hotels and corporate giants, pepper the leafy streets of a string of exclusive northern suburbs - among them, rich Rosebank, elite Sandhurst, bohemian Melrose Village and foody Greenside. Across a canopy of green, the horizon is spiked by the outline of downtown Johannesburg, slowly stirring from its no-go dilapidation. Six-lane highways and swirling freeways indicate the importance of the car.

## DO & SEE



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The history of Constitution Hill dates back to 1892, at first a prison, then turned into military defence post, during the South African War. These buildings were known as "the Fort" and through the years it has incarcerated famous people like for example Indian Mahatma Gandhi.

In 1964 the Fort was declared a National Monument, and in the late 90's it was chosen the new Constitutional Court.

Address: 1 Kotze Street, Braamfontein, Johannesburg

Phone: +27 11 381 3100

Internet: [www.constitutionhill.org.za](http://www.constitutionhill.org.za)

### **Museum Africa**

From rock art to the struggle against apartheid, Africa's history is well presented in this journey through the creation of the first civilizations and places like Kemet (Egypt), Punt (Somalia), Kush (Sudan) and Nubia (southern Egypt).

Address: 121 Bree Street, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 833 5624  
Internet: [www.museumafrica.org](http://www.museumafrica.org)

### **Apartheid Museum**

Apartheid Museum, visually stunning multi-media displays and personal accounts reveal the reality of South Africa's recent history. Powerful and unforgettable.

"To be free is not merely to cast off one's chains but to live in a way that respects and enhances the freedom of others"

- Nelson Mandela, June 1999

Address: Gold Reef Road, Ormonde, Johannesburg  
Opening hours: Tuesday to Sunday from 09.00 to 17.00  
Phone: +27 11 309 4700  
Internet: [www.apartheidmuseum.org](http://www.apartheidmuseum.org)

### **Soweto**

A guided tour of the townships is a must. Major sights include Vilakasi Street, where the Mandelas once lived (their little house is a museum). Arch bishop Tutu has a home, the Hector Pieterse Museum, dedicated to the 1976 student uprisings, and Regina Mundi church, which also bears its resistance scars. Eat at Sakhumzi's, the Italian-style Nambitha, or trendy Wandie's Place. An overnight stay in one of the excellent B&Bs could prove the highlight of your trip.

Address: 124 Main Street, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 639 1600 (Tourist Office)  
Internet: [www.gauteng.net](http://www.gauteng.net)

### **Market Theatre Complex**

The cultural heartbeat of the city in the revitalised Newtown area downtown. The mission of the Market Theatre Foundation is to provide an authentic South African cultural experience.

In 1995 the theatre was given the American Jujamcyn Award, an acknowledgement of their fight against apartheid, showing how powerful true courage and conviction can be.

Address: 56 Margaret Mcingana Street, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 832 1641  
Internet: [www.markettheatre.co.za](http://www.markettheatre.co.za)

### **Gold Reef City**

Gold Reef City is a theme park with casino, rides and giant rollercoaster, on a former gold mine. Museums, craft and curio shops are housed in replica buildings of the 1890 gold rush days, tours go deep into the tunnels around the Number 14 shaft. See traditional miners' gumboot dancing in the theatre.

Address: Cnr Northern Parkway & Data Crescent, Ormonde, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 248 6800  
Internet: [www.goldreefcity.co.za](http://www.goldreefcity.co.za)

### **Goodman Gallery**

Goodman Gallery displays works by contemporary South African artists as well as artists from the greater African Continent. Linda Goodman was the one who started the gallery in 1966 and supported artists despite the ongoing apartheid.

Address: 163 Jan Smuts Avenue, Parkwood, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 788 1113  
Internet: [www.goodman-gallery.com](http://www.goodman-gallery.com)

### **Origins Centre**

This beautiful and interesting centre tells the story about the human beings and humanity in South Africa. Here you will find interesting exhibitions about specific historic events on display. Make sure not to miss the Origins Centre.



Address: Cnr Yale & Enoch Sontonga, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 717 4700  
Internet: [www.origins.org.za](http://www.origins.org.za)  
More Info: Wits University

### **Bush Babies Monkey Sanctuary**

Bush Babies Monkey Sanctuary is a lovely place which provides shelter for animals that have been abandoned or abused. Come here and experience their lives in a natural environment which also includes an elephant sanctuary.

Address: R104, Hartbeespoort, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 12 258 9908  
Internet: [www.monkeysanctuary.co.za](http://www.monkeysanctuary.co.za)

### **FNB Stadium**

The stadium caters to both sport events and social events such as different concerts. Whatever you decide to do, you will not get disappointed of this great venue. Have a look at their webpage for more information on what is on while you are visiting.

Address: Nasrec, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 247 5300  
Internet: [www.stadiummanagement.co.za](http://www.stadiummanagement.co.za)

### **Lion Park**

The Lion Park is a sanctuary for different animals, such as the White Lion and the Cheetah, and it is important that it should not be mistaken for a game park or a zoo. The park welcomes visitors, both locals and tourists, to learn about these amazing animals and see them up close.

Address: Nietgedacht 535-Jq, Johannesburg  
Opening hours: Open every day of the year, 08.30 - 21.00.  
Phone: +27 87 150 0100 / + 27 11 691 9905 -11  
Internet: [www.lion-park.com](http://www.lion-park.com)

### **Sci-Bono Discovery Centre**

Sci-Bono Discovery Centre is a fun-thrilled centre for both adults and children. Have a look

at the many cool exhibitions on display or see a Science show while you are here. Either way, you cannot go wrong visiting this place; it is an appreciative experience for all visitors.

Address: Corner of Miriam Makeba & President Street, Johannesburg  
Opening hours: Monday-Friday 09.00-17.00,  
Saturday&Sunday 09.30-16.30  
Phone: +27 11 639 8400  
Internet: [www.sci-bono.co.za](http://www.sci-bono.co.za)

### **Botanical Gardens and Emmarentia Dam**

Get away from the bustling city and take a relaxing walk in this tranquil environment. Enjoy different areas in the botanical gardens or feed the ducks by the dam.

Address: Waterval 211-Iq, Randburg, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 782 7064

### **Johannesburg Zoo**

This is one of the most popular attractions in Johannesburg for both locals and tourists. The zoo has over 320 species of animals and amongst these you will find the endangered White Rhino and the Wattled Crane. Enjoy a cooling drink while watching the chimpanzees from the cafe.

Address: Jan Smuts Avenue, Parkview, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 646 2000  
Internet: [www.jhbzoo.org.za](http://www.jhbzoo.org.za)

### **Wondercave**

Wondercave is the third biggest cave in South Africa. After taking the 90 steps down under you step into an elevator to be lowered another 60 meters under ground. See many fossils, rimestone pools, cave pearls and much more. This is an amazing sight.

Address: Lion and Rhino park, Johannesburg

## DINING



In this cosmopolitan city of myriad cuisines you'll find traditional Greek, Italian, Portuguese, Indian and Chinese through to authentic Thai and Argentinean. South Africans are great meat eaters, so steak houses flourish. Greenside is packed with smart restaurants, but all the northern suburbs have their stars. Melville, Parktown North, Melrose Arch and trendy Parkhurst are particularly good locations.

### **La Belle Terrasse and The Loggia**

La Belle Terrasse offers fantastic views - including elephants in the zoo below - opulent colonial decor and terrific food. They're famed for their Sunday brunch.

Address: 67 Jan Smuts Avenue, Westcliff, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 481 6000  
Internet: [www.westcliff.co.za](http://www.westcliff.co.za)

### **Le Canard**

Award winning Le Canard is elegant and romantic with flower-filled courtyards and timeless dishes served with style. Le Canard has been around since the late 80's and has improved over the years into a restaurant striving for nothing less than excellence.

Address: 163 Rivonia Road, Morningside, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 884 4597

### **Carnivore**

Ravenous meat eaters sit around a big open fire

and tuck into wild game - eland, zebra, springbok, kudu and crocodile - carved off Masai spears. The Carnivore in Johannesburg is a franchise of the equally famous counter part in Nairobi, and it has received awards such as Best Restaurant to Take Tourists To and Best Traditional Restaurant.

Even if you're not a carnivore, you can still come here and dine fish and veggie dishes, and either way have your dinner accompanied by fine wine.

Address: 69 Drift Boulevard, Muldersdrift Estate, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 950 6000  
Internet: [www.carnivore.co.za](http://www.carnivore.co.za)

### **Moyo Melrose Arch**

"Moyo is the realisation of one man's passion for all things African - from art and design to music, cuisine and crafts."

Moyo was started in Johannesburg, and today there are no less than seven establishments under that very name. All of them serve urban African cuisine in a soulful environment.

Address: 5 Melrose Square, Melrose Arch, Melrose, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 684 1477  
Internet: [www.moyo.co.za](http://www.moyo.co.za)

### **The Butcher Shop & Grill**

The Butcher Shop & Grill boasts some of the best steaks in town - game, ostrich, pork, lamb and beef. The atmosphere is laid back and inviting and booking is absolutely essential if you want a table.

Address: Nelson Mandela Square, Sandton, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 784 8676  
Internet: [www.thebutchershop.co.za](http://www.thebutchershop.co.za)

### **Sakhumzi Restaurant**

Sakhumzi Restaurant has traditional African food served by trestle tables on the grass. The restaurant is located in a historic area, where Nelson Mandela once had his original home.

Address: 6980 Vilakazi Street, Soweto, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 536 1379  
Internet: [www.sakhumzi.co.za](http://www.sakhumzi.co.za)

### **Cube Tasting Kitchen**

Cube Tasting Kitchen invites you to a true dining experience. It is clear that the chef loves food and even more, really enjoy inviting guests on the food. The menu is Eclectic, innovative and this is a meal which you will remember.

Address: 17 4th Avenue, Park Town North, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 82 422 8158  
Internet: [www.cubekitchen.co.za](http://www.cubekitchen.co.za)

### **The Grillhouse**

Despite the name, the menu caters to all people. Their specialty is steaks and ribs, but they have vegetarian options, salads, chicken and seafood. The meat is prepared to perfection, you just cannot go wrong dining here.

Address: Cor Oxford Road and Bierman Avenue, Rosebank, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 880 3945  
Internet: [www.thegrillhouse.co.za](http://www.thegrillhouse.co.za)

### **Licorish**

Licorish is a place where you can go to for breakfast, lunch and dinner. Both the menu and the wine list will teas you taste buds to come back for a second visit. Even the dessert menu is amazing.

Address: 432 Nicolway Bryanston, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 706 0991  
Internet: [www.licorish.co.za](http://www.licorish.co.za)  
More Info: Corner William Nicol Drive and Wedgewood link

### **Tasha's**

At Tasha's you almost always have to wait for a table which is a good sign. This is a perfect place to go to for brunch as they have a varied contemporary menu. Why not enjoy a cooling glass of champagne to your food?

Address: Rosebank, shop g28, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 447 7972  
Internet: [www.tashas.co.za](http://www.tashas.co.za)

### **Ristorante La Trinita**

Ristorante La Trinita is a cosy Italian restaurant with beautiful decor and good service. On the menu you will find handmade pasta, risotto and delicious salad. This is a great dining experience.

Address: Kyalami Downs Shopping Centre Shop G1A, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 466 7949  
Internet: [www.latrinita.co.za](http://www.latrinita.co.za)

### **Pigalle**

Pigalle invites you to a fine dining experience with an urban touch. The staff is attentive and the food is delicious. The menu specialises in tasteful Mediterranean cuisine and international flavours.

Address: Michelangelo Towers, Maude Street, Sandton, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 884 8899  
Internet: [www.pigallerestaurants.co.za](http://www.pigallerestaurants.co.za)  
More Info: Shop UO9, 4th Floor

### **DW eleven - 13**

The Chef at DW eleven - 13, Marthinus Ferreira, has worked at fine dining restaurants around the world and has decided to settle down in Johannesburg. His aim is simple, for the food to be appreciated and enjoyed by all.

Address: Jan Smuts and Bompas Street, Dunkeld West, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 325 2843

Internet: [www.dw11-13.co.za](http://www.dw11-13.co.za)

More Info: Dunkeld West Shopping Centre

### **Ghazal**

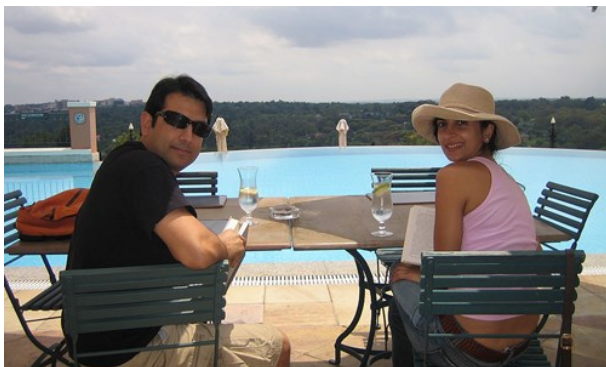
Ghazal gives you an Indian flavoured dinner experience. The food is nice and spicy and the decor is just as warm as the food will make you feel. They have a nice patio for outside dining.

Address: Coachman's Crossing, Peter Place, Sandton, Johannesburg

Phone: +27 11 706 9826

Internet: [www.ghazal.co.za](http://www.ghazal.co.za)

### **CAFES**



In Johannesburg you will find many different, individual and unique cafes. Have a stroll, enjoy the city and take the time finding a cafe that suits your mood.

### **Tortellino d'Oro**

This deli is a great place for Italian specialties such as Parma ham, salami, antipasta, home made pasta and of course, delicious Italian ice cream. You can choose from hazelnut, amaretto, pistachio and stracciatella.

Address: 8 Kruger Street, Johannesburg

Phone: +27 11 483 1249

Internet: [www.tortellino.co.za](http://www.tortellino.co.za)

More Info: Oaklands Shopping Centre C/o Pretoria Str & Victoria Rd Oaklands

### **Fornos Bakery**

In case you're out and about on your own, and

find that absolutely delish pastry that you want to share with your sweetheart, take it with you! Seize the moment to try their freshly squeezed orange juice.

Address: Benmore, Johannesburg

Phone: +27 11 883 7194

Internet: [www.fornos.co.za](http://www.fornos.co.za)

More Info: Benmore Gardens Shopping Centre

### **Fresh @ Hands On Retreat**

The Hands On Retreat offers tranquil surroundings in the middle of Craighall, with a river running straight through the area. Peacefulness permeates the entire venue, and the coffee shop gives you an excellent opportunity to savour some of this harmony.

Address: 30 Alexandra Ave, Craighall, Sandton, Johannesburg

Phone: +27 11 022 8700

Internet: [www.handsonretreat.co.za](http://www.handsonretreat.co.za)

### **Café del Sol**

Café del Sol was started by a passionate Italian family, with a focus on finding peace and love in a hectic everyday life. This Olivedale café has an inviting and correct feng shui to make you reconnect with your inner energy. They invite you to:

"EAT awakening food, DRINK soulful, thirst quenching beverages & BE INSPIRED on any level you feel drawn too".

Address: Olivedale, Johannesburg

Phone: +27 11 704 6493

Internet: [www.cafedelisol.co.za](http://www.cafedelisol.co.za)

More Info: Corner Olive & President Fouche Roads.

## BARS & NIGHTLIFE



From the sleek bars of top hotels to shebeens (informal drinking places, usually in someone's front room) in Soweto, whatever you're looking for, you'll find it in Jozi.

Jozi has a very lively nightlife. Melville's Seventh Street is popular with night owls, while Rosebank, Rivonia, Norwood and Orange Grove attract the more affluent party crowd. Soweto has crowded bars and live jazz, but it is only advisable to go there on an organised tour.

### Lattélicious

Lattélicious might not be for you if you're looking for a quick caffeine fix, they take their coffee seriously and it should be enjoyed accordingly. The atmosphere is inviting and the venue is small and charming.

Address: Smith Road, Bedfordview, Johannesburg

Phone: +27 11 784 3330

Internet: [www.lattelicious.co.za](http://www.lattelicious.co.za)

More Info: Beford Centre Corner of Smith Road and Van de Linde Road.

### Radium Beer Hall

Radium Beer Hall is one of the city's oldest pubs, noisy and full of character. The history makes itself known through the striking memorabilia adorning the walls. They serve authentic food, a myriad of beers and there is live jazz filling the air.

Address: 282 Louis Botha Avenue, Orange Grove, Johannesburg

Phone: +27 11 728 3866

Internet: [www.theradium.co.za](http://www.theradium.co.za)

### Beach Blanket Bohemia

Beach Blanket Bohemia is a bar and restaurant with a Mediterranean menu and a sun filled terrace. The lounge area provides a relaxed venue with live music or a skilled DJ.

Address: Maxwell Drive, Sunninghill, Johannesburg

Phone: +27 11 234 2714

Internet: [www.beachblanketbohemia.co.za](http://www.beachblanketbohemia.co.za)

More Info: Corner Maxwell Drive and Edison Street.

### Montecasino

This is a replica of a Tuscan village with restaurants, theatres, bars, clubs and a casino. Montecacino has been given many awards including Best Casino, Best place to take out-of-towners and Best Entertainment Complex.

Address: 1 Monte Casino Blvd, Fourways, Johannesburg

Phone: +27 11 510 7000

Internet: [www.montecasino.co.za](http://www.montecasino.co.za)

### Bassline

Bassline is a popular live local jazz club as well as a kwaito and blues band venue. This is the place to go if you want to experience Afro-beat, funk jam sessions and poetry readings in a cozy environment.

Bassline embodies love for music and they're the ones who organize the outdoor Africa Day and concerts in Johannesburg for New Year's Eve.

Address: 10 Henry Nxumalo Street, Newtown, Johannesburg

Phone: +27 11 838 9145

Internet: [www.bassline.co.za](http://www.bassline.co.za)

### Tanz Café

Tanz Café is a dance café/bar that mixes European and Argentinean sounds. The dance



floor is big, inviting people to dance the night away in a warm and relaxed atmosphere. Get lost in the rhythms of Salsa, Cha Cha, Rumba, Mambo and of course - Tango.

Address: The River Road, Riverside, Johannesburg  
Opening hours: Monday to Saturday  
Phone: +27 11 463 3128

### Hush Club

Hush Club is an intimate and chic lounge bar here in Johannesburg. Hush is open three days a week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and is a place that you do not want to miss.

Address: 160 Jan Smuts Avenue, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 447 0203  
Internet: [www.hushclub.co.za](http://www.hushclub.co.za)

### Sophiatown Bar Lounge

Sophiatown Bar Lounge is the type of place where you can kick back and just relax after a long day. The style is afro-chic décor, the service is excellent and they play smooth classical jazz.

Address: Jeppe Street, Newtown, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 836 5999  
Internet: [www.sophiatownbarlounge.co.za](http://www.sophiatownbarlounge.co.za)

### Rumours Lounge

Rumours Lounge has it all - restaurant, bar, and is a live entertainment place. They also show sport events and in the winter they have a nice fire to keep you warm.

Address: 20 Palm Court, Cornelius Street, Weltevredenpark, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 79 825 7995  
Internet: [www.rumourslounge.co.za](http://www.rumourslounge.co.za)

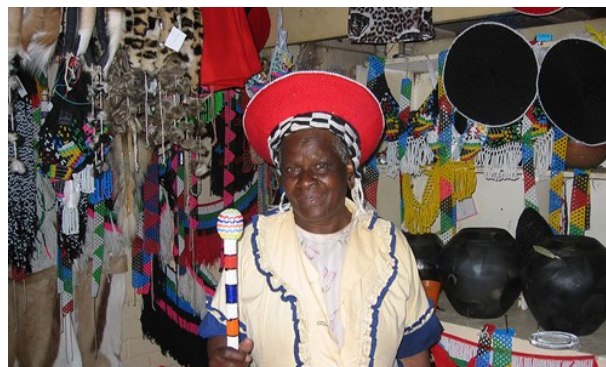
### Bells Inn Sports Bar

This is your typical sports bar with tasty beer, good prices and friendly atmosphere. You have the option of seeing three sports at the same time on the big screen TV's and afterwards you

can enjoy the driving range with excellent views.

Address: Cnr. Duiker & Gazelle STRS Kibler Park  
Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 82 499 0966  
Internet: [www.bellsinn.co.za](http://www.bellsinn.co.za)

## SHOPPING



From upmarket malls to street markets, via designer fashion, crafts, curios and lovely things for the home, Johannesburg is a paradise for shoppers.

Mall culture distinguishes this city of dedicated shoppers. Sandton City and its adjacent Nelson Mandela Square is one of the largest shopping centres in the southern hemisphere. The packed African Crafts Market lies next to the stylish Mall of Rosebank, which takes on new vibes on Sundays and public holidays when the lively Rooftop Market is in full swing.

Norwood's Grant Avenue is good for antiques and Parkhurst's Fourth Avenue for collectables and interior design. Go to The African Toyshop on Stanley Avenue, Milpark, for toys as works of art Art Africa on Tyrone Avenue in Parkview for a dazzling array of ethnic arts and crafts and Kim Sacks Gallery in Parkwood for excellent tribal African art.

Keep all the receipts of your shop purchases, as visitors can reclaim the tax paid on departure at

the airport.

### **Bruma Flea Market**

With its bewildering array of stalls and goods, sprawling Bruma Flea Market in Bedfordview is quite an experience. It is open daily, except Monday, from 08.00-18.00.

Address: Bedfordview, Johannesburg

### **Michael Mount Organic Village Market**

Held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings, the Michael Mount Organic Village Market on Bryanston Drive, Sandton, sells only handcrafted goods and organically produced foods, and its tea garden is restful.

Address: Culross Road, Off Main Rd, Johannesburg  
Internet: [www.bryanstonorganicmarket.co.za](http://www.bryanstonorganicmarket.co.za)

### **Zara**

This world famous brand soon has a store in every mid-size town and in Johannesburg you find several outlets. Here you find the latest fashion for men, women and children, everything from street wear to the more up-dressed look.

Address: Shop U302/3 Sandton City, 2 Rivonia Blvd, Rivonia, Sandton  
Phone: +27 11 302 1500  
Internet: [www.zara.com](http://www.zara.com)

### **Mango**

At Mango, the urban young woman finds everything from sleek work-wear to the fabulous cocktail dress to reasonable prices. Match your new outfit with the perfect shoes and accessories that you also find here. There are several shops across the city and one of them is located here.

Address: Shop L 68, Sandton City Shopping Centre, Corner of Rivonia Road & 5th Street, Sandton Drive, Sandton  
Phone: +27 11 783 7907  
Internet: [shop.mango.com](http://shop.mango.com)

### **Topshop**

Topshop is full of clothing, shoes, bags, accessories, make up and more. Here you will find an easy-going lifestyle with tons of different fashion brands to choose from.

Address: U 309, Sandton City, Rivonia Road, Sandton  
Phone: +27 11 685 7070  
Internet: [www.topshop.com](http://www.topshop.com)

### **River Island**

River Island is one of those shops where you almost every time find something that you would like to buy. Their style of clothes is very varied and the price range low.

Address: 50 Bath Avenue, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 788 5530  
Internet: [www.rosebankmall.co.za](http://www.rosebankmall.co.za)  
More Info: Rosebank Mall

### **Hugo Boss**

The Hugo Boss name is associated with chic, elegant design for men and women. At Hugo Boss you will find just this and much more spread over floors of fun filled shopping.

Address: Banking Mall Atrium on 5th, Sandton City, Sandton  
Phone: +27 11 217 6000  
Internet: [www.sandtoncity.com](http://www.sandtoncity.com)

### **Eastgate Shopping Centre**

This first-class shopping centre has been here since 1979, and is a number one shopping centre to go shopping at. They offer over 260 shops, food courter and different fun events.

Address: 43 Bradford Road, Bedfordview, Johannesburg  
Phone: +27 11 479 6000  
Internet: [www.eastgatecentre.co.za](http://www.eastgatecentre.co.za)

## ESSENTIAL INFORMATION



### O.R. Tambo - Airport

OR TAMBO International Airport is Africa's busiest and best airport, and has 24-hour facilities. It lies 25km east of the city.

Minibus shuttles and metered taxis can be booked in the baggage claim area. The hotels of Rosebank and Sandton are a 30-45 minute drive from the airport. Most hotels offer shuttle services.

Address: O.R. Tambo International Airport  
Phone: +27 11 921 6262  
Internet: [www.airports.co.za](http://www.airports.co.za)  
Email: [customercare@airports.co.za](mailto:customercare@airports.co.za)

### Public transport

Public transport (always jam packed, and the minibuses are frequently un-roadworthy) is not really used by tourists. Taxi is the safest way of travelling.

### Taxi

Metered taxis are the safest way to travel if you are not hiring a car, they are available at major hotels, but otherwise you have to phone for pickup. The fare should be confirmed with the driver at the outset.

### Post

GPO

Address: Sandton City, Johannesburg

Opening hours: Monday-Friday 08.30-16.30 Saturday 08.00-11.30

Phone: +27 11 783 7364

Internet: [www.sapo.co.za](http://www.sapo.co.za)

### Pharmacy

Pharmacies have a rota system for out-of-hours service.

Phone: +27 11 624 2800

### Electricity

220/240v, 50Hz. Round three-pin plugs are standard.

### Telephone

Country code: +27

Area code: (0)11

### Population

5 million

### Currency

1 Rand = 100 cents

### Opening hours

Mall shopping hours are generally 09.00-17.00/18.00 Monday to Saturday, and 09.00-14.00 on Sundays. Most museums and galleries are closed on Mondays.

### Internet

[www.southafrica.net](http://www.southafrica.net)  
[www.southafrica.info](http://www.southafrica.info)

### Newspapers

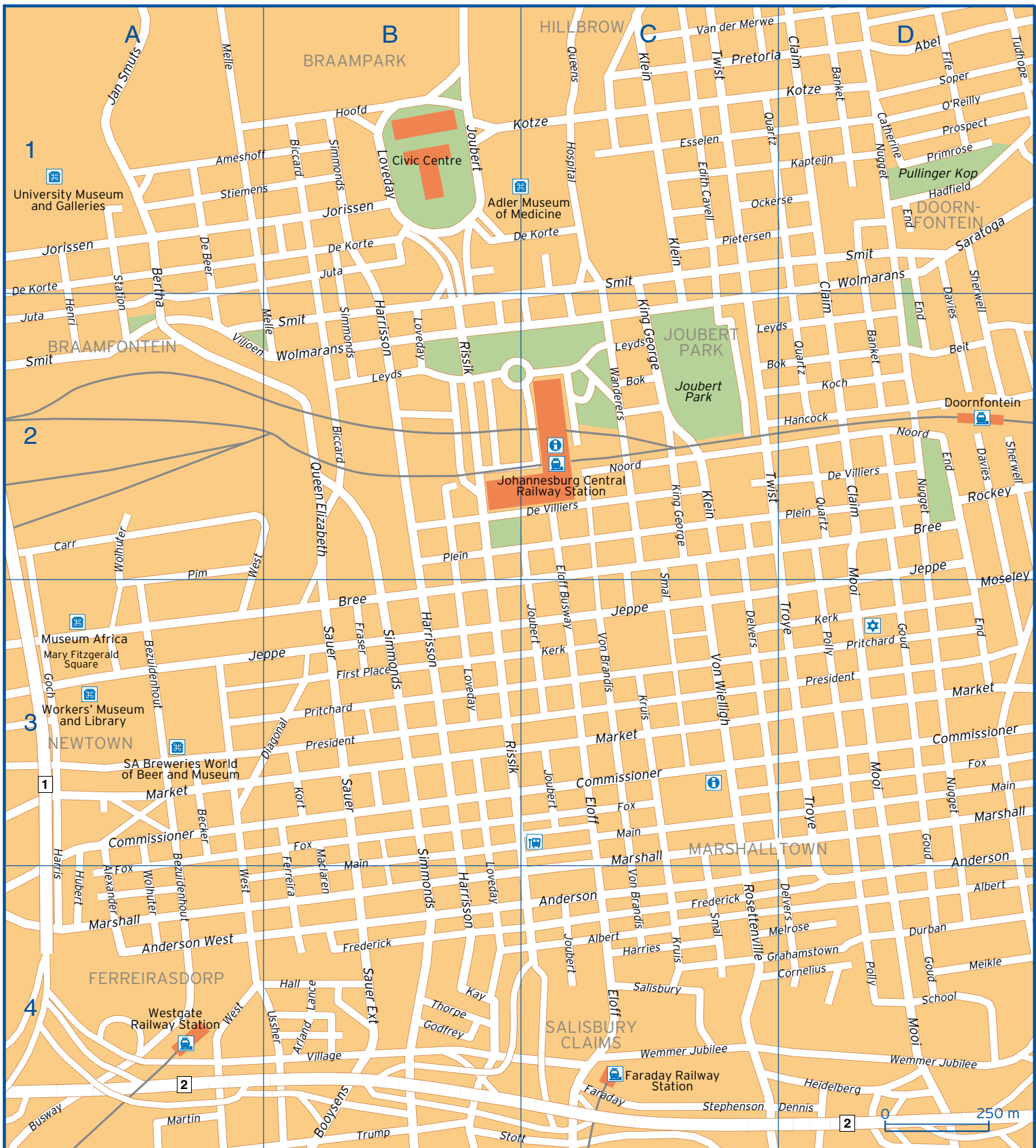
The Star (Johannesburg's oldest English-language daily newspaper, has a Tonight listings supplement.)  
The weekly (Friday) Mail & Guardian has extensive What's On listings.)  
The Sowetan  
City Press  
Business Day

### Emergency numbers

Jo'burg Connect  
+27 11 375 5911 (Accidents, Fire, Medical, Crime)  
10111 Police  
10177 Ambulance

### Tourist information

Gauteng Tourism Authority  
1 Central Place. Henry Nxumalo Street, Newtown  
09.00-17.00 Monday-Friday  
+27 11 639 1600





Abel	D1	Grahamstown	C4 D4	Pim	A2 A3
Albert	C4 D4	Hadfield	D1	Plein	B2 D2
Alexander	A3 A4	Hall	B4	Polly	D3 D4
Ameshoff	A1 B1	Hancock	D2	President	B3 D3
Anderson	C4 D3 D4	Harries	C4	Pretoria	C1 D1
Anderson West	A4	Harris	A3 A4	Primrose	D1
Arland	B4	Harrison	B2 B3 B4	Pritchard	B3 D3
Banket	D1 D2	Heidelberg	D4	Prospect	D1
Becker	A3	Henri	A2	Quartz	C1 D2
Beit	D2	Hoofd	B1	Queen Elizabeth	B2
Bertha	A1 A2	Hospital	C1	Queens	C1
Bezuidenhout	A3 A4	Hubert	A4	Rissik	B2 B3
Biccard	B1 B2	Jan Smuts	A1	Rockey	D2
Bok	C2 D2	Jeppe	A3 B3 C3 D2	Rosettenville	C4
Booyens	B4	Jorissen	A1 B1	Salisbury	C4
Bree	B3 D2	Joubert	B1 C3 C4	Saratoga	D1
Busway	A4	Juta	A2 B1	Sauer	B3
Carr	A2	Kapteijn	D1	Sauer Ext	B4
Catherine	D1	Kay	B4	School	D4
Claim	D1 D2	Kerk	C3 D3	Sherwell	D1 D2
Commissioner	A3 C3 D3	King George	C2	Simmonds	B1 B2 B3 B4
Cornelius	D4	Klein	C1 C2	Smal	C2 C3 C4
Davies	D1 D2	Koch	D2	Smit	A2 B2 C1 D1
De Beer	A1	Kort	B3	Soper	D1
De Korte	A1 A2 B1 C1	Kotze	B1 C1 D1	Station	A1 A2
De Villiers	C2 D2	Kruis	C3 C4	Stephenson	C4
Delvers	C3 D4	Lance	B4	Stiemens	A1 B1
Dennis	D4	Leyds	B2 C2 D2	Stott	B4 C4
Diagonal	B3	Loveday	B1 B2 B3 B4	Thorpe	B4
Durban	D4	Maclaren	B3 B4	Troye	D3
Edith Cavell	C1	Main	B4 C3 D3	Trump	B4
Eloff	C3 C4	Market	A3 C3 D3	Tudhope	D1
Eloff Busway	C2 C3	Marshall	A4 C3 C4 D3	Twist	C1 C2
End	D1 D2 D3	Martin	A4	Ussher	B4
Esselen	C1	Mary Fitzgerald Square	A3	Van der Merwe	C1
Faraday	C4	Meikle	D4	Viljoen	A2
Ferreira	B3 B4	Melle	A1 B2	Village	B4
Fife	D1	Melrose	C4 D4	Von Brandis	C3 C4
First Place	B3	Mooi	D2 D3 D4	Von Wielligh	C3
Fox	A4 B3 C3 D3	Moseley	D3	Wanderers	C2
Fraser	B3	Noord	C2 D2	Wemmer Jubilee	C4 D4
Frederick	B4 C4	Nugget	D1 D2 D3	West	A3 A4 B2
Goch	A3	Ockerse	C1 D1	Wolhuter	A2 A4
Godfrey	B4	O'Reilly	D1	Wolmarans	B2 D1
Goud	D3 D4	Pietersen	C1		