
Highlight guide

JOHANNESBURG

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Tour of soweto

Visit Soweto. Short for South Western Township, a large informal settlement just outside of Johannesburg, a tour includes the Hector Pieterse Museum and Freedom Square, as well as a stop by the home of Nobel Peace Prize winner Archbishop Emeritus Desmond Tutu.



Apartheid Museum

The Apartheid Museum, the first of its kind, illustrates the rise and fall of apartheid and is ideal for anyone wanting to understand and experience what apartheid South Africa was really like. The museum is a beacon of hope showing the world how South Africa is coming to terms with its oppressive past and working towards a future that all South Africans can call their own.



Maboneng Precinct

Recently named one of Forbe's Top 12 Coolest Neighbourhoods, Maboneng Precinct in Joburg's inner city has undergone a rejuvenation, transforming its derelict industrial buildings into a trendy cultural oasis. Visitors will get to experience an eclectic mix of experiences and attractions that includes Africa's first Museum of African Design (MOAD) and Arts on Main as well as several restaurants, coffee shops, bookstores, clothing boutiques and art galleries.



Tour of Pretoria

Take a tour of our nation's capital, Pretoria. Visit historically and architecturally significant buildings and monuments including the Union Building, Voortrekker Monument and Paul Kruger House.



Liliesleaf farm & museum

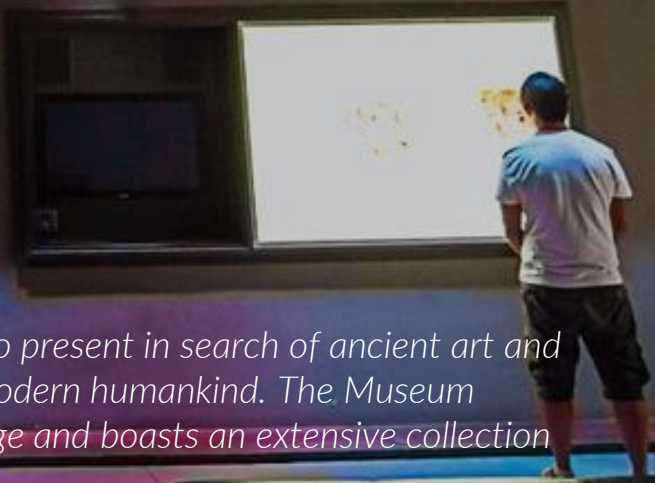
At Liliesleaf Farm & Museum, an award-winning heritage site, visitors can learn about the formation of the armed struggle against apartheid and about the famous Rivonia Trial, which led Nelson Mandela and his comrades to be sentenced to life in prison on Robben Island.





Origins centre

The Origins Centre takes you on an 80, 000-year journey from past to present in search of ancient art and culture, and is dedicated to exploring and celebrating the history of modern humankind. The Museum provides you with a unique experience of Africa's rich, complex heritage and boasts an extensive collection of rock art from the Wits Rock Art Research Institute.



Constitution Hill

Well worth a visit is Constitution Hill, a living museum that tells the story of South Africa's struggle to freedom and journey to democracy. The site is a former prison and military fort that bears testament to the country's turbulent past and, today, is home to the Constitutional Court.



Inner city tour

Celebrate the colourful culture, history, and heritage of Johannesburg on a guided tour of the inner city's public art. Part of the tour includes the ever-expanding street art scene which creates a meaningful appreciation of Johannesburg's culture and artistic expression.



Cradle of humankind

The Cradle of Humankind is one of eight World Heritage Sites in South Africa and is the world's richest hominin site, home to around 40% of the world's human ancestor fossils. Visit Maropeng and take an interactive tour to see fossils, learn about how humankind was born, view stone tools up to one million years old, and much more ...





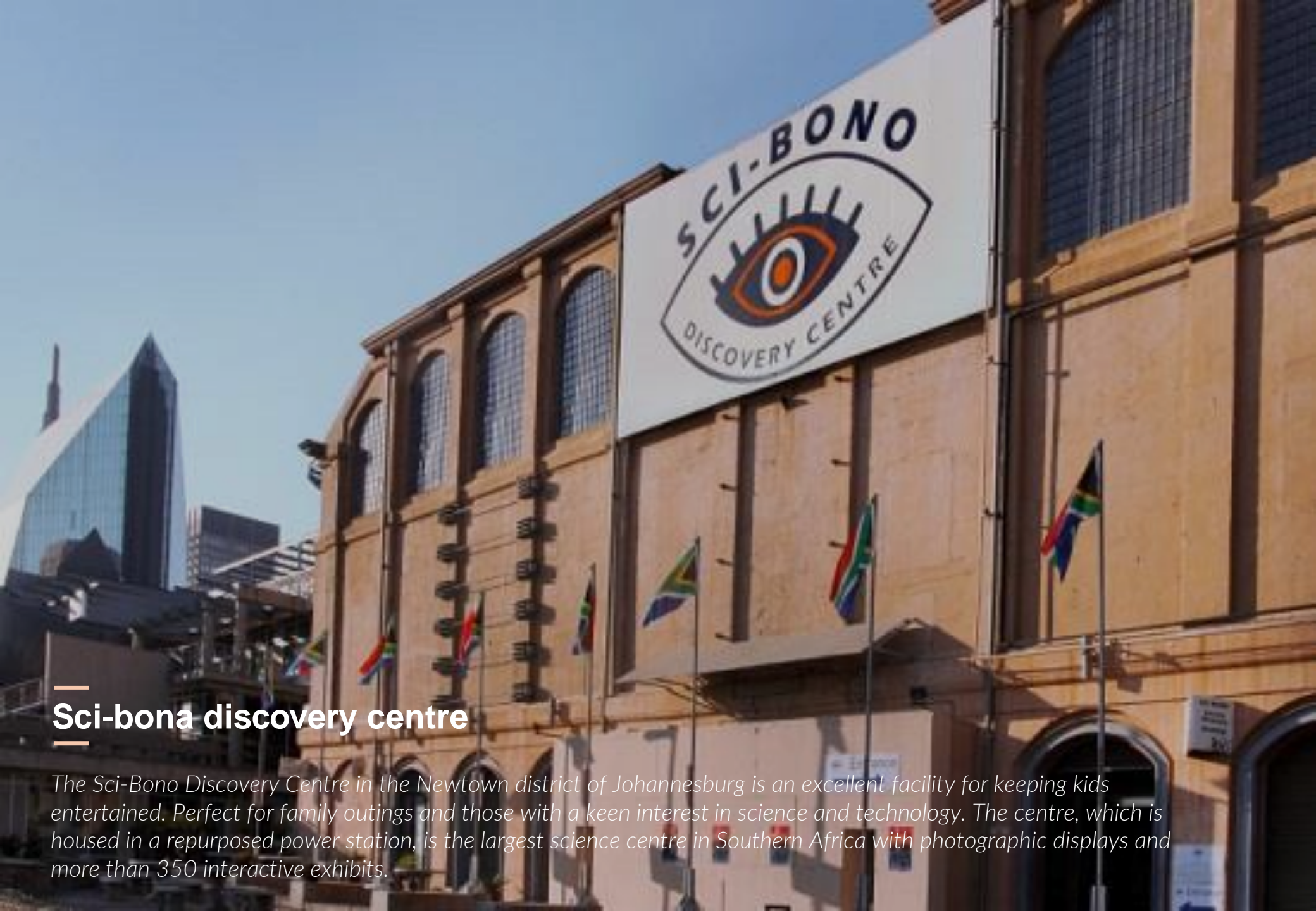
Sterkfontein caves

Close by you will find the Sterkfontein Caves, one of the main fossil sites of the Cradle of Humankind World Heritage Site. These fossil sites have produced more hominin fossils than any other sites in the world and you can inspect 15 different sites in the core area.

Explore a local market

Spend a leisurely Saturday or Sunday morning browsing local artisanal products, enjoying delicious food, wine and live music at one of the neighbourhood goods and farmers markets dotted around Johannesburg.





Sci-bona discovery centre

The Sci-Bono Discovery Centre in the Newtown district of Johannesburg is an excellent facility for keeping kids entertained. Perfect for family outings and those with a keen interest in science and technology. The centre, which is housed in a repurposed power station, is the largest science centre in Southern Africa with photographic displays and more than 350 interactive exhibits.



Hot air balloon ride

For those in search of a new perspective on life, a safe but adventurous hot air balloon ride with Bill Harrop's original balloon safaris is the perfect way to do so. Experience the Magalies river valley from a dizzying height or view game in the Waterberg.



Explore magaliesburg

Head out into the beautiful, mountainous countryside region of Magaliesberg, about 1 hour outside of Joburg. An ideal destination with activities and adventures for all ages, ranging from canopy tours, horse riding, birding, hot air ballooning and hiking to arts and cultural experiences.