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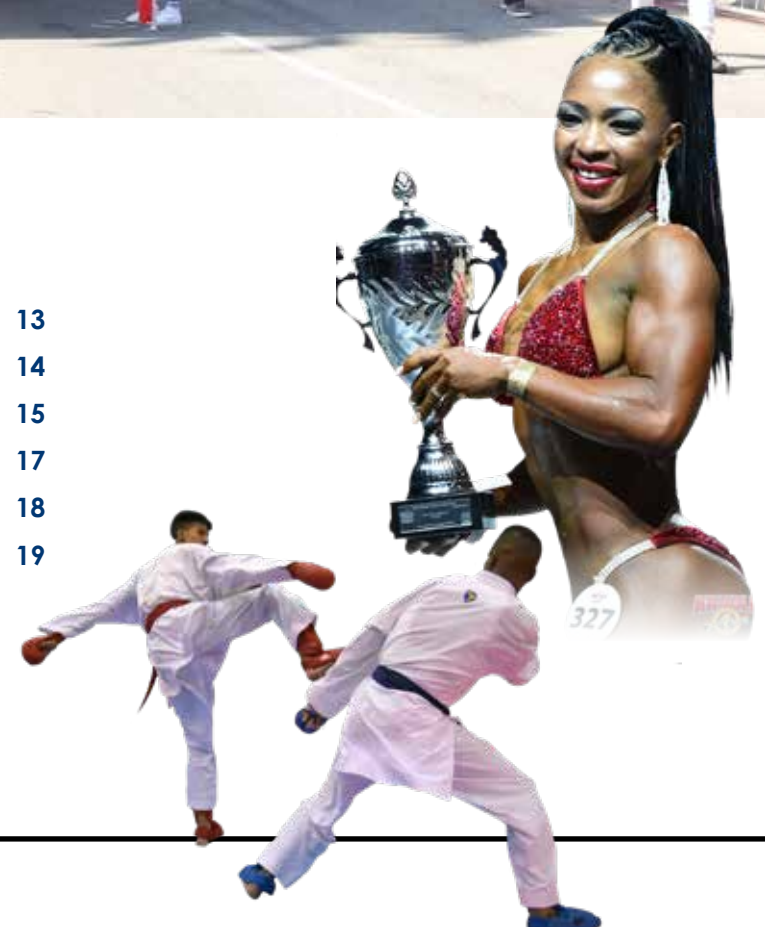
19-21 May '23





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CITY OF JOHANNESBURG

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In South Africa, Johannesburg is the second largest city in Africa, in 2016 there were 4.94 million people living in the City of Johannesburg. Joburg, or Jozi as some prefer to call it, offers visitors an experience as unique and diverse as the city itself. Whether you are on business, in search of a cultural encounter, an adrenaline rush or simply want to relax and unwind for a few days, the city of Johannesburg has everything you're looking for and more! www.joburgtourism.com

Johannesburg is a young city with an incredible history and legacy.

The settlement sprang up in 1886 when prospectors found gold in the area now known as the Witwatersrand. When the discovery

became public, thousands flocked here in search of fortune and new opportunities. Today, Johannesburg still attracts those who want to realise their dreams and achieve success.

The new city was named after two officials of the Zuid-Afrikaansche Republiek (ZAR); Johannes Meyer and Johannes Rissik.

Johannesburg grew rapidly and quickly transformed from a small settlement into a full-fledged city. It seemed like nothing could stop its growth, not even the Anglo-Boer war. In those tumultuous times, and beyond, Johannesburg

has always been recognised as the golden beating heart of South Africa.

Through the years, Johannesburg has been the site of many iconic events. It was where the Springboks beat the All Blacks to take the Rugby World Cup in 1995, and, most recently, it was where South Africa showed the world that we can host an event as large as the FIFA Soccer World Cup with style and grace.

Tourist Information (joburg.org.za) ■



RUIMSIG STADIUM



Arnold Classic Africa organizers will be building the GG Tent City on the grounds of the Ruimsig Stadium, Johannesburg. This year we are PUTTING FESTIVE back in the FESTIVAL, with more than 30 tents and activations spread over many acres of land.

Ruimsig Stadium is a multi-purpose stadium located in Roodepoort, South Africa. It is used mostly for football matches and was used as a training field for teams participating in the 2010 FIFA World Cup after being renovated in 2009 and brought up to FIFA standards. At the 2009 FIFA Confederations Cup, Iraq used Ruimsig Stadium for their training sessions.

The stadium hosted an international friendly between Australia and Denmark,[4] and one between the USA and Australia on 5 June 2010. Ruimsig Stadium was constructed in 1994 at a cost of R24 million as an international Athletics

venue to the latest IAAF standards at the time. The venue forms part of a multi-sport events complex which was designed so that sporting codes that require access to open land and open water can also be staged at this venue, and the events that have taken place include Road Running, Cross County Running, Triathlon, Duathlon, Mountain Biking, Off-road Triathlon, Road Cycling and model aeroplanes.

The terrain was also designed to accommodate BMX, model cars and moto cross, although the various managers have at different times not always allowed motorised sport. The annual

Urban Assault Mountain Bike Race at the stadium attracts up to 2,000 participants and has been running for ten years.



Corner Hendrik Potgieter & Furrow Rd,
Ruimsig, Krugersdorp, 1747
Tel: 010 020 1234.

GPS Coordinates: -26°3'34.41' /
+27°50'21.47'.

www.cradlestonemall.co.za



Perfectly located in the heart of Mogale City in Johannesburg's West Rand. Named for its close proximity to the World Heritage Site, Cradlestone Mall is both an architectural masterpiece and, is optimally located at the intersection of the N14/R28 highways and Hendrik Potgieter and conveniently adjacent to the Pinehaven Interchange.

Cradlestone Mall offers the perfect mix of 160 quality shops, restaurants and services- all in a fresh and vibrant atmosphere.

Shopper enjoyment and convenience are at the forefront of every visit to Cradlestone Mall, whether meeting friends for a meal, finding the perfect gifts for family, or buying that well

deserved item. In addition to the nearly 4300 convenient parking bays, specialised facilities for the disabled and family parking, the Mall also makes use of the very latest energy saving technologies, reducing the Mall's carbon footprint and ensuring that Cradlestone Mall is an exceptional and unforgettable shopping experience.

Trading hours:

Monday to Saturday	09:00 to 18:00
Sunday	09:00 to 17:00
Public Holidays	09:00 to 17:00

Gym in Cradelstone Mall

(3km from Ruimsig Stadium) Hendrik Potgieter Drive, Roodepoort

Contact number +27 11 662 2938



TRANSPORTATION



Ground transport

Car hire, Uber or Bolt is available. IGO Travel is the official travel agent partner of Arnold Classic Africa and will be able to assist you with national, international flights, visa information, covid regulations and booking ground transportation.

Vicky Peterson
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OR Tambo International Airport

Johannesburg OR Tambo International Airport is the busiest airport on the continent of Africa and is situated in the Kempton Park district of Johannesburg, 23 km north-west of the city centre and 46 km south of Pretoria city centre.

Formerly, Jan Smuts Airport, it has been renamed in honour of the late and former ANC President, Oliver Reginald Tambo, who was more commonly referred to by the name of OR Tambo. Johannesburg OR Tambo International Airport is one of the few airports in the world with scheduled passenger direct flights between all 6 inhabited continents and also serves as a continental gateway to many sub-Saharan countries. The O R Tambo international airport is **50 minutes' drive** from Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort, Johannesburg.

Lanseria Airport

Passengers can make use of our world class facilities day and night. With flights from commercial airlines and charter companies operating every day, 24/7.

The newly expanded terminal building offers domestic, regional, and international flight departures and arrivals. Destinations from the commercial airlines currently include both Durban and Cape Town, with more to come soon. The new runway has paved the way for larger aircraft to comfortably land here.

The Lanseria International Airport is **15 minutes' drive** from Ruimsig stadium.



Stones Throw Manor

Km distance to Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort	10 km
Km distance from OR Tambo International Airport	45 minutes
Km distance from Lanseria International Airport	15 minutes
Shuttle Service	Available at extra charge
We offer breakfast / Lunch / Dinner	No
Self catering option available	Yes
Booking code	ACA2023
Web page links	
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Contact person	
Blessings Nyaningwe 074 485 0304 whatsapp 074 485 0304 email roomdiv@riverstonelodge.co.za	

Misty Hills Hotel Conference Centre & Spa

Km distance to Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort	13 km
Km distance from OR Tambo International Airport	51 km
Km distance from Lanseria International Airport	16.3 km
Shuttle Service	Available at extra charge
We offer breakfast / Lunch / Dinner	Yes
Can cater for special diets	Yes
Self catering option available	No
Booking code	ACA2023
Web page links	
http://www.mistyhillscountryhotel.com/	
https://www.facebook.com/mistyhillshotel	
Contact person	
Johanna Thabeng – Johanna@rali.co.za Amanda Venter – roomsdivision@rali.co.za 011 950 6000	

Avianto Hotel

Km distance to Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort	11 min (9,0 km)
Km distance from OR Tambo International Airport	54 min (86,8 km)
Km distance from Lanseria International Airport	15 min (18,5 km)
Shuttle Service	No
We offer breakfast / Lunch / Dinner	Yes
Can cater for special diets	Yes if requested before
Self catering option available	No
Booking code	ACA2023
Web page link	
www.avianto.co.za	
Contact person	
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Lanseria Country Estate

Km distance to Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort	27 km
Km distance from OR Tambo International Airport	57 km
Km distance from Lanseria International Airport	5 km
Shuttle Service	Available at extra charge
We offer breakfast / Lunch / Dinner	Yes
Can cater for special diets	Yes
Self catering option available	Yes
Booking code	ACA2023
Web page links	
https://lanseriacountryestate.co.za	
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Contact person	
Caleb, Jessie or Felix. 0828739883 or enquiries@lanseriacountryestate.co.za	



Riverstone Lodge

Km distance to Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort	10 km
Km distance from OR Tambo International Airport	45 min
Km distance from Lanseria International Airport	15 min
Shuttle Service	Available at extra charge
We offer breakfast / Lunch / Dinner	Yes
Can cater for special diets	Yes
Self catering option available	No
Booking code	ACA2023
Web page links	
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26 Degrees South Hotel

Km distance to Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort	11 km
Km distance from OR Tambo International Airport	43 km
Km distance from Lanseria International Airport	10 km
Shuttle Service	Available at extra charge
We offer breakfast / Lunch / Dinner	YES
Can cater for special diets	Yes
Self catering option available	NO
Booking code	ARNOLD
Web page links	
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https://web.facebook.com/26DSOUTH	
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Indaba Hotel, Spa & Conference Centre (4 star TGCSA Graded)

Km distance to Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort	24 km
Km distance from OR Tambo International Airport	32 km (45 minutes)
Km distance from Lanseria International Airport	18 km (15 minutes)
Shuttle Service	Available at extra charge
We offer breakfast / Lunch / Dinner	Yes
Self catering option available	No
Booking code	ACA2023

Web page links

<https://www.indabahotel.co.za/>

[https://www.facebook.com/Indaba Hotel, Spa & Conference Centre/](https://www.facebook.com/IndabaHotel,Spa&ConferenceCentre/)

Contact person

Reservations@indabahotel.co.za
Tel: 011 840 6600

Blueberry Hill Hotel

Distance to Ruimsig Stadium	10 km
Distance from Lanseria International airport	20 km
Distance from OR Tambo International airport	45 km
Self Catering option available / We do self-catering apartment as well with fully kitchen furnished	Yes
We offer breakfast / lunch / dinner	Yes
Can cater for special diets	Yes
Transport shuttle available	Available at extra charge
Booking code	ACA 2023

Web page links

<https://blueberryhillhotel.co.za/>

Contact person

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Thabile Radebe: 083 992 7707/010 109 8789

Glenburn Lodge & Spa

Km distance to Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort	17 km
Km distance from OR Tambo International Airport	62 km
Km distance from Lanseria International Airport	16.3 Km
Shuttle Service	Available at extra charge
We offer breakfast / Lunch / Dinner	Yes
Self catering option available	Yes
Booking code	ACA2023

Web page links

<https://glenburn.co.za/>

<https://www.facebook.com/GlenburnLodgeAndSpa/>

Contact person

Saleen Reddy- 0861148866
email : cro@guvon.co.za



Kloofzicht Lodge and Spa

Km distance to Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort	16.3 km (23 min)
Km distance from OR Tambo International Airport	63.8 km (59 Minutes)
Km distance from Lanseria International Airport	18.9 km (21 Minutes)
Shuttle Service	Available at extra charge
We offer breakfast / Lunch / Dinner	Yes
Can cater for special diets	Yes
Self catering option available	No
Booking code	ACA2023

Web page links

<https://www.kloofzichtlodge.co.za/>

<https://www.facebook.com/KloofzichtLodgeAndSpa/>

Contact person

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Ramkiki Country Estate

Km distance to Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort	4.2 km
Km distance from OR Tambo International Airport	54 km
Km distance from Lanseria International Airport	23.5 km
Shuttle Service	Available at extra charge
We offer breakfast / Lunch / Dinner	Breakfast incl, rest available
Can cater for special diets	Yes
Self catering option available	No
Booking code	ACA2023

Web page links

www.ramkiki.co.za

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COMPETITION INFORMATION



The competition is open to ALL THE IFBB-AFFILIATED NATIONAL FEDERATIONS.

The number of participating athletes is UNLIMITED. Registration of athletes will only be considered if they are nominated by their IFBB-affiliated National Federation. Entry forms should be emailed to

an official letter will be sent to the National Federation confirming the participation of its National Team in the 2023 Arnold Amateur IFBB International Championships. Those teams or athletes who have not met the established requirements or who missed the deadline for registration, will also be notified that they will be unable to participate in this competition. The final decision to allow an athlete to compete in this event rests with the IFBB.

compete in this 7th Arnold Classic Africa 2023. South African Athletes will have to qualify and be recommended by the IFBB SA Head Office.

South African athletes will enter through the link on the IFBB International web page and make payment to IFBB International via PayPal.

The deadline date for submitting the Final Entry Forms is 1 May 2023.

Please be aware: it is full responsibility and obligation of the national federation to verify if each of the athletes to be registered on this international event are not suspended or have any violation action against the competitor due to anti-doping rule violations or any disciplinary case at national or international level.

Once the Entry form from the National Federation has been received and accepted,

We strongly encourage you to register early and make the appropriate arrangements to



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REGISTRATION INFORMATION

The official registration will be Thursday, 18 May 2023 10:00 to 18:00.

Weigh in and measurements will done at the Ruimsig Stadium, Roodepoort, Johannesburg

REGISTRATION FEES AND PAYMENTS

South African Athletes:

South African Athletes: IFBB Registration Fee of USD \$150 if registered in advance, online. USD \$200 if athletes register on Thursday, 18 May 2023.

International Athletes:

IFBB Registration Fee of USD \$250 if registered in advance, online. USD \$300 if athletes register on Thursday, 18 May 2023. The deadline date for online payment is 1 May 2023. On the 1st of May 2023, at 24:00 hrs (*midnight - Central European Time, UTC +2 in summer*) the online payment system will be switched off.

- Remember that all athletes will have to produce their IFBB International Card at registration. Any athlete who has not yet purchased or renewed their IFBB International Card will have to buy one at registration. IFBB cards are EUR €35 or USD \$45 and are mandatory.
- If an athlete wants to participate in additional categories, the registration fee for each of the additional categories is USD \$100. Possible crossovers:
 - Men's Classic Bodybuilding – Classic Physique – Bodybuilding;
 - Men's Fitness – Men's Physique;

- Women's Acrobatic Fitness – Women's Bodyfitness;
- Women's Bikini – Women's Fit-Model;
- Women's Wellness – Women's Fit-Model.
- Also junior and masters in senior classes.

How to register in the competition:

1. Be a member of your national federation.
2. Follow qualification rules set by your federation.
3. Register as an International Athlete, paying your IFBB Blue Book at <https://www.ifbb.gbisportinnovation.com/affiliation-ifbb>
4. Request to attend the competition from your profile.
5. Register for the competition and pay the Registration Fee before the deadline provided in the Inspection Report.
6. Use your personal access code to download the liability form and upload music.
7. Attend the event.

Each athlete should have the following at registration:

- ID Document
- IFBB International Card (Blue Book)
- Music in the MP3 format on audio CD or USB memory, clearly marked with name + division. Only 1 song on the CD or USB.

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

The use of profane, vulgar or offensive language is strictly prohibited in posing music, otherwise you will be asked to leave the stage.



TANNING, HAIR & MAKEUP

Self-application product will be available to purchase at all events.

Online bookings and payment:
www.jantanaafrica.com

Jan Tana will be the Exclusive Tanning, Hair & Makeup company Back Stage. They will provide Professional Airbrush Tanning, Hair & Makeup Services to insure you look your best.

PLEASE MAKE BOOKINGS FOR TANNING, HAIR AND MAKEUP IN ADVANCE WITH JAN TANA. Jan Tana is the Official Tanning, Hair & Makeup Sponsor for the IFBB Elite Pro.

GENERAL
• admin@jantanaafrica.com

FRANCE PRICE
• france@gentlegiantpromotions.com

MEGAN ELS
• sales@arnoldclassicsa.co.za

The service will include base coat, stage coat, touch up and glaze. Time schedule will be shared 1 week before competition date.

South African athletes	R 950.00
International athletes	R1200.00

The IFBB reserves the right to refuse any athlete onto the stage that has tans and bronzers that can be wiped off.

Book your Hair and Makeup online or direct with our professional ACA Service Providers.

HAIR AND MAKEUP

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Roxy Barker | **Makeup by Roxy**
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e-mail: makeupbyroxyamas@gmail.com

JUDGES AND MEDIA



JUDGES

To be taken into consideration during selection of judges panels at the competition, IFBB International Judges must be included in the Final Entry Forms sent by National Federations, according to the IFBB Rules. For more information, please contact: Mr. Pawel Filleborn, Chairman of the IFBB Judges Committee, under address: pawelfilleborn@gmail.com

All international judges must bring their International Judge's Cards to Johannesburg. IFBB International Judges must have a valid IFBB Judges Card with the IFBB yearly judges fee of EUR €50 paid for 2023. This fee may also be paid at the Championships in Johannesburg.

MEDIA ACCREDITATION

Media can apply online for a media pass via the webpage www.arnoldclassicafrica.com

TEAM MANAGERS WILL ONLY BE ALLOWED BACKSTAGE AS INDICATED ON THE ENTRY FORM BY THE NATIONAL FEDERATION.

(RECEIVE SPECIAL PASS ON REGISTRATION DAY)

Backstage tickets are available on webtickets.co.za



Each athlete participating in the ACA will be provided with a competitor wristband at the registration. This wristband allows access to the venue, expo and backstage. Please do not remove the wristband as no access will be given if not on your arm. (If you lose your wristband, you will have to present proof of payment or broken wristband at registration).

FITNESS LINE UPS AND RUNNING SCHEDULE



Overalls will run directly after the awarding ceremony in the last category of each of the following divisions:

IFBB Elite Pro Cards will be offered for the winners of the following overall categories (through their National Federation).

- Men's Physique (top 3)
- Men's Classic Bodybuilding (top 3)
- Men's Bodybuilding (top 3)
- Women's Physique (the winner)
- Women's Bodyfitness (top 3)
- Women's Bikini (top 3)
- Women's Wellness (top 3)

The winner of the IFBB Elite Pro Card has 1 year to take up the Card. If the athlete hasn't done this, he/she will have to qualify once again to turn Pro. Minimum number of competitors to run a category should be 5. If less than 5 athletes, categories will be combined, wherever possible.

Awards

- Top six athletes in each category will be awarded with medals.
- Top six athletes in each category will be awarded with the IFBB Certificate of Excellence.
- Winner of each category will be awarded with a trophy.

- Overall winner in each division will be awarded with a trophy.
- Top 5 athletes in Men's and Women's senior categories will be awarded points to the 2023 IFBB World Ranking, according to the World Ranking Rules (level 2).
- IFBB Elite Pro Cards for the top three overall category winners in Men's Bodybuilding, Men's Classic Bodybuilding, Men's Physique, Women's Bodyfitness, Women's Bikini, Women's Wellness and for the Women's Physique overall winner (after applications through their National Federations).

FITNESS LINE UPS AND RUNNING SCHEDULE

FRIDAY 19 MAY 2023 10:00 - 17:00	
• Women's Bodyfitness	• Up to 168cm • Over 168cm
Overall Women's Bodyfitness	
• Men's Physique	• Up to 174cm • Over 174cm
• Masters Men's Physique	• Over 40 yrs
Overall Men's Physique	
• Women's Wellness	• Up to 163cm • Over 163cm
Overall Women's Wellness	
• Men's Classic Bodybuilding	• Up to 175cm • Over 175cm
Overall Classic Bodybuilding	
• Men's Classic Physique	• Up to 180cm • Over 180cm
Overall Men's Classic Physique	
• Women's Physique	• Up to 163cm • Over 163cm
Overall Women's Physique	
• Muscular Men's Physique	• Open Category
Muscular Men's Physique	
• Women's Beach Bikini	• Up to 166cm • Over 166cm
Women's Beach Bikini	

SATURDAY 20 MAY 2023 10:00 - 17:00	
• Women's Fit Model	• Up to 166cm • Over 166cm
Overall Women's Fit Model	
• Juior Men's Bodybuilding	• 16 - 23 yrs
• Masters Bodybuilding	• Over 40 yrs
• Men's Bodybuilding	• Bantamweight 65kg • Lightweight 70kg • Welterweight 75kg • Light-Middleweight 80kg • Middleweight 85kg • Super-Middleweight 90kg • Light- Heaveyweight 95kg • Heavyweight 100kg+
Overall Men's Bodybuilding	
• Women's Bikini	• Up to 166cm • Up to 169cm • Over 169cm
• Masters Women's Bikini	• Over 35 yrs
• Junior Women's Bikini	• Under 23 yrs
Overall Women's Bikini	
• Men's Muscular Physique	• Up to 174cm • Over 174cm
Men's Muscular Physique	

SUNDAY 21 MAY 2023 10:00 - 17:00	
10:00 - 12:00	ACA Model Search
12:00 - 17:00	IFBB Elite Pro Show

Note: the winner of the IFBB Elite Pro Card has 1 year to take up the Card. If the athlete hasn't done this, he/she will have to qualify once again to turn Pro.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, 18 MAY 2023

10:00 - 18:00 Weigh-in and Registration
18:15 - Team Managers & Judges Meeting

FRIDAY, 19 MAY 2023

10:00 - 17:00 - Prejudging and Finals

SATURDAY, 20 MAY 2023

10:00 - 17:00 - Prejudging and Finals

SUNDAY, 21 MAY 2023

10:00 - 12:00 - ACA Model Search
12:00 - 17:00 - IFBB Elite Pro

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web tickets

TICKETS 2023

RUIMSIG STADIUM
ROODEPOORT
JOHANNESBURG

19-21 May 2023

Gates open 8am to late



GENERAL ACCESS TICKET

Access to the ACA sports and events in GG Tent City

- R150 - Adults Friday
- R150 - Adults Saturday
- R150 - Adults Sunday
- R300 - Adults Weekend
- Free - Kids under 7yrs
- R50 - Kids 7 - 12yrs one day
- R100 - Kids Weekend 7 - 12 yrs

IFBB AMATEUR BODYBUILDING TICKET - 19-20 MAY 2023

Your general access ticket at the main gate and backstage ticket will allow you into the auditorium

- FREE - IFBB Amateur Bodybuilding event
- R800 - Backstage ticket per day
- R1 200 - Backstage ticket weekend

IFBB ELITE PRO BODYBUILDING TICKET - 21 MAY 2023

Your general access ticket at the main gate and backstage ticket will allow you into the auditorium

- FREE - Prejudging and Finals - Non reserved
- R950 - Backstage Pass

ACA MODEL SEARCH - 21 MAY 2023

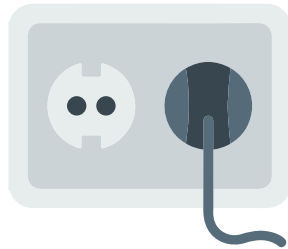
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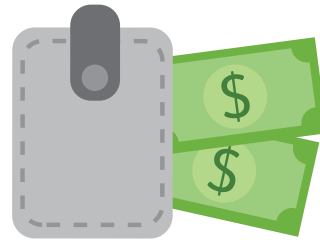
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230 V / 50 Hz, plug / socket type C / D / M / N. For more information visit <http://www.worldstandards.eu/electricity/plug-voltage-by-country>

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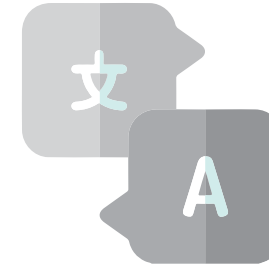
CURRENCY



The national currency in South Africa is SOUTH AFRICAN RAND (ZAR).
1.00 USD = 14.60 ZAR (as for March 29th, 2022)
1.00 EUR = 16.18 ZAR (as for March 29th, 2022)
Current rates at: <http://www.x-rates.com/table/?from=ZAR&amount=1> Banks for exchange available at Airport & Mall

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LANGUAGE



South Africa has eleven official languages: Afrikaans, English, Ndebele, Northern Sotho, Sotho, Swazi, Tswana, Tsonga, Venda, Xhosa, and Zulu. English is recognised as the language of commerce and science and remains the de facto lingua franca of the nation (used to make communication possible between people who do not share a native language).

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TIME DIFFERENCE



Standard Time Zone for Johannesburg: UTC/GMT + 2 hours. More info at: <http://24time-zones.com/>

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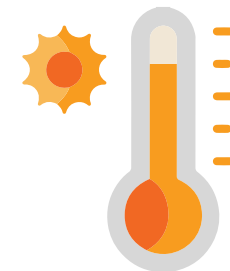
VISAS



Holders of passports of many countries do not need visas to enter South Africa. See the list available at: <http://www.dha.gov.za/index.php/immigration-services/exempt-countries>. Citizens of other countries need to apply for the visitor's visa.

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CLIMATE



During the month of May, the average daily temperature is 12.6°C (54.70F). Average high: 18.9°C (66.00F), average low: 7.2°C (45.00F). Average rainy days: 2.9 and relative humidity: 56%.