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Cable Car to Table Mountain, Cape Town

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Big Seven Travel company just released a list of The 50 Most *Instagrammable* Countries in the World, and South Africa made top 5! Have your cell-phone ready: these edition features four of the most photogenic spots in South Africa. We chose four beautiful sceneries for your next vacation in South Africa: a world of experiences, from game viewing in the bush to breath-taking landscapes, all photo-worthy spots!!

Kruger Park, Mpumalanga

This is by far South Africa's most well-known Park. With nearly 2 million hectares, it offers a fantastic biodiversity to its visitors: 336 species of trees, 114 of reptiles, 507 of birds and 147 of mammals. The Kruger borders Mozambique and spreads through the Mpumalanga and Limpopo provinces and is perfect for observing the Big Five (buffalo, lion, leopard, rhino and elephant).

Photo: Fernando Borges

More information:

www.sanparks.co.za/parks/kruger





Table Mountain, Western Cape
Towering 1.086 m above Cape Town, it is the best reference for the city. This imposing mountain, flat on top like a table, is an absolute must to visit in the mother city. The visitor should be well aware of the weather conditions beforehand to go up and enjoy a breath-taking view of the sea as well as of this beautiful city. It's one of the 7 Natural Wonders.

More information: www.capetown.travel/

The Panorama Route, Mpumalanga

On the Panorama Route in Mpumalanga, with its extraordinary vistas around every mountain corner, waterfalls plunging down faces of sheer rock, memories of the gold rush following you as you meander down an endless river canyon, and eagles hovering above your head. One breath-taking view after another, especially the truly impressive Blyde River Canyon, one of the world's largest canyons.

More information: www.mtpa.co.za/



Augrabies Falls, Northern Cape

The Augrabies Falls National Park is one of six South African national parks in the Northern Cape. It follows the course of the Orange River from just outside Kakamas to the Namibian border, spanning more than 800km². One of its biggest drawcards is the Orange River which thunders its way through the park cascading powerfully down the 56m Augrabies Falls.

More information: www.sanparks.org

FESTIVALS & EVENTS IN SOUTH AFRICA- February 2019



DUSI CANOE MARATHON

When: 14-16 February 2019

Where: Pietermaritzburg

More information: www.dusi.co.za

Every year, the world's top canoeists and teams come together to tackle the exciting Dusi Canoe Marathon, which continues to be the biggest event of its kind in all of Africa.



CLARENS CRAFT BEER FESTIVAL

When: 22 & 23 February 2019

Where: Clarens

More information: www.clarencraftbeerfest.com

Meet the Brewer, discover their brewing secrets, learn from the masters their crafts and enjoy the beer!



THE ANNUAL MARULA FESTIVAL

When: 22 & 23 February 2019

Where: Phalaborwa

More information: <http://limpopomarulafest.co.za/>

Limpopo Marula Festival is a major attraction for locals, domestic and international tourists to visit the province: music, entertainment for both children and adults and sport (golf and marathon) for a week.



MORE EVENTS

- Midmar Mile (9-10 Feb) www.midmarmile.co.za
- Design Indaba (27 Feb-1 Mar) www.conference.designindaba.com/
- Festival de Arte de Karoo fees (28 Feb– 2 Mar)
www.experiencenortherncape.com

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