

# Welcome in Pretoria

## Information for newcomers



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## **1 Historical Information about Pretoria/Tshwane**

### **The Jacaranda-City**

Pretoria, the government capital of South Africa was founded by Marthinus Wessel in 1855, who named the city after his father Andries Preorius. During the battle at the blood flow Andries Pretorius laid the foundation stone for a white settlement in the province, which was formerly known as Transvaal. In 1866 Pretoria became the capital of the Zuid-Afrikaansche Republiek until 1910 in which Pretoria became the government capital of the South African Union and finally in 1961 Pretoria became the capital of the South African Republic.

In a comparatively short period of time Pretoria turned into a lively and vibrant center with an influential business world and a strong service industry, excellent sports life, education and research facilities and fantastic job possibilities. Pretoria is the temporary home for foreign diplomats, the capital of several international organizations and different financial, cultural and religious institutions.

Pretoria became famous thanks to the more than 600 Jacaranda trees which blossom beginning of October with a beautiful lilac color throughout the city. These Jacaranda trees transform the city into a magical sea of blossoms. The first two trees were imported from Rio de Janeiro in 1855. In the early 19 Hundreds Pretoria was called the rose city, because rows of rose beds were planted at the water channels. In the 30s Pretoria was knows as a garden city, in the 40s as a park city (there are over 100 public parks); only later Pretoria was also called the Jacaranda-city. In such a way the city is called until today. In 1984 Pretoria received the Arbor Award (Tree price). Meanwhile it is being discussed to replace the foreign Jacaranda trees by local trees due to the large amount of water they need.

Originally Pretoria was built in a rectangular manner with wide streets so the ox carriages could effortlessly turn on the roads. The Apies River with its confluences was channeled; 12 bridges cross the river which is why it can hardly be seen.

In the last years Pretoria (Tshwane, which is the African name) has expanded enormously. Especially the borders to Centurion, Midrand and therefore Johannesburg are growing more and more to one huge megalopolis. Thereby unfortunately traffic is growing denser and during the main traffic hours you will be stuck in traffic.

The very beautiful old urban quarters with its gardens and old tree population were left more and more due to the security estates, which are mainly located in the eastward areas. These are surrounded by big walls and security gates. However it is possible to move freely, children as well.

Pretoria has an altitude difference of 1370 m which can be noticed in the first couple of weeks especially during physical effort. Johannesburg has an altitude of 1600m.

During the summer months from October till approximately April heavy thunderstorms may occur. You should protect yourself and your electronic devices from lightning strikes (remove cables and plugs!). The average rainfall is 700mm. Average temperature in summer is 15°/28°C. Thanks to the altitude nights are still pleasant even if the day temperature was 34°C. From April to October there is hardly any rainfall, temperatures can fall to the freezing point, but the average temperature is 6°/23°C.

The population in the metropolitan area is difficult to estimate, due to the fact that a lot of construction work is being done in Pretoria, the transitions flow into the adjoining cities and several townships belong to the city. In the urban area there is an approximate population of 1.3 million and including the surrounding there is an estimated population of 4 million inhabitants.

## **2 Emergency numbers and medical supply**

### **2.1 Emergency numbers**

Emergency call, police	10111
On suspicion of persecution by false police cars on the highway	#77
Diplomatic police	012 353 4065
AIDS-Helpline	0800 012 322
Alcoholics anonymous	012 322 6047
Ambulance	10 177
Child rape/ suicide	0800 12 3321
Child line	0800 055 555
Tshwane metropolitan police	012 308 7095/6

Fire department	10177 / 012 310 6300
Life line (emergency service for people in psychological distress)	342 90000
Rape	0 800 012 322 / 012 342 222

The telephone numbers that start with 0800 are for free.

## 2.2 Emergency services

Governmental and several private emergency services exist. Experience has shown that the use or rely on the government emergency services, for example in case of accident or sudden illness, is not inadvisable due to long waiting times.

There are two large and nationwide emergency services which deliver secure and fast help. Both work with voluntary workers, which are advised.

### - Netcare 911

Internet: [www.netcare911.co.za](http://www.netcare911.co.za)

E-Mail: [customer.service@netcare.co.za](mailto:customer.service@netcare.co.za)

Telephone (Call center): 0860-638 2273

“Individual EMS Cover“offers an extensive service in emergencies for individuals.

**Help in case of emergency (24 hours) 082-911**

### - ER24

Internet: [www.er24.co.za](http://www.er24.co.za)

E-Mail: [info@er24.co.za](mailto:info@er24.co.za)

Telephone (Call center): 0861 084 124

“ER24direct“offers an extensive service in emergencies for individuals.

**Help in case of emergency (24 hours) 084-124**

## 2.3 Doctors

(unless indicated these doctors speak English)

<b>Acupuncture</b>	Dr. Otis Chiu	012 345 6200
	557 Kenson Street, Contanstia Park	082 667 7211
<b>General Practitioner</b>	Dr. Andreas te Reh (German)	012 803 9035
	Medical consultant of the German Embassy	
	17 Alfred Street, Murrayfield	
	agtereh@mweb.co.za	083 310 2661
	Dr. K.D.O. Brenner (German)	011 646 1914
	Medical consultant of Lufthansa	
	42 Tyron Street, Parkview, Johannesburg	
	Dr. Karin Heidi Kabutz (German)	012 803 7147
	Natalie Ave 97b, next to DSP	072 768 5037

	Dr. UV Löwe (German) Menlynmed, Menlyn Retail Park, Ecke Lois / Garsfontein Str.	012 348 5245
<b>Eyespecialist</b>	Dr. Harald König Pretoria Eye Institute, Suite 230, 630 Schoemanstreet, Arcadia	012 343 8035
	Selocats Causeway/ Ecke Atterburystr. Faerie Glen harrykonig@mweb.co.za	012 993 3169
	Dr. Sevenster Pretoria Eye Institute, 630 Schoemanstreet, Arcadia	012 343 5873
	Dr. Eugen Meyer Pretoria Eye Institute, 630 Schoemanstreet, Arcadia Pretoria East Hospital, too	012 343 8047 012 998 8895/6
<b>Chiropractor</b>	Dr. Belinda Glen 463 Charlesstr., Brooklyn	012 460 6039
	Dr. J Shailen Nana Highveld Medical Centre, Centurion	012 665 3050
<b>Surgeon</b>	Dr. Bruce Barnetson Little Company of Mary 50 George Storrar Drive, Groenkloof	012 460 9591 082 5598 855
	Dr. Schalk van Heerden, Kloof Hospital, 511 Jochemusstr., Earsmuskloof Notrufnummer: Dr. Jürgen Leipoldt Wilgers Hospital, Suite A3	012 367 4323/4 012 333 6000 012 8076185/6094
<b>Gynacologist</b>	Dr. Jacques Pretorius Wilgers Hospital, Suite 116	012 807 0121 082 8070 121
	Mrs Dr. F. Baker Wilgers Hospital, Suite 6	012 807 0860
<b>Ear-Nose- Throat Specialist</b>	Dr. K.Carpenter-Klink Kloof Medical Centre, Erasmuskloof	012 367 4394

	Dr. Irmin Henkel (German) Pretoria East Hospital, Suite 7 Garsfonteinroad, Moreleta Park	012 998 8843/4/5 082 4900 616
	Dr. J. Stuart Hofmeyer Medforum, 412 Schoemanstr., Arcadia	012 322 1438 082 5576 796
	Dr. J.S. Enslin Wilgers Hospital, Suite 118	012 807 0774
<b>Dermatologist</b>	Dr. J.S. Van Heerden 421 Maraisstr., Brooklyn	012 346 3499 082 5636 683
	Dr. Marianne Duvenage 199 Bronkhorst Str, Nieuw Muckleneuk	012 460 6389
<b>Homoeopath</b>	Dr. Tania Blake 889 Morice Street, tania.blake@polka.co.za	012 753 4468
	Recommended for children and adults Travel prophylaxis, vaccination advice	
	Dr. V. Bortot 717 Wiedrighstr., Moreleta Park	012 997 1193
<b>Cardiologist</b>	Dr. Mike Bennett Wilgers Hospital, Suite 103	012 807 1287/8 012 807177
<b>Oral Surgeon</b>	Dr. Jan F. Harmse Wilgers Hospital, Suite 103	012 807 1120/1
<b>Orthodontist</b>	Dr. Birgit Scherman (German) 545 Douglas Scholtz Str., Constantia Park	012 998 4394/5
	Dr. Ghabriel Lombardy Business Park	012 809 1911
<b>(Braces)</b>	Mrs Dr. H. Smit 614 Bereastr., Muckleneuk	012 344 0960
	Dr. Koos Marais 82 Lynnwood road, Zwavelpoort,	012 809 0038
	Dr. Botha 441 Rodericksweg, Lynnwood	012 348 1189
	Dr. Nico Verloop Lombardy Business Park	012-809 1884 www.biodentsa.co.za



<b>Pediatricist</b>	Dr. Marius Spangenberg Wilgers Med. Consortium	012- 807 5422/ 0648
	Dr. M. M. Lippert Unitas Hospital, Centurion	012 664 6914 083 452 1156
<b>Mammography</b>	Dr. Labuschagne & Vennote Partners	012 460 3699
	Dr. Alwyn Carsten 905 Rubenstein Drive, Moreletapark,	012 993 0512
<b>Neurologist</b>	Dr. E van Graan Meul Medical Hospital, 4. Stock, Zi 405 577 Pretoriusstr.,Acadia	012 341 1588
<b>Orthopedist</b>	Drs.Louis Nel (sen. and jun.) (especially backs) 655 5 <sup>th</sup> Avenue, Les Marais	012 335 4059 Di/Do 8.00- 17.00
	Dr. Jan de Vos Wilgers Konsortium, Suite 1 Ecke Lynnwood / Simon Vermooten	012 807 0335
	Dr. Etienne Coetzee Pretoria East Hospital, Suite 15, 1. floor Garsfontainweg, Moreleta Park	012 998 4263 Mo/Mi 9.00-15.00
	Dr. Chris Gräbe Faerie Glen Med Centrum Room 7 Sprokie Rd	012 348 5410
<b>Osteopath</b>	Dr. Catherine Hobson 109 Farnham Road, Lynwood Manor	079 489 4025
<b>Psychologist</b>	Karin Huyssen (German, good with children) 302 Muckleneuck Str. Brooklyn	012 460 2931
<b>Dentist</b>	Dr. Kuschke (German) Lifestyle Management Park, Unit 4 221 Clifton Rd Close to Unitashospital	012 664 6359
	Dr. Justus Immelmann Dr. Pretorius (Implantation, also Children) Mo/Mi 7.00-16.00 Fr 7.00-13.00 Brooklyn Dens, 1148 Duncan Str. Brooklyn	012 460 8635 012 460 8639

	Dr. Johné Riethmann (German, good with children) Praxis Dr. Andre Strydom 940 Bernard Drive, Garsfontein	012 998 6173
	5 Drs Intercare Medical and Dental Center, Glenfair Shopping Mall Mo-Do 7.00-19.00 Fr 7.00-17.00 Ecke Lynnwood/Glenwood Rd. (also weekends)	012 368 8823
	Dr.Obus Venter Hazeldean Square, obus.venter@intercare.co.za	012 809 6000
	Dr. Michael Wiesner Momentum Mews, Hibiskus Str., Lynnwood Ridge	012 348 1219
	Dr. Anton Esterhuysen 409 Korkne Str. Arcardia	012 343 5167
	Dr. Pretorius Lesliestr. Murrayfield	012 803 3897
<b>Occupational Therapist</b>	Astrid Hansen (german, especially good with children with school stress)	012 803 1722
	Renita Gevers - powerbrain Mental training und brain activation for children, sportspeople, renita@powerbrain-institute.co.za	076 889 2006
<b>Speech Therapist</b>	Liz Van Wyk (German) 640b Plettenbergstr., Faerie Glen	012 991 2106
<b>Physiotherapy</b>	Jan Hacker High Performance Centre,UNI Pretoria Eingang Brunettstr.	012 362 9880
	Monika Schütte (German, English, Afrikaans, house visits)	082 870 6115
	Marianne Eins (German) Karin Kuntze (German) e-mail:m.eins.fisio@iafrica.com	012 807 0934
<b>Sport Therapist</b>	Michael Wittum, personal Trainer	079 179 7290

## 2.4 Private Hospitals

The South African private hospitals are mostly good. Most of the following hospitals belong to the private big and nationwide active hospital associations Life Healthcare Group and Netcare, which run several hospitals throughout the country .

Be aware of the fact that in private hospitals the full amount of the invoice must be paid straight away. Advanced payments of expected medical costs are common. It is also quite common that the implementation of necessary operations is made dependent on the anticipated cost of treatment. Ordinarily, credit card payments are accepted, never the less in case of foreseeable inspections or operations it is advised to clarify this in advance. It makes sense to raise the credit card limit to at least 5000 EUR.

### Pretoria East:

- 1. Wilgers Hospital** 012 807 8100  
Denneboom Road, The Wilgers, Pretoria  
[www.lifehealthcare.co.za/hospitals/DisplayHospital.aspx?nHospitalId=7](http://www.lifehealthcare.co.za/hospitals/DisplayHospital.aspx?nHospitalId=7).  
24h emergency ward
- 2. Pretoria East Hospital** 012 422 2300  
Ecke Garsfontein Road / Netcare Road, Moreleta Park, Pretoria  
24h emergency ward 012 422 2392  
[www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?cookie=k&Item\\_ID=5577](http://www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?cookie=k&Item_ID=5577)
- 3. Faerie Glen Hospital** 012 369 5600  
Ecke Atterbury Road / Oberon Avenue, Faerie Glen, Pretoria  
[www.lifehealthcare.co.za/hospitals/DisplayHospital.aspx?nHospitalId=20](http://www.lifehealthcare.co.za/hospitals/DisplayHospital.aspx?nHospitalId=20)  
24h emergency ward
- 4. Kloof Medi Clinic (Kloof Hospital)** 012 367 4000  
511 Jochemus Street, Erasmuskloof, Pretoria  
24h emergency ward 012 367 4076  
[www.mediclinic.co.za/hospitals/Pages/about.aspx?h=41](http://www.mediclinic.co.za/hospitals/Pages/about.aspx?h=41)  
24h emergency ward
- 5. Lynnmed Clinic** 012 348 4995  
315 The Hillside Road, Lynnwood, Pretoria  
[www.lynnmed.co.za](http://www.lynnmed.co.za)  
It is not aligned with acute emergencies. Primarily, it is aimed at stabilizing patients who need particular not an emergency, ICU care, medical diagnosis or surgery.

**Eastern or northern suburbs (Arcadia, Groenkloof, Muckleneuk):**

- 6. Little Company of Mary Hospital** 012 424 3600  
50 George Storrar Drive, Groenkloof, Pretoria  
[www.lifehealthcare.co.za/hospitals/DisplayHospital.aspx?nHospitalId=54](http://www.lifehealthcare.co.za/hospitals/DisplayHospital.aspx?nHospitalId=54)  
24h emergency ward
- 7. Netcare Jakaranda Hospital** 012 421 6700  
213 Middelburg Street, Muckleneuk, Pretoria  
[www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Category\\_ID=77](http://www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Category_ID=77)
- 8. South African Hospital / Zuid Afrikaans Hospital** 012 343 0300/1-8  
255 Bourke Street, Muckleneuk, Pretoria  
24 h emergency ward, Emergency number 012 343 5482  
[www.zah.co.za](http://www.zah.co.za)
- 9. Louis Pasteur Private Hospital** 012 336 6000  
374 Schoeman Street, Pretoria  
[www.louispasteur.co.za](http://www.louispasteur.co.za)  
24 h emergency ward
- 10. Pretoria Eye Institute** 012 343 5873  
630 Schoeman Street, Arcadia, Pretoria  
[www.eyeinstitute.co.za](http://www.eyeinstitute.co.za)  
24 h emergency ward
- 11. Netcare Femina Hospital** 012 304 1700  
460 Belvedere Street, Arcadia, Pretoria  
Internet: [www.netcare.co.za](http://www.netcare.co.za), insb. [www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Item\\_ID=5571](http://www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Item_ID=5571)  
Specialist on children and women.
- 12. Medforum General & Heart Hospital** 012 317 6700  
412 Schoeman Street, Arcadia, Pretoria  
[www.mediclinic.co.za](http://www.mediclinic.co.za) bzw. [www.mediclinic.co.za/hospitals/Pages/about.aspx?h=43](http://www.mediclinic.co.za/hospitals/Pages/about.aspx?h=43)  
24 h emergency ward
- 13. Muelmed Hospital** 012 440 0600  
577 Pretorius Street, Arcadia, Pretoria  
[www.mediclinic.co.za/hospitals/Pages/about.aspx?h=42](http://www.mediclinic.co.za/hospitals/Pages/about.aspx?h=42)  
24 h emergency ward
- 14. Sunnyside Medi-Clinic (Pretoria Gynaecological Hospital)** 012 341 8217  
132 Cilliers Street, Sunnyside, Pretoria  
[www.mediclinic.co.za/hospitals/Pages/about.aspx?h=44](http://www.mediclinic.co.za/hospitals/Pages/about.aspx?h=44)

**15. Pretoria Heart Hospital** (Medi-Clinic Heart Hospital) 012 440 0200  
551 Park Street, Arcadia, Pretoria  
[www.mediclinic.co.za/hospitals/pages/contact.aspx?h=45](http://www.mediclinic.co.za/hospitals/pages/contact.aspx?h=45)  
24 h emergency ward

**16. Pretoria Urology Hospital** 012 423 4000  
1162 Pretorius Street (Ecke Grosvenor / Pretorius Street), Hatfield, Pretoria  
Internet [www.urology.co.za](http://www.urology.co.za)

### **West/north areas of the city**

**17. Moot Algemeen Hospital** (Netcare Moot Hospital) 012 330 8200  
572 18<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Rietfontein, Pretoria  
[www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Category\\_ID=80](http://www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Category_ID=80)  
24 h emergency ward

**18. Netcare Bougainville Hospital** 012 379 0264  
Ecke Jennings Street / Redelinghuys Street, Daspoort, Pretoria  
[www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Item\\_ID=5599](http://www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Item_ID=5599)

**19. Eugene Marais Hospital** 012 334 2777  
696 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Les Marais, Pretoria  
[www.lifehealthcare.co.za/hospitals/DisplayHospital.aspx?nHospitalId=19](http://www.lifehealthcare.co.za/hospitals/DisplayHospital.aspx?nHospitalId=19)  
24 h emergency ward

**20. Netcare Akasia Hospital** 012 522 1000  
Ecke Heinrich Avenue / Brits Road, Karen Park, Akasia, Pretoria  
[www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Item\\_ID=5566](http://www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Item_ID=5566)  
24 h emergency ward

### **Centurion**

**21. Unitas Hospital** 012 677 8000  
Clifton Avenue, Lyttelton, Centurion, Pretoria  
[www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Item\\_ID=137](http://www.netcare.co.za/live/content.php?Item_ID=137)

### **2.5 Aids**

Based on the very high AIDS-rate you should be aware of the different ways of possible transmission. In case you have the fear that you have been infected with HIV (e.g. due to an accident or sexual abuse) drive immediately to the emergency room of the die Wilgers Hospital (24hours). Let them give you the medicine which can prevent the HIV disease if you take the medicine in the next 44 hours after the potential infection. The trusted doctor of the German Embassy is Dr. A. te Reh does not have this medicine.

## **2.6 Bilharzias**

While swimming in rivers/ lakes/ dams you should consider that all waters may be infected with bilharzias. There is only little danger in cool, fast flowing waters or cataracts in mountain areas.

## **2.7 Blood transfusions**

At the embassy a list exists with blood types of several delegated of substitution for the emergency and the need of a blood transfusion. Many find this saver than the blood preservations at the local blood bank. In case you would like to be included, please message the chancellor, so he can add you to the list.

## **2.8 Malaria**

Certain areas in South Africa, especially the north and parts of the Kruger National Park, are Malaria Zones. Before you visit such areas make sure to inform yourself about the appropriate Malaria prophylaxis a t a doctor. The prophylaxis is easily purchased, but must be taken latest 48 hours before you travel to the Malaria zones.

## **2.9 Snake bites**

Snakes can be found, but rather seldom. Many snakes are not poisonous and even the poisonous snakes are normally not aggressive and very shy. Most private hospitals are able to treat snake bites.

## **2.10 Drinking water**

In cities and in the country side water auf of the tap is drinkable. Nevertheless many like to filter the water because of taste reasons. Make sure to cook or sterilize the water in case you are camping or you use unsterile water. Mineral water can be bought in supermarkets.

# **3 Travelling to and in South Africa**

## **3.1 Distances from Pretoria**

- Johannesburg	60 km
- International Airport Johannesburg (O.R. Tambo)	48 km
- Durban	660 km
- Cape town	1490 km
- Kruger National Park ( Numbi Gate)	386 km
- Windhoek	1600 km
- Maputo	550 km

### 3.2 – by car

The main street system is built very well; Highways are partially liable to fees (T= Tollroad/ Tollgates). You must drive on the left hand side and the steering wheel is on the right side. Normally driving on the left side is easy to get used to but make sure to drive safely, especially when taking a right turn.

Wearing a seatbelt is obligated.

An advantage of the South African streets is that traffic lights (robots) are also on the other side of the crossroads. Attention! South Africans tend to start driving before the lights have turned green.

Make sure to always look around you. Legally you are allowed to overtake on the left and on the right side, often without using the indicator. Especially Taxis believe that traffic regulations do not apply for them. Due to the fact the regular TV checks do not exist, taxis and trucks are mostly not up to date with safety regulations of Germany. In addition they are also often and not secured properly. Make sure to always keep a safety distance and overtake quickly.

Pedestrians and animals often walk on and over the street, even on the highway, especially when there are townships on the left or right hand side of the road and there are no possibilities to cross the road otherwise.

The speed limit on highways is 100 km/h, on country roads 100 km/h and in the city 60 km/h. Many speed traps exist and police controls are increasing.

In the suburbs, you can find so-called "Four Way Stops" or "Roundabouts" (Circles) Who arrives first at the intersection or roundabout has priority. This also applies for little side streets, which lead into intersections or roundabouts, please stop at the "Stops" and drive safely into the roundabouts.

In case of an accident without injuries the police will only come if you ask them to. Normally, the personal details of the accident opponents are exchanged or you drive to the next police station. Either way the accident must be reported, then you will receive from the police station an accident number/ Case number, which will be needed for you to report the accident at your insurance company.

The "Automobile Association" (AA), the South African ADAC, can answer all traffic related questions and helps members in case of breakdowns or other damages.

**Further Information:** [www.aa.co.za](http://www.aa.co.za)  
Breakdown help

0123 329 2433  
0800 01010





3.	Church	From Nelson Mandela to the East – Stanza Bopape; From Nelson Mandela Church Square – Helen Joseph; From Nelson Mandela to R511 – WF Nkomo; From R511 to West – Elias Motswaledi
4.	Michael Brink	Nico Smith
5.	Zambesi Drive	Sefako Makgatho
6.	Hendrik Verwoerd	Johan Heyns
7.	Beatrix/Mears/Voortrekker	Steve Biko
8.	Hans Strydom	Solomon Mahlangu
9.	Mitchell	Charlotte Maxeke
10.	Pretorius	
11.	Schoeman	Frances Baard
12.	Van der Walt	Lilian Ngoyi
13.	Andries	Thabo Sehume
14.	DF Malan	E'skia Mphahlele
15.	Prinsloo	Sisulu
16.	Skinner	Nana Sita
17.	Jacob Mare	Jeff Masemola
18.	Queen Wilhelmina	Florence Ribeiro
19.	Esselen	Robert Sobukwe
20.	Vermeulen	Madiba
21.	Schubart	Sophie de Bruyn
22.	Potgieter	Kgosi Mampuru
23.	Paul Kruger	
24.	Proes	Johannes Ramokhoase
25.	Duncan	Jan Shoba

26	Genl Louis Botha	January Masilela
27	Walker/Charles	Justice Mohammed
28	Nelson Mandela Drive	Nelson Mandela

### 3.3 –by plane

#### Johannesburg International Airport O.R. Tambo

General	011 921 6262
	011 390 1420
Arrival/ Departure	086 727 7888
Or under	www.acsa.co.za
Lost and found	011 978 4777
Flightinfo: send SMS with flight number	35 007

#### Lanseria Airport

011 659 2750

#### Wonderboom Airport

012 567 1188/9

#### Unaccompanied Flight luggage

Company Schenker	011 971 8400
Panorama Road (Direction Airport)	

CD Shipping International	021 700 2680
Mr W. Vogel	083 625 8727
(For moves and car transport)	Fax: 021 702 3921

SA Airways – reservations	011 978 1111
www.flysaa.com	

### 3.4 - by bus

Busses travel between most cities. Bus maps and plans can be found at Computicket <http://online.computicket.com/travel/> or in travel agencies.

Greyhound / Citoliner	www.greyhound.co.za	012 322 7460
Translux	www.translux.co.za	012 315 3476 / 334 8000

### 3.5 –by train

The Gautrain (coinage, set together from Gauteng and train) is a regional train system. The Gautrain network connects Johannesburg, Pretoria and the international Airport OR Tambo and encompasses three line branches with a total length of approximately 80 km. [www.gautrain.co.za](http://www.gautrain.co.za)

**Transnet** [www.transnet.net](http://www.transnet.net) and **Spoornet** [www.spoornet.co.za](http://www.spoornet.co.za) are private companies with governmental participation. Information about “Mainline Passenger Services” can be found under: 012 315 2007/8

The “**Blue train**” is a luxury train. It travels once a week between Pretoria, Johannesburg and Cape Town. [www.bluetrain.co.za](http://www.bluetrain.co.za) 012 334 8459

The “**Rovos Rail**” is an antique train which offers several trips throughout South Africa and Zimbabwe. [www.rovos.com](http://www.rovos.com)

The **Shongololo Express** ... translated as millipede offers original possibilities to get to know South Africa. It is a Hotel train with a casual atmosphere and sleeping cabinets. A dining cabin and a bar cabin are offered for catering and entertainment with the travelers. Air conditioned mini buses are taken with on the train for excursions on the way, whereby several excursion possibilities are offered. The train is used on several routes. [www.shongololo.com](http://www.shongololo.com)

### 3.6 –by taxi

<https://www.uber.com/>

### 3.7 Guesthouses in Pretoria

<b>Shere Wood Experience</b>	012 809 2398
100R Cole Street, Shere	079 318 3092
<a href="http://www.sherewoodlodge.co.za">www.sherewoodlodge.co.za</a>	

<b>Silver Palms</b>	Pieter	082 492 4866
105, Gleneagles Drive, Silver Lakes	Martie	082 929 9192
<a href="http://www.silverpalms.co.za">www.silverpalms.co.za</a>		

<b>The Lakes Boutique Lodge</b>	
43, La Quinta Drive, Silver Lakes, <a href="http://www.thelakeslodge.co.za">www.thelakeslodge.co.za</a>	012 809 0423

<b>Villa la Vé Guesthouse</b>	012 809 1404
43, Hobdays Crescent, Silver Lakes, <a href="http://www.villalave.co.za">www.villalave.co.za</a>	

<b>Viva Africa Guest House (German)</b>	012 993 2250
Wolfram und Agnes Zehetleitner	072 952 1935
346, Timothy Street, Waterkloof Glen	
<a href="http://www.viva-africa-zehetleitner.com">www.viva-africa-zehetleitner.com</a>	

<b>Wings and Water Guesthouse</b>	012 809 0372
64, Nicklaus Street, Silver Lakes	
<a href="http://www.wingsandwater.co.za">www.wingsandwater.co.za</a>	

### 3.8 Weekend excursions

#### **Botanical Garden Pretoria**

Also known as the Notional Botanical Institute (SANBI) is very worth seeing.

The restaurant “Mokha” has a beautiful garden is a lovely place to linger. 012 544 0144

### **Botshabe**

Museum and nature reserve, 12 km north from Middelburg on the road to Groblerstreet is wonderful to hike. 012 243 5020

### **Cullinan, Diamond tour**

Guided tours are daily at 10am and 2pm, approximately 2 hours. In Cullinan diamonds are still asked for and there is the possibility to receive a good overview of the mining essence. The mine is 40 minutes east on the N4 from Pretoria. The famous Cullinan diomand was found here. 012 734 026

### **Cradle of Humankind/ Sterkfontein Caves and Maropeng Visitor Centre**

( approximately 50 km west from Johannesburg) 011 956 6342  
Locality of many hominid fossils; also the so-called Mrs Plee; tours in the caves

### **De Wildt Cheetah Project**

Is a cheetah breeding project at Hartbeespoortdam. Make sure to book tours in advance. Children with 6 year, please announce in advance. 012 504 1921

### **Emerienta Dam**

This dam is a part of the Braamfontein Spruits and borders on the botanical garden of Johannesburg. A sail club can be found with its focus on sail yachts, wind surfing, scuba diving and model boat enthusiasts. Entrance is free.

### **Gold Reef City in Johannesburg**

[www.goldreefcity.co.za](http://www.goldreefcity.co.za)

The opening hours are from Tuesday to Sunday from 9:00-17:00. It is a place that is just as fun for adults and children. Gold Reef City is an exact copy of how the life in Johannesburg used to be. There are different kinds of entertainment, Restaurant and Cafes, a theme park and a train, gold bar production, a gold mine and much more.

### **Goldmine tours**

The tours are offered on Tuesdays, Wednesday and Thursday. The tour is through a mine close to Johannesburg which is still in use up to today. People under 16 and over 60 are not prohibited. 011 838 8211

Northwest from Pretoria the **Magaliesberg ridge** with the **Hartbeespoort Dam** can be found. Many different accommodations are in this area and a lot of leisure activities can be done in the nature, such as fishing, sailing, wind surfing and walking in the reservoirs.

### **Hartbeespoort** [www.hartiescableway.co.za](http://www.hartiescableway.co.za)

The peak can be reached with gondolas and offers a stunning view of the Magaliesberg and the Hartbeespoort Dam. Restaurants play grounds, Dassie loop road

### **Hedianga Farm**

Is in the East of Pretoria on the Bromber. It is ideal for hiking, mountain biking, bird watching and walks with the dog. Achilles Road, Plot 85, <http://runtrail.co.za/hedianga-farm/>

**Irene Farm**

Nellmapius Drive, Irene. This is a beautiful farm with a garden restaurant which is worth visiting. Fresh milk, cream and other products can be bought directly from the farm.

**Johannesburg Stock exchange**

Tours from Monday to Friday from 11:00 till 14:30

**Johannesburg**, the best way to see the city is on the **Hop On –Hop Off Bus**

[www.citysightseeing.co.za](http://www.citysightseeing.co.za) (good start: apartheid museum)

**Johannesburg Zoo**

The zoo is located on the exit of Jan Smuts Avenue, Saxonwald, in wonderful area and is open daily from 8:30 till 17:30.

**Lesedi**

Cultural Village, N14 exit R512 direction Hartbeespoort. Dances of different tribes are performed. It is possible to eat and sleep there.

**Lion Park**

Gauteng's No. 1 Tourist Destination, [www.lion-park.com](http://www.lion-park.com)

011 691 9905

**Ludwigs Roses**

Rose farm in northern Pretoria on the highway N1 direction Polokwana. The exit after Zambesi Drive is displayed clearly.

**Pilanesberg Nationalpark**

The game park is situated only 2 hours north from Pretoria. Maybe you find up to 8000 plants and animals including the BIG 5. Different kind of accommodation is available.

**Rosemary Hill**

Agricultural farm in the eastern Pretoria. Great for hiking, mountain biking, bird watching etc. [www.rosemaryhill.co.za](http://www.rosemaryhill.co.za)

**Rhino-Lionpark**

Rhino and Lion nature reserve, [www.rhinolion.co.za](http://www.rhinolion.co.za)

011 957 0106

**Sammy Marks Museum**

Very nice museum with a tea garden along the N4, direction Witbank. Approximately 15-20 minutes away from the DSP. With a reservation it is possible to have diner in a large group in the old kitchen of the main house.

**Sun City/ The Palace of the Lost City/ Valley of the waves**

It is a mixture of Disney, Las Vega and South Africa. A worthwhile trip with accommodation, restaurants up to luxury standards, a golf course, casino, wave pool, water slides, beach, exotic garden and a lake on which it is possible to do water sport.

## **The National Zoological Gardens and Aquariums**

012 328 3265

The 60ha large zoo is in the heart of Pretoria Ever since its opening in 1899 it has grown so much that it has achieved worldwide recognition. Approximately 140 mammal and 320 bird species have found in this beautiful park like area their home. A cable cart gives you a stunning overview of the Zoo and the surrounding city. In the Aquarium 300 different sweet and salt water fish species and several amphibious and invertebrate species are located. Reptiles of the whole world can be found in the reptile park.

## **Wondercave**

Close to the Rhino and Lionpark, see above.

### **3.9 Travel agencies for travelling in Africa ( German speaking)**

Cross Country Air Safaris	<a href="http://www.airsafaris.co.za">www.airsafaris.co.za</a>	012 460 3740
Brigitte Cross (also flies itself)		082 453 5865
Fly South		012 809 1891
Dirk Caspers (also flies itself)		072 129 1725
Outlook Africa, Corinna Howard	<a href="http://www.outlookafrica.co.za">www.outlookafrica.co.za</a>	012 809 2784 083 228 7182
Pack Safari Oda Muhr	<a href="http://www.packsafari.com">http://www.packsafari.com</a>	012 807 4151
Touraco Travel, Service Irene	<a href="http://www.touraco.de">www.touraco.de</a>	012 803 8585 082 411 6116

## **4. Telecommunication**

### **4.1 Landline**

At this point of time there are two telephone companies NEOTEL [www.neotel.co.za](http://www.neotel.co.za) and TELKOM [www.telkom.co.za](http://www.telkom.co.za) that offer telephone systems throughout the country. Based on the long waiting times it is advisable to overtake the landline of the previous tenant. For the connection to Germany and the rest of the world it is advised to register at Deunet: [www.deunet.co.za](http://www.deunet.co.za) +27 21 851 2543

Very useful are the first pages of your telephone book or the yellow pages. Both are available for free at Telkom or at your Post office.

To register a new phone you need:

- a cash deposit- we advise a minimum of 1200 Rand (see down "Credit Limit-System")
- a copy of your passport and your work permit or residence permit.
- a filled out Telkom-form
- post address

Additional information: ask your agent if he can take care of the registration.

## **Credit Limit-System**

In case the telephone bill is higher than the deposit, Telkom will block your telephone line, that means you can only receive telephone calls. Normally Telkom will inform you early enough and there is the possibility of paying the difference in the next 48 hours. As soon as you have made the deposit your line will be unblocked.

## **Landline**

It is advisable to overtake the previous tenant landline. This should be taken care of as soon as possible due to long waiting times for a new landline.

## **Invoice**

Every month Telkom sends an invoice with all the telephone numbers, time and duration of the calls you have made. A diversification to Germany is that there is the possibility of paying your invoice at a cashier at the supermarkets Woolworth, Pick'n'Pay or Checkers or online [www.telkom.co.za/onlinebill](http://www.telkom.co.za/onlinebill)

## **Accessories**

German telephones and fax machines cannot be plugged into the South Africa network. Multisystem usually works, please ensure when buying.

## **Country codes**

For international calls add 00 at the beginning, then the country code of your wished country ( Germany=49), the city code without the zero and then the telephone number of your wished receiver.

From overseas to South Africa: 0027 (codes to make the call cheaper are available)

A Telkom customer service point can be found in the Menlyn shopping center, Atterbury Rd and in other big shopping malls.

Service department DSL	08 0037 537
Applying for a new landline	10219
Telephone service	10212
Verification of a non-functioning telephone number	10212
Reclamation of invoices	10210
Telephone information Pretoria	1023
Telephone information	1025
Telephone information international	0903

## **4.2 Mobile telephone**

Mobile phones are a must in South Africa. Also for security reasons every family member should have a cell phone. These are the main providers:

- Cell C ([www.cellc.co.za](http://www.cellc.co.za))
- Vodacom ([www.vodacom.co.za](http://www.vodacom.co.za))
- Virgin Mobile ([www.virginmobile.co.za](http://www.virginmobile.co.za))
- MTN ([www.mtn.co.za](http://www.mtn.co.za))
- Heita ([www.8ta.co.za](http://www.8ta.co.za))

## 5. Medien

### 5.1. TV's

It is illegal to watch TV without a TV license. The license can be bought at every post office for a yearly TV fee. In case a new TV is bought in South Africa the license must be presented at the cashier straight away otherwise the purchase is not possible. Multisystem equipment is necessary. The change from the German TV to a South African one is too difficult and expensive. To receive all non-governmental channels, you need a decoder, which one gets in any television shop or when installing Deukom  
www. Deukom.co.za 021 8512543

Before you are able to receive Deukom, a smartcard must be purchased for the wished Program, at Multichoice. Glenwood Building, Glen-wood Road, You will be able to receive Deukom as soon as the number of the smartcard had been activated via

The four governmental channels which can be received via Antenne are:  
**SABC 1** (South African Broadcasting Corporation)  
Here something for every family member can be found. The programs are broadcasted in Zulu, Xhosa and English

**SABC 2** is the TV channel with the geographically largest transmission network. During the main streaming hours the channel is broadcasted in Setswana, Sesotho, Sepedi, Afrikaans and English

**SABC 3** shows mostly English programs and is the most cosmopolitan. There is entertainment with movies, mini-series , TV movies and documentaries in sequels.

**e-TV** information and entertainment is mainly in english.

The following channels must be purchased and payed extra and can only be received with a decoder at Multichoice.

Multichoice Agent, Gelnrant Geboli, 62 Glenwood Weg, Lynwoodglen. 012 348 1035

**M -Net** has mainly movies, sports, documentaries and children's programs primarily in English. 012 348 2222

**Deunet** shows german TV. Application at Deukom:  
www.deukom.co.za just few channels 021 851 2543

**DSTV** offers international TV Channels (eg. BBC, CNN, MTV, sport channels, etc.)  
Gift Acres, Lynnwood Street, opposite the Lynnwood Ridge

### 5.2 Radio

**Radio Classic** (FM 102.7)



**Impact Radio** (FM 103), christian radio station

**Radio Safm** (FM 104,6) sends news with BBC as their role model. Detailed news, music, short stories, quizzes and listeners interviews.

**Radio Jakaranda** (FM 94.2) offers a mixture of music and news.

**Radio 5** (FM 48) a popular radio channel which can be listen to throughout the country.

**Radio 2000** (FM 97.5) plays soft music, no advertisement.

**Highveld Stereo** (FM 94.7) offers popular music and news

**Metro Radio** (AM 576) plays African oriented popmusic

**Radio 702** (FM 106) is a 24h talkshow, where listeners call all the time. Very interesting if you want to find out the mindset of south Africans on a day to day basis. All kinds of opinions are supported.

**Radio Lotus** is the radio station for indian music

**Radio Five FM** (FM 103.6) offers music for teenagers.

**Tuks Radio** is the radio station of the university and is very alternative

**Radio Pretoria** (FM 104.2)

In the evening on 1187 AM u. received on shortwave and BBC World Service.

### **5.3. Magazines and newspapers**

**German newspapers and magazines** can't be found anywhere in Pretoria. Basically, these are available through the bookstore Eulenspiegel . In Cape Town, there is the bookshop Naumann. From there, the books ordered will be sent to your home . A visit to the bookstore in Cape Town is definitely worth it as there is plenty of German literature there.

**Ulrich Naumann**, 17 Burgstr., Cape Town 8001 021 423 7832

**K + P Lohmiller**, Cresta Shopping Centre, kploh@global.co.za  
RO04, DF Malan Drive, Randburg 2194, Cresta Ext. 4 011 478 1106

#### **Daily newspaper**

is normally bought on the streets, in super markets or with a subscription, whereby the delivery is mostly not reliable. People selling the newspaper should receive a small tip.

The **Pretoria News** can be bought three times a day: in the morning, late morning at 11:30 and another one at 14:30. This newspaper is read throughout all societies. There is a classified section with for example the following headings: Everything under R 75 , special holiday offers , Job , Housing , cars , birth and death information . Furthermore, there is a "Interval supplement" , which informs you about radio and TV programs about news from the fields of entertainment , theater and cinema . One finds a youth and children's sector with movie reviews and gossip showbiz , Fridays and Saturdays a property section and a travel section can be found.

**The Citizen** will appear from Monday to Saturday and is aimed at the general public. It contains a classified section, a weekly supplement on horse racing and on Fridays a motorist section

**Business Day** is directed primarily at the business community and professionals, but is also nice to read of politicians. The content is a mix of news about politics, economy and trade. It is South African version of the British Financial Times.

**The Sowetan** appears Mondays to Fridays. This newspaper informs about general and political news from the world of finance as well as an extensive classified section.

**Weekly newspapers** can not be bought on the street but must be purchased in super-markets or in CAN shops.

**Junk mail** is published weekly on Thursdays and is the largest thrift indication sheet. Here you can buy and sell everything from dogs to the cars.

The **Financial Mail** is a business newspaper and appears on Thursdays. It informs on a socio-political, economic and financial level and is mainly bought by readers of the upper-income groups. It is based on the model of the British Economist.

**The Weekly Mail and Guardian** appears on Fridays in addition to excerpts from Le Monde and The Washington Post. They inform politically with South African and international news. Side dishes with intensive treatment of various themes appear throughout the year. The Weekly Mail organizes e.g. also an annual film festival , which shows films that are not presented in the cinema . They organize a Book Week where South African and international guest speakers are invited. It includes interesting discussions and debates held on various topics .

**Finance Week** is published weekly every Thursday. It informs mainly on commercial , economic and financial level .

**The Sunday Times** is read by more than 3 million people from all social levels and cultures. It is widely available in South Africa and includes a prestigious business section, a side supplement and general current reports from Germany and abroad.

**The Independent** is a relatively new Sunday newspaper with a serious character whose popularity, however, throughout the country is currently increases. It covers world news, sports, business, trade and has an interesting side supplements.

Foreign newspapers and magazines are rare to find.

Recommended is the South African magazine **Getaway**. It appears monthly and reports on destinations in South Africa and in the African countries. It contains an excellent classified section with ads of interesting places, tourist attractions, accommodations etc.

## 5.4 Books

In Pretoria many book stores can be found. These are the most popular ones:

<b>Exclusive Books</b>	Brooklyn Mall, Menlyn Shopping Center, Woodlands Boulevard
<b>Juta &amp; Co</b>	Hatfield Plaza, Burnett Str. im 1.Stock (englische Schulbücher)
<b>C.N.A.</b>	(Central News Agency), stationary chain in many malls that also offers books, magazines, computer software etc.

### 5.4.1 Libraries

The city council is responsible for the provision and maintenance of libraries. Libraries lend not only books and music for all ages, they also offer various educational and entertainment activities.

Library in the DSP also for adults

Waterkloof	Waterkloof Shopping Center	012 460 2592
Constantia Park	Glenstantia Bücherei, 510 Chopin Street	012 998 6210
Listeners Library	Daventry Street,	012 348 2480

## 6. City council City of Tshwane [www.tshwane.gov.za](http://www.tshwane.gov.za)

### Services of the Municipal Works / city authorities

Your main contact for local authorities is made through your local municipality.

Telephone central	308 7911
Emergencies	427 7111
Customer service	308 4660/1

A complete list of all the authorities numbers can be found in the phone book under City Council of Pretoria / Tshwane.

### 6.1. Electricity

Eskom is South Africa's national electricity producer. Local or city authorities are the official electricity suppliers. When signing a contract, a deposit must be paid. Invoices are sent by read electricity consumption monthly. If the reader doesn't come, you will receive an estimated bill. There is also the possibility to pay in advance for power.

**Attention: Loadshedding** [www.loadshedding.eskom.co.za](http://www.loadshedding.eskom.co.za)

Due to lack of electricity nationwide regular power outages occur. It is advisable to have candles, flashlights and other nonelectric- dependent light sources at hand.

## **6.2 Water**

The "Edge Water Council" delivers the Greater Gauteng with water. As with electricity the current water supply is also managed by the city authorities.

Water consumption is indeed read only every 3 months, the average consumption is still provided on a monthly basis together with the electricity bill and is adjusted every three months to the actual consumption. The water - meter and the main faucet are located mostly outside the house, often at the main entrance to the property.

## **6.3 Gas**

Gas is normally not used and is only available in certain areas in Pretoria. But in winter gas heaters are often used. Gas bottles can be bought at petrol stations or at Builders Warehouse or MICA.

## **6.4 Waste collection**

The waste collection takes place once a week. Please use by the municipal authority complimentary black dust bin. The dissipation times are different and change when holidays fall in between. At the end of the year waste calendars are distributed for free to all households .

## **6.5 Further services of the municipal authorities**

- Ambulance Services
- Construction plans, civil defense, fire protection
- Health services including health care, crisis control and consultation .
- Driving licenses, traffic control, car control plaques
- Citizens' Advice Bureau (Citizens Advice Bureau ) , Monday - Friday 9 -16.30 h  
012 322 6630

## **7 Banks**

In South Africa there are four main Banks.

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

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

First National Bank (<http://www.fnb.co.za>)

Standard Bank ([www.standardbank.co.za](http://www.standardbank.co.za))

The banks tend to be rather careful with doing business with new customers. Before they offer their services they demand a copy of the work contract, passport, proof of resident and references. Once you have opened a new account you will receive the needed debitcards, with which you will be able to draw money at cash machines ( ATM, automated teller machines) and you will also be able to pay in stores and restaurants.

Most banks do not like to tell their fees unless you ask directly about them. Make sure to do so before you open an account. Banks are open from Monday to Fridays from 9:00 till 15:30 o'clock and Saturdays from 8:30 till 11:00 o'clock. In Menlyn shopping center the banks are even open on Sundays from 9:00 till 11:00. Most banks also place ATMs all over the city. Of course it is the cheapest to draw money at your own bank.

### **Credit cards**

For the beginning important: all ATMs can be used with German EC and Bank cards (up to 2x 3000Rand daily). Make sure to press "transmission". Credit cards from banks are accepted close to everywhere. The most popular cards are MasterCard and Visa. American Express and Diner's Club cards are only accepted in some shops and restaurants. A Credit card can be issued at a local bank. After an examination of the card issuer the bank sets a credit limit. The issuing bank sends you a monthly statement preparation; if after the due date, an amount has not yet been paid, interest will be charged from the applicable interest rate, which is usually higher than the rate for the coated bank account. Simultaneously with the credit card, the garage -Card should be requested to refuel.

### **8 Post and other services**

The opening hours are Monday to Friday from 8:00 till 16:30 o'clock and Saturdays from 8:00 till 12:00 o'clock.

The post offices offer the regular services such as letters, packages, international post. At the post offices Telkom and water bills can also be paid (only cash or check).

The post also offers financial services such as postal money orders and postal savings account.

Air mail usually has a delivery time of 5 days. Detailed information about post costs can be found at every post office. Letters can be thrown into red post boxes or be given to the post office. These can be found in the open or on walls.

### **Post-delivery**

Not in all city areas post is delivered to the house door. It is possible to rent a post box for approximately 250 Rand a year.

### **Addresses and telephone number for a few post offices**

- Hauptpostamt, Churchsquare, Churchstreet, Pretoria Mitte (Central)
- Faerie Glen 1, Pick'n Pay Hypermarket
- Faerie Glen 2, Oberonstreet
- Groenkloof, George Storrar Drive
- Hatfield, 352 Festival Street
- Lynnwood Ridge, Jacobson Street
- Menlo Park, 53 - 13th Street
- Meyerspark, Margaritha Street
- Moreleta Park, Moreleta Plaza, Rubenstein Street
- Silver Oaks Crossing
- The Willows, Willow Way Shopping Centre, off Lynnwoodroad

**DHL International (PTY) Ltd.**  
1282 Pretorius Street, Hatfield

0860 345 000

### **Postnet**

Is also an independent company from the postal companies, which operates on a franchise basis and offers services similar to the Post and DHL worldwide. The branches can be found in most shopping malls. Here you also get a series of stamps and can pay telephone and electricity bills, this service has to be paid extra and is expensive.

## **9 Shopping possibilities**

Similar as in the USA in South Africa you will usually find all shops under one roof. These so called malls range from small 12 store complex to multiple floor malls with a large variety of shops, restaurants, banks and cinemas. Such shopping malls exist a lot in Pretoria. All the malls have large parking places/houses and are relatively safe, especially also for younger people great to go shopping, to eat or go the cinema. (BUT make sure to take your cellphone with).

In the City center malls are for example the standard bank centre or Sammy Marks. Although the city centre is being avoided by the most whites due to security reasons. Normally you will be able find your daily needs in the mall/supermarket in your living area.

### **Groceries**

German bakery "Die Brotstube" 012 803 2833

Austrian Butcher "Alma" 012 803 3335

These are next to each other: Natalie Road 21 Murrayfield  
Monday till Saturday from 7:30am

Späth delicacies, meat: 21 Axle Street 012 803 6300

Italien/ European specialties: "La Spiga", Lynwood Road/ Gen. Luis Botha, and in Brooklynn Mall top floor.

Cremalat Cheese Italian specialty and especially cheese: Friday and Saturday  
Entrance Virgin Activ, George Storrar Dr. Groenkloof, Pretoria  
next to the German Embassy

Italian specialty and especially cheese: only Friday 10:00-14:00 o'clock  
Cellierstreet 88, Sunnyside 012 344 5797

## **Fresh vegetables and fruit**

Housewife market, corner Lynnwood/Glen. Louis Botha  
Farmstalls, in several areas of Pretoria

Saturday mornings there is a Boeremarkt (farmers market) Watermeyer Str./Pioneer Museum. The market begins in the morning from 6:00 till 9:00. Wake up early!

High quality products can be found at Woolworths (Also good quality clothing) Brooklyn Mall, Menlyn Mall, Woodlands Boulevard, Moreleta Plaza, The Grove.

Apart from department stores there are several chains that specialize on electronics e.g. Game, Clicks, Home, New World in Menlyn mall etc.

## **Opening hours**

Opening hours depend on the stores. Most shops are also open on Sundays.

## **Alcohol**

Alcohol can not be bought in supermarkets (apart from Wine). Alcohol can only be bought in Liquor stores.

## **Large Shoppingmalls**

Brooklyn Mall, Brooklyn Circle/Fehrsen- und Veale Str.  
Castle Walk Shopping Center, Ecke Louis-/Nossobstr., Erasmuskloof  
Centurion Mall, Heuwel Avenue, Centurion  
Glen Village, Hans Strijdom-/Olympus Road, Fairy Glen  
Hatfield Plaza, Burnett Street, Hatfield  
Kollonade, Zambesi Drive, Pretoria Nord (mit Eislaufbahn)  
Lynwood Bridge Mall Lynwood Road / Daventry Street, Lynwood Manor  
Menlyn Mall, Atterbury Road / Lois Str.  
Moreleta Plaza, Rubenstein Av., Moreleta Park  
The Grove Mall, Hans-Strijdom / Lynnwood Road (Eislaufbahn, Kino)  
Waterglen Mall, Louis Botha / Garsfontein Road  
Woodlands Boulevard, Garsfontein Road nach Woodhill  
Watermeyer Park, Watermeyer Street, Val de Grace

Apart from these large malls you will find small shops close to you, known as "Cafes", beverage stores, fruit and vegetable shops.

## **Supermarket chains:**

Pick'n Pay,  
Checkers,  
Hyperama,  
Spar-/ Superspar,  
Woolworth, known for its good quality

## **Make sure to look at expiry date on the food!**

## **Flea markets in Pretoria**

Hazelfoodmarket	<a href="http://www.hazelfoodmarket.co.za">www.hazelfoodmarket.co.za</a>
Irene Market	<a href="http://www.irenemarket.co.za">www.irenemarket.co.za</a>
Hatfield	Burnett Street, Hatfield Plaza, every sunday
Magnolia Del	Queen Wilhelmina Avenue, every first Sunday of the month
Welwitscha	Streetmarket/ Flea market at the N4 Direction Rustenburg in Hartbeespoort
Street market	Zoo Pretoria

## **Flea market in Johannesburg**

Roof Market	Norwood Mall, every Sunday 9 am to 4 pm from September, 1st 2013 upper level parkade
Market Theatre	Breestr., Newtown
Organic Market	Culross Rd., Bryanston, in der Michael Mount School (Waldorfschule) Thursday and Saturday 9:00-15:00 <a href="http://www.bryanstonorganicmarket.co.za">www.bryanstonorganicmarket.co.za</a>
Bruma Lake	Bedfordview, open daily
Riversands Farm	Fourways, Hardtbeespoort Rd.

**Baking material** Bakers Bin [www.bakersbin.co.za](http://www.bakersbin.co.za)  
Jimnett's, Lynnridge Shopping Mall

**Handicraft work material** Jimnett's, (Best in Pretoria)  
Lynnridge Shopping Mall, corner Lynnwoodrd. and Jacobsonrd.  
Schweickart Art Centre, 351 Lynwoodstr. 012 460 5406

**Hardwarestore** Builders Warehouse (mit der größte in Pretoria) ,  
Atterbury Value Mart, Kollonade und Gezina  
Mica Hardware, Cnr Hans Strijdom & Bendeman Blvd  
[www.mica.co.za](http://www.mica.co.za)  
Chamberlains, Cnr Hans Strijdom & Bendeman Blvd  
[www.chamberlain.co.za](http://www.chamberlain.co.za)

**Glaze and Frames** Lynnwoodridge Glass, Lynnridge Mall 012 348 1399

**Flower shops** Colleen's Flowers (wonderful flowers)  
Rossouwstr., The Willows 012 807 5569



Wholesaleflowers, Oberer Teil im Atterbury Value Mart,  
Bottom of escalator  
The Flower Shop, Brooklyn Mall, Shop 92

<b>Computer repair</b>	Bernd Oellermann, (german) Software Heimo Jeske (german) The Notebook Company, 1209 Pretoriusstr., Hatfield, www.notebook.co.za	083 602 5216 082 831 8293 012 342 2900
<b>Printing material</b>	Cartridge Hyper, Menlo Park, 311 Lynnwoodrd. Game Store, Menlyn Shopping Centre HAKANYA Warehouse, Willows Crossing Mall	012 362 4500
<b>Electronic material</b>	Lynnwood Domestic Services, Ersatzteile für z. B. Miele, Bosch, Siemens und viele mehr, Waterglen Mall, cnr Garsfontein / General Louis Botha Avenue Euro Appliances, Lynnwoodstreet	012 993 0006 012 348 3838
	Electronics can also be found at Metro Home, Pick'n Pay Hyper, New World, makro, Tradecentre, Boardsmans, Gamestores	
<b>Curtains/Fabric</b>	Middestad Fabrics, Atterbury Value Mart Metro Home, Menlyn Retail Park	012 991 4849
<b>Garden furniture</b>	Patio Warehouse, 59 Landmarks Ave, Centurion www.patiowarehouse.co.za	
<b>Garden stores/ Gardners</b>	Patio Furniture, 26, St. Anne Road, Hurlyvale, Edenvale Safari, large center with changing exhibitions www.plantland.co.za Theo, Portugiese, all African languages Ephtaly, (works at german school ) Jackson, does tree and bush pruning incl . waste transport , agree price beforehand John, picks up garden waste	082 378 5620 083 689 9909 082 710 7137 076 104 3853
<b>Golf accessories</b>	The Pro Shop, Lynnwoodbridge Mall The Golfers Club Menlyn	012 940 0808 012 361 6940
<b>Cell phones</b>	Can be bought in nearly every mall in shops such as Vodacom and MTN.	
<b>Coffee delivery</b>	Mrs Ilse Mueller Mrs Bärbel Stuart - Hammond	012 329 3217 082 822 0823

<b>Costume rent</b>	Castle Costume Hire, Glenwood Str. Flutterbee's Costume, Derdepoort Str	012 348 1124 012 804 5086
<b>Matrasses</b>	Dial a Bed, <a href="http://www.dialabed.co.za">www.dialabed.co.za</a> Atterbury Value Mart, Willows Crossing, The Grove	
<b>Furniture</b>	Etienne Lewis Bakos Brothers Wetherlys Weylandts Coricraft	<a href="http://www.etiennelewis.co.za">www.etiennelewis.co.za</a> <a href="http://www.bakosbrothers.co.za">www.bakosbrothers.co.za</a> <a href="http://www.wetherlys.co.za">www.wetherlys.co.za</a> <a href="http://www.weylandts.co.za">www.weylandts.co.za</a> <a href="http://www.coricraft.co.za">www.coricraft.co.za</a>
<b>Music Instruments</b>	Musica, Atterbury Value Mart Edu Music, Anita Otto, 703 Walker private road, Brooklyn <a href="http://www.edumusic.co.za">www.edumusic.co.za</a>	012 346 1921
<b>Reparation Music Instruments</b>	Henning Schütte	082 813 5478
<b>Optometrist</b>	Mr Bernhard Vledder, Lynnridge Mall Specsavers Optometrist, Michelle Brink Willow Way Shopping Centre  Spectacle Warehouse, Atterbury Value Mart	012 3489185  012 807 9340  012 991 4911
<b>Outdoor garniture</b>	Cape Union Market Due South Outdoorwarehouse	<a href="http://www.capeunionmart.co.za">www.capeunionmart.co.za</a> <a href="http://www.duesouth.co.za">www.duesouth.co.za</a> <a href="http://www.outdoorwarehouse.co.za">http://www.outdoorwarehouse.co.za</a>
<b>Jewelry</b>	Dieter Gems (speaks german) cnr Lynnwood/Duncanstr.	
<b>Souvenirs</b>	Kingfisher Gifts, Carmen Schildhauer 546 Witogiestr., The Willows (speaks german)  Angel Accessories, Dolly du Plessis Ethnic jewelry, fashion & accessories 3, Briekslinger Place, The Willows (speaks german)  Delagoa exclusive shop in the Eastwood Shopping Centre, Eastwood road, opposite of the American embassy.	084 741 5493  082 440 4537
<b>The Crafter's Market</b>	Atterbury Value Mart or in the Kollonade Mall	
<b>Sport necessities</b>	Sportsmans Warehouse, Atterbury Value Mart Mr Price Sport, Atterbury Value Mart	

Total Sports, Menlyn and Kollonade Shopping Centre

### Toy shop

Toys R Us, Atterbury Value Mart  
Reggies, Menlyn Shopping Centre  
Edu Toys, Gift Acres Centre [www.edutoys.co.za](http://www.edutoys.co.za)  
Toysshop, Menlyn Shopping Centre, Woodlands

## 14 Education, leisure and entertainment

Most municipalities offer evening and day courses, especially for domestic workers. These range from arts and crafts work to cooking and voice and financial courses  
UNISA (University of South Africa) offers "open university courses". 012 429 3111  
Especially popular are the English-courses

Tschwane University of Technology offers courses in all art dimensions. 0123186175

Design School: e.g. Interior Design 012 342 1779

### 10.1 Languages

Afrikaans	Konny Muhl, cnr Rosemary and Diana roads	012 348 3956
Afrikan languages	University of Pretoria, Department of African Languages Human Sciences Building <a href="http://www.ceatup.com">www.ceatup.com</a>	
German	Konny Muhl, cnr Rosemary + Diana roads Karmen Witthüser	012 348 3956 082 368 4408
English	Ute Acton, (speaks German) Waterkloof	083 627 7262
French	Alliance Française Pretoria, 99, River Street, Sunny Side <a href="http://www.alliancefrancaise.org.za">www.alliancefrancaise.org.za</a>	012 343 6563
Italian	Italian Institute of Culture Pretoria, 165 East Avenue, Arcadia <a href="http://www.iicpretoria.esteri.it">www.iicpretoria.esteri.it</a>	012 343 6678
Spanish	<a href="http://www.academes.co.za">www.academes.co.za</a>	

#### 10.1.1 Language specialties

South Africa has eleven official languages; the most spoken language is English. In Pretoria Afrikaans is very common. Which is why it is of your advantage to learn special sayings:

**Ag(Ach)**- One of the most commonly used words, for example, as an introductory first word in a reply to a (possibly tricky) question, or as an expression of resignation (eg "Ag, ok")

**Bakkie**- Pick up

**Braai**- BBQ. South Africans favorite thing to do

**Eish (aysh)**- Expression for astonishment or surprise

**Howzit**- combination of "Hello" and "How are you?"

**Izit?**- Combination of the words "is" and "it". Can be used as an expression of

agreement or neutral answer .

**Just now-** Can mean “Straight away” or only in one hour or tomorrow. Be patient. (**Now now** has the same meaning)

**Lekker-** means good or very good. Can be used for anything and not only for food, like it is common in German, but also for the weather or a person.

**Robot-** Traffic light

**Takkies-** Running shoes

## 10.2 Music lessons

Adelheid Jeske,

082 558 3541

Anja Hahn, music lessons at the DSP an in Wapadrand

078 422 0465

Arts Academy Pro Arte, Selati Street/Roeline Street, Waterkloof

012 460 4190

## 10.3 Cinemas

Are very popular because they can be found in the safe shopping centers and offer especially to young people a welcome leisure option. The movies are very timely, they have affordable entry and the premises are modern. In addition to entertainment films are shown in Menlyn Prive also - more demanding films in Brooklyn Nouveau and in addition, these cinemas offer international film weeks. When a Edgars Club Card (Menlyn applicable) or Ster Kinekor card (Brooklyn applicable), this can be applied for at the cinema. You can buy movie tickets at half price. More cinemas can be found in the Irene Mall, Woodlands and The Grove.

## 10.4 Art exhibition, museums, etc..

Several museums and art exhibitions can be found in Pretoria. We recommend to get the newest guidebook or the “Your Guide to Pretoria” which can be found in the embassy or at CAN. In **Johannesburg** there are several remarkable museums such as the Apartheid museum [www.apartheidmuseum.org](http://www.apartheidmuseum.org) , Museum of Africa and in Soweto the Hector Pieterse [http://www.soweto.co.za/html/p\\_hector.htm](http://www.soweto.co.za/html/p_hector.htm) .

### Pretoria Art Museum

This museum is located at the corner of Schoeman and Wessels Street in Arcadia Park. It was opened in 1964 and is one of Pretoria’s Museums of Fine Arts. The main focus is on new, South African art ( exhibitions ) , but this museum also has an impressive collection of inter - national graphics and a small collection of valuable paintings of the Dutch 17th century to offer.

### Pierneef Museum

012 323 1419

218 Vermeulen Street, housed in a restored building from the late 19th century, which was formerly a cigarette factory. The museum has an art collection featuring the different epochs of the life of this very famous African artist from 1904 till 1957.

### Van Wouw House

299 Clark Street , Brooklyn . Formerly the property of one of the most important South African sculptor makers Anton van Wouw (1862 - 1945). Here are his best-known sculptures such as the "Bushman hunters" and "Krueger in exile".

### **The Zona Boshoff Fine Art Gallery**

2. floor, Waterhouse Building, 531 Fehrsen Street, Brooklyn, (over the ocean basket restaurant) with a handsome collection of recent work done by prominent South African artists and sculptors.

**Guild Gallery** Guild House, Bronkhorst Street, New Muckleneuk 012 460 7203

### **UNISA Art Gallery**

Theo van Wijk Building, Unisa. 012 429 6823

### **South African Association of Arts**

Mackie Street Muckleneuk 012 346 3100

### **Arts in the Park**

Arts in the Park is held every last Saturday of every month at Magnolia Dell Park (Queen Wilhelmina Avenue). Artists from around will present different kinds of art and handmade work in scenic and quiet surroundings. ( Flea markets)

Similarly, the Alhambra Theatre Complex has a club, where you can join. You will have card reductions for group bookings. Again, you will be kept informed of plays that are listed at this theater.

**Opera and Ballet:** Information can be found at PACT, either in Pretoria Tel.: 012 322 1665 or Johannesburg Tel.: 011 720 7009.

The City hall of **Johannesburg** is the home of the **national symphonic orchestra**. Further information: 011 714 4501

In the **Civic Theater** all large theater, ballet or other performances take place (see Computicket).

## **10.6 Sport**

Basically all types of sport can be done in Pretoria. The largest varieties can be found on the sports ground of UNISA (South Street/ Hatfield in the circular complex). Basketball, Badminton, Squash, Hockey, gymnastics and wrestling is offered in the gyms.

The open ground of the University is not only good to jog but also for tennis, hockey, soccer,swimming,etc.

Apart from that Pretoria offers many more Sport possibilities eg. **Ice-skating** at the grove shopping mall, **bowling, mini golf, tennis courts, squash courts, rugby, soccer, hockey and softball**. Adding on to that there are many fitness studios. The sport offering of the DSP can be found on the AG-Lists.

### **Fitness Centre**

Based on the security the popularity of fitness centers have increased in Pretoria. They

have a very high standard.

Virgin Active	<a href="http://www.virginactive.co.za">www.virginactive.co.za</a>	086 020 0911
Shapes for Woman	<a href="http://www.shapes-willows.co.za">www.shapes-willows.co.za</a>	012 807 1280
Curves	<a href="http://www.curves.co.za">www.curves.co.za</a>	

### **Golf**

In and surround Pretoria there are many beautiful Golf courses. Pretoria is a dream for every golfer. Thursday morning a group of ladies meet on the golf courses around Pretoria. Further information: Ruth Grueger 078 9381909

### **Karate**

Rusty's Karate Academy, 69 Lynburn rd	082 412 1791
Koors Burger Karateschule Silverton	083 239 4919

### **Pilates**

Karola Lange	an der DISP	072348 0081
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### **Horse riding**

Horse riding is very popular and in comparison to Germany not as expensive. There are several possibilities, such as a riding school close to the German school, where you can also leave your own horse.

Cullinan Stables	082 227 8048
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### **Swimming**

There are public swimming pools, some are heated, so you can also swim in winter. (Hillcrest, Cnr Lynnwood-/Duncanstreet) But the most are not covered with a roof, apart from the public swimming pools fitness centers have pools and there are a few pools with a roof throughout the city.

For competitive swimming the biggest club is the one of the University "Tucks", at the high performance center of the training ground, brunettstreet

### **Swimming schools**

Lisa Els Swimschool, 209 Frangipanistreet (close to school)	082 821 2764
Fairie Glen Swim, Magda Levin 617, Plettenberg, Fairie Glen	083 454 4381
Debbi Vorster Swemskool: 540 Charlesstreet, Menlopark	012 460 6099
Su Pampara, priv. Schwimmunterricht, Rubidastr., Murrayfield	012 803 2675
Anke Zenker, im Virgin Active Hazeldean (speaks german)	072 215 1761

### **Tennis**

Tennis is a very popular sport. Most suburbs have leisure and nature parks, where tennis courts can be found.

### **Hiking**

There are two very good books :

The Complete Guide to Walks and Trails of Southern Africa by Jaynee Levy

Walks & Trails edited by stroik

We recommend newcomers the Botanical Gardens, Sammy Marks, the Faerie Glen Nature Reserve, Moreleta Nature Are , the Groenkloof Nature Reserve Rosemary Hill and Hedianga Farm . It is advisable not to walk alone, to have a phone and plenty of water with you.

In the Pretoria News typically group hikes are announced.

Hiking maps are available at the public libraries

## **Yoga**

Karola Kaiser-Landers      [www.kaiser-landers.de](http://www.kaiser-landers.de)      072 309 7822

## **10.7 Day Spa, Hairdresser**

La Montagne      012 803 3362  
[www.lamontagnedayspa.co.za](http://www.lamontagnedayspa.co.za)

Dermaxime, Suite 2, Duncan Walk Centre, Hatfield  
[www.dermaxime.co.za](http://www.dermaxime.co.za)      012 362 7070

Serenity Wellness, Vasi      076 506 4226  
Reiki Master & Ayurvedic Beauty Therapist

Maryna, "La Belle Via" Kosmetikerin      012 807 7594  
Ecke Lynnwood/Wapadrans Road

Beauty Cabin, Alida      083 308 0777  
194, Frangipani Str., La Montagne, in der Nähe der DSP

Andrea Retter (speaks german)      012 460 3159  
klin. Lymphtherapy, Foot massage and care, cosmetics  
28, 23rd Avenue, Menlo Park, [www. andrearetter.co.za](http://www.andrearetter.co.za)

Andrea Woslitsch, Reflexology      082 349 8497  
30, Portofino Place, The Willows

Salon Creation, Helga Watson      072 179 3939  
29, Landi Str. Garsfontein

## **11 Restaurants**

There is a large range of restaurant. South Africans enjoy going often to restaurant, and they are relatively cheap. For weekends and at the end of the month it is recommend to make a reservation. Below only a few restaurant are listed, a large overview is offered by the magazine "Eat out 20" which can be bought in magazine shops. In the internet: [www.eatout.co.za](http://www.eatout.co.za) or [www.food24.co.za](http://www.food24.co.za).

Children are not welcome in all restaurant, especially at night time this should be discussed.

In all restaurants a tip is expected. This is not only a thank you but also very often the

only money they receive. Salaries in the service area that they need the tips. In restaurant, depending on the service, a tip between 10 – 12% should be given.

### **Restaurant chains:**

Big Als, Take aways  
Cape Town Fish Market, Menlyn Shopping Mall und im Silver Oaks Shopping Centre  
Chicken Perfect, Equestria  
Debonairs Pizza  
Doppio Zero, [www.doppio.co.za](http://www.doppio.co.za), Hazeldean  
Dros, Steakhouse  
Fish aways, fast food/take away  
KFC fast food/take away  
McDonalds, fast food/take away  
Nando's, fast food  
Ocean Basket, Fischlokal  
Romans Pizzeria  
Steers fast food/take away  
Spur Steakhouse

### **Cafés**

Afro Boer <http://www.afroboer.co.za> 012 807 3099  
Aroma Gourmet Roastery, [www.aromacoffee.co.za](http://www.aromacoffee.co.za), Lynwood Road 012 362 3560  
Anjas Teagarden, [www.anjasgarden.co.za](http://www.anjasgarden.co.za) 012 991 1809  
Blos Café and Venue, Faerie Glen [www.blosrestaurant.co.za](http://www.blosrestaurant.co.za) 012 991 1790  
Karoo Café, Lynwood Road 141, [www.karoo cafe.co.za](http://www.karoo cafe.co.za) 012 807 6063

### **Family restaurants**

Alla Turka, Turkish [www.alaturka.co.za](http://www.alaturka.co.za)  
Blue Crane: at a Park, surrounding the restaurant are cranes walking around. Be careful of your fish! 156 Melk Street, Brooklyn 012 460 7615  
Crawdaddy's, 4 Graham Road, Shere, Silver Lakes 071 528 5958  
Tashas, Design Square, Cnr Veale and Fehrsen Streets 012 460 2951  
Irene Country Lodge, 391 Nelmapius Drive, Irene 012 667 6464  
Lunch recommended in Irene at a Lake  
Mo-Zam-Bik [www.mozambik.co.za](http://www.mozambik.co.za)  
Sammy Marks Museum: 012 802 1485  
Café, you sit in a beautiful rose garden under trees. Yummy cake! You can also order a picnic basket and enjoy this on a big blanked with large cushions.

### **Speciality restaurants**

Baobab, Menlyn Shopping Center, nice for sitting outside  
Caraffa, Italiener, 6 Selati Street/Garsfontein Road, Alphen Park 012 346 3181/2  
Capeesh, Italiener, Fehrsen-/Middelstreet, Brooklyn Circle 012 346 1932  
Lotus Thai Restaurant, 47 Glen Village, Hans Strijdom Street 012 991 5406  
Villa Paolo, italien restarant with live music on thursdays 012 460 1202



Good Capaccio, good pizza, comfortable courtyard in Waterkloof  
 198 Long-/Mildner Street  
 Carnivore Restaurant, all meat types of South Africa, all you can eat!  
 N 14 Richtung Krugersdorp im Misty Hills Country Hotel [www.rail.co.za](http://www.rail.co.za) 011 950 6000

**Top restaurants:**

Ritrovo, Italiener mit Bistro  
 103 Club Ave, Waterkloof Heights Shopping Center 012 460 5173  
 Cynthias, 6 Maroelana Street, Maroelana Center 012 460 3220  
 La Madelaine, französisches Restaurant, sehr gutes Essen!  
 122 Priory Road, Lynnwood 012 361 3667  
 Blue Saffron, south African/international kitchen  
 Nice ambiance, in and outside seating  
 Pretoria Country Club, 241 Sidney Ave, Waterkloof 012 346 0223  
 The Hussar Grill, "The Grove" shopping center, 012 807 0005 0745  
 Zest, neat and innovatice Bistro  
 Thomas Edison Street, Greenlyn Village Shopping Center 012 460 0275  
 De Kloof Waterkloof, Johann Rissik Drive, Waterkloof 073 092 8562  
[www.dekloofrestaurant.co.za](http://www.dekloofrestaurant.co.za)  
 Tin Roof Café, Mooiplaats, [www.tinroofcafe.co.za](http://www.tinroofcafe.co.za) 072 367 5698

**12. Everything concerning car, house and garden**

**12.1 Car**

**Car Service**

Fa. Lettau Motors- Herr Dieter Lettau  
 208 Rubida Str., The Willows 012 803 1747  
 Reliable small business, especially good in handling  
 Mercedes. He does not have all the machines for modern  
 electronics.

Karl von Seydlitz (deutsch),  
 509 Niesenwandstr.,  
 Constantia Park 012 998 7942

Grünes Autohaus, Markus Bagdahn 082 929 4901  
 537, Bushweg

**Security-Windscreen**

Solar Safety, 78 Visagiestr., Pretoria 012 326 0373

PG Glass

**Buy & Sell**

Mc Carthy Kunene Christo du Plessis 076 500 0595  
 Mercedes Benz, Jeep, Mitsubishi, Chrysler  
 New and used cars

**Buys used card**

Llewellen Greyling 083 411 3412

## Bergen Auto

### 12.2 House and Garden

#### 12.2.1 Catering

Armar	full Catering Service,	012 392 4078 082 809 2976
Gérard West	Le Tournesol	078 060 0092
Marietta Lindner	speaks german	012 348 4304
CHG Function Hire	Partyzubehör, Verleih von Geschirr, Gläser etc., 1053 Arcadia str., Hatfield, Fax 012 430 7239, <a href="http://www.chg.co.za">www.chg.co.za</a>	012 342 2994
The Works Catering & Hire, Faerie Glen, 780 Petrickstr.,		012 991 0954

#### 12.2.2 Domestic workers

When searching for domestic workers, either to support the household, as an aid in the garden or as a nanny, it is extremely important at least to make a sure they have one checkable reference. If possible, you should take over the staff of pre- owners. You should never tempt anyone from the street, you do not know. If you occasionally need someone for special tasks, ask colleagues, friends or local staff

#### Recommended wage rate

The salary that you pay your domestic workers, is the matter between you and your employees . Virtually all worth knowing information about the statutory (minimum) working conditions of domestic workers, and to the unemployed insurance ( UIF ) including extensive download options can be found on the English website of the South African Department of Labor : [www.labourguide.co.za](http://www.labourguide.co.za).

#### 12.2.3 Pets

<b>Vets</b>	Valley Farm Animal Hospital	012 991 3573
	Old Farm Road, Faerie Glen, 24 Std.	082 453 2252
	University animalclinic, Onderstepoort	012 529 8000
	Bird an Exotic Animal Klinik	012 529 8105
	Dr. Wilhelmina von Wyk	082 788 5590
	Dr. Doruabble Elliott	
	Waterkloof Veterinary Hospital	012 460 4742
	(also german 241 Bronkhorststr., New Muckleneuck	
	Vetland Animal Hospital	012 809 0186
	Dr. Peter und I. Kirchner (german)	083 376 1609
	Plot 9, Lynnwood Road	

<b>Travel preparation For animals</b>	Grace Logistics, Colin Naicker 11 Marauder Str. Rhodesfield, Kempton Park	083 755 2608
	Edu Pet, Dr. Quixi Sonntag, Plot 5, Garsfontein Rd., Rietfontein	012 480 2021 www.edupet.co.za
<b>Animal pensions</b>	Xantah Kennels, Dr. Guido Schroeder 551 Bush Road, Willow Glen	012 803 2134 xanwill@pixie.co.za
	Farmstall, Peter und Linda Jeffrey Plot 43, Rietvallei Road	012 708 1440
	Menlyn Kennel & Catlery, Plot 5 Moreleta Plaza, Garsfontein Rd. <a href="http://www.menlynkennels.co.za">http://www.menlynkennels.co.za</a>	012 480 2031
	Busy Birds (für Vögel) Erica Ashman 283 Frangipani Road, La Montagne	012 803 2146
<b>Animalhomes</b>	SPCA (staatl. Tierschutzverein) 316 Petroleum Road, Waltloo	012 803 5219
	Wet Nose, Animal Rescue Center Bronkhorstspuit Road	013 932 3941
<b>Dog salon</b>	La-Di-Da Doggy Spa & Deli Silver Oaks Crossing, <a href="http://www.ladidadoggyspa.co.za">www.ladidadoggyspa.co.za</a>	012 941 1522
<b>Dog training</b>	Edu Pet, Dr. Quixi Sonntag Plot 5, Garsfontein Rd., Rietfontein	012 480 2021 www.edupet.co.za
<b>Bird breeder</b>	Holger und Christiane Molkentin Plot 42, Garsfontein Rd., Rietfontein	012 811 0281 012 811 1038

#### 12.2.4 Craftsmen

For craftsmen it is useful to ask in advance about the price (the cost estimate should always be free of charge). As a rule, we require a down payment; the balance should be paid only after completion. It is quite possible that - if previously paid - the works will leave, although not completed. Receipts and a cost estimate should be asked for with larger orders.

<b>Electrician</b>	Otto Johannes (german) Elect. Equipment, installation, lightning rod etc.	012 345 4387 082 296 3458
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	Häusler und Sohn, also Saunas, Repair	012 804 2504
	Electronic equipment	083 279 6485
	Seef Combrinck	083 442 8423
<b>Elect. Garagedoors:</b>	Peidji	082 908 3253
	Elektro doors	012 347 0919
	Express doors	012 808 7241
<b>Bikes &amp; Repair</b>	Cycle Mania, Waterglen Centre	012 998 6316
	Bruce Reynecke Cycles, Lynnwood Road	012 362 1628
	Cycle Fix, Silver Oaks Shopping Centre	012 809 3609
<b>Window cleaning</b>	Heike and Klaus Langer venster.cleaning@gmail.com	012 808 3369
<b>Wood delivery chimney:</b>	Pierre, The Willows	083 460 0374
<b>Upholstery:</b>	Ultimate Upholstery, 1280 Pretoriusstr., Hatf. Christ Lord	012 4305 123 082 3767 605
<b>Carpenter work:</b>	Johan Nel	082 446 8700
<b>Poolboy</b>	Swimming Pool Shop	012 807 6014
	Shop 10 B Equestria-Shopping	073 302 6245
	Blue Lagoon Pool & Garden Centre	012 362 1465/6/7
	291 A Lynnwood Rd., Menlo Park	
<b>Radio &amp; TV tech. Repairs TV Electronic Antenna construction</b>	User (Universal Electronic Service) Computer and Electronic Repairs (TV especially from Europe) Colin Gezernik, 770 Jacqueline str., Garsfontein Fairie Glen TV Repairs, Ivan Georgier 481 Louisiana str	012 998 0063/4   012 991 0151 082 563 6075
	Fa.Sounds Electronic	011 609 7489
	Herr Otto Boysen (german,englisch) 22 Swartkop Crs.Buurendal 1610 (Edenvale) Herr Boysen stellt dtsche Fernseher auf südafrik. Norm um!	083 654 7540
<b>Dry-cleaner</b>	in nearly every mall there is a chemical cleaning service	
<b>Sandbox sand</b>	Builders Warehouse, Atterbury Value Markt Conradie Oganics, Graham Rd.	012 809 1895
<b>Key services</b>	Waterglen Lock and Key Supplies	082 565 6653 012 998 5944
<b>Tailor</b>	Lena	082 348 8774

Makes curtains and very lowcost Helena Pajed	012 803 1720
Sews costumes etc., opposite of DSP Annadell	082 682 3809
Sews for school logos onto t-shirts Anna	083 575 6716
changes and fixtures in Silver Lakes	

### 13 German speaking Churches

Protestant –Lutheran Johannesgemeinde, Pretoria East Herr Dr. Nottmeier, Pfarrer	012 803 5212
Kathrin Grüneberg, deaconess www.johannesgemeinde.org.za	076 771 3155
Protestant-Lutheran St. Peter Gemeinde, Heike Jakubeit, woman minister	076 260 6771
Skinnerstreet, Pretoria, www.stpeters.org.za	
German Citymission, Martin Stobwasser Garsfontein, Serenestreet, www.stadtmission.org.za	012 348 3992
ELM- Protestant-lutheran Mission, Gunnar Bösemann	012 342 2952
Protestant-Lutheran Paulus Community, Arcadia Martin Paul, pastormartinpaul@gmail.com	012 807 2905
German speaking Catholics, St. Joseph Church Pretoria West www.stjosephderarbeiter.co.za	012 998 1772