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## **ZAZI ROAD PRECINCT** THE HEART BEAT OF EZASE CLERMONT

 Zazi Road is the most busiest road in Clermont and it consists of different businesses from formal to informal enterprises where you find super markets, restaurants, lounges and shisa nyamas. The road was named after the late Mr. Khuzwayo an influential Business man who was a millionaire in Clermont in the 1960s.

- Zazi Road has a length of 2.43 kilometres and this is where you get the feel of small United Nation where you will find people from Mozambique, Lesotho and Zimbabwe doing business side to side in harmony with people who were born and bred in Clermont township.
- It is known to be 'A FLORIDA ROAD OF TOWNSHIPS'.

## Introduction

Background History of **Clermont KwaDabeka Area** 

- Clermont is a Township of an area of 6.94 km 2 (2.68 sq mi) in the West Side of the City of Durban in Kw-Zulu Natal and it has a population of more than 100 000 people and the significance of it lies in its long history of multiculturalism and ethnic diversity.
- Clermont Township under the apartheid days was a black middle-income township. It is surrounded by Westville, Kloof, New Germany and Inanda in the distance and it has two main roads called Clermont Road and Zazi Road.
- Clermont Road was named after Sir Clermont, a farmer who sold his land and it was the only place in Durban where black people were able to buy property and build houses. Zazi Road on the other hand, was named after the late activist and businessman Zazi Khuzwayo and the road has become home to a mix of traders ranging from Vendors, Grocery Stores, Taverns and Shisanyama/Restaurants.

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- In 1848 German settlers brought to Natal by Jones Bergtheil, where he purchased Kranskloof farm. The farm Clermont of 6030 acres was granted to the Voortrekkers Solomon Maritz by the English Colonial Government.
- In 1849 Reverend Posselt established the mission station of Christiannenberg that was named after his wife Christiana.
- A church was built at Christianenberg followed by Christianenberg Primary School
- In Between 1848 and 1876 the Farm Kranskloof and Clermont were purchased by Jonas Bergtheil.
- In 1928 the Berlin mission sold most of Christianenberg and Clermont farm except 50 acres which included the church, Manse and the School.
- 1931 The freehold African Township of Clermont was founded as a private development.
- 1939 Clermont Township Residents committees were forced to raise revenue to regulate community services and provide transport.

## Clermont KwaDabeka Tourism Development Organization Background

- Clermont KwaDabeka Tourism is a Non-Profit Company which was registered in 2012 and it is operating under the name 'Clermont KwaDabeka Community Tourism Development' under the eThekwini and Durban Tourism leadership in Archie Gumede Zone.
- Clermont KwaDabeka is situated on the West side of the city (DURBAN) in Kwa-Zulu Natal and the
  organization's objective is to promote and develop community based tourism activities that will showcase Clermont KwaDabeka as a destination to visit and invest into.
- Clermont KwaDabeka Township has an extensive heritage, cultural and historic religious sites and also it has a vibrant Night Life Experience in ZAZI Road..

## Lady Smith Black Mambazo House Location: Fannin ext - Clermont

Clermont is home to the Grammy Awards winning isicathamiya group Ladysmith black Mamabazo in 2015 Durban Tourism partnered with the Ladysmith Black Mambazo to be City ambassadors of on their international music tours, and the House of Dr. Joseph Shabalala in Clermont will be turn into a museum that will showcase all of their work and trophies.

Joseph Shabalala formed Ladysmith Black Mambazo because of a series of dreams he had in 1964, in which he heard certain Isicathamiya harmonies Isicathamiya being the traditional music of the Zulu people). Following their local success at wedding ceremonies and other gatherings, Shabalala entered them into Isicathamiya competitions. The group was described as 'so good' that they were eventually forbidden to enter the competitions but welcomed to entertain at them



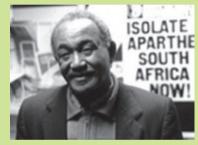




## Clermont KwaDabeka Heritage Sites ARCHIE GUMEDE RESIDENCE

#### Archie Gumede House

**Archibald Gumede** (1914-1998) was a South African anti-apartheid activist, lawyer and politician. Gumede was born in Pietermaritzburg to Josiah Tshangana Gumede, an early African National Congress leader. Archie Gumede led the Natal delegates at the 1955 Congress of the People in Kliptown during which the Freedom Charter was written. He was later an attorney and practiced in Pietermaritzburg.



He was a leader in the United Democratic Front, a broad-based coalition of groups seeking to end apartheid. Following the end of. Apartheid in 1994, Gumede became a member of the National Assembly of South Africa before dying in office in 1998. 1986- The History of King Shaka as told by Chief Mangosuthu Buthelezi at **Clermont in September 1986.** More then 10 000 people attend the ceremony including Mr. S.B Jamile and Mr. Archie Gumede. Photograph of Basotho ladies doing a traditional dance at the ceremony.Ref: Umlando ngeLembe kusho uChief Buthelezi in Ilanga lase Natal 29-09-1986. Pg1.



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## THAMI JALI'S ART HOUSE Location: Mvuzane - Clermont

"ART HOUSE" refers to a residence and artist studio space. This is an NGO project that was

established in 2011. The founder of the space is Thamisanqa Jali who turned his home to a space that can accommodate the community and the youth in Clermont.

He turned his home for a vision he had as an artist, as a way of uplifting and giving back to the community as an old known artist in the area.

Art house is a space that is based in the Clermont Township and it is a space that seeks to engage with the community and the youth in art and specifically on Fine art and Ceramics. This space is eager to educate and expose our black community to the arts.

The Art House is also used as a platform to host Art Exhibitions and it is a place where artists can display their art work.







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## **KK-FLATS (KRANSKLOOF HOSTEL)**

#### Location: KwaDabeka 'A'

KransKloof Hostel was built in 1974 and it is a home to a population of more than 20 000 which makes it the largest Hostel ever built in the Southern Hemisphere.

The hostel was build in units to accommodate only men in the 70s from rural areas who were working in the industrial area of New Germany close to Pinetown. The Hostel later got converted into Family Units when women were allowed to be residents.

Currently the hostel is called KK-FLATS and it is the hostel that has never had blood-bath from political instability in the days of Apartheid.

Hostel Walk Tour is available through Clermont KwaDabeka CTO to give a Hostel Life Style experience.





# TOUR ROUTE

## **LUTHERAL CHURCH** LOCATION: INDUNDUMA - CLERMONT

Reverend Posselt established the missionary station of Christiannenberg which was named after his wife Christiana in 1867 and later in 1876 a Christianenburg Primary School was built. The Lutheral missionary of Christiannenberg was established between the years of 1858 – 1930. The Church is one of the oldest in Clermont.



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### **Shembe Temple**

Between 1912 and 1923, the Prophet Isaiah Shembe visited Clermont area. He did not neither have a relative nor place to stay he search and look for the owner of the land called "KwaShembe" and bought it as his farmland. He opens up a temple under a big huge tree where he was conducting his praise and worshipping with his followers. Whilst he was seating at KwaShembe he prophesised that there would be a Hostel "KransKloof" (KK Hostel) built across where there would be amalgamation of races and gathering of all the people of different diversity of the country. He also stated that there would be firms around

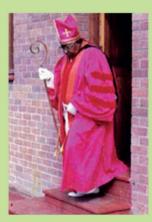
Clermont as one can see them in New Germany. He stated that Sabbath prayer would commence at 14h: 00pm instead of usually time of 13h: 00 pm because he would be waiting for them to finish off from work place.He named the Temple a "Zilindile" mentioning that it would be awaiting for congregation members to come from work. This is the only Temple that start worship at 14h: 00pm on the entire universe of Nazarites Temples.



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## **ST. JOHN'S APOSTOLIC FAITH MISSION (KNOWN AS KWA-MASANGO)** LOCATION: FANNIN EXT - CLERMONT

Archbishop DR. Petrus John Masango was one of the influential leaders in the history of St John's Apostolic Faith



Mission. The founding member of the church was Mother/Mme Christina Nku.

Dr Petrus John Masango took control of the St John's Church in 1972 after a court battle with the then Archbishop Johannes Nku. The exact details of the rift are out of the scope of this document. He was married to Annah Seipati Masango who was often referred to as Mme Annah.

Under Archbishop Masango , the church grew to unexpected proportions and by the time of his death, he had built 35 Churches. Each and every year there is an annual Pilgrimage in the 1st week of the month of May that attracts more than 100 000 congregant and people from different places in South Africa and other SADEC countries.

# THE OLD HINDU TEMPLE

• This indicates that the Indians Lived in Clermont and those where the Indians who worked in KransKloof Farms and other nearby firms.



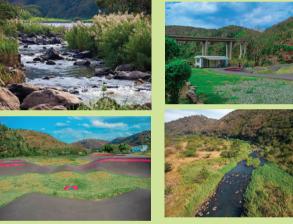
# TOWNSHIP EXPERIENCE: ADVENTURE AND ENTERTAINMENT DURBAN GREEN CORRIDOR Location: KwaDabeka "D"

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# EMABANTSHINI - SHADOWS OUTDOOR EVENTS LOCATION: KWADABEKA 'A'

Shadows has been one of the most popular township night spot for the past 15 years. Owner, Mr. Lwazi Nqetho is a champion when it comes to Township Tourism experience, he is also the founder of Kasi 2 Kasi Tours and Kasi 2 Kasi School Projects assisting the unprivileged school learners/elders and at the same time promoting and developing the culture of travelling amongst local people.





# TATE'S KASI GRILL

Location: Zazi Road - Mvuzane



Tate Kasi Grill lets you experience true Township culture as it is a butchery where friends can enjoy some "shisanyama" while dancing to good sounds delivered by local popular DJ's and artist Contact: **076 639 3423** 





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# **UHURU AFRIQUE FOODS**

Location: Zazi Road — Clermont Central



Previously a bar Restaurant, Uhuru can easily give you the best knight of your parting life, kasi style. The hottest house tunes for your dancing feet, reasonable prices for your favorite drinks, great atmosphere and great people, what more could you ask for

Contact: 082 580 3889



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## **SKOTIZ LOUNGE** Location: Clermont Road

Built to be different, safe and easily accessible, Skotiz is more than chill spot in the Township it unique structure allows great indoor and outdoor experience, party with friends on the balcony while enjoying Clermont beautiful views Contact Sanela Xulu: **073 582 6367** 







# THE ZONE LOUNGE

Location: Indunduma - Clermont



The Zone Lounge is a popular upmarket jazz Lounge for people with style and class. It maintains its strictly smart dress code. The interior design,good food, good music and kind of people it attracts makes it the one of the best township lounges in Durban

#### **Contact:** Derrick 083 413 7932 / 079 494 9876





### EATERIES/SHISANYAMA & ENTERTAINMENT HLABIKHEFU RESTAURANT LOCATION: ZAZI ROAD – CLERMONT CENTRAL

Hlabikhefu is a spacious Sit-In Restaurant that is based in Zazi Road and its servings include, Traditional and Fast Food.









## **MUSIC LOUNGE & BUTCHERY** LOCATION: ZAZI ROAD – CLERMONT CENTRAL

It is an upmarket Lounge for a good outing and Shisanyama. **CONTACT: 067 636 0830** 







# EMGODINI BBQ / Shisanyama

#### LOCATION: ZAZI ROAD – CLERMONT CENTRAL

This is an establishment that caters for the young and old generation. It is one of the best Shisanyama in Clermont (Pinetown) and their objective is to provide customers with delicious braai meat with in a safe & friendly environment, good service and great music.

#### **CONTACT: 082 406 6255**







## **SUGAR RAY XULU STADIUM** LOCATION: INDUNDUMA - CLERMONT

Sugar Ray Xulu Stadium is a multi-purpose stadium in Clermont, a township of Durban, South Africa. It is currently used mostly for football matches and was selected as one of the 3 training venues of the 2010 FIFA World Cup after being renovated in 2010 and brought up to FIFA standards.

The stadium's small capacity was expanded from 1,700 to 6,500 as a lasting legacy of the World Cup.

The stadium was named after Cedric 'Sugar Ray' Xulu, a footballer considered a living legend in Durban whose career in the 1960s led him to play for local side AmaZulu and Mbabane Swallows in Swaziland in the 60s.









It is a newly establishment accommodation site catering for an Up-markert clientele and it comes with breakfast in the morning. Guests can choose to self-cater or be catered for on request. it is safe, spacious and enough parking spot.

Contact: 083 359 3028



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## ACCOMMODATION SITES CLERMONT LODGE

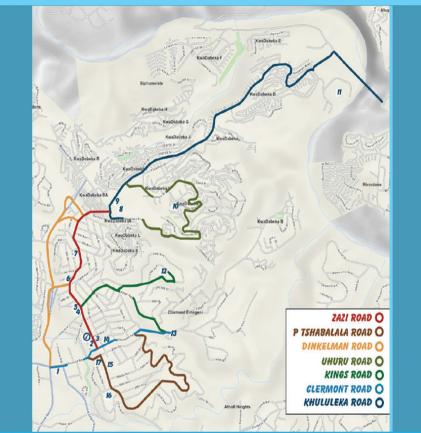
Location: Indunduma - Clermont



Clermont Lodge is a local luxurious 10 room guest house located in the heart of Clermont, indunduna(Durban), it is a walking distance to Suger Ray Stadium and 15 minutes drive to uShaka Marine World , Sun Coast Casino and the beach. The Lodge offers affordable rates and friendly efficient services accompanied by professional friendly staff that ensure guests are comfortable during their stay.

**The lodge consists of the following services:** Kitchen and Butchery Contact: **081 785 7196** 

#### **CLERMONT KWADABEKA ROUTE MAP**



Distell 2. Clermont KwaDabeka Tourism Office 3. Hlabikhefu 4. Catholic Church 5. Meat Cafe
 Art House 7. Tate's Kasi Grill 8. KK Hostel 9. India Temple 10. Shadows 11. KwaDabeka Adventures
 Shembe 13. Masango 14. Skotiz 15. Christiannenburg 16. Sugar Ray Stadium 17. Comfort Zone



#### Cator Manor Heritage Centre is a unique and interactive museum that captures the community's spirit of defiance to Apartheid.

Immense photographic prints adorn the walls, with striking photography of dissent, despair and defiance. But the centre also gives a sense of the humanity and the vibrancy of the Cato Manor community.

#### A broad and dynamic space, the centre utilizes the abundant natural light to illuminate floor-to-ceiling photographic prints that capture the strife and fierce struggle for freedom that are synonymous with this historic

Exhibits in the form of news clipping. historical accounts and letters. document the evictions, riots and rebellion that marred the area for decades.

With a focus on the infamous Durban System, the severity of the tone is offset by artwork produced by local artist Joseph Manana, and oral history read by the likes of Jacob Zuma, among others, and by quotations of the residents.

CATO MA

Drive past the burial site and monument of King Goodwill Zwelithinis mother. The oldest temple is the Southern hemisphere.

Nat Nakasa's journalist and struggle hero remains rest next to many other South African struggle heroes at the Heroes Acre. The apartheid govenment rejected Nakasa's passport application. At the time, the govenment saw Nakasa as an enemy of the sate because of his provocative writing about the oppressive nature of the apartheid govenment.

Nakasa left South Africa in 1964 on an exit permit, meaning he could never come back to South Africa.

The South African government refused

to have him buried in South Africa. He was then buried just a few metres away from American human rights activist Malcolm X at the Ferncliff Cemetery in New York, America.

Stalwarts including Albert Dlomo, Bongani Nduli, Johannes Mkhonto Mkhwanazi, Sipho Vusumuzi and Stix Nduduzo Mdletshe are buried at the Heroes Acre cemetery along with Bafana Bafana and Orlando Pirates Captain, Senzo Meyiwa.

En route pointing out the Pavillion shopping centre and its history.





# BERCHHAND

Housed in the oldest building in Westville, on the original farm Wandsbeck, later renamed Westville, the farmhouse dates back to the early 1840's. It was named after Jonas Bergtheil, a businessman who recruited German settlers for the 1848 cotton growing venture in Natal.

The area became prime cotton growing country until the cotton crop was affected by the red spider mite. Made of stone blocks and rubble bonded with a mixture of mud, the interior has yellowwood floors and deep set windows.

Declared a National Heritage Monument in 1983. The museum houses a fine collection of German period furniture and relics, military records Zulu and some Hindu displays. Excellent genealogy records are kept for Westville, New Germany and Cato Ridge German families.

Tea and snakes to be served.

#### <u>CLERKONT</u>

Departure Point - Sizakala Centre Premises an "Archie Gumede Centre" Pre Briefing about the buildings that make up the Archie Gumede Centre which are Clermont Community Hall, Clermont Clinic, Beer Hall and Clermont library. The Clermont Community Hall was opened in the 7-12-1963. In 1966 a community meeting voted in favour of the Beer Hall in Clermont, it now the building next to the Qhashana Khuzwayo Library.



Christina Nku) the Headquarters are situated in Kaltehong Township, Gauteng Province South Africa.

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#### HUNCH AN TANK'S KANSI ODHL

Dancing to the good sounds of Tate's Kasi Grill lets you experience an authentic township culture as it is a butchery where locals and other people come to enjoy some shisanyama while local DJ's and performing artist.

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#### **CLERMONT KWADABEKA CTO BUSINESSES**

No	COMPANY NAME	CONTACT PERSON	NUMBER	TYPE OF BUSINESS	E-MAIL ADDRESS
1	Clermont Lodge	Nhlanhla	081 785 7196	Accommodation	info@tiddat.co.za
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3	Noks Kitchen	Noks Khuzwayo	083 5928 037	Catering	
4	Mami's Kitchen	Nomfundo Qwabe	074 849 4310	Supplier and Catering	Mamiskitchen73@gmail.com
5	Emgodini BBQ Shisanyama	Lucky	082 4066 255	Shisanyama	
6	Clermont Tourism	Chris	082 551 5798	Destination Marketing Company & Tours	blueridge@worldonline.co.za
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18	The Zone Lounge	Derrick	083 413 7932 / 079 494 9876	Restaurant & Lounge	
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31	Zamazizi's Bakery	Zama Dlamini	078 195 4416	Bakery all type of Cakes	

#### **COMPANIES AROUND NEW-GERMANY & PINE TOWN**

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Imana Foods	031 719 0400	Geochem	031 705 2711
KZN Razor Wire	079 300 8790	Clermont Boxer Superstore	031 711 3069
Dezzo Branding	031 705 7248	Chelsea Star New-Germany	031 705 5910

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