

# STREET SCENE

## STREET ART SCENE

“Some people become cops because they want to make the world a better place. Some people become vandals because they want to make the world a better looking place.” Banksy)

### HIGHLIGHTS:

Durban continues to sustain a burgeoning underground culture, demonstrated most graphically on the walls of the city through what is arguably one of South Africa’s most hidden Street Art scenes. The story of the painted “Poison City” will have you walking the pathways of countless graffiti writers and artistic vigilantes, from the South Basin to Rivertown. You’ll never look at ‘graffiti’ the same way again.

### OVERVIEW:

Join Street Scene and one of Durban’s most well know Graff writers for an experience you won’t soon forget. Once the wheels are turning our 1<sup>st</sup> stop will be at The Winston Pub where we break down the origins of authentic Durban street culture. A short step away you will be confronted by that infamous mark, the tag, the artist’s anonymous signature, and here starts the journey through the development of that simple expression into the contemporary multi-story murals that have come to dominate our everyday aesthetic.

As we hop back on the bus we prepare to be guided from the former badlands of Wentworth, through to the inner city and up into the cultural hub of Glenwood, to arrive on the Berea at Durban’s finest gastro-pub. Each area holds its own secret stories of crews gathering to paint on Sundays, solo-artists stalking the night-time pathways, narrow escapes from security and the law, and battles that would come to define the hierarchies of Street Art culture in the city.

From the politics of urban space, to the uplifting aspect of a splash of color and the entertaining tales of vandals that became artists... this as unique as a bus ride gets. Expect to finish full and satisfied, in the head and the gut, with more than enough for the brain and the body to feed on.

\*Please advise us of any dietary requirements

### FULL ITENERARY:

- Pick up (to be confirmed to final attendees)
- The Winston
- Umbilo battlegrounds
- South Durban basin

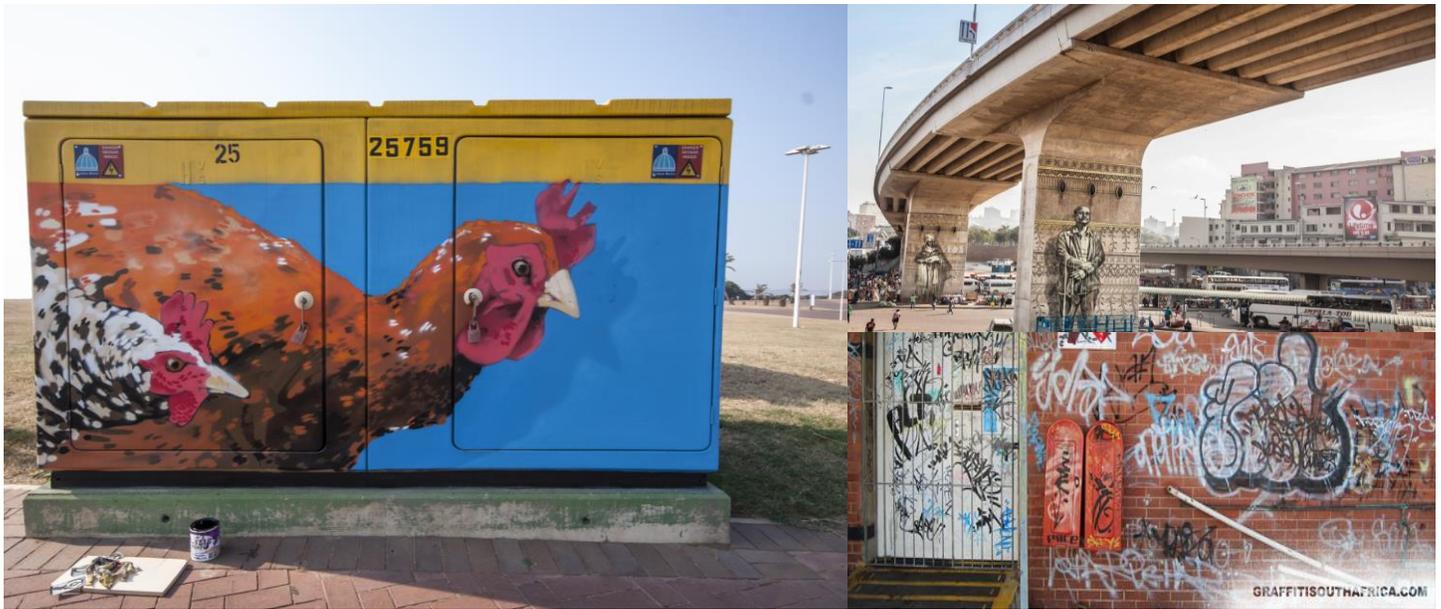


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- Rivertown Precinct
- Warrick triangle & inner city tales
- Glenwood suburbia
- Gastro-Pub craft beer tasting & lunch

**DURATION:** 4 to 5 hours

**INCLUDES:** Craft beer tasting, gourmet burger, transport, Street Scene Guide and street art stories, culture and history by Dane Stops



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