



### Directions

From the R34, take the Ulundi turn-off. After crossing the Mfolozi River, take the 2nd turn to the right (signposted as iMfolozi/Hluhluwe Game Park). You will pass the Ulundi Battlefield on your left. The Ondini Complex is signposted 5km further along the road to your left.  
GPS 31.457/28.368

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### Opening Hours

Mo-Fri: 8h00am-16h00pm  
Sat, Sun and Public Holidays: 9h00am-16h00pm  
Closed on Good Friday & Christmas Day  
Admission Fees.

# KwaZulu Cultural Museum

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# Ondini Historic Reserve

# Ulundi KZN



### The KwaZulu Cultural Museum

Experience the rich cultural heritage of the KwaZulu Natal region, from the earliest inhabitants to the present. The museum houses one of the most representative collections of Zulu material culture in the country, with a fabulous collection of Zulu beadwork. One can also experience interactive displays, from touching tools dating back to the Stone Age, to smelling traditional medicine and playing musical instruments.



### Curio shop

A small curio shop sells beautiful handcraft made by Zulu people. Coffee, tea, cool drinks and small meals are available in the coffee shop.



### Audio visual show

For those wishing a more detailed experience, a 20 minute audio visual presentation about life during the reign of King Cetshwayo is available.

### Tours and Teachers

The Museum Staff are available to assist teachers, tour guides and visitors. They conduct "Whistle-Stop" as well as detailed guided tours. Self-guided tour leaflets for the reconstruction are also available. The Education Staff will assist teachers in drawing up questionnaires and incorporating the museum visit into school curricula. Skills training, such as making beadwork, mats and pottery are also on offer (booking necessary) For bookings please contact: Amafa/Heritage KZN, the Education Officer at: Tel : 035 8702051, Fax: 035 8702054 E-mail: [kcmeducator@gmail.com](mailto:kcmeducator@gmail.com)



### More to see

1. Multi Media Centre in the Emakhosini/Ophathe Heritage Park and uMgungundlovu reconstructed Royal Residence of King Dingane, (1829-1838) (26km)
2. The eMakhosini (Valley of the Zulu Kings) where the early Zulu Kings are buried (30km)
3. Piet Retief Monument near uMgungundlovu (26km)
4. Ulundi Battlefield and Monument (4 July 1879) (4km)
5. Nodwengu, Residence of King Mpande (1840-1873) (CBD, 16km)
6. Fort Nolela, where the British camped prior to the Battle of Ulundi (1879) (11km)
7. KwaGqokli, the site of King Shaka's most significant military victory (14km)
8. Mthonjaneni Heights: Several earthen mound Forts, King Dingane's Spring (24km)
9. Game Reserves: Ophathe (10km) iMfolozi/Hluhluwe (30km)

### Ondini Site Museum & Reconstruction

The Ondini Site Museum focuses on the life of King Cetshwayo, the last King of an independent Zululand. His Royal Residence has been reconstructed here at Ondini, on the basis of archaeological excavations. The Site Museum also provides insight into the Anglo Zulu war of 1879.



### The Umuzi Bushcamp

Hear the night sounds of the veld and sense the loneliness of a spot where, more than a century ago, the Zulu army flung itself against the might of the British Army. The Umuzi Bush Camp, situated within the Ondini Historic Complex, is an ideal place from which to explore the area. It consists of several rondavels laid out as a Zulu homestead and caters for single visitors and tour groups. Contact: R.&C Duke at: Tel:035 8702500 (0828256896) E-mail: [rexduke@tintasafaris.co.za](mailto:rexduke@tintasafaris.co.za)

