

## Sheikh Jaber Al-Ahmad Cultural Centre

Visit the Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmad Cultural Centre for a marvelous world class theatre offering a wide range of events - in music, theatre, film, workshops and spoken word - for every generation.

It's located on the outskirts of Kuwait City facing Shuwaikh Beach, nestled between Soor Street and Jamal Abdul-Nasser Street. Opening Hours: Thursday, Friday & Saturday 8 am till 12 am / From Sunday to Wednesday 8am till 11pm

## Qout Market

Discover a new side of Kuwait at Qout Market | Kuwait Based Artisanal Farmers Market that brings together local farmers, craftsmen, and food enthusiasts with the local community to discover & enjoy the live music.

Located in CIRCLE OF PEACE, AL SHAHEED PARK, KUWAIT CITY, Opening Hours starts from 9am till 5pm, Upcoming markets are DEC. 2 | JAN. 6 | FEB. 3 | MAR. 3

## Souq Al Mubarakiya

Kuwait's oldest traditional souk, simply for its eclectic variety of goods (traditional & modern). You can find everything from gold to spices, the freshest fruits and vegetable, eateries, gift items, traditional perfumes and clothes etc. It's a place where you can easily spend hours without noticing. Don't Forget to pass by Sumo Square too.

Between Mubarak al-Kabir, Ahmad al-Jaber & Ali al-Salem Streets, Kuwait City, Kuwait. It opens from 8am till 11pm

## Kuwait Towers

Visiting one of Kuwait's most famous landmarks is necessary when visiting Kuwait! Enjoy the panoramic view of Kuwait 123 meters above sea level. Kuwait Towers is a group of three slender towers that symbolizes Kuwait's economic resurgence and also World cultural as well as touristic landmark. The structure is often referred to as Kuwait tower in singular although there are three towers. Standing on a promontory into the Arabian Gulf, Kuwait towers were officially inaugurated in 1979 and are rated as a tourist attraction and iconic building of modern Kuwait.

Located in Arabian Gulf St, Kuwait City. It opens from 8am till 11pm

## Grand Cinema, MX4D Theatre

Feel the movies at Grand Cinema, MX4D® theatre seat. It will move in sync with the movie action and special EFX generators in the cinema, allowing you to "feel" the movie's motion, jolts, pokes, wind, water, even scents.

It's located in Gate Mall & Al-Hamra luxury center. Gate mall is in Eqaila area block 5 and the opening hours starts from Saturday till Wednesday 9am to 10pm & Thursday and Friday from 10am to 11pm. Al-Hamra luxury center is located in AlSharq, Block 8, The crossroads of Jaber AlMubarak Street and AlShuhada'a it opens from

## Al Hamra Tower & Mall

The site of Kuwait's first cinema, for decades a well-known landmark in the City attracting citizens and visitors to enjoy their spare time. Al Hamra builds on that legacy with the Nation's tallest skyscraper – another landmark of success offering a luxurious overall experience

## Prestige, The Avenues

For Shopping, you can head to the largest Luxury Mall in Kuwait, Prestige, The Avenues. Imagine all your favorite brands in one place, Ladies will defiantly enjoy it!

\*The Avenues is located at Al-Rai- 5th Ring Road- Between Ghazali Street & Mohammed Bin Alqasem Street, Kuwait .All retailers from 10am till 10pm, Cinescape:Daily 11 am to 12:30 am  
Fridays 1 pm to 12:30 am, Harvey Nichols Daily 10 am to 11 pm and Weekends 10 am to 12 am. Ikea: Sunday to Thursday 10 am to 10 pm and Weekends 10 am to 11 pm. Kidzania: Sunday to Wednesday from 9 AM to 9 PM and Thursdays 9 AM to 11 PM, Fridays, Saturdays and Public Holidays from 10 AM to 11 PM. Carrefour: Daily 9 am to 12 am. Magic Planet: Daily 10 am to 10 pm. Centrepoint & Homecentre: Saturday to Wednesday 10 am to 10.30 pm, Thursday & Friday 10 am to 11.30 pm. Citizen Service Center: 9.30 am to 2.30 pm.

## The Liberation Tower

It is the symbol of Kuwaiti liberation, the representation of country's resurgence, second tallest tower in Kuwait, and the fifth tallest telecommunication tower in the world. Officially unveiled by the late Kuwaiti Amir, Sheikh Jaber Al-Ahmad Al-Jaber Al-Sabah on 10th March 1996, this 372meter tall tower is 40 meters taller than the Eiffel Tower. The tower is so-named following the multinational coalition that led to liberation of the nation from seven months of Iraqi occupation during the Gulf war.

## Failaka Island in Kuwait

Failaka Island is one among the most visited tourist destinations in Kuwait. Located along the northern part of Persian Gulf, and located 20kms away from Kuwait City, and situated opposite to the Failaka Bay. Failaka Island was home to more than 2000 residents prior to Iraqi invasion. But, after the invasion, several residents left the place. Several mines in Failaka are now being used by the military. The island also has interesting specimens from the Bronze Age and Dilmun Civilizations.

The spring season is the best time to visit the Island it is said, due to the gentle breeze, budding flowers, vibrant flora, changing temperature and pleasant weather conditions. Failaka Island has been much developed as a tourist spot, as it offers fishing, boating, sailing, swimming and water sports.

## Grand Mosque

Located in the heart of the city, the Grand Mosque is the biggest and the official Mosque of Kuwait which means that official religious celebrations are held in this mosque only. Locals refer to it as Al-Masjid Al-Kabir with total area of 46,000 square meters (490,000 sq ft), in that the building itself covers 20,000 square meters (220,000 sq ft). The Grand mosque is internationally renowned for its Islamic architecture and it has become one of Kuwait's most treasured landmarks.

Visitors and tourists can visit the mosque every week day morning at 9.00am and can have a guided tour free of charge. Tourists may also borrow head scarf and an abaya if they do not have one and long loose clothing is also recommended. The color scheme is blue and beige- taken from the colors of the surroundings, which is very pleasant and soothing to the eye.

## House of Mirrors

Many people even those who reside in Kuwait are not completely aware of 'The House of Mirrors' or hall of mirrors. However this is really an incredible wealth of art so accessible to the public at large and it is worth the visit. This house of mirrors belongs to Khalifa and Lidia Al-Qattan and it's now considered as a museum as the wife of the renowned Kuwaiti artist has turned their house into a work of art using broken pieces of glass to decorate the outside and inside of the house. Located in Qadisiya, the house is still a private property so appointments have to be made prior for weekday visits. Approximately 100 tonnes of white cement and 75 tones of mirror have been used in the making of the mirror mosaics that spangle the outside and inside of this residential house.

Contact Details: Address: House 17, Street 94, Block 9, Qadisiya, Kuwait - Telephone: +965 2251 8522

## Kuwait Zoo

The Kuwait Zoo is a major attraction for both, the locals and tourists alike. The zoo is a very entertaining place and it is often visited by families. Kuwait Zoo is one of those places that will keep the visitors spell-bounded every time they see the animals and it's a whole lot bigger and better experience.

Located in Omariya, this sprawling animal kingdom covers an area of around 1, 80,000 sq meters. Tickets: 500 Fils per person. Time: Winter: 8am to 8pm Summer: 8am to 12noon and again from 4pm to 8pm

## Kuwait National Museum

The Kuwait National Museum is a true representation of the Kuwaiti heritage and it is located on the Arabian Gulf Street between the Seif Palace and National Assembly. Designed by French architect Michel Ecochard, visitors can enjoy this historical museum, which represent the Kuwaiti life in the past, their everyday activities, the rich trading history of Kuwait and its traditions.

The museum consists of five buildings built around a central garden; this is similar to the architectural plan of the vernacular Arab mud house which has a central courtyard. The National Museum also exhibits the wonderful art collection by the Al-Sabah dynasty. Visiting Hours: Monday to Saturday – 8.00am to 12.30am; 4.00pm to 8.00pm; Friday – 4.00pm to 8.00pm.

## Sadu House

Several museums in Kuwait showcase the country's history, its art, artifacts, archeological findings and even information on the Gulf War. However, there is one exceptional museum that stands out for its depiction of the exquisiteness and custom encompassed in Bedouin crafts, namely Sadu weaving. The Sadu House is a beautiful, traditional Kuwaiti styled house where visitors can discover the Bedouin art of weaving, its styles and history. Located right next to the National Museum of Kuwait on the Gulf Road, Bait Al Sadu (Sadu House) was formerly an old Kuwaiti house that's been converted into a cultural center.

Timings: Saturday to Thursday - 8am to 1pm and 4pm to 8pm; Tickets: KD2 per person

## Tareq Rajab Museum in Kuwait

There is nothing more exciting like getting completely submerged in history and transported back in time by visiting a museum. The Tareq Rajab Museum- one of Kuwait's small-scale distinct personal museums is a fantastic place to engage and enjoy in Kuwait. The Tareq Rajab collection is the private collection of antiquities by Kuwait's first Minister Tareq Sayed Rajab and his wife Jehan Wellborne, which include Islamic Arts, metal and glass works, Treasures of Ceramics, Gold and Silver jewelry, costumes of sheikhs and shepherds, English costumes, Bahraini pearls, pottery, metalwork, glass, masonry, manuscripts, and musical instruments.

Unveiled in 1980, the original Museum was a private art collection and now the Tareq Rajab Museum contains a collection of over thirty thousand items collected by this dynamic couple over the last fifty years, 10 thousand of which are now on permanent display. Timings: Daily from 9:00am to 12:00pm; 4:00pm to 7:00pm and On Friday – 9:00am to 12:00pm; Tickets: Entry is KD2 / Adult. Children and students are free.

## The Scientific Center in Kuwait

Located in Salmiya of Kuwait, The Scientific Center is the center for environmental education in the gulf region. Being inherited by late Sheikh Jaber Al-Ahmed Al-Jaber Al-Sabah, the Scientific Center in Kuwait (KSC), spans across more than 80,000 square meters of area. Established along the waterfront, the building is designed to reflect the Islamic arts and culture. The KSC has three main attractions – the Aquarium, Discovery Palace, and the IMAX Cinema. Apart from this, there is also the Dhow Harbour located directly on the waterfront. It also has coffee shops, gift shops, and food court, along with a walkway that shows more scenic views of the coastline in Kuwait.

Visiting Hours: Sunday to Thursday – 9.00am to 10.00pm and Friday – 2.00pm to 10.00pm.

## Al Shaheed Park

"Visit the largest urban park in Kuwait to enjoy the greenery, culture & history.

For specific events below is the events calendar at Al Shaheed Park  
<http://alshaheedpark.com/events/>

Al Shaheed park, located on the periphery of Kuwait city, narrates the story of a land, its history and culture. The park consists of 200,000 m2 of greenery, featuring beautiful botanical gardens, two museums - Thekra & the Habitat, a visitor center, a lake, walkingways and jogging tracks, making it the largest urban park in Kuwait."

Visiting Hours: Sunday to Saturday – 5.00am to 10.00pm

## Green Island

Green Island is well known as the ideal place for relaxation. It is a popular holiday retreat of Kuwait, which is in fact, a reclaimed land, transformed into an artificial island. The Green Island is located along the coastline, extending from Al-Shiwaikh to Ras Alard, spanning an area of 785,000 square meters. It is surrounded by natural rocks brought from Al-Fujairah Emirates. In fact, even the sands at the beaches of the Green Island is said to have been imported from other countries. Established on 22nd February 1988, and owned by T.E.C, the island includes about 50,000 coloured shrubs and seedlings planted here, and with all the colours and greeneries, it doesn't render the feel of being in a desert country.

Timings:Open from 8am to 11pm daily

## Sheikh Abdullah Al Salem Cultural Center

Sheikh Abdullah Al Salem Cultural Centre is one of the world's largest cultural complexes housing a total of 22 galleries with over 1,100 exhibits. The complex, offers a Fine Arts Museum, Science and Technology Museum, a Fine Arts Centre, Arabic Islamic Science Museum, Space Museum, and Theatre

Ticket Prices: Adults (18+): 3 KD

Junior | Student (Max 18): 2 KD

Under 2: Free of Charge

Ambulant Disabled: 1.5 KD

Wheelchair Disabled: 1.5 KD + Free Helper

Chaperon: 2 KD

## Kuwait Motor Town Race Circuit

New place in Kuwait for professional race driver, or families seeking for leisure activities, or club members desiring premium level services, Kuwait Motor Town with its fully integrated portfolio of entertainment

It's located in Orafjan on 40 road