

ENRTY CHARGES (KES)

Citizens Adult	Kshs. 100.00
Citizens Child	Kshs. 50.00
Non-Resident Adult within E. Africa Adult	Kshs. 400.00
Non-Resident Child within E. Africa Child	Kshs. 200.00
Non-Resident Adult outside E. Africa Adult	Kshs. 500.00
Non-Resident Child outside E. Africa Child	Kshs. 250.00

School Groups

Pupils/Students	Kshs. 50.00
Teachers	Kshs. 100.00
Colleges/Universities	Kshs. 100.00

Other Charges

Hiring ground	Kshs. 15000.00
Video shooting	Kshs. 2000.00

Open daily

Including weekends & public holidays
from 8.30am to 6.00pm

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Education programmes-Hyrax hill pre-historic site and museum offers a variety of all-inclusive education programmes and services to different target groups, which includes: guided tours special programs and lectures on variety of topics .

Guinea Fowl Exhibition

Hyrax hill sourrounding is a habitat for the helmelted guinea fowls. Come learn about these unique birds and many others.



Australopithecus



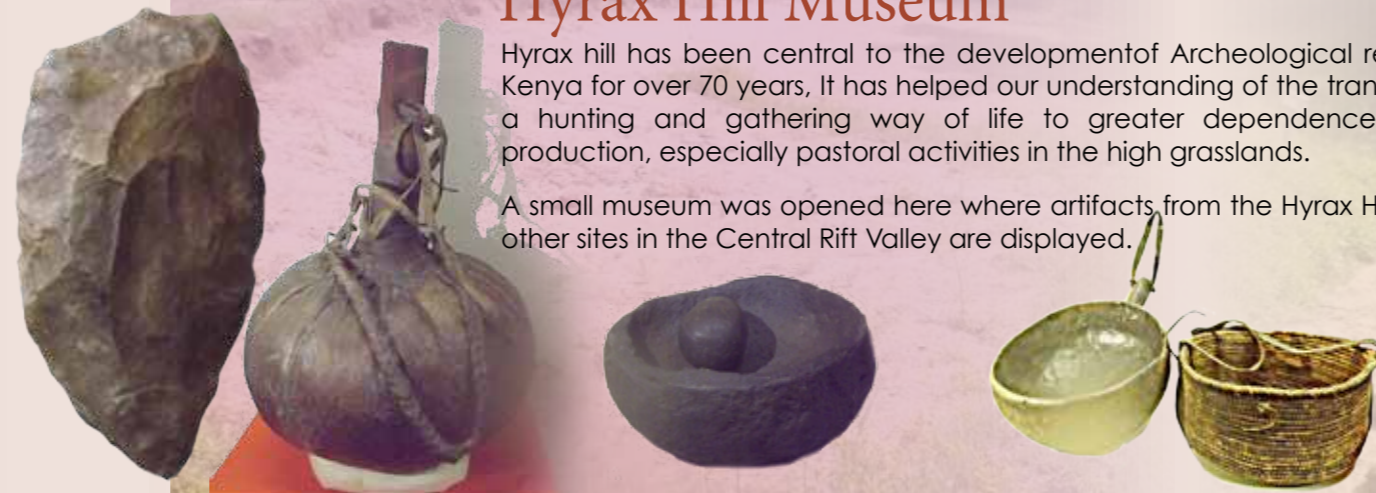
Homo Erectus



Hyrax Hill Museum

Hyrax hill has been central to the developmentof Archeological research in Kenya for over 70 years, It has helped our understanding of the transition from a hunting and gathering way of life to greater dependence on food production, especially pastoral activities in the high grasslands.

A small museum was opened here where artifacts from the Hyrax Hill site and other sites in the Central Rift Valley are displayed.



HYRAX HILL

PREHISTORIC SITE



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Discover The living proof of Neolithic Settlement & Subsistence Culture

Picturesque Views from Hyrax Hill

Hyrax hill pre-historic site and museum is a regional museum under the management of national museums of Kenya. It is located along the Nairobi-Nakuru highway 152km west of Nairobi and 4km from Nakuru town centre.

Hyrax Hill Museum depicts the lifestyle of seasonal settlement by prehistoric people at least 5,000 years old. The Museum is a former farmhouse ceded to the monument in 1965, by the Late Mr. A. Selfe.

Numerous sites around the hill belong to different time periods with the earliest finds dating back to the Neolithic period.



Lanet Site

The Lanet site is a pre-historic site under the purview of the Hyrax Museum located adjacent to the Lake Nakuru National Park. It is comprised of a large open area suitable for outdoor activities such as camping and hiking. The site lies four kilometers to the south-east of Hyrax Hill Museum and is situated at the foot of Lion Hill, overlooking Lake Nakuru.

There is evidence in the form beach sands that a fresh water Lake once extended right to the base of the hill; turning the hill into a peninsular or even an island. The mighty prehistoric lake is believed to have covered the valley from Nakuru to Lake Elementaita about 8,500 years ago. Traces of it have been found at Hyrax Hill, the Nakuru Burial Site, Gambles.



Arrow shaft fitted with crescents to show possible use

Great Outdoor Fun

Bau game rocks

These prehistoric bau games are carved into stones near the base of the hill.

Bau game is popular across Africa and the Caribbean and is played by two or more people who drop pebbles into opposite sets of dug out indentations in wood.



Play prehistoric stone slab bau game

Tortoise pit

The pit houses two species of tortoises including the bell hinged tortoise and leopard tortoises.



Tortoise pen



Grounds for hire

Memorable Events

- Grounds for hire (Weddings, Cooperate events, parties)
- Hiking
- Nature walk
- Bird Watching
- Children Creativity Club