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Welcome to the July issue.

Congratulations to Nathaniel Getenew Zeleke who has gained international recognition after winning first place in the Amazon Web Services (AWS) Aldeas competition, competing against more than 10,000 participants worldwide.

As Addis Ababa evolves into a smart city, mobile buses are becoming a symbol of a future where services move with the people; read all about it this month.

At the heart of Ethiopia's growing contemporary art scene is Nebat Yousuf, the founder of The Wave Art & Designs; read all about this rising creative talent! In *Fifty Shades of Wanderlust for an African Soul*, Ethiopian traveler and author Abduselam Ademnur shares his remarkable journey across more than 50 countries and three continents, celebrating travel from an African perspective.

We celebrate the creativity and entrepreneurial spirit of inspiring Ethiopians and are pleased to profile them as well as plenty of other interesting and useful information.

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REDEFINING ETHIOPIAN CULTURE THROUGH CONTEMPORARY ART

By Rachel Berhane Araya

In a world where digital culture often moves faster than history can be remembered, Yatreda has emerged as one of Ethiopia's most original and globally recognized contemporary art collectives. Founded by Kiya Tadele and her family, Yatreda is not simply an art brand – it is a movement dedicated to preserving, reimagining, and celebrating Ethiopian identity through modern visual storytelling.

What makes Yatreda truly unique is the way it blends Ethiopia's ancient history with futuristic artistic expression. While many fashion and art brands focus only on aesthetics, Yatreda transforms cultural heritage into cinematic visual experiences. Their work combines photography, motion portraits, historical costume design, and digital art to create immersive stories inspired by Ethiopian kings, queens, warriors, hairstyles, and traditions.

One of the collective's most celebrated projects, Kingdoms of Ethiopia, brought historical Ethiopian figures to life through motion portraiture. Instead of presenting history as something distant or static, Yatreda made it feel alive, emotional, and modern. Their visual language is deeply rooted in Ethiopian culture, yet it speaks to a global audience in a contemporary way.

Another element that distinguishes Yatreda is authenticity. The collective invests heavily in historical research, costume creation, traditional symbolism, and Ethiopian storytelling. Every detail – from hairstyles and jewelry to fabric and posture – is carefully designed to honor Ethiopian heritage with accuracy and artistic dignity.



Yatreda also stands out because it challenges the way Africa is represented in global media. Rather than relying on stereotypes or outside interpretations, the collective tells Ethiopian stories from an Ethiopian perspective. Their work celebrates African beauty, strength, spirituality, and identity with pride and sophistication. This has earned them international recognition from publications including *Vogue*, *OkayAfrica*, and other global art platforms.

The collective's artistic style is also unique because it combines nostalgia with innovation. Their motion portraits feel timeless – inspired by Ethiopia's past while embracing digital technology and modern artistic formats. By entering the digital art space early, Yatreda created a new platform for African cultural preservation in the digital age.

Beyond art, Yatreda represents cultural empowerment. The group encourages young Ethiopian creatives to value their own stories, traditions, and artistic voices. Their success proves that local heritage can become globally influential when presented with originality, vision, and confidence.

In many ways, Yatreda is more than a creative collective – it is a visual archive of Ethiopian identity, a bridge between generations, and a bold example of how African art can shape the future while honoring the past.

Instagram: @bosslady_tenu
Twitter/X: @yatreda

24-YEAR-OLD ETHIOPIAN ENGINEER MAKES GLOBAL IMPACT WITH OFFLINE AI EDUCATION SYSTEM



Nathaniel Getenew Zeleke has gained international recognition after winning first place in the Amazon Web Services (AWS) Aldeas competition, competing against more than 10,000 participants worldwide.

His award-winning project, "Ivy," is an offline AI-powered educational system designed for mobile phones. Unlike most digital learning platforms, Ivy works without internet access, making it especially useful for students in low-connectivity and underserved areas.

Created as an AI tutor, the system provides educational support, learning guidance, and resources directly through mobile devices. The innovation has been praised for helping bridge the digital divide and improving access to education across Africa.

Nathaniel's achievement not only highlights the power of locally driven innovation but also shines a spotlight on Ethiopia's growing presence in the global technology sector.

Sources: *Ivy Aldeas Finalist - AWS Builder Center*
<https://www.instagram.com/p/DX4516GAR5R/>
https://www.instagram.com/habesha__diaspora_/
<https://www.instagram.com/snap254/>

MOBILE BUSES IN ADDIS ABABA: THE FUTURE OF ON-THE-GO SERVICES

In Addis Ababa, mobile buses are emerging as an innovative way of delivering public and private services directly to communities. These specially equipped vehicles function as moving service centers, bringing essential services closer to people and reducing the need to travel long distances to fixed offices.

One of the most notable developments is the introduction of smart mobile buses that serve as government service hubs. Recent initiatives in Addis Ababa include electric buses designed as “mobile one-stop centers,” offering services such as documentation, digital ID processing, and citizen support in both high-traffic and underserved areas.

Beyond government services, mobile buses are also expanding into healthcare and community outreach. Mobile clinic models have long been used to provide medical care in areas with limited access, acting as “doctor’s offices on the move” for vulnerable communities.

These innovations align with Ethiopia’s broader shift toward clean energy and electric mobility, supporting national goals for sustainability and reduced emissions. Electric bus systems are increasingly part of Addis Ababa’s urban modernization efforts, helping to power mobile services more efficiently while reducing environmental impact.

The rise of mobile buses represents more than transport innovation—it reflects a new urban strategy focused on accessibility, efficiency, and inclusion. Whether used for government services, healthcare, or community engagement, these mobile units are reshaping how services reach people in Ethiopia’s growing capital.

As Addis Ababa evolves into a smart city, mobile buses are becoming a symbol of a future where services move with the people, not the other way around.

Source: Ethiopian News Agency (ENA)
ENA / Addis Ababa City Administration
ENA Government Reform Report
ENA Transport Report



FOR THE RAINY SEASON: OLIVE OIL FRIED EGGS WITH YOGURT & LEMON



SERVES
PREP TIME
COOK TIME

1, BUT EASILY MULTIPLIED
10 MINUTES
5 MINUTES

When was the last time you got a brand new egg routine? Not just an experiment, but an egg delivery method that was truly quick, repeatable, and satisfying enough to make it into the rotation (and displace the regulars)? This is your moment! Memorize this recipe, and it will reshape your morning, or night, or right now.

INGREDIENTS

1/4 cup (60ml) plain yogurt (Greek or not, your choice)

1/2 lemon

Kosher salt or normal salt

Freshly ground black pepper

2 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil

2 eggs

1 tablespoon roughly chopped leafy fresh herbs, such as basil, dill, chervil, chives, and/or parsley



DIRECTIONS

Step 1

In a small bowl, combine the yogurt and a big squeeze of juice from the lemon half (don't discard the lemon half) and whisk together. Season to taste with salt and pepper, and adjust the lemon to taste, too. Scrape the mixture onto a plate and spread and swoop it so the yogurt covers most of the plate.

Step 2

In a nonstick skillet over medium high heat, warm the olive oil. Crack the eggs into the pan and sprinkle each egg with a bit of salt and pepper. Sprinkle a few drops of water (less than a teaspoon) into the skillet, being sure to let the water hit the bottom of the pan and not the eggs, and immediately, carefully cover the pan with a lid or the bottom of another wide, lightweight pan.

Step 3

Let the eggs cook until the whites are cooked through but the yolks are still a bit wobbly, just a minute or two. Transfer the eggs to the prepared plate, setting them on top of the yogurt, then pour the remaining olive oil from the pan over the top. Squeeze whatever juice remains in the lemon half and scatter over the herbs. Serve immediately.



THE CREATIVE JOURNEY OF NEBAT YOUSUF AND THE WAVE ART & DESIGNS

By Rachel Berhane Araya

At the heart of Ethiopia's growing contemporary art scene is a rising creative talent, Nebat Yousuf, the founder of The Wave Art & Designs. Nebat was born and raised in Addis Ababa and has built her artistic journey through passion, creativity, and determination. With a Bachelor's Degree in Architecture and a Master's Degree in Business Leadership, she combines artistic vision with professional discipline, creating works that are both meaningful and visually captivating.

From an early age, Nebat showed a deep love for handmade art and crafts. What began as painting on traditional clay pots gradually evolved into creating abstract artwork on canvas. Today, she continues to express her creativity through both mediums, developing a unique artistic style that blends modern design with cultural inspiration.



The Wave Art & Designs has become known for its originality and strong visual identity. Through paintings, custom art pieces, and creative design concepts, Nebat transforms ideas into expressive works filled with color, emotion, and character. Her work reflects not only artistic talent, but also a strong understanding of storytelling through design.

One of the defining qualities of The Wave Art & Designs is its ability to merge contemporary artistic trends with Ethiopian influence. Each piece carries authenticity and individuality, making the brand stand out within the local creative industry.

Beyond her talent as an artist, Nebat is also an ambitious entrepreneur with a vision for the future. She hopes to establish a creative studio that will include canvas art, clay pot art, and an architectural design space. As Ethiopia's creative industry continues to expand, The Wave Art & Designs is emerging as a promising name representing innovation, passion, and the next generation of Ethiopian artistry.

Instagram · [thewave_arts](#)

GALANI AMONG THE 100 BEST COFFEE SHOPS IN THE WORLD

by Heleanna Georgalis



There are countless numbers of wonderful coffee shops around the world with beautifully curated menus and interiors. Such places have been special to us on our coffee journey, as we learned from them, and applied the knowledge gained.

When we started Galani in 2014, the original idea was for people to just walk in, have a good cup of coffee, learn something about what makes it special and walk out.

We were not prepared for the demands of retail and roasting, so the journey was an uphill experience. Galani Coffee and our coffee carrier (our little donkey), took shape finally around the idea that, as Ethiopia produces among the best coffees in the world, it should be able to showcase them to the resident public too. Our food is simple but full of flavors evoking Ethiopia and the Levant. Quality and freshness are not negotiable and everything must combine well with a coffee.

The “100 Best Coffee Shops Award” was initiated in Spain, with independent judges evaluating different coffee shops across the world. In 2026, they received 15,000 candidates, with Galani among them.

To be selected among the 100 best coffee shops in the world, twice in a row, and being placed among the coffee shops we so admired, was an incredible surprise and honor. An ode to Ethiopia and its beautiful coffees as well as an ode to our efforts.



1

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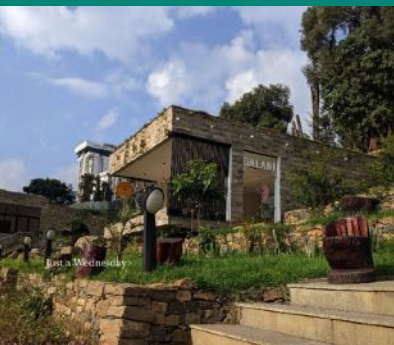


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ETHIOPIAN WINS AFRICAN TRAVEL INFLUENCER OF THE YEAR AWARD

Ethiopian news reporter Abel Birhanu who has gained popularity on his self-titled YouTube channel has accumulated more than 2 million subscribers and over 290 million views. He posts commentary on current events, focusing especially on news in Ethiopia. He launched his YouTube channel in August 2018.

Coming from his hometown, Alem Gena, to standing on a global stage representing his country, he reflects that it has been an incredible journey. At the prestigious Africa Golden Awards 2026 in Nairobi held recently, he expressed his gratitude for the award on his social media channels, noting his journey from using a simple phone camera to gaining continental recognition.

When Abel started out, all he had was a vision to see the world and a passion to share stories with an audience. "To see those small efforts blessed by the Almighty and recognized by my own continent, Africa, is a joy I can't quite put into words," said Abel. In his grateful acceptance speech he acknowledged that the award isn't just his, that it belongs to all of his followers and to all of his supporters and those who cheered him on from the sidelines.

Source: The African Timed (Facebook)
<https://www.tiktok.com/@abelbirhanu>
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3bE>



BOOK: FIFTY SHADES OF WANDERLUST FOR AN AFRICAN SOUL

In *Fifty Shades of Wanderlust for an African Soul*, Ethiopian traveler and author Abduselam Ademnur shares his remarkable journey across more than 50 countries and three continents, celebrating travel from an African perspective. The book reflects his passion for exploration and challenges stereotypes surrounding African travelers.

Inspired by his late father, a fearless truck driver who believed travel could conquer fear, Abduselam inherited old passports and travel records that motivated him to see the world for himself. Despite traveling with what he describes as a “weak” Ethiopian passport, he has now visited over 85 countries.

His journey began in 2011 while studying architecture, traveling across Ethiopia to cities such as Hawassa, Gondar, and Harar. Later, his adventures expanded internationally, from exhibiting Ethiopian cultural photography in India to riding the iron ore train in Mauritania and snowmobiling across glaciers in Iceland.

Today, Abduselam also serves as Honorary Consul of Iceland in Ethiopia. Through his writing, he hopes to redefine the image of African travelers and proudly declares:
“I am from Africa and I am a tourist.”



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MONTH EVENTS

Art Exhibitions and Gallery events
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hrs

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Apts.
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steak sandwiches
7 days a week

BURGER SHACK

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Loki Kidus Michael
Bldg
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Next to Zenbaba
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0968 584185
Alem Gebre
Building, Gerji
Known for: Live
music
7 days a week

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098 470 6001
Behind Sheger
Building
Known for:
Burgers
7 days a week

GRUB ON

0917 707070/
0960 313131
Djibouti St. Near
new stadium
Known for:
Burgers
7 days a week

IN JOY BURGER

0936 638787
Medhanialem Bldg,
Bole
& other branches
Known for:
Chicken burger
7 days a week

LA NOUVELLE

0929 930200
1 | Bole, behind
MillenniumHalK-
nown for:
Sandwiches,
Combos
7 days a week
2 | Kebena, in front
of Indiana School
Closed Mondays

LELA SISHU

0908 020202
Kelsam Bldg,
Mickey Leland St.

Known for: Burgers
& Desserts
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Golden Tulip Hotel
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092-006-1063 /
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Opposite Kera,
behind Worke's
Promise Building.
Known for:
Burgers
Closed Mondays

SOSHA

0933 424242
Medhanialem
towards Millennium
Known for: Vegan
Sandwich
7 days a week

THE DOSE

0970 104444
Next to Warka
Tower, Bole
Known for: Hot
dog sandwich
7 days a week

ARMENIAN

ALADDIN

011 661 4109
By Laphto Mall
Known for: Grilled
meat, humus,
taboulleh
Closed Sundays

ARMENIAN (ARARAT) CLUB

011 111 3572
Amist Kilo, behind
Armenian
Church on
Tewodros Street
Known for: Mezze
& Shish Kebab
Opens at 5:30 pm
Closed Sundays

ASIAN

ARIRANG

011 320 4606
1 | Mauritania St.

By Ring Road
Known for: Korean,
Japanese
7 days a week

ARIRANG 2 MASIRANG

011 320 4606
Mekanisa, near
Korean Embassy
Known for: Asian
Brunch
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EATNSEE

0926 226988
Bole Japan, inside
**GANGNAM
KOREAN**
Known for: Mango
Bingsu, & Korean
mini-mart
7 days a week

HANOI HANNA

0995 301679
Bole Japan behind
Chinese market
at Japan Condo-
miniums
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Bánh Mì,
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Fried Noodles
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HOTTO

0903 475477
Known for
Japanese inspired
Asian fusion
The Place Building
Closed on Sundays

JADE

Sheraton
011 517 1717
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Pan-Asian culinary
experience
7 days a week

KAZ

0986 833333
0987 933333
Rebtek Apts
Behind Friendship
Park
Known for: Sushi,
Japanese fusion
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KOKORO

0985 022222
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opposite Tomoca
Known for:
Japanese food

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Cote d'Ivoire
Street, Balderas
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Chinese dishes
7 days a week

TIAN TIAN CHINESE RESTAURANT

0913 548888
1/Bole Medhani-
alem,
2/Friendship
Supermarket,
3/Bisrate Gebriel
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noodles
7 days a week

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Asian bites
7 days a week

BRAZILIAN

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Ramada Hotel
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vegetarian
options
7 days a week

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Shola; Old Airport
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pastries
7 days a week

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Megenagna
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CUPCAKE DELIGHTS BAKERY

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0911 214645
Bole, opposite
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Brunch
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Puffs (Boxegna)
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Aware, opposite
German School
Known for:
Croissants,
Chocolate Cake
Closed Sundays

GALANI

0911 200186
1/Jackross,
MOPLACO coffee
factory
Known for: Ice

Cream & Garden
Closed Mondays
2/Lebu, Gara Mart
Known for: Coffee,
Light Lunch
7 days a week
3/Churchill, in front
of MiNT
Known for: Oven
Pizzas, Bread
7 days a week
4/Entoto ZOMA
Park
Known for: Library,
Lake View
Fridays - Sundays

GATEAU

0905 454647
Behind ICS,
Known for: Pastries
7 days a week

GATEAU | 2

0904 770000
Churchill Road,
next to Lycée
Known for: Pastries
7 days a week

GRAB & GO

Golden Tulip Hotel
011 6170740
Medhaniale area,
next to Mama's
Kitchen,
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Pastries and Bread
7 days a week

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Spectacular Cakes
7 days a week

KALDI'S

0113714258
6 main locations:
2 around Bole
Medhaniale,
Old Airport, CMC,
Olympia, Kaliti and
many others
7 days a week

KOBA

0941 000022
1| Sandford
0900 989898
2| Atlas
0900 898989
3| Arat Kilo
Known for:
Handcrafted
Cakes, Pastéis de
Nata
7 days a week

LONDON CAFÉ

0980 483020
In front of Bole
Medhaniale
Known for: Pastries
7 days a week

MAMOKACHA COFFEE

011 668 5792
EU Road across
from Alexandria
Apts.
Known for:
Coffee, Waffles and
Brunch
7 days a week

MOYOS

0920 242442
Around Atlas Hotel
across from Yoly
Hotel
Known for:
Breakfast and fresh
juice
7 days a week

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(Various locations)
0911 218534
Opposite
Canadian Embassy,
Sarbet
Known for:
German style
bakery and cafe
7 days a week

NATANI

011 662 4753
Bole Millennium
Known for:
Cheesecake
7 days a week

RAIZEL

0911 222043
Next to Cinema
Empire, Bole Road
Known for:
Sandwiches
7 days a week

THE GOAT

1| Bole
Medanialem,
behind Adot
0973 800607
7 days a week
2| Kazanchis, near
Intercontinental
0937 077744
7 days a week
3| Urael, behind
2000 Habasha
Restaurant
7 days a week

THE MARKET

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brewed Ethiopian
coffee, tea and
delicious pastries
7 days a week

TILLA

0946 701125
Kazanchis (across
from Bambis)
Known for:
Sandwiches,
Smoothie Bar with
healthy food
7 days a week

TRYST

0944 061818
Kazanchis next to
Elilly Hotel, & Atlas
in front of Shebta
Lounge
Known for:
Delicious
Sandwiches
7 days a week

TOMOCA

(Various locations)
011 111 2498
Incl, Churchill
Road, near Book
World, Atlas, Bole
Medhaniale
Known for: Variety
of coffee to buy
and/or drink
7 days a week

CONTINENTAL

ADDIS ABABA GOLF CLUB

0921 734176/
0911-573872
Old Airport
Known for:
BBQ on weekends
7 days a week

AMSTERDAM

0911 516178/
01186 81725
Bole Road, behind

Friendship
Known for:
European Food
7 days a week

ALL DAY DINING

011 667 3175/7822
Golagol
in front of
Aksum Hotel
Known for: Buffet
breakfast and
A la Carte Menu
7 days a week

CASCARA COFFEE & COCKTAILS

Hyatt Regency
011 517 1203
Known For:
coffee-flavored
cocktails
7 days a week

CHANOLY SMOOTHIE & NOODLES

0927 349509
(Many locations)
Bole behind
Friendship Hotel,
Meskel Flower
Road, Sarbet,
Summit plus
Known for:
Noodles & Salads
7 days a week

CENTER POINT REVOLVING RESTAURANT

InterContinental
011 550 5066
Kazanchis
Known for: Buffet,
European cuisine
7 days a week

CHOMA GRILL

0902 060708
Shola, Minarol
Building
Known for:
Grilled meat
7 days a week

CREMINO

0944 063338
Bole, Tropical Mall
Known for: Steak
and Cheese
7 days a week

ENTOTO

0963 639963
Bole Rd, corner of
Japan Res. Rd.
Known for:
Mediterranean/
Arabic vibe
7 days a week

EXCLUSIVE

0929 446238
Bole Medhaniale
Known for:
Steak House
7 days a week

FIVE LOAVES

0913 576818/
0911 222976
Opposite Indian
School, Kebena
Known for: Sunday
Brunch
7 days a week

GARDEN COURT HIBIR

011 662 0922/23
Bole in front of
Alem Building
Known for: Burgers
7 days a week

GAZEBO

Hilton

011 517 0000
Ext 953
Outdoor dining
beside the pool
Known for:
Sunday Brunch
7 days a week

GOLDEN PLATE
0975745252/
0980178210
Bole Medhanialem
Abyssinia Plaza
Known for: Fine
dining
7 days a week

**HILL BOTTOM
ADDIS**
011 896 4670/69
Ayat Roundabout
Known for: Brick
oven pizza
7 days a week

KORMA GRILL
090 588 8888
0905 787878
Bole Rwanda
Known for:
Grilled Steak
7 days a week

JW STEAKHOUSE
Sheraton
011 517 1717
Known for:
Gourmet cuisine
Bookings Only

**MAMA'S
KITCHEN**
0911 222133
0930 099356
Next to Golden
Tulip, Megenagna,
4Kilo, Unity Park &
Entoto Park
Known for: Grills
7 days a week

MARCUS ADDIS
0945 111111
CBE HQ Tower,
47th Fl.
Known for:
Ethiopian/
International
Fusion
7 days a week

MESKOTT
0903 879999
Arat Kilo
Known for:
International
cuisine & bar
7 days a week

OAK
011 146 74000
Dreamliner Hotel
Meskel Flower
Known for:
European dishes
7 days a week

PEACOCK
0911 222637
Behind Bole
Printing Press
Known for Steaks
7 days a week

PEPPER & SPICE
Bambis, around
Marriot Hotel
011 518 4600
Known for:
Mediterranean
cuisine
7 days a week

SUMMERFIELDS
Sheraton
011 517 1717
Ext.6089
Known for:

Hamburgers, buffet
and ice cream
7 days a week

**SKY STEAK
HOUSE**
011 467 4000
Dreamliner Hotel
Known for: Steak
7 days a week

**SKY STEAK
HOUSE**
011 651 1573/77
0911 100155
Up the hill from
Megenagna
Roundabout,
Known for: Pasta/
continental dishes
7 days a week

UNION
0903 377488
Meskel Square,
inside Addis Ababa
Museum
Known for:
Mixed Grill
7 days a week

VERRES EN VERS
Radisson Blu
0982 092182
011 515 7600
Kazanchis
Known for: Buffet
and à la carte
dishes French
Brasserie style
7 days a week

**VILLA VERDE
LOUNGE**
0929 115937
Behind ICS next
to Gateau
Known for:
Brunch, Pizza
7 days a week

ETHIOPIAN

AKKOO COFFEE
0905 828282
Churchill Avenue,
Piazza
Milkomi City
Complex, Bole
Next to Post
Office, Kazanchis
Known for: Bula
firfir
7 day a week

**CHAKA
COFFEE**
0953 459258
Stadium, Bole
Friendship &
Morning Star
Building
Known for: Fresh
coffee and tasty
breakfast

DASHEN TERARA
0911 201723
last road to the
right,
Golagul end of
Togo Street,
Known for: National
food, garden
7 days a week

DONATELA
011 668 4444
Bole Atlas
Rakan Building
3rd floor
Known for: Fusion,
Ethiopian, African
dishes
Closed Sundays

**FAFRESH
CULTURAL
KITCHEN**

0910 790038
In front of Getu
Commercial Bldg,
Dembel
Known for: Kitfo
varieties
7 days a week

2000 HABESHA
011 618 2253/58
Bole Atlas
Known for:
National food &
traditional dance
7 days a week

KATEGNA
0913 552762
0911 126460
Bole Medhanialem
Known For:
Quwanta firfir
7 days a week

KORMA GRILL
0905 888888
Near Rwanda
Embassy,
In front of
Washington
Hospital
Known for: Grilled
beef ribs
7 days a week

**MESTI
RESTAURANT**
0902 262222
22 Mazoriya, near
Mulmul Bakery
Known for: Quanta
Firfir, Ageligil
7 days a week

MITMITA
0978 197800
Opposite
Millennium Hall,
Known for:
Local dishes
7 days a week

**SINKENESH
FISH**
0902 606060
Cape Verde St.
Bole Rwanda

TABLE 5
0904 020712
In front of Grand
Palace Hotel,
Kazanchis
Known for: Chikna
tibs
7 days a week

**VELVET
RESTAURANT &
LOUNGE**
011 663 5920
T.K. Bldg Bole, in
front of Skylight
Hotel
Known for:
seasoned chicken,
beef and fish
7 days a week

WERKA COFFEE
0976 367474 next
to Mekonnen
special Sumit
0938 807070 Bole
0994 292929
behind Mana Bldg,
Sumit
Known for: Kitfo
7 days a week

**YILMA
RESTAURANT**
0911 070707
Near Atlas traffic
lights
Known for: Grilled
meat
7 days a week

YOD ABYSSINIA
011 661 2985 /
011 372 0607

Bole Medhanialem,
Old Airport &
Sahlite Mihiret
Known for:
Traditional food
and dancing
Closed Mondays

ZEN
0980 193313
Olompia, House
220
Known for:
Ethiopian,
European & Middle
Eastern dishes
7 days a week

FRENCH

LA MAISON
0911 472830
Mickey Leland St,
last turn on the
right before Atlas
Crossroads
Known for: Sunday
Brunch, Garden
7 days a week

LOUVRE
0970 800000
Togo Street,
Across from Misrak
Technical School
Known for: French
menu & courtyards
7 days a week

LA MANDOLINE
0921 328507
Near British
Embassy
Cote d'Ivoire St.
Known for: Risotto,
pork dishes
Closed Tuesdays

PARIS
0960 230000
0911 528585
In front of Caravan
Hotel Chichinya
Known for: French
& African dishes
7 days a week

GERMAN

BEER GARDEN
011 618 2595/91
Behind Edna Mall
Known for: Home
brewed beer and
European dishes
Closed Mondays
Except the Bar

GREEK

GREEK CLUB
011 553 0485
Off Olympia Road,
further down from
Greek School
Known for:
Moussaka, Souvlaki
7 days a week

ICE CREAM

**EMBWA
CREAMERY**
0911 209838
Kera in Sishu
compound, &
Carl Square
crossroad
Closed Mondays

**GELATERIA ICE
DREAM**
0929 902810
Lebu Commercial
Center
Known for: Vegan

Ice cream
7 days a week

IGLOO

0944 100323
Olympia and
Japan Market
7 days a week

TUTTO GELATO

092 9923503
0944 349495/96/
97/98/99
Bole Atlas,
Sarbet, Century
Mall, CMC Michael
& DZ Kuriftu
Known for:
Ice cream
7 days a week

INDIAN

KONARK

0966 333929
Bole, Behind
DH-Geda Bldg.
Known for:
Paneers and Dals
7 days a week

NAMASTE ADDIS

0904 139838
0926 102455
Behind Bole
Medhanialem
Known for: South
Indian dishes
7 days a week

OM INDIAN BISTRO

0944 443344
Mohan Block, off
Zimbabwe Street
Known for:
Vegetarian
Indian food
Closed Sundays

SANGAM'S

(Oldest Indian
restaurant)
0911 214183
0953 407297
Behind Bole
Printing press
Known for:
Tandori Chicken
and Garlic Naan
7 days a week

SHAHEEN

Sheraton
011 517 1717
Ext.6098
Known for: Live
cooking and
delicate Indian
flavors
7 days a week

ZAIKA

011 467 4000
Dreamliner Hotel,
Meskel Flower
Road
Known for: Curries
7 days a week

ITALIAN

ANDIAMO

0930 362586
Opposite Kera,
behind Worke's
Promise Building.
Known for: Pizza
7 days a week

ANTICA

011 663 4841
011 661 5815
Between EU Road
and Bole Road
Known for:
Brick oven pizza
7 days a week

AVANTI

0911 522660
Bole near
Millennium Hall
Known for: Ravioli
Closed Sundays

BELVEDERE

0912 639280
New stadium in
front of Asham TV
& Kazanchis/ECA
Known for: Italian,
European and
Mediterranean
dishes
Closed Mondays

BETTUCCI

0991 162244
Behind Vatican
Embassy
inside Alem Village
Known for: Pizza,
pasta, garden
Closed Mondays

CASTELLI'S

011 157 1757
011 156 3580
Piassa near Adwa
Known for: Pasta &
Salad Bar
Closed Sundays

CRAVE

011 557 4853
Meskel Flower
Road in front of
Chanoly
Known For: Italian
dishes
7 days a week

DOK

0979 910154
Top View,
Megenagna
Known for: Garden
7 days a week

GUSTO

0934 497861
Old Airport,
opposite
Botswana
Embassy,
Known for:
Seafood &
Desserts
7 days a week

LINDA

0911 219729
Inside Club
Juventus, behind
Meskel Square
Known for: Pasta
Closed Mondays

M.C. WINE BAR GRILL & PIZZERIA

0911 253265
Juventus Sports
Club,
Known for: Brick
Oven Pizzas
7 days a week

MAMMA MIA

0929 002218
By old tobacco
factory, near AU
HQ
Known for:
Homemade Pasta
Closed Sundays

OLIVE & BREAD

0979 793132
Opposite Sandford
School
Known for:
Courtyard Dining
7 days a week

PIO GASTRO

0900 622800
Beklobet, Debre
Zeit Road
Known for:

Hidden gem &
Penne All Ortana
7 days a week

SALE E PEPE

0921 248888
Kebena
Known for: Pasta
and pizza
Closed Mondays

STAGIONI

Sheraton
011 517 1717
Known for:
Starters, mains
& ambience
7 days a week

TINYTALIAN

Skylight
0116818181
Known for:
Trattoria
ambience,
Italian wines, al
fresco dining
7 days a week

THE FOOD BOUTIQUE

0911 209274
Old Airport, NOC
Building, First
floor
Known for: Pastas
and Pizza
7 days a week

VACCARI

0929 327238
Near Caravan
Hotel,
Haya Hulet
Known for:
Antipasto,
Pasta and fish
7 days a week

MEXICAN

LA MORENA

0912 500761
Sarbet next to the
Blue Hen
Known for:
Burritos &
Quesadillas
7 days a week

TE AMO TACOS

0901 672063
0903 184701
Kazanchis next to
Belvedere
Restaurant
1 block from Elilly
hotel
Known for: Latino
music & dancing
Closed Sundays

MIDDLE EASTERN

ALLEBNANY

0911 515374
Bole, Kokeb
Building
Known for:
Lebanese dishes
7 days a week

BAB AL-YEMEN

0907 01111
Bole Rwanda
Known for:
Yemeni Dishes
7 days a week

BATI AL MANDI

0911 518903
Mickey Leland/ EU
Street, across
from Yoly Building
Known for: Middle
Eastern food
7 days a week

HI FALAFEL

0917 700644
Betel & Torhailoch
(Omega High
School)
Known for: Falafel
Wraps
7 days a week

JEGOL

Skylight
0116818181
Known for: Exotic
flavors & aromas
Closed Mondays

SAN'AA

0912 108054
Olympia, Gazebo
Adebabay
Known for:
Delicious food
7 days a week

THE KITCHEN

Hyatt Regency
011 517 1205
Known for:
Lavantine Cuisine
7 days a week

PIZZA

BELLA PASTA & PIZZA

0911 380606
1| Bisrate Gebriel
In front of South
African Embassy
2| Jacros
3| Bole
Known for: Pizza
7 days a week

EFFOI

011 849 3647
Atlas, Kazanchis,
Sarbet
Known for:
Unique
combinations
7 days a week

MOKODO PIZZA

0911 439524
1| Bole Airport Next
to Aviation School
Known for: Pizza
Closed Tuesdays
2| Around Bole
Friendship
7 days a week

ROMINA

0911 214335
British Embassy,
Summit
Known for: Pizza
7 days a week

YUMMY PIZZA

0911 472598
0911 220100
On Bole Road to
Japan Residence
Known for: Home
delivery (around
Bole)
7 days a week

TURKISH

ISTANBUL

0910 174728
Bole Edna Mall near
Ukraine Embassy
Known for:
Turkish food
7 days a week

PAMUKKALE

0910 964530
Bole Brass, next
to Medhanialem
Church
Known for:
Mediterranean,
Turkish, Middle
Eastern
7 days a week

SHURUBA: ETHIOPIA'S CULTURAL HAIRSTYLES

In Ethiopia, hair is more than aesthetics—it conveys ethnic identity, age, social status, and sometimes marital status. Each ethnic group has unique hairstyles shaped by centuries of tradition, creativity, and symbolism although the day-to-day style is often two simple braids, or cut short. The following is a broad analysis of the different styles found around the country although there are many more intricacies especially among the Harari, Afar, and Somali groups.

Northern Ethiopia (Tigray & Amhara)

Shuruba styles here often include elaborate braiding and threading.

Women sometimes use butter, ochre, or natural oils to style and maintain their hair.

Common patterns include thin braids arranged in geometric designs, often extending from the crown down to the back of the head.

Married women may wear more intricate, time-intensive styles, while younger girls often have simpler braids or cornrows.

In Gojjam, the most common hairstyle is clean cut.



Oromo

Oromo hairstyles are highly symbolic and vary between clans.

Shuruba can include twists, coils, or top-knots, sometimes adorned with beads, feathers, or cowrie shells.

During ceremonies like weddings or coming-of-age rituals, hairstyles communicate status, age, or readiness for marriage.



Southern Ethiopia (Gurage, Sidama, Hadiya)

Hair is often braided into thick plaits or wrapped around the head in circular patterns.

Decorations such as metal rings, beads, and colorful threads are common.

Among some groups, women's hairstyles signal social hierarchy within the community.



Omo Valley Tribes (Hamar, Mursi, Karo)

Hairstyles are elaborate and artistic, often combined with body painting or scarification.

Hamar women, for instance, coat their hair with red ochre mixed with butter, creating a striking orange-red appearance.

Men may wear braided or shaved patterns to indicate warrior status or tribal affiliation.



Cultural Significance

- **Identity & pride:** Hairstyles act as visual markers of ethnicity and personal style.
- **Rites of passage:** Certain styles mark adulthood, marriage, or social milestones.
- **Protection & care:** Oils and butter used in styling also nourish hair in Ethiopia's varied climates.

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https://neemwoodcomb.in/blog/ethiopian-fashion-hairstyle/?utm_source=chatgpt.com

https://en.sewasew.com/p/hairstyles?utm_source=chatgpt.com

https://zagolethiopatours.com/culture.html?utm_source=chatgpt.com

https://www.architectrussell.com/hamar-tribe-omo-valley-ethiopia/?utm_source=chatgpt.com

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BEZA HAILU LEMMA: A RISING VOICE IN ETHIOPIAN CINEMA

By Rachel Berhane Araya

Beza Hailu Lemma is one of the most promising voices in contemporary Ethiopian cinema. Based in Addis Ababa, he has earned international recognition for his unique storytelling style, which blends documentary realism with spiritual, cultural, and philosophical themes deeply rooted in Ethiopian society. Although he graduated from Addis Ababa University in Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, his passion for film led him toward a creative career in directing, screenwriting, and producing.

Beza first gained attention through his short films such as *Ballad of the Spirits* and *Adey Abeba*, works that explored themes of faith, identity, memory, and tradition. His storytelling often reflects the tension between modern urban life and Ethiopia's ancient religious and cultural practices. Through visually poetic filmmaking, he captures emotions and social realities that resonate both locally and internationally.

In 2024, Ethiopian filmmaker Beza Hailu Lemma wrote and directed the short film *Alazar*, which premiered at the Cannes Film Festival and later screened at nearly 40 film festivals



around the world. The film received more than 12 international awards, including the Silver Stallion for Short Film at FESPACO and the Silver Yusr at the Red Sea International Film Festival. Beyond his filmmaking achievements, Beza is also the co-founder and creative director of Videobet, an Addis Ababa-based cinema and film center committed to supporting independent and artistic filmmaking in Ethiopia.

Beyond filmmaking, Beza Hailu Lemma has participated in prestigious global programs such as Berlinale Talents, TIFF Filmmakers Lab, and Cannes' L'Atelier, establishing himself as a leading figure among the new generation of African filmmakers.



ALAZAR



AWARD WINNING TRAILBLAZER

Kibret Abebe, President of Social Enterprise Ethiopia and Founder & CEO of Tebita Ambulance, has been awarded the 2026 Charles Schwab Foundation Award for Social Entrepreneurship, joining 21 global innovators recognized for creating impactful and sustainable social change.

A nurse anaesthetist by profession, Kibret's journey into social entrepreneurship began while working in one of Addis Ababa's largest hospitals, where he frequently witnessed traffic accident victims arriving without proper emergency medical support. Ethiopia lacked sufficient ambulance services, leaving many patients without urgent pre-hospital care. After visiting London and observing the effectiveness of professional ambulance systems, Kibret returned home determined to create change. He sold his house to finance the initiative and secured Ethiopia's first licence for an independent ambulance service.

Founded by Kibret, Tebita Ambulance has become a pioneer in emergency medical response, providing 24-hour ambulance services in Addis Ababa, nationwide evacuation services, remote medical assistance for multinational companies, and certified first aid and health safety training. The company has played a major role in strengthening Ethiopia's emergency healthcare infrastructure and saving countless lives.

Kibret's achievement places Ethiopian social innovation on the global stage, proving that business success and social impact can work together to build a better future.

SOURCE:

www.tebitaambulance.com

<https://www.schwabfound.org/2026-awardees>
"Dial 8035 to Save a Life"



ARE THIRD SPACES THE NEW YOUTH HUBS ?

BUILDING COMMUNITIES AND FOSTERING CULTURAL LITERACY AMONG THE YOUTH

By Naomi Mekonnen

“Third spaces” or places other than home to unwind and have meaningful conversations become essential as nowadays, human connection is scarce.

Videobet is such a “Third space”. It is an arthouse cinema and film center based in Addis Ababa around Meskel square, on the first floor of the Red Terror Martyr’s Museum.

In an interview with the co-founder of Videobet, Bandamlak Yimenu, he explained that he and his co-founder initially established it as a film club but by popular demand upgraded it to a cinema that screens older films, mainly African led films and other international classics.

Videobet is “a place to commune with other like-minded people and a place to inspire.” This is reflected in the post-movie discussions and Q&As they host, enabling the audience to exchange thoughts and form more ideas beyond the films.

Bandamlak stated that they intend to have more free screenings in addition to the discounts they already have for students. By making it more accessible to a wider range of people, it builds up an opinionated audience, generally creating a space for people of all backgrounds.

CONTACTS:

Telegram: https://t.me/videobet_et

INTRODUCING TEFF-LY!



The Original Teff-ly, the world's first plant-based milk made from teff, was launched recently at the Ethiopian Embassy in London, bringing together guests from the business community, the media, vegan sector, and social media influencers. The event introduced Ethiopia's heritage grain to global audiences amid growing demand for plant-based and sustainable food alternatives.

H.E. Ambassador Biruk Mekonnen opened the event by welcoming attendees and highlighting Teff's central role in Ethiopian culture and daily life, while underscoring its relevance to global discussions on nutrition, sustainability, and climate-resilient food systems. He framed the launch as a meeting point between ancient heritage and modern innovation.

The founders of The Original Teff-ly presented the company's vision to establish a new category in the global plant-based milk market while ensuring teff's value and identity remain linked to Ethiopia. While the product is currently manufactured in the United Kingdom to meet international standards, plans were outlined to shift production to Ethiopia, supporting farmers, job creation, and higher-value exports. According to the founder Mr. Yosef Berhane, this product is not only good for health, he has a big plan to support the farmers and create job opportunities by transferring the product to Ethiopia.

Yoseph Brhane, a proud son of Ethiopia, grew up savouring the unique taste of Teff, recognising its nutritional benefits. Meanwhile, Karmen Gadi, a dedicated nurse from the Philippines and advocate for plant-based living, sought innovative and sustainable nourishment. Their paths converged through Teff-ly, a brand that embodies their shared vision of harnessing the power of Teff.

<https://www.theoriginalteffly.com/home>
info@theoriginalteffly.com



CONSERVING THE ENDEMIC FLORA OF ETHIOPIA

A delegation from Embassy of Ethiopia in London visited Millennium Seed Bank of Kew Gardens to explore cooperation in biodiversity conservation and seed banking. The Millennium Seed Bank, managed by Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew, is the world's largest wild plant seed conservation facility, safeguarding over 2.5 billion seeds representing more than 40,000 species.

Discussions emphasized the importance of seed banking for climate resilience, ecosystem restoration, and long-term protection of plant diversity. The Ethiopian delegation highlighted Ethiopia's rich biodiversity and its role as a major center of origin for many plant species of global importance.

The delegation toured the facility, observing seed collection, testing, drying, and storage processes. Both sides agreed on strengthening collaboration through capacity building, scientific exchange, and joint research aligned with Ethiopia's conservation priorities.

Ethiopia's flora includes about 6,000 plant species with roughly 10% endemism. However, most of the estimated 600 endemic species are not yet secured in ex situ collections, highlighting an urgent conservation gap.

This effort will involve the National Herbarium of Ethiopia at Addis Ababa University and the Ethiopian Biodiversity Institute seed bank in Addis Ababa. Planned initiatives include seed collection, data management, herbarium digitization, and training in seed conservation techniques.

Both institutions expressed commitment to strengthening long-term partnerships that enhance scientific capacity, protect threatened species, and support Ethiopia's contribution to global biodiversity conservation and climate adaptation efforts over the coming years ahead together effectively.

Source: Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew and Embassy of Ethiopia London (Facebook)
<https://brahmsonline.kew.org/msbp/Where/Africa>

ART GALLERIES

ADDIS FINE ART

0980 635696
Bole Atlas, Noah
Centrum Apts.

ALLE SCHOOL OF FINE ARTS

011 123 2832
Open to the public
during exhibitions
Arat Kilo/ Entoto
Park

GEBRE KRISTOS DESTA CENTER

Modern Art
Museum
Opposite AAU
Main Gate

HALETA ART STUDIO

0913013510
Hyat,
Keberdemena
St. Mary Church

KIKUNDI

0944222333
Hilt

LAPHTO ART GALLERY

0911 881814
Laphto Mall,
OldAirport

MAKUSH GALLERY

0911 418602
Bole Road, Mega
Building

ST. GEORGE INTERIOR DECORATION AND ART

011 551 0983
Below Sheraton
Addis

ST. GEORGE GOLLA GALLERY

0955 401236
inside Golla Park,
uphill from
Immigration,
Beside Golla
Michael Church
Closed Mondays

STUDIO 11

0909 999333
0931 311044
Zemilo Hotel Apts,
1st Fl.
Opp. Millennium
Hall
Closed Mondays

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0913 679201
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Estifanos Church
Behind Village
Café, Meskel Sq.

LIBRARY

ABRHOT LIBRARY

Arat Kilo
In front of
Friendship Park2

MUSEUMS

ADDIS ABABA MUSEUM

Behind Meskel
Square

INSTITUTE OF ETHIOPIAN STUDIES (IES) & ETHNOLOGICAL MUSEUM

Inside AAU Main
Campus
Sidist Kilo

NATIONAL MUSEUM (LUCY)

Amist Kilo
011 111 7150

POST OFFICE MUSEUM

Main Post Office

RED TERROR MUSEUM

Meskel
Square/Bole Road

SCIENCE & ART MUSEUM

Opposite Unity
Park

THE AFRICA UNBOUND MUSEUM

0928 280828
Mundy St. near
Friendship Park
Closed Sundays &
Mondays

THE ZOOLOGICAL NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM

011 157 1677
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Sciences
Campus
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(private)
Mekanissa

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Embassy

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Next to Novis

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0913712552
Sarbet Behind
Effoi Pizza

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Yougo Church

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Mekanissa
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0904 117983
Kadisco Nifassilk

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0924 752437
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0926 080808
Piazza,
Churchill Road

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alem,
Impress Building

THEATRES

HAGER FIKIR THEATRE

011 112 4158
011 111 9820
Piazza
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and foremost
theatres in
Ethiopian
history*

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Near Ethiopia
Hotel
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National Theater
was
built and
inaugurated
in the presence of
emperor Haile
Selassie
(1930-1974)*

AMBASSADOR THEATER

011 553 7637
Near Ethiopia
Hotel

CHILDREN AND YOUTH THEATER

011 112 8603
Arat Kilo

ARTIST ASSOCIATIONS

ETHIOPIAN VISUAL ARTISTS ASSOCIATION (EVAA)

0911 612767

ASSOCIATION OF ETHIOPIAN FEMALE ARTISTS (FORMERLY FOWA)

0911 145311

PARKS

UNITY PARK

unity park.et
Opposite Science &
Art Museum

FRIENDSHIP PARK 1

Opposite
Sheraton Addis

FRIENDSHIP PARK 2 (CHILDREN'S CENTER)

0933 598330
Opposite Abrhot
Library

AMBASSADOR PARK

Near Ambassador
Theatre

ADDIS ZOO PEACOCK PARK

Near Wollo Sefer
Roundabout

ADDIS ABABA PARK

Opposite UNECA &
Hilton Hotel

ST. GEORGE GOLA PARK

0911 210211
Around
Teklehaymanot

PARK BEHIND ST. ESTIFANOS CHURCH

Meskel Square
Opposite
Marriot Hotel

ENTOTO PARK

0918 450713
Entoto (5 entranc-
es)

Entrance 1
(Maya/Maryam
Gate) View Point

Entrance 2
(Sululta Gate)
Activities & Kuriftu
Glamping

Entrance 3
(Dil Ber/Addisu
Gebeya Gate)

Entrance 4
(Shiro Meda Gate)

Entrance 5
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0919 198287

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6061
011 5 570488

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0950 385838

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011 467 2047
011 416 1649

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INTERNATIONAL CLINICAL LABORATORIES
011 552 9252

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SAM VISION OPTICAL WORKS
0946 130000

SAM VISION SPECIALIZED EYE CLINIC
0941 545454

SUN OPTICS
0911 220004

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(Private)

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663 4740/41

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011 551 4141

CURE INTERNATIONAL PEDIATRIC HOSPITAL
011 124 5404

HAYAT HOSPITAL BOLE
011 661 4250
LANDMARK
011 552 5719

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011 629 8904/02

MCM KOREAN
011 629 5421/27
ST. YARED
011 645 4697/04

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AMANUEL MENTAL SPECIALIZED
0951 051393

BALCHA
011 551 3205

BLACK LION
011 551 1211

MENILIK II
011 123 4272

ST. PAULOS
011 275 0125

YEKATIT 12
011 155 3065/68

ZEWDITU
011 551 8085

DENTAL CLINICS

BIO-DENTAL SPECIAL CLINIC
0944 318032

DR. EMEBET HIGHER SPECIAL DENTALCLINIC
011 618 1357

GOJEB DENTAL CLINIC
011 156 6521/ 011 156
6296

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0935 207720
0912 477077

PHYSIO-THERAPY

KINO PHYSIO-THERAPY
0943000011
0116660045/47/48

PARAGON PHYSIOTHERAPY & SPORTS MEDICINE

UNION PHYSIOTHERAPY SPECIALITY CLINIC
0939 735665
0985 064347011
272 2829

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DANU ORTHOPEDIC CENTER
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011 618 3335

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011 157 4343

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ABBAY
011 371 3298

DIRE DAWA
0930 097757

GHION
011 551 8606

GISHEN
0930 106448

HALTONS
0901 327732

LION
011 155 1893

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DR. PATRICK
0946 799399

SHALOM VET CARE
0911 247335
DR. DAWIT

USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS

EMERGENCY

ELECTRICITY
905

WATER & SEWERAGE
906

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907

POLICE INFORMATION
911

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912

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994

ETHIO-TELECOM COMPLAINT HANDLING
990

INTERNATIONAL CALLS
998

AIRLINES

EGYPT AIR
011 156 4493/4

EMIRATES
011 518 1818

ETHIOPIAN AIRLINES
011 665 6666

FLY DUBAI
011 066 70154

KENYA AIRWAYS
011 551 8400

QATAR AIRWAYS
011 554 4638

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HOT MUSIC TABLE - 2026

May 10, - June 09, 2026

HOTTEST ARTISTS











| | | Radio | TV | Total Plays |
|----|---|-------|-----|-------------|
| 1 |  | 338 | 33 | 371 |
| 2 |  | 249 | 100 | 349 |
| 3 |  | 225 | 8 | 233 |
| 4 |  | 177 | 46 | 223 |
| 5 |  | 176 | 26 | 202 |
| 6 |  | 157 | 30 | 187 |
| 7 |  | 181 | 3 | 184 |
| 8 |  | 97 | 65 | 162 |
| 9 |  | 84 | 65 | 149 |
| 10 |  | 84 | 63 | 147 |

CALCULATING THE HOTTEST ARTIST

THE ARTIST NEEDS TO BE PLAYED ON AT LEAST 4 OR MORE STATIONS.

A SINGLE STATION SHOULDN'T ACCOUNT MORE THAN 33% OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PLAYS.

HOTTEST TRACKS

| | | Radio | TV | Total Plays |
|----|---|-------|----|-------------|
| 1 |  | 73 | 43 | 116 |
| 2 |  | 71 | 27 | 98 |
| 3 |  | 78 | 14 | 92 |
| 4 |  | 33 | 56 | 89 |
| 5 |  | 43 | 41 | 84 |
| 6 |  | 64 | 12 | 76 |
| 7 |  | 39 | 34 | 73 |
| 8 |  | 26 | 30 | 56 |
| 9 |  | 34 | 21 | 55 |
| 10 |  | 44 | 9 | 53 |

ON CALCULATING THE HOTTEST TRACKS

THE TRACK NEEDS TO BE PLAYED AT LEAST 40% OF THE TOTAL LENGTH OF THE MUSIC.

THE TRACK NEEDS TO BE PLAYED ON AT LEAST 3 OR MORE STATIONS.

A SINGLE STATION SHOULDN'T ACCOUNT FOR MORE THAN 33% OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PLAYS.

THIS DATA IS GATHERED BY A 24/7 AUTOMATED RECORDING & ANALYZING AI SYSTEM FROM 35 TV & RADIO STATIONS.

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