Grounds For Sculpture, located in Hamilton, NJ (midway between Philadelphia and New York), is a forty-two acre sculpture garden and arboretum on the former site of the New Jersey State Fairgrounds. Founded by Seward Johnson to promote an understanding of and appreciation for contemporary sculpture, the park has been enchanting visitors since 1992. Grounds For Sculpture features more than 270 contemporary sculptures and three indoor museum galleries with rotating exhibits. The park also offers workshops for children and adults, concerts, performances, festivals, shopping, and fine-dining at the Zagat-rated Rat’s Restaurant.

NEW IN THE PARK!

• An ADA-compliant golf-cart which can hold up to 8 passengers and one wheelchair
• Trams to take larger groups throughout the park
• “The Meadow,” our new seven-acre outdoor gallery featuring Aerial Roots by Steve Tobin
• New 20,000 sq. foot event and exhibition space addition to the Seward Johnson Center for the Arts building
• Winter Wonders at Grounds For Sculpture, Dec 2011-Feb 2012: Tens of thousands of sparkling lights, horse-drawn carriage rides and dozens of seasonal activities and treats for young and old alike
• New rotating exhibits for the spring and summer season

SERVICES AND ADMISSION:

• Accessible walkways allow for access to all 42 acres
• The Visitor Center and the Domestic Arts Building are fully accessible, and the Museum building is fully accessible on the ground floor
• Ample motor coach parking
• Indoor and outdoor exhibits
• Sculpture site maps, tree tour brochures, and touch tours for the visually impaired (require advance reservations) are all available at the Visitor’s Center
• Groups of 15 guests or more, with a scheduled visit and advance payment, receive a discount on admission. Call 609-586-0616 for group rates and reservations
• Boxed lunches available for tour groups with advance order

Hours: Tuesday-Sunday, 10am-6pm Open year-round. Closed Mondays except Labor Day and Memorial Day. Closed Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, and New Year’s Day.
DIRECTIONS:
From New York City: Take New Jersey Turnpike South to Exit 7A. Take Interstate 195 West (Trenton) to Exit 60B/I-295 North (Princeton). Take I-295 North to Exit 65B/Sloan Avenue West. After exit stay in right traffic lane for 2/10ths of a mile, following signs for Grounds For Sculpture, and take the jughandle to cross over Sloan Ave. Go through the traffic light onto Klockner Rd. Take Klockner Rd. to next traffic light and turn right onto East State St. Extension. Go 8/10ths of a mile and make second left turn onto Sculptors Way. Go 2/10ths of a mile and turn left into the main entrance of Grounds For Sculpture. Travel time is approximately 75 minutes.

From Philadelphia: Take Interstate 95 North, across Scudders Falls Bridge (over Delaware River), to Interstate 295 South to Exit 65B/Sloan Avenue West. After exit stay in right traffic lane for 2/10ths of a mile, following signs for Grounds For Sculpture, and take the jughandle to cross over Sloan Ave. Go through the traffic light onto Klockner Rd. Take Klockner Rd. to next traffic light and turn right onto East State St. Extension. Go 8/10ths of a mile and make second left turn onto Sculptors Way. Go 2/10ths of a mile and turn left into the main entrance of Grounds For Sculpture. Travel time is approximately 45 minutes.

PROXIMITY:
New York: 1 ½ hours 60 miles
Philadelphia: 45 minutes 35 miles
Princeton: 20 minutes 12 miles
Washington DC: 3 ½ hours 172 miles
Baltimore: 2 ½ hours 133 miles

OTHER AREA ATTRACTIONS:
Princeton University
www.princeton.edu
Princeton, NJ
Chartered in 1746, Princeton is the fourth-oldest college in the United States
Contact: 609-258-3060

Howell Living History Farm
www.howellfarm.org
70 Wooden's Lane, Lambertville, NJ
Reenactment farm focusing on 1890-1910.
Contact: 609-737-3299

McCarter Theatre Center
www.mccarter.org
91 University Place, Princeton, NJ
With more than 200 annual events, McCarter Theatre is recognized as one of the country’s leading theatres.
Contact: 609-258-6526

Morven Museum and Garden
www.historicmorven.org
55 Stockton Street, Princeton, NJ
Historic home of Richard Stockton and four New Jersey governors is now a fully operational art museum.
Contact: 609-924-8144 x106

Princeton University Art Museum
www.princetonartmuseum.org
McCormick Hall, Princeton University Main Campus, Princeton, NJ
The Museum of Historic Art was erected in 1889 and has a collection that rivals any major metropolitan museum.
Contact: 609-258-3043

Princeton Tour Company
www.princetontourcompany.com
98 Nassau St., Princeton, NJ
Offer town & gown walking tours, biking tours/bike rental and custom bus tours, ghost tours, pub crawls and more in downtown Princeton.

Mercer County Waterfront Park
www.trentonthunder.com
Thunder Road, Trenton, NJ
Double-A affiliate of the New York Yankees.
Contact: 609-394-3300

Sun National Bank Center
www.sunnationalbankcenter.com
550 South Broad Street, Trenton, NJ
10,000 seat capacity, multipurpose facility hosting hockey, basketball, concerts, ice shows, athletic events, family shows, trade shows, and conventions.
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