

Offbeat Hyderabad experiences you've probably never tried Beyond the Charminar, biryani and the pearls are these hidden gems.

So, you've had your fill of dum biryani and covered the usual sights in the City of Pearls—Golconda Fort, Charminar, Salar Jung Museum, Chowmahalla and Falaknuma Palaces, Birla temple, maybe even Ramoji Film City. What else is there to do in Hyderabad?

Enjoy a round of Golfconda!



Fancy a round of golf among the boulders? Photo: Anurag Mallick

Hyderabad has some stunning golf courses set amidst boulders, fort walls and ruins. Just off Seven Tombs Road near Golconda Fort lies Hyderabad Golf Club, the only public golf course in the city. Run by the Telangana State Tourism Development Corporation and the Hyderabad Golf Association, it offers a stunning view of the Qutb Shahi tombs. Dubai's famous Emaar Group, the name behind big brands like Burj Khalifa and Dubai Mall, has a lovely 18-hole championship course opposite the Indian School Of Business. As the name suggests, Boulder Hills has an undulating course designed by [Peter Harradine](#) and their signature hole #3 has a massive boulder vantage point, offering a panoramic view of the greens.