## **GET ACTIVE IN UTTARAKHAND** TRIP 1: NOV 14- 18, 2014 TRIP 2: NOV 21- 25, 2014 **4 NIGHTS 5 DAYS**



An active holiday in Uttarakhand. Raft down grade 3 rapids of the holy Ganges, hike up through thick forest and enjoy jeep safari in one of the best parks of the country.

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Dates:	Trip 1: Nov 14- 18, 2014 Trip 2: Nov 21- 25, 2014
Start from:	Haridwar
End at:	Kathgodam
Distance covered by road	500 kms
Meals	Lunch on day 1 to breakfast on day 6
Total road distance covered:	about 300 kms
Group size:	8-24
Best time to visit:	Nov 15- Dec 15 and March- April
Permits:	Needed for jungle safaris. We get these for you:
Document required:	Photocopies of valid nationality proof Photo-IDs (Passport, Driving License, Voters ID, PAN card
Booking deadline:	Oct 14, 2014

### **ITINERARY**:

## Day 01: Delhi- Byasi (450m)- 4.5 hrs train ride and 1.5 hrs drive

Assemble at New Delhi Railway station 0600 hrs. We board Dehradun Shatabdi leaving for Haridwar at 0650 hrs. Reach around 1125 hrs and drive to Byasi, ahead of Rishikesh. We stay the night at a camp set on a beach by the river Ganga. Lunch on arrival. Settle into your tents. After lunch, we go on a rafting trip. Evening around a bonfire. Night stay in tents.

#### Day 02: Byasi- Rafting

Full day rafting on the Ganga River. We negotiate some of the best rapids on the river. Evening at leisure around bonfire. Night stay in tents.

#### Day 03: Byasi- Corbett National park (520m) - 6 hrs

After an early breakfast, drive to Corbett National Park. Settle into rooms on arrival. In the afternoon, we go for a walk in the jungle. Evening around a bonfire. Night stay in camp.

#### Day 04: Corbett National Park

Jeep safari in the morning. Back to retreat for breakfast. After lunch, we go for another activity in the jungle. Evening and night stay in retreat.

### Day 05: Corbett- Delhi

Transfer to the railway station in Ramnagar to board train leaving for Delhi at 0950 hrs.

## COST PER PERSON: INR 25,000/-

Includes:

1. Stay at a beach Camp by River Ganga on twin share including:

- Accommodation on twin share in deluxe tents
  - All meals
  - Evening soft drinks
- Rafting on self-bailing rafts, accessories
- Assistance in kayaking and hikes
- Professional guide fee.
- 2. Stay in a retreat on the periphery of Corbett on twin share including breakfast, lunch, dinner, jeep safaris and entrance fee for Indians.
- 3. Land transport from Haridwar railway station- Ramnagar railway station as per itinerary.
- 4. Train tickets from Delhi- Haridwar in ac chair car Shatabdi and from Ramnagar to Delhi in ac chair car in Ramnagar-Delhi link express.
- 5. Services of Banjara escort throughout the trip.
- 6. All currently applicable taxes as levied by Govt. of India till Dec 2012.

### Cost does not include:

- 1. Any airfare.
- 2. Any En route/ personal expenses.
- 3. Any insurance.
- 4. Bottled mineral water.
- 5. Any expenses incurred due to factors beyond our control like a natural calamity/ man-made calamity.

## TOUR NOTE

#### Accommodation:

Byasi:Camp Silver sands or similarCorbett:Tiger Camp or similar

#### Food & Hygiene:

Food is a mix range from vegetarian/ non- vegetarian meals to good food with a choice of Indian, Continental & Chinese food. All meals are buffet meals.

#### Fitness:

This is an easy trip. Water of River Ganga is very cold so not advisable for people with any heart ailment, respiratory illnesses.

#### Tipping & Porterage:

Tipping amount is at your discretion and experience.

#### Photography:

If you plan to photograph any locals, please take their permission before doing so. You could charge your camera at the camp/ hotel.

#### Medicine:

There is a doctor close by. We also keep a first aid kit. It would be anyway a good idea to bring your own basic first aid kit with medicines for motion sickness, nausea, some painkillers etc. Please carry sun block and chapstick. In case you have any illness of any sort, please do inform us in advance so that we can take necessary precaution.

#### List of things to bring:

- 1. Duffel bag (avoid suitcases if you can)
- 2. A small day backpack to carry water, food, jacket and camera
- 3. A pair of regular shoes.
- 4. Floaters/ closed light canvas shoes for rafting.
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- 6. 2-3 full sleeve t-shirt
- 7. 1 quick drying t-shirt
- 8. A pair of shorts for rafting
- 9. Swimsuit (optional)
- 10. A fleece jacket
- 11. A full sleeve thick jacket (for early morning drives in the jungle)
- 12. 1 pairs of thermal inners (just in case)
- 13. 2-3 pairs of sports socks. 1 pair of woolen socks
- 14. Sun cap and a warm cap.

- 15. Gloves and a muffler
- 16. Sun glasses and retainers for them. If you wear lenses, it would be best to carry glasses with retainers.
- 17. Lip balm
- 18. Cold cream and sun screen lotion (SPF 40+).
- 19. Flash light (important)
- 20. Personal toilet kit.
- 21. Personal medicine
- 22. Small repair kit consisting of safety pins, needle, thread and string.
- 23. Camera, memory-cards, batteries etc (carry enough spare batteries. Electricity is not available on the slopes.

## **BOOKING, PAYMENT AND CANCELLATION POLICY**

#### CONFIRMATION:

100% advance to confirm booking.

#### **CANCELLATION CHARGE:**

#### Minimum

Less than four weeks of arrival date (or tour start date) : 50% of full amount. Less than two weeks of arrival date (or tour start date)

- : 20% of full amount.
- : Full amount.

#### **PAYMENT MODES & METHODS:**

- 1. ONLINE TRANSFER into our current accounts in Axis Bank or Standard Chartered Bank
- 2. DIRECT CHEQUE DEPOSIT into our current accounts in Axis Bank or Standard Chartered Bank at any branch/ ATM in India
- 3. DIRECT CASH DEPOSIT, into our current account at any branch in India
- By CASH or CHEQUE handed over personally (or by your rep) AT OUR DELHI OFFICE 4.
- 5. OUTSTATION CHEQUE payments are acceptable only if they are delivered (or we get a scan of the bank deposit slip) at least 4 working days before the payment due date.
- OUTSTATION PAYMENTS by a Payable at Delhi DD sent to our Delhi Office by courier/post. 6.

#### IMP: CHEQUE / DD to be made in favour of "Banjara Camps & Retreats Pvt. Ltd."

#### AXIS BANK: •

- A/c name : Banjara Camps & Retreats Pvt. Ltd.
- : 015010200017806 A/c no.
- Branch address
  - : K-12; Green Park Main; New Delhi 110016 Branch Code
  - : UTIB0000015 (for direct cheque deposit) IFSC Code
    - : UTIB0000015 (for online transfer)

#### **STANDARD CHARTERED BANK:**

- A/c name A/c no.
- : Banjara Camps & Retreats Pvt. Ltd.
- Branch address Branch Code
- : 525-0-509-319-3
- : 10 Sansad Marg; New Delhi 110 001
- : SCBL0036027 (for direct cash/ cheque deposit)
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