

## Bandipur Hiking - 11 Days

Bandipur hiking gives you an opportunity to get one step closer with nature in the delightful and lovely hill town. Bandipur was previously a magar village, however in presently main inhabitants of this small region are Newars. Upon your arrival in Kathmandu, the sightseeing around the world heritage sites around cultural Kathmandu city is experienced which reflects the centuries old craftsmanship, temples, stupas and monuments.

Hiking towards the Bandipur exhibits the magnificent views of Himalayas like Dhaulagiri, Annapurna, Manaslu, Ganesh Himal and Langtang himal. It is the famous hiking site in Nepal. Along the trails, the colors and flair of Newari culture can be seen showcasing their architectural craftsmanship in traditional style. Major attraction while hiking towards Bandipur are the Bindabasini temple, Thani Mai, Tindhara, evening walk in the Raniban, downhill trek to recently discovered Siddha cave which is the largest cave in Asia. Explore the beautiful city Pokhara and its major landmarks like Davis falls, Mahendra cave, Barahi Temple(Island Temple). Also we will hike towards sarangkot, passing the Naudana through rhododendron forests and view the spectacular mountain views like nowhere else on earth. We finally drive back to Kathmandu and conclude our amazing hiking trip in Nepal.

Experience Bandipur hiking trip through Icicles Adventure Treks and get the most out of spectacular mountain views in traditional Bandipur and in Pokhara along with sightseeing around Kathmandu valley. The best hiking trip in Nepal.

## PRICE INCLUDES

- Airport / hotel / airport transfer by private car / van / bus as per above itinerary.
- Three nights' accommodation with breakfast at a 3-star category hotel in Kathmandu.
- All Accommodation as per above program, inclusive of breakfast, lunch, dinner, tea, coffee etc...
- An English speaking guide for your whole trip.
- All tour activities as per above program.
- All tour permits and entry fees.
- All surface Transportation whole trip.

## PRICE EXCLUDES

- Your travel insurance
- International airfare and airport departure tax.
- Nepal entry visa , you can obtain a visa easily upon your arrival at Tribhuwan International Airport in Kathmandu. (Tourist Visa with Multiple Entry for 30 days can be obtained by paying US \$ 40 or equivalent foreign currency. Similarly, Tourist Visa with Multiple Entry for 90 days can be obtained by paying US \$ 100. Please bring 2 copies of passport size photos.) (US\$ 40 per person) you obtain a visa easily upon your arrival at Tribhuwan International
- Airport Kathmandu for 60 days from date of issue. You required 2 passport size photos & password copy.
- Items of a personal nature such as alcoholic drinks, cold drinks, laundry.
- Personal clothing and equipments.
- Tips for guide and driver. (Tipping is expected).

## ITINERARY IN DETAIL

### **Day 1: Arrive at Tribhuvan International Airport (TIA) Kathmandu**

You are welcomed by hospitable meeting and then you will be transferred to hotel. Our airport representative will explain briefly the program upon arrival. Overnight at Hotel.

### **Day 2: Sightseeing of world heritage sites in Kathmandu valley**

including, Kathmandu Darbar square, Swayambhunath Temple , Boudhanath Stupa & Pashupatinath Temple. Overnight at Hotel. (Breakfast, Included)

### **Day 3: After breakfast, drive from Kathmandu to Bandipur**

By tourist coach or by private car. It will take about 3.5 hour drive. Overnight at Bandipur. (Breakfast, lunch and Dinner Included)

### **Day 4: Hiking up to Magar village Ramko or hiking to Mukhundeswari**

Evening nature walk in Raniban. Overnight in Bandipur. (Breakfast, lunch and Dinner Included)

### **Day 5: Explore Siddha Cave**

Explore Siddha Cave, recently discovered and probably the biggest cave in the Asia.

### **Day 6: After breakfast drive to Pokhara**

After breakfast drive to Pokhara (Pokhara is the second biggest city in Nepal) by Tourist bus or Private car. Overnight at Pokhara. (Breakfast, Included)

### **Day 7: Sight –seeing tour in Pokhara including David’s falls**

Sight –seeing tour in Pokhara including David’s falls, Mahendra cave & Barahi temple. (The temple is situated in the centre of Fewa lakes and we do have to go by boating) Overnight at Pokhara. (Breakfast, Included)

### **Day 8: After your breakfast we hike to sarankot**

After your breakfast we hike to sarankot about 3 hrs from Pokhara through rice field terrace and thick trees. We will be at sarankot by lunch time then have nice hike about an hours to Naudanda then back for sunset view from sarankot tower. Overnight at Sarankot. (Breakfast, lunch and Dinner Included)

### **Day 9: Early in the morning we will hike to tower again for sunrise view**

Early in the morning we will hike to tower again for sunrise view then have breakfast at guest and hiking back to Pokhara. Overnight at Pokhara.

### **Day 10: Drive back to Kathmandu by private vehicle**

Overnight at Kathmandu. (Breakfast,Included)

### **Day 11: Transfer to Tribhuvan international airport (TIA)**

Transfer to Tribhuvan international airport (TIA) for your home departure or onward journey. (Breakfast, Included)  
"Farewell"