

# *Himalayan Motor Biking*

## *General information about the tour itinerary and the proposal*

### ITINERARY

1. Taking full pre-cautions in dealing with COVID 19 – wearing face mask, use of the sanitizers in public places, keeping social distance as per WHO guidelines
2. Our services are mindful of hygiene throughout the tour
3. This is a challenging Himalayan motor bike journey therefore physical and mental fitness and resistance is required.
4. Focus of this challenge is the highest motorable pass in the Indian Himalayas, Buddhist monasteries, Spectacular scenery, Salt lakes, Possible of Wildlife sightseeing, Indus River Valley, Lamayuru monastery etc...
  - Highest point is Khardung La 5600 m
5. Climate is usually sunny days

### GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROPOSAL

1. The price is based on 01 paying person in a Single Room and 02 paying persons sharing ONE room
2. The validity of the price is from June till September 2022
3. This is only an indicative price and will vary under the following circumstances:
  - The price is based on the taxes, which are currently applicable in case there is any change in the taxations, the cost will vary
  - In case there is any festival in and around the places of visit, the costs might vary
4. In this itinerary, some of the festivals or events, which can be experienced are: (festival dates for 2022 are not yet announced officially)
  - Yuru Kabgyat at Lamayuru Monastery Ladakh (July month)
  - Hemis Tsechu at Hemis Monastery Ladakh (in June/July month)
  - Phyang Tsesdup at Phyang Monastery Ladakh (July month)
  - Korzok Gustor at Karzok Monastery Tsomoriri Ladakh (July/August month)

## HOTELS/MEALS

1. The hotels or tents follow the guidelines issued by the Government and World Health Organization to handle COVID-19 – the health, safety and hygiene protocols are followed:
  - Mandatory use of Protective gears i.e. masks for all our staff members and suppliers while present on hotel premises
  - Regular temperature checks upon entering the hotel
  - Sanitization of personnel, suppliers, associates and guests, of all surfaces
  - Deep cleaning and disinfection of common areas, guestroom, and restaurants
  - Ensuring social distancing in lobby, restaurant and all such areas
  - Use of hand sanitizers in all areas including restaurants
  - Sanitizing of guest luggage, supplies and such like.
2. The hotels included are a mix of modern and heritage in the 3 to 4 star category at Delhi, Chandigarh, Shimla & Manali
3. At Keylong, Sarchu, Tsokar & Tsomoriri in simple guest houses/fixed camps with attached bath and at Leh traditional Ladakhi style hotel.
4. The check in time at the hotels in Delhi, Chandigarh, Shimla & Manali are 1400 hrs and check out time varies between 1100 to 1200 hrs.
5. In the Himalayan regions, the check in time at the hotel is 0800 hrs and check out time is 1000 hrs
6. The meal plan is with bed and breakfast only at Delhi, Chandigarh, Shimla and Manali hotels.
7. At rest of the places, all meals (simple breakfast, lunch and dinner) are included
8. During the meals – mineral water, soft drinks or any other kind of drinks are not included

## TRANSPORT/DRIVER

1. We have taken all precautions towards COVID 19- Hygiene and using mask by our drivers. The vehicle will have hand sanitizers and guests will also be provided with good quality masks.
2. The vehicle which we have included is a MEDIUM SIZED VEHICLE – the vehicle will be comfortable to travel on the Indian roads
3. The vehicles are insured and our drivers are trained
4. They are well versed with the roads and the destinations
5. The drivers can understand English at a communicative level, if only spoken slowly.
6. The usage of the vehicle is as per the inclusions and as per the itinerary
7. When you are on the road using our vehicle – mineral water is with compliments (02 bottles per person per day)

## MOTOR BIKE

1. We will provide 350/500 cc Royal Enfield motor bikes with FUEL for the complete challenge
2. We will also provide extra services like spare brakes/filter/clutch plate/wiring replacement of Enfield Bullet and General medicine Kit

## LOCAL MOTOR BIKE GUIDE

1. 01 Motor bike guide throughout the journey who has basic knowledge of English
2. The guide will take you around the city – talk about the city in general, about the historical facts of the city, explain the history of the monasteries/monuments
3. The guide will also explain to you the do's and don'ts during the tour

## ENTRANCE FEES TO THE MONASTERIES

1. We have included one time MONASTERY FEE to each monastery as mentioned in the itinerary
2. The guide will be taking care of the same when he is there with you
3. There are camera fees at each monastery – the fees vary from monastery to monastery and also depends on the model and make of the camera
4. The monasteries open in the morning (the opening hours vary from monastery to monastery) and generally close by the sunset

5. During the visit of some monasteries there are restrictions – be it with regards to the dress or restriction on photography

## **SOME OF THE MAIN ATTRACTIONS**

1. Experience the highest motorable pass in the Indian Himalayas on motor bike
2. Explore salt lakes
3. A challenging Motor Bike ride over the World's highest road passes

## **AIRFARES**

1. The flight schedules mentioned in the itinerary are subject to change without any notice
2. The fares will also vary as per the dates
3. The check in baggage allowance on the flights (Indigo, Go Air, Spicejet, Vistara) are 15 kilos per person per sector. Air India allows 20 kilos of check in baggage allowance

## **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES(OPTIONAL AT ADDITIONAL COST)**

In addition to the activities, which we have included, we can also suggest other activities as per your interest on extra supplement cost:

1. Cooking demonstration in Shimla or Manali
2. Chance to meet with local Astrologer for 01 hr in Leh town

## **IMPORTANT NOTE**

1. All participants should be holding a valid International Driving License
2. We would need minimum of 2 months notice to book the bikes. With all the naming list, passport details, experience etc.
3. We shall not be responsible for any accidents/mishaps
4. Expenses accrued due to accident, serious brake down of Bikes
5. On the sport repairs like punchers, breaks, lights are included price
6. We suggest to please bring your own Helmet, Riding gear/protection, Riding boots, gloves (winter/summer), kidney belt, sunglasses, warm hat/sun hat, warm shirt/summer shirts, Jeans/trousers/shorts, warm/light socks, track shoes/sandals, torch/flashlight/extra batteries, rucksack/day pack, personal medical kit/medicines/toiletries etc.