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The 10 Nights 11 days Nepal tour with short trekking is a very famous and organized package for trekking and tour lovers. It covers all the most exciting places in Nepal including Kathmandu, Pokhara, Chitwan and a short trek to Ghorepani Poon Hill, giving you an excellent opportunity to explore and experience the beautiful nature, unique culture, tradition, and lifestyle of local people as well as fantastic hiking experience at Ghorepani poon hill and jungle safari in Chitwan national park

Main Highlights

- ❖ Jungle Activities in Chitwan National Park
- ❖ Walkthrough the colorful rhododendron forests
- ❖ Superb sunrise and mountain view from Poon Hill
- ❖ Rare fauna, birds and vegetation in Chitwan National Park
- ❖ Explore the diverse cultures and traditions of ethnic people
- ❖ Easy level hiking in the majestic Himalayan Annapurna Region
- ❖ 360 ° panoramic view of Mt. Annapurna and Dhaulagiri Range
- ❖ Visit of world heritage sites in Kathmandu and the Pokhara Valley
- ❖ A spectacular range of the Annapurna Himalayas during the entire trek

Nepal Tour with a short trek, which is also known as Nepal Tour with Ghorepani poon hill trek, is a fantastic package that covers the famous places of Nepal. The visit, combined with tours, culture, Jungle Safari, and nature together for the pleasure for any size and any group age. This visit highlights the spectacular Himalayas, beautiful countryside, a heritage site in Kathmandu, a jungle safari in the Chitwan National Park.

In the Kathmandu Valley, almost all heritage sites are covered in art and architecture. With significant and historical monasteries and old royal palaces that reflect ancient culture and art. Similarly, the visit to Pokhara will include the Annapurna region's mountains, as Pokhara is famous for the city of natural beauty and is considered the capital of paradise for tourists. Another attraction for you is sailing on Lake Phewa with a view of the Annapurna mountain range and the mount fishtail. Besides, additional adventure activities such as paragliding, Zip flyer, and Ultra-Light provide tourists with the most pleasant experience.

Along with that, Ghorepani Poonhill Trek is one of the most popular and spectacular trekking trails in Nepal that will allow you to explore the Annapurna region's main attraction. The trail crosses charming historic ethnic towns, blooming rhododendron forests, and world-class mountain scenery. You can enjoy the Nepal tour with Ghorepani Poonhill Trek with magnificent views of Annapurna South, Gangapurna, Annapurna III, Machhapuchhare, and Hiunchuli. Also, experience the traditional Nepali way of life during the trip to cure you all your stress and make you feel relaxed. Chitwan National Park will offer a great wildlife experience, as it is rich in flora and fauna. Thus, it will make your trip exciting.

Itinerary details

Day 1: Arrival at Kathmandu International Airport and trip meeting.

After you arrive at Kathmandu International Airport, our company's representative will pick you up and take you to your reserved hotel. In the afternoon, you can rest. In the evening, we organize a trip briefing at your hotel in Kathmandu and introduce you to your trekking and tour guide. Don't hesitate to ask any questions about your trip. It is a final briefing and preparations for the journey. The rest of the day free.

Meals included: - Breakfast.

Day 2: Guided sightseeing tour around the Kathmandu Valley.

After breakfast, your excursion will begin. You will have a private vehicle and a professional guide for your tour. You will visit the following place during your trip.

Durbar Square in Kathmandu:

Kathmandu Durbar Square is undoubtedly one of the best known and equally intriguing legacies nestled in the Kathmandu Valley heart. It is also known as Hanuman Dhoka. The word "Hanuman" refers to the Hindu monkey god, whose stone statue is placed right next to the old Malla Palace's main entrance as a symbol of protection and strength.

Swyambunath Stupa - The Monkey Temple:

You can see the Kathmandu valley from the top of a hill on its west side. Swyambhu is also known as the Monkey Temple due to the countless monkeys that live there.

Hindu temple of Pashupatinath:

The Pashupatinath Temple is one of the holiest Hindu temples in Nepal. It lies on the Bagmati River's banks, on the eastern outskirts of Kathmandu. Pashupatinath is the most famous temple devoted to Lord Shiva.

Boudhanath Stupa:

Boudhanath Stupa is a 2,500-year-old Buddhist stupa in the valley built in the 5th century with four pairs of Buddha's eyes in four cardinal directions that continuously watch over people and their works. You'll find Tibetan Buddhist pilgrims circling the stupa spinning the prayer wheels.

Patan Durbar Square:

It's a location in the center of the Lalitpur district. It features Newari architecture that had reached its peak during the reign of the Malla kings, who were great builders and patrons of the arts.

After this trip, The rest of your time is free to explore further and do some shopping near your hotel.

Meals included: - Breakfast.

Day 3: Flight from Kathmandu to Pokhara and guided tour around the valley

After breakfast, fly to Pokhara. Check-in at the hotel in Pokhara, and then take a guided tour of Pokhara valley. You will have at your disposal a private vehicle and a professional guide. The places you visit are as follows.

Bindhabasini Temple:

It is in the center of the old religious bazaar and dedicated to the goddess Bhagwati, yet another manifestation of Shakti. The park offers a beautiful picnic and relaxation area.

Davis Falls:

Davi's fall is Locally Known as Patale Chango on the Pokhara Valley; the stream flowing from Lake Fewa collapses and breaks along the rock in a deep gorge, jumping through various potholes. It is extremely popular with tourists and locals.

Gupteshwor cave:

The venerable Gupteshwor Cave is 2 km from Pokhara Airport. The entrance is directly in front of Devi's waterfall, and the cave is almost 3 km long. It has a large hall size room and passages where you have to crawl through all four. This cave has an exceptional value for Hindus because a phallic symbol of Lord Shiva is preserved here in the state where it was discovered.

Phewa Lake and Barahi temple:

Phewa Lake is Located 800 m above sea level; it is the second-largest lake in Nepal; the Barahi temple in the middle of the lake is the most important religious monument in Pokhara. Built almost in the middle of Lake Phewa. The reflection of the mount Machhapuchhare and Annapurna are visible in its serene waters. The thick forest is located on the adjacent southern slopes of the lake.

Gorges of the Seti River:

Sculpted by Seti-River, it is one of the natural wonders of Pokhara. K.I. Singh Bridge in Bagar, the Mahendrapool and Prithivi Highway Bridge near the bus park, offers a perfect view of the terrible river current and the deep gorges created by white water's turbulent flow. After sightseeing, you will spend the night at the Pokhara hotel.

Meals included: - Breakfast.

Day 4: From Pokhara Drive to Nayapul and Trek to Tikhedunga:

After breakfast at the hotel, drive to Nayapul; this takes approximately one hour. Then start the first part of your trek to Tikhedunga, passing through Birethanti. It's a relatively smooth flat walk through several lively little villages. After a while, you will gently climb to the Tikhedunga to spend the night in a guest house.

Meals included: - Breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Day 5: Trek Tikhedhunga to Ghorepani: walking duration 3-4 hour

Today, you will climb steeply for the first 2 hours and then gently rise through Ulleri and Banthanti. The trail offers a magnificent view of Mount Machhapuchhare, Hiunchuli, and the great Annapurna to the south along the way. The path now becomes relatively easy to walk as you cross rhododendrons and shady woods amid birdsong, giving you a good feeling until you gently climb up to the endpoint. Spend Night in a guest house.

Meals included: - Breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Day 6: hike to Poon Hill and then to Tadapani: walking duration 5-6 hours

Early morning hike to Poon Hill to enjoy the sunrise view over Mt. Annapurna, Dhaulagiri, Tukucho Peak, Nilgiri, Varaha Shikhar, Mount Annapurna, Machhapuchhare, Lamjung Himal, and many other snow-capped mountains in the morning. Descent to Ghorepani, take breakfast in the Lodge, and walk to Tadapani. Most of the walking trails through the rhododendron forest; the beautiful flower makes the jungle colorful in spring when they bloom. You will spend the night at Lodge

Meals included: - Breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Day 7: Trek from Tadapani to Ghandruk and drive to Pokhara: Walking 3-4 hours

After breakfast, start your hike by gently descending through rhododendron, oak, and other dense forest types. You will hear different kinds of birds sing along the way and popular destinations for bird lovers. Ghandruk is an attractive village. There are a craft center and a museum. From this town, you will see the views of Annapurna Sur, Hiunchuli, Gangapurna, Annapurna III, and Fishtail. Drive from Ghandruk to Pokhara. It takes about two hours to drive and spend the night at the hotel.

Meals included: - Breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Day 8: Drive from Pokhara to Chitwan: 4-5 hours by car

After breakfast, drive to Chitwan. The path winds through the green forest to Chitwan. When you arrive in Chitwan, you will be greeted by the hotel representative and given the complete program of activities that you will do during your stay in Chitwan. Then you will have lunch. After lunch, you will visit Tharu's village and the park's reception center and Sunset view from the Rapti River, dinner and cultural program.

Meals included: - Breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Day 9: jungle safari in the Chitwan National Park

After breakfast early in the morning, you will leave for a nature tour in the Chitwan National Park. This day will be full of many adventure activities like canoeing, elephant rides, jungle safari, etc. You will walk in the jungle to explore flora and fauna. You will be guided by an experienced professional guide with an in-depth knowledge of the park's flora and fauna. You will have an elephant ride to walk in the jungle. From the back of the elephant, you will have the opportunity to look at the animals, such as the one-horned rhino, the Bengal tigers, the gharials, etc. After that, you will canoe down the Rapti River. Spending the whole day in the park's serene atmosphere, you can enjoy the traditional stick dance of the Tharu community after dinner at the hotel.

Meals included: - Breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Day 10: From Chitwan Drive to Kathmandu: 5-6 hours by car

After breakfast, you will go to observe birds in the Chitwan National Park. This park is home to 840 different bird species, which is more than any other protected area in Nepal. You will head to Kathmandu after enjoying bird watching. It takes 5-6 hours to reach Kathmandu from Chitwan. You will pass through dense forests, river valleys, many picturesque towns, and suburban areas along the way. You will be staying in a 3-star hotel and will rest. In the evening, you can stroll the streets of Thamel and shop for souvenirs and crafts.

Meals included: - Breakfast.

Day 11: Bhaktapur Sightseeing & Drop at the airport.

Today It is your last day of the Nepal trip. After breakfast, you will visit Bhaktapur and drop off at the airport. Bhaktapur Durbar Square is the royal palace of Bhaktapur's ancient kingdom, which is a world heritage at 1400 meters above sea level. During the tour, you can see the Nyota-Pola temple, the Golden Gate, the water jets, and the 55 Window Palaces, which merge to offer a magical atmosphere of open-air theatre Bhaktapur visitors. You also immerse yourself in the authentic delicacy of the people of Bhaktapur. After visiting Bhaktapur, according to your departure time, we will drop you off at the airport.

The meal includes: - breakfast

What is included?

- ❖ Transfers to and from the airport in a private vehicle.
- ❖ Guided City tour of Kathmandu and the Pokhara Valley
- ❖ Three-star hotel accommodation in Kathmandu with breakfast
- ❖ Three-star hotel accommodation in Pokhara with breakfast
- ❖ Three-star hotel accommodation in Chitwan with breakfast, lunch, and dinner.
- ❖ Accommodation at the Lodge during the trek, which includes breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

- ❖ All necessary documents, entry permits for conservation, TIMS, and monument costs.
- ❖ Air ticket from Kathmandu to Pokhara with airport tax
- ❖ City tour and entrance fees
- ❖ Transportation on a private vehicle from Pokhara-Chitwan-Kathmandu
- ❖ Private vehicle to the trekking starting and ending point.
- ❖ An experienced, helpful trek guide and porters.
- ❖ Guide and porters salary, food, drinks, accommodation, and transportation
- ❖ All government taxes and operational cost.
- ❖ Jungle safari activities in Chitwan National Park.
- ❖ All ground transportation in a private vehicle.
- ❖ A professional English-speaking guide for the entire trip.
- ❖ Entrances tickets to the temple and the monastery.

What is excluded?

- ❖ International plane ticket
- ❖ Nepal entry visa fees; you can get a visa at Kathmandu Airport
- ❖ Travel and health insurance
- ❖ Lunch and dinner while you are in Kathmandu and Pokhara
- ❖ All alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages.
- ❖ Tips for the guide, porter, and the driver.

Accommodation and meals

All the accommodation for this excursion is shared, included in the cost of the trip. We choose accommodation according to the level of hygiene, level of service and food, location, etc. on the bed and breakfast plan and two nights in the Chitwan National Park, and during the trek full board (room, breakfast, lunch, and dinner). In general, we offer a buffet breakfast at the same hotel. If you travel alone, you will share a room with another person of the same gender as your group. If you prefer a single room, you must inform before booking by paying an additional cost.

Visa Requirements

All foreigners need a visa to enter Nepal, and you can get it from a Nepalese embassy abroad or upon arrival in Nepal. Most people will obtain their visa upon arrival at Kathmandu airport.

You will need a photo and the following fees:

- ❖ 15 days USD \$ 25 or equivalent convertible currency
- ❖ 30 days USD \$ 40 or equivalent convertible currency
- ❖ 90 days USD \$ 100 or equivalent convertible currency

Cultural conditions

For those of you visiting Nepal, we recommend cultural information to help you adjust and feel comfortable:

The dress code is essential for both men and women. Men and women should wear pants instead of shorts when traveling to Kathmandu. It's fine for men in vests; Women should try to be as modest as possible in these situations.

Hindus are concerned about ritual contamination of food when touched by someone outside their caste or religion. Therefore, do not touch exposed foods, and when drinking from a container used by others, avoid touching your lips with them. Do not eat food with a left hand, and be sure to give or receive food only with your right hand. Shoes are considered demeaning, so keep them on the floor and remove them before putting your feet on something. If you enter a Nepal house, follow the example of your host to decide to take off your shoes, but when entering a temple or monastery, you must remove them.

You will pass Buddhist walls, chortens, and Buddhist stupas throughout the tour, and follow local traditions, and should place them on your right.

Travel insurance

Travel insurance for any itinerary of our company is a condition for the holiday reservation. At a minimum, you must have emergency and repatriation medical insurance, which should include the cost of mountain rescue, theft, loss, damage, and clinical problem. There is a wide variety of policies available. Carefully check

your insurers' general conditions in an incredibly important part, which is correctly written in small print. Some policies exclude "dangerous activities" (including motorcycle riding and walking, and certainly bungee jumping and rafting).

Choose a policy covering emergency and clinical repatriation, including the evacuation of helicopters for hikers and general medical evacuation. You may prefer a policy that pays directly at hospitals rather than having to spend on the spot and claim later. In Nepal, You must pay for clinical treatments at the point of delivery. If your insurance company doesn't provide a down payment, be sure to get the receipts so you can pick them up later.

It would be very nice to understand that you will be responsible for all expenses incurred in evacuation and repatriation procedures. It is your responsibility to pay all costs incurred in the event of evacuation or treatment. You must be fully aware of the implications of organizing your travel insurance and understanding your policy's limitations and exclusions. In certain circumstances, you must be aware that our company guide can initiate helicopter rescue procedures (or any other necessary means) in medical emergencies without first contacting your insurance company for approval.