

PAKISTAN

THE WANDER

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Our collection of Escorted Tours and Private Journeys

WELCOME TO PAKISTAN!



Embark on a remarkable journey through this enchanting land with one of our meticulously crafted tours. Our tours are designed with awe-inspiring experiences and incredible moments that will live in your memories forever.

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Pakistan is the land of the 5,000-year-old Indus Civilization, the land where the Hindu God Shiva's tears formed an eternal pond that still exists. It's a land where the echoes of Alexander's conquests still linger, having given rise to the Gandhara Buddhist civilization, a center of spiritual learning that once rivaled even Tibet in its significance. This is also the sacred ground where Guru Nanak, the revered founder of Sikhism, began and ended his earthly journey, leaving behind numerous significant Sikh landmarks.

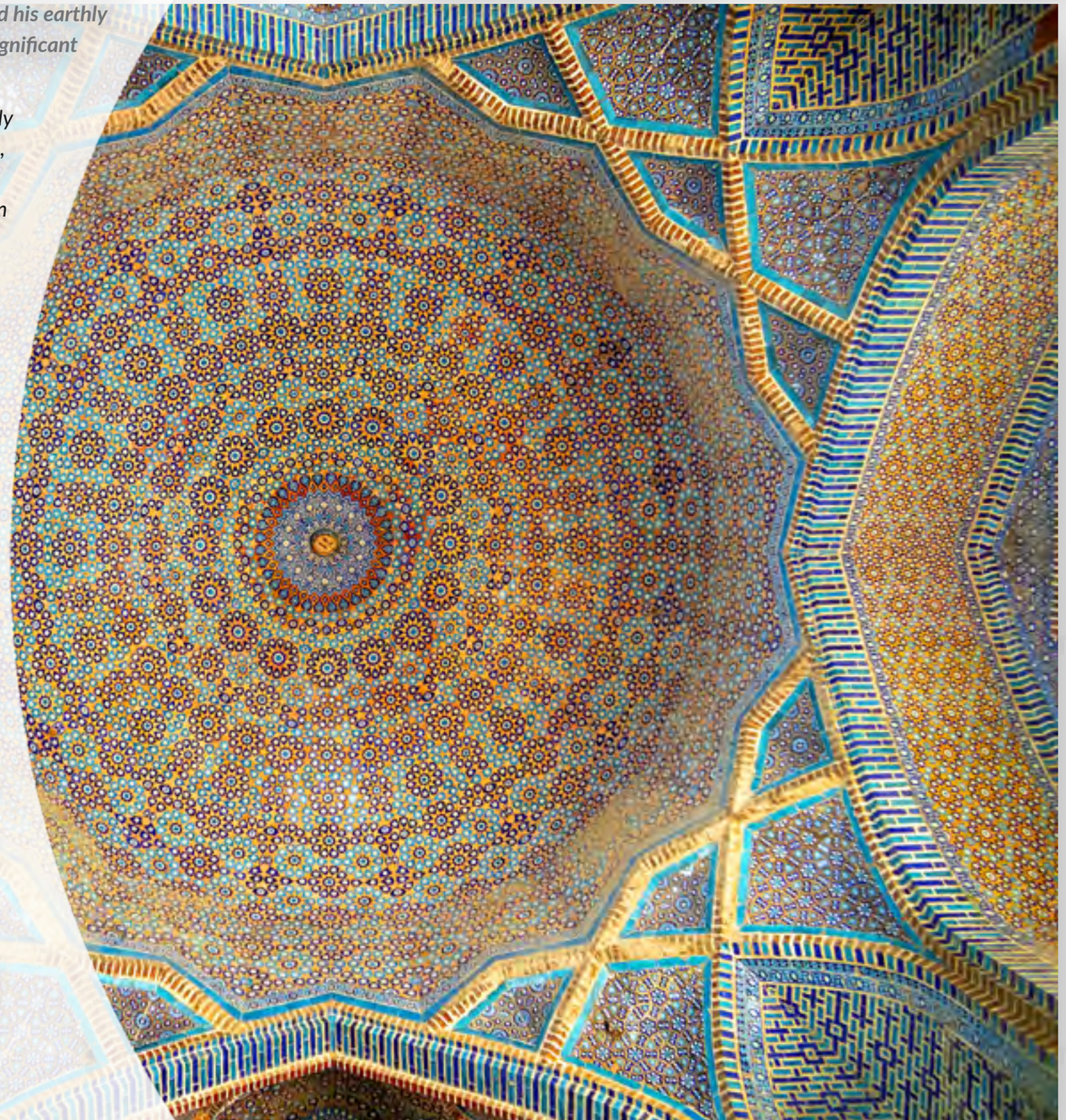
But it's the Islamic influence that truly shapes the cultural heart of Pakistan, with its roots deeply embedded in Sufism. This mystical Islamic tradition continues to flourish, particularly in the enchanting Sufi Shrines scattered across the country. The city of Lahore, once the crown jewel of the Mughal Empire, boasts Islamic and Mughal architecture that ranks among the world's most magnificent.

Pakistan's landscapes are a kaleidoscope of natural wonders, but it's the mountains that truly capture the imagination. Here, the confluence of three of the planet's mightiest mountain ranges has created an unparalleled concentration of soaring peaks, with over 4,500 of them rising above 6,000 meters. This panorama of towering mountains creates one of the most striking vistas on earth.

A journey through Pakistan is akin to sipping its beloved Pakistani Chai - rich, diverse, and full of memorable experiences.







Dear Traveler,

Welcome to a land of contrasts and wonders, where the towering mountain ranges of the north meet the serene Indian Ocean in the south. Pakistan, a tapestry of diverse landscapes, cultures, and histories, invites you to embark on a journey like no other. Imagine trekking through majestic peaks, exploring ancient villages, and delving into 5,000 years of history. Your travel style, whatever it may be, finds its match here.

At The Wander Adventures, we specialize in crafting authentic and immersive experiences that delve deep into the heart of Pakistan's local culture. Our journeys not only bring you closer to the rich history and culture of this fascinating country but also echo our commitment to environmental conservation. We carefully design our trips to ensure that you can marvel at nature's wonders while helping preserve its beauty for future generations.

Our tailor-made trips are the result of meticulous research, thoughtful itinerary design, and carefully selected accommodations. We strive to include the most captivating routes and essential experiences, offering trips that are ready to be enjoyed as is or customized to fit your unique interests.

At The Wander Adventures, we're dedicated to enhancing your vacation experience. We often collaborate with local communities to organize exclusive events, a unique aspect of our service. Our vast experience and in-depth knowledge of Pakistan as a travel destination guarantee you'll receive the most comprehensive advice and insights.

This brochure is merely a peek into what Pakistan has to offer. You'll catch glimpses of the stunning mountain landscapes and vibrant communities of the High Peaks region, the rich ancient history, the cultural and architectural marvels of Lahore, and the mystical allure of Sufi practices in Multan and Sindh.

Let us craft an unforgettable experience for you. We eagerly await the opportunity to welcome you on a Wander Adventure soon!

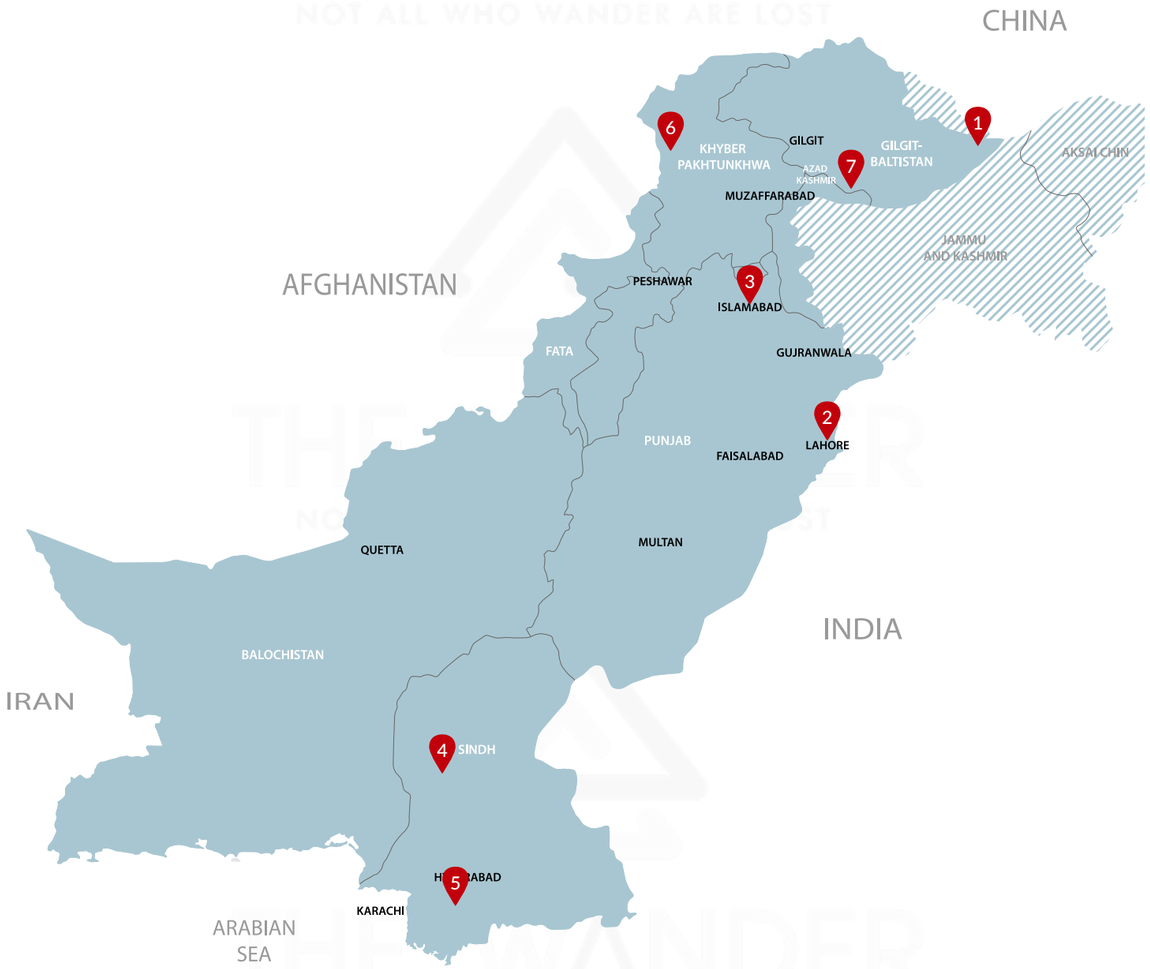


Raza Akhtar

Founder & CEO

Discover Pakistan with The Wander Adventures

From some of the highest mountains in the world to the plains and deserts of Sindh and Punjab. Pakistan has an eclectic mix of history, landscapes, and cultures. Here are some of our favorite destinations.



OUR FAVORITE SIGHTS IN PAKISTAN

1 KARAKORAM NATIONAL PARK

Home to the greatest concentration of high peaks in the world, 4 of which are over 8,000 meters and some of the longest glaciers outside the polar regions. A treat for climbers, trekkers and nature lovers.



2 LAHORE FORT COMPLEX

This 20 hectares complex has 21 monuments, including the 15th century fort with the longest mural wall in the world; the largest Mughal era mosque and the mausoleum of Ranjit Singh the ruler of the Kingdom of Punjab.



3 TAXILA WORLD HERITAGE SITE

With 18 sites, from the 5th century B.C. to the 2nd century A.D. Taxila illustrates the different stages in the development of a city on the Indus that was alternately influenced by Persia, Greece and Central Asia



4 MOHENJO-DARO

The largest city of Indus Valley civilization from 26th century B.C.



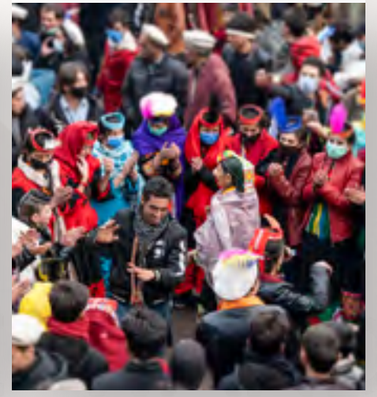
5 MAKLI NECROPOLIS

UNESCO World Heritage site of Makli is one of the largest funerary sites in the world, housing close to 1 million graves from between the 14th and 18th centuries



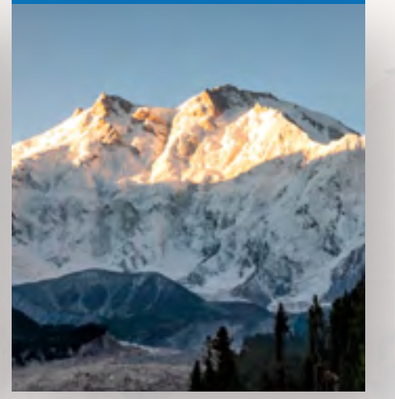
6 KALASH

The Kalash people are spread throughout 20 villages, that until recently were disconnected from civilization. They practice their own religion and follow a traditional way of life that can be traced back over 3,000 years.



7 FAIRY MEADOWS

One of the easiest treks with views of Nanga Parbat, the 9th highest in the world, a colossal and magnificent mountain.



WANDER WITH US



Badshahi Mosque Lahore

Our specialty lies in weaving together the vibrant threads of local culture, the untamed beauty of nature, and the intricate tapestry of history into our itineraries. Whether you're joining one of our intimate group excursions or embarking on a bespoke adventure, each experience is steeped in authenticity.

Our approach is simple; we want your Pakistani sojourn should be as delightful as it is unforgettable. That's why we design voyages that we ourselves are passionate about, constantly refining and re-imagining our approach. It's the little details that set us apart. From the moment your feet touch Pakistani soil to the bittersweet farewell as you board your return flight, we're there. The charming inns, the scenic routes, those impromptu pit-stops, the culinary delights, and the choice between a starlit night in a tent or the comfort of a hotel room – each is an opportunity for us to add a dash of joy to your journey.

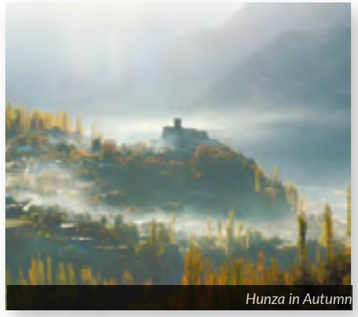
We believe that the heart of travel beats in the rhythm of local life. Thus, we seamlessly blend elements of Pakistani culture into your voyage. Imagine nights in historic forts, a palate delighted by local flavors, and immersive experiences that bring you face-to-face with the soul of this land.



Harvest in Khaplu Valley



Sufi Festival at Madho Lal Shrine



Hunza in Autumn



Pakistan Monument Islamabad

AUTHENTIC TRAVEL EXPERIENCES

Our itineraries are crafted as immersive journeys, connecting deeply with local cultures and nature. Instead of an extensive array of choices, we understand your preferences and focus on distinctive places we cherish and share. Our tour timings are chosen for an authentic, off-the-beaten-track experience. We emphasize high-quality, unique adventures over generic, mass-produced tours.

SMALL GROUP SIZE

We belive that maintaining small group sizes with a high guide-to-client ratio is crucial to delivering the experiences our clients desire. Our journeys cap at 12 members, often with two guides, and on camping trips, we adhere to a maximum 5:1 client-to-guide ratio. This approach ensures a closer connection with nature and local culture, offering the personal attention essential for the success of our trips.

ACCOMMODATION

Where you stay is an important part of the experience. You can be safe in the knowledge that your accommodation has been hand-picked to best suit the locations you'll visit. We focus on providing the best accommodation available to ensure that every part of your experience is memorable.

In a large city, we stay at a full service five-star hotel, in other places we always look for a place that is comfortable, with delicious local food and a special local touch.

CUSTOMIZE YOUR TRIP

If you'd like to explore your destination further or arrange a stopover on your flight all you have to do is ask! Our knowledgeable team of experts can help you customize your very own tour or extension to any tour in this brochure.

PHYSICAL RATING

All our tours feature a physical rating to help you select the right vacation. Every tour requires the ability to walk around sights unaided, while more active tours include longer walks or multi-day treks.

Level 1: A reasonable level of fitness is required but it's more about spending time on your feet than covering large distances. You will be getting on and off vehicles, walking around sites and climbing steps.

Level 2: The typical day is busier and involves more steps or multiple sites visits every day. The trip might involve day hikes of 2-3 hours.

Level 3: You should enjoy hiking and feel comfortable hiking 3–6 miles with elevation gains/losses of up to 300m(1000 ft) per day. We suggest beginning a regular exercise regimen at least 2–3 months prior to departure.

Level 4: You should be comfortable with hiking 5-8 hours each day, up to 18km (11 miles) with as much as 3,000' elevation gain and loss or high altitude.

Level 5: Challenging for fit hikers with experience in multi-day treks in high altitude. These tours are not appropriate for novice hikers or even for experienced but unfit hikers.

PAKISTAN HIGHLIGHTS

20 DAYS

2 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
APRIL - OCTOBER

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Feel the vibe in Lahore
- ✓ Experience high peaks in Hunza
- ✓ Kalash tribes ancient way of living
- ✓ Trek to Fairy Meadows
- ✓ Experience layers of history in Taxila


Lahore Fort


Hunza Valley

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation

(Including hotel for first night in case of early arrival)

- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees


Street Food - Jalebi

DAY 1
LAHORE

You can take advantage of the morning to recover from your journey. Later we will visit the Lahore Museum passing through the Mall where you will see many Gothic buildings from the British period. We will then visit the Wagah Indian Border to witness the flag lowering ceremony. Its quite a spectacle and attracts many visitors from both sides of the border. You will learn about the history of Pakistan.

DAY 2
LAHORE

Our tour today begins with the 17th century Wazir Khan Mosque in Lahore's historic walled city. We continue on to the Lahore Fort complex, which includes the 16th century Fort, the 17th century Badshahi Mosque and the 19th century Tomb of Ranjit Singh the Sikh ruler of Punjab. Later, we visit the tombs of Mughal Emperor Jahangir and his queen Nur Jehan.


Wazir Khan Mosque

DAY 3
LAHORE

We return to the old city today for a more intimate cultural introduction to Lahore. The walled city of Lahore is known as the cultural heart of Punjab. We have developed this tour around food, music and architecture of historic Lahore. This is a culturally immersive experience that you will remember. As we walk we will stop to eat street food at some of the famous places within the historic district. Explore Mughal Havelis after tasting delectable halwa puris; visit the Faqir Khanna Museum for a glimpse into the Sikh Empire period; visit music schools to see students playing the tabla and flute. Have some fresh Jalebi's on the way to a dhol performance. We return to the hotel where the rest of the day is available to relax or some sightseeing on your own. We will finish the night with a cultural performance at dinner.

DAY 4
TRAVEL TO PESHAWAR

After breakfast we will start our journey to the 2,000 year old city of Peshawar. Temple complex. Along the way we will stop at Katas Raj temple complex, later visit the historic Qisa Khawani Bazar (story tellers bazaar), and roam the streets before we return to our hotel and settle in for a meal.

DAY 5
EXPLORE PESHAWAR

Today we explore the historic sites of Peshawar. Starting with the Peshawar Museum, known for one of the largest and most extensive collections of Gandhara art of the Buddhist period. Continue to the 17th century Mahabat Khan Mosque and visit Bala Hissar Fort, which has existed since 7th century and has been in continuous occupation ever since.

DAY 6
EXPLORE SWAT

In the morning will visit the Swat Museum with its collection of Gandharan statuettes and treasure from the valley of Swat.


Chilam Joshi Festival Kalash Valley


Shandur Polo Festival

The area of Swat was an important region within Greek-Bactria and a major Buddhist center. Buddhist and Gandhara sites are littered all over the valley. We will visit the remains of 2nd century Butkara stupa, believed to contain the ashes of Buddha. We continue to Udegram village where you will have the option to hike to Raja Gira's castle, site with a history stretching from 1,000 BC to 14th century.

DAY 7
TRAVEL TO CHITRAL

We travel by road to Kalash Valley, stopping at the Chakdara Museum with its collection of first to seventh century Gandhara Art. The drive will take us through villages and small towns and we will reach our destination in the evening.

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Fairy Meadows

DAY 8
EXPLORE KALASH VALLEY

Birbir, Bumborete and Rumbur valleys are locally known as Kafiristan (the land of the infidels). These valleys are home to the 3,000 year old civilization of Kalash people who are spread in about 20 villages. The Kalash practice their own religion and their cultural practices are unique from all other ethnicities.

If we are here in time for a Kalash festival. The celebration is a huge party, with lots of dancing, wine and feasting. We will witness the celebrations and you can wear traditional Kalash attire and participate in the festivities.

DAY 9
MASTUJ VALLEY

Today we head to Chitral town and explore the bazaar and the Chitral fort after which we will continue to Mastuj. This is one of the most beautiful and dramatic drives as we wind our way up the Mastuj Valley, passing the high peaks of Trich Mir and Boni Zong, before finally entering the Yarkund Valley at the top of which lies Afghanistan's Wakhan Corridor and continues to Shandur Pass.

If we are here at the time of Shandur Festival we will spend the night in the festival grounds. A free style polo tournament, the festival is a celebration of local culture, music and cuisine. In the morning we will watch a polo match played in the free style polo and then continue to Gilgit. We will stop along the way to see the 7th century carving of a large standing Buddha known as Kargah Buddha and then continue to our hotel in Gilgit.

DAY 10
TRAVEL TO HUNZA VALLEY

We drive from Gilgit to Hunza Valley, stopping along the way for views of Rakaposhi before reaching Hunza. In the afternoon visit the1,000 year old Ganesh village. Our next stop is the 700 year old Baltit Fort where the Mir (title of the Hunza ruler) resided until the 1950s.

The evening is free to enjoy the local markets and relax at the hotel.

DAY 11
EXPLORE HUNZA

In the morning you will have an option to hike behind Baltit fort along an irrigation channel with views of Hunza Valley, the surrounding peaks and terraced fields with views of daily life. The trek ends at the high point (Eagles nest) where you can view the entire Hunza Valley.

In the afternoon visit the 1100 years old Altit fort, the original seat of the Hunza state and the oldest monument in Gilgit-Baltistan. For those interested there will an option to take a cooking class in Pakistani cuisine.

DAY 12
KHUNJERAB PASS

Today we head to towards Khunjerab Pass, the land route to Chinese border and at 4,934m(16,187ft) the highest border crossing in the world. The scenery is beautiful with high peaks all around. Due to the dramatic change in altitude, we will only take a brief stop at the top before heading back.

Our last stop is Attabad Lake, formed in 2010 after a landslide that blocked the flow of the river. We will take a boat ride to our hotel where we spend the night.

DAY 13
FAIRY MEADOWS

We start early today and head to Raikot bridge from where we will travel to Fairy Meadows with views Nanga Parbat Massif (the 9th highest peak in the world). We take jeeps over a 17km steep and narrow dirt road to Tattu village, where the hiking trail to Fairy Meadows begins. This is a well established trail and we walk through the forest on a gentle climb for about 2-3 hours.



Kachura Lake

DAY 14
NANGA PARBAT BASE CAMP

You have an option to relax or take an easy hike to the settlement of Beyal (4hrs round trip) and continue the challenge to Nanga Parbat base camp (8 hours round trip). This is the easiest access to the base camp of an 8,000m peak.

DAY 15
TRAVEL TO KACHURA LAKES

After a leisurely morning retrace our steps, back to Jhel where we continue the drive to Raikot bridge. We will switch transports at the bridge and drive to Shigar valley. We drive with beautiful views of high peaks to our resort at lower Kachura Lake. Kachura Lakes are two beautiful alpine lakes You will have time for an optional hike to upper Kachura lake, for those interested it is possible to go boating and fish for Trout in these lakes.

DAY 16
KHAPLU

In the morning visit the historic Kharpocho fort and continue on a beautiful drive to Khaplu. Later visit the 18th century Khaplu Khanqah and the 14th century Chaqchan Mosque and stop for lunch at beautiful restored palace where we will spend the night.

DAY 17
SHIGAR VALLEY

Drive to Shigar Valley where we will stay at the historic Shigar Fort. The day is for relaxing, in the evening we can go to a private hot spring to relax.

DAY 18
TAXILA

We take an afternoon flight to Islamabad. Our first stop is the UNESCO world heritage site of Taxila. The origins of Taxila as a city go back to 600 BC, it was an important city and it was an important Buddhist Centre from 5th century BC to 6th Century AD. Taxila Museum is famous for its magnificent collection of Gandhara Art.

After Taxila we will head over to our hotel in Islamabad.

DAY 19
ISLAMABAD

After a relaxed morning, visit some of the sights in Islamabad, including Faisal Mosque and the National Institute of Folk Heritage. You will have time to buy local handicrafts and we will arrange a tour for carpet shopping. In the evening we get together for a celebration dinner to end an amazing experience.

DAY 20
FLY OUT

Our private transport will take you to the airport.



Islamabad

HIGH PEAKS ADVENTURE

16 DAYS

2 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
APRIL - SEPTEMBER

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Visit three of the highest mountain ranges in the world
- ✓ Explore ancient castles in Hunza
- ✓ Experience layers of history in Taxila
- ✓ Enjoy a local festival
- ✓ Trek to Fairy Meadows



Deosai Plains

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation
- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees



Chakhchain Mosque

DAY 1
ISLAMABAD

The morning is free to recover from your journey. In the afternoon and we offer an optional walk to the Margalla hills surrounding the capital.

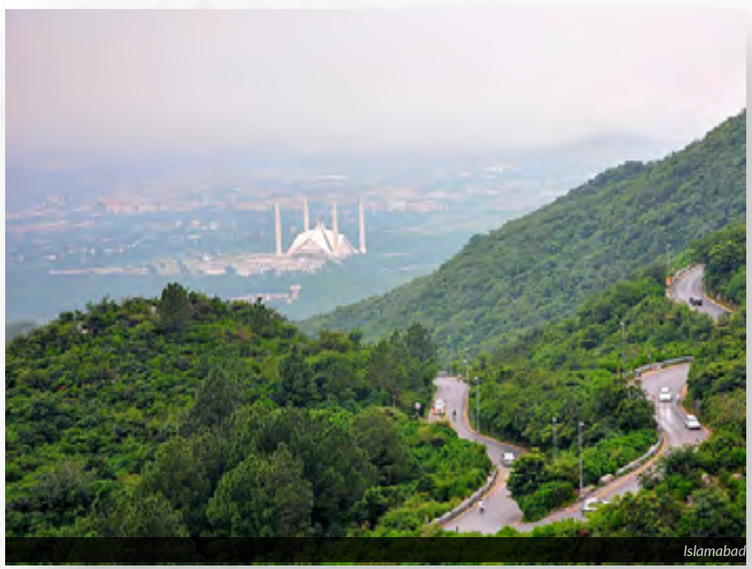
Later in the afternoon, the trek leaders will give a full trip briefing. We will conclude our evening with a group dinner, this will be an opportunity for everyone to get to know each other, ask questions and enjoy a restful evening before our journey begins.

DAY 2
TRAVEL TO SKARDU

We will take an early morning flight to Skardu. The flight is about an hour and on the way you will see the foot hills of the Himalayas, leading to Nanga Parbat and as we get closer to landing K2 and Baltoro Glacier. In the afternoon we will visit the historic Kharpocho fort. At the top, we have views of the surrounding area. We will also visit the 14th century Amburiq Mosque in Shigar Village, a UNESCO award-winning site. We will return to our hotel where you have an option to further explore the area or relax and enjoy the location.

DAY 3
KACHURA LAKES

Kachura Lakes are two beautiful alpine lakes near Skardu. We start our trip with a visit to the lower Kachura lake which is located at a resort. We will have an optional hike to upper Kachura lake, for those interested it is possible to go boating and fish for Trout in these lakes. We have lunch here and later will explore Skardu town for shopping before returning to the hotel. In the evening we visit private hot springs and relax before dinner.



Islamabad

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Attabad Lake

DAY 4
DEOSAI PLAINS

This is a long day, we will start after breakfast and head to Deosai Plains, stopping at the beautiful turquoise blue Satpara Lake on the way.

Deosai National Park is a high-altitude alpine plateau, the average elevation is 4114m(13497ft) making it the second highest plateau in the world. We will have lunch at the beautiful Shausar lake and you will have an opportunity to walk in the area, after spending 3-4 hours in the area we will drive another 3 hours to reach Astore, where we will spend the night.

DAY 5
FAIRY MEADOWS

We start our day with a leisurely morning at Rama Lake, later we will drive to Raikot bridge for our journey to Fairy Meadows with views of Nanga Parbat.

We take jeeps over a 17km steep and narrow dirt road to Tattu village, where the hiking trail to Fairy Meadows begins. This is a well established trail and we walk through the forest on a gentle climb for about 2-3 hours. We spend the night in Fairy Meadows with beautiful views of Nanga Parbat.

DAY 6
TRAVEL TO HUNZA

We trace our steps back to Raikot Bridge and head to Hunza, stopping in Gilgit for lunch. Here we will have a chance to visit the famous Kargah Buddha, a 7th century carving of a large standing Buddha.

On our way to Hunza we stop for views of the great mass of Rakaposhi, the 27th highest mountain in the world 7,788m (25,551ft).

DAY 7
EXPLORE HUNZA

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Baltit Fort

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Phandar Lake

Our last stop for the night is Attabad Lake, formed in 2010 after a landslide that blocked the flow of the river. We will take a boat ride to our hotel where we spend the night.

DAY 9
TRAVEL TO PHANDAR

After a leisurely morning on the banks of Attabad lake we drive towards Ghizer valley the launching pad for Shandur Pass. Shandur is also known as the rooftop of the world and is the birth place of Polo which still played amongst villages during the Polo festival.

The 6 hour drive brings us to Phandar, where our hotel is located on the banks of Phandar lake. We will have chance to walk around the deep blue lake and relax.

DAY 10
TRAVEL TO MASTUJ

We take the Shandur Pass to Mastuj, stopping for tea at the top 3,800m(12,467ft). For those interested, there is a chance to walk in the beautiful meadows before getting picked by the jeep.

If we are here at the time of Shandur Festival we will spend the night in the festival grounds. Traditionally a polo tournament, the festival is a celebration of local culture, music and cuisine.
In the morning we will watch a polo match played in the free style polo and then continue to Mastuj.

Mastuj was the seat of the principality that governed Northern Chitral and Yasin valleys. We will spend our night in a hotel located within the historic Mastuj fort.

DAY 11
TRAVEL TO CHITRAL

This is a beautiful and scenic drive, as we start from Mastuj Valley towards Yarkund Valley and wind down towards Chitral. Driving close to the Wakhan Corridor, which borders Afghanistan and Tajikistan we will see impressive views of Trich Mir 7,708 m (25,289 ft) the highest mountain in the Hindukush range.

DAY 12
KALASH VALLEY

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Chilam Joshi Festival Kalash Valley


Shandur Polo

If we are here in time for a Kalash festival. The celebration is a huge party, with lots of dancing, wine and feasting. We will witness the celebrations and you have an opportunity to wear traditional Kalash attire and participate in the festivities.

DAY 13
SWAT VALLEY

We travel by road to Swat Valley, stopping at the Chakdara Museum with its collection of first to seventh century Gandhara Art. The drive will take us through villages and small towns and we will reach our destination in the evening.

DAY 14
EXPLORE SWAT

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DAY 15
TAKHT-BHAI & TAXILA

We will visit the UNESCO world heritage sites of Takht-bhai and Taxila. Takht-Bhai is a 7th century Buddhist monastery. The origins of Taxila as a city go back to 1500 BC and it remained an important city during the Persian, Indo-Greek and Kushan periods from 5th century BC to 6th Century AD. Taxila Museum is famous for its magnificent collection of Gandhara Art.

After Taxila we will head over to our hotel in Islamabad. The evening is free to relax or join an organized shopping trip.

DAY 16
ISLAMABAD

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After relaxing at the hotel, we will head to the Margalla hills for a celebration dinner to end an amazing experience.

DAY 17
FLY OUT

Our private transport will take you to the airport.


Takht Bhai Monestary

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TRAVEL THROUGH HISTORY

19 DAYS

2 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
OCTOBER - APRIL

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Visit the historic walled city of Lahore
- ✓ Explore ancient Mohenjo-daro
- ✓ Take a desert safari
- ✓ See ancient Greek cities in Taxila
- ✓ Eat your way through diverse Pakistani cuisine

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation *(Including hotel for first night in case of early arrival)*
- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees



Kot Diji Fort

DAY 1
KARACHI

On arrival in Karachi you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Depending on your time of arrival the rest of the day is yours to start soaking up the local culture. We get together as a group for dinner where your guide will discuss the itinerary.

DAY 2
EXPLORE KARACHI

We start our day with a visit to the mausoleum of Abdullah Shah Ghazi, the patron saint of Karachi. We continue to National Museum of Pakistan Museum the largest and covers the history of the region from the bronze age. We end the day at the Shrine of Mangho Pir, the patron saint of the African diaspora. The Shrine is known for its crocodiles who are considered sacred.

DAY 3
MAKLI

Today we take a two hour drive to Thatta the medieval capital of Sindh. We will visit the Necropolis of Makli a UNESCO world heritage site; a city of mausoleums built between 14th and 18th century. Our next stop is the 16th century Shah Jahan mosque considered to have the most elaborate tile work in South-Asia. Our day ends in Hyderabad where we will spend the night.

DAY 4
RANIKOT

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DAY 6
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DAY 7
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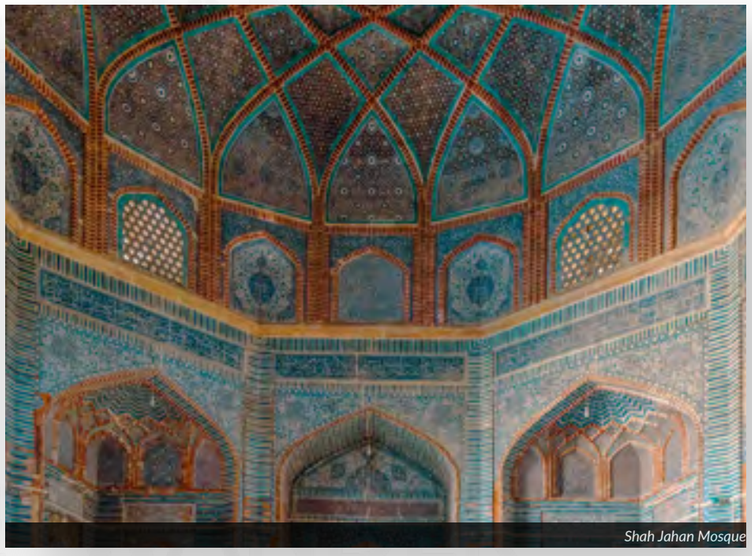
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DAY 8
CHOLISTAN

Venture on through the Cholistan Desert to Derawar. Here, enjoy a camel safari to the local villages and meet the local people. Spend the night in a tented desert camp. Enjoy the evening with live



Dhamal at Lal Shahbaz Shrine



Shah Jahan Mosque



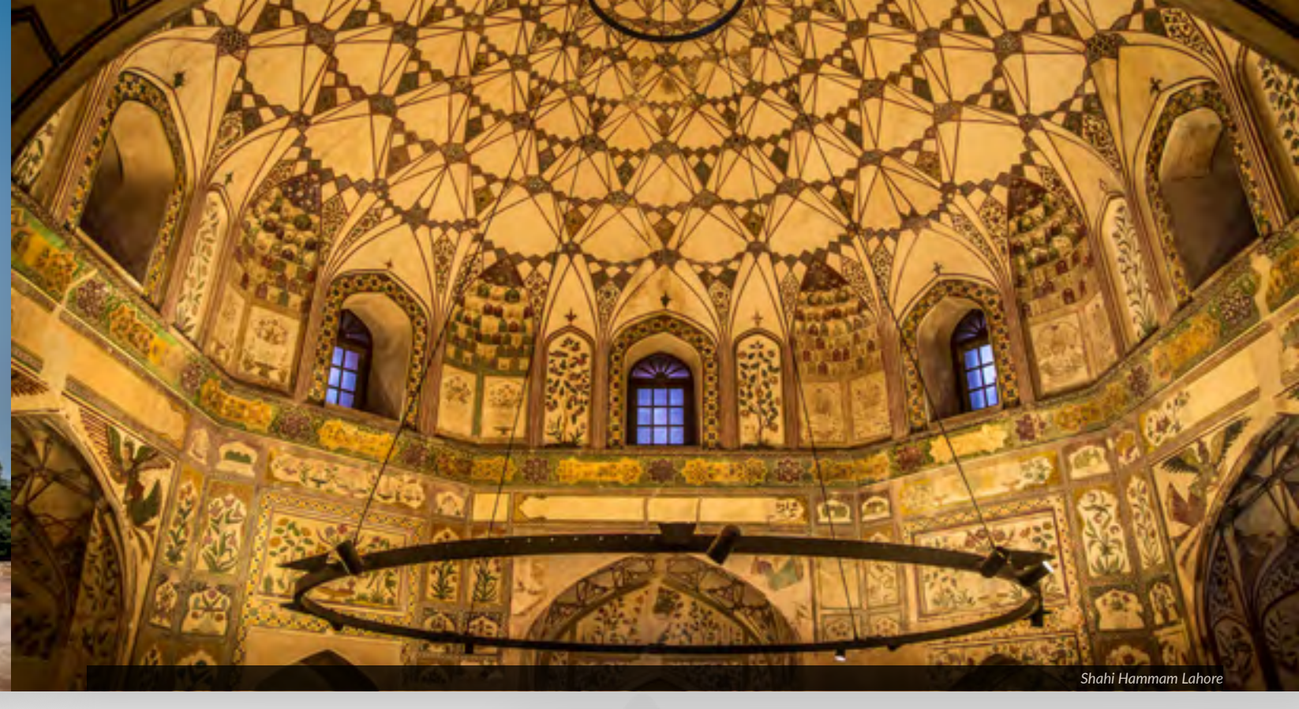
Mohenjo-daro



Derawar Mosque

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Uch Sharif


Shahi Hammam Lahore

folk music.

DAY 9
MULTAN

Travel to the vibrant town of Multan, dominated by its Sufi Shrines and culture. Multan is famous for its handicrafts and traditional sweets, we will visit some of the famous places as we walk through the streets to the old city fort, and visit Sufi mausoleums covered in white and blue tile work. In the evening experience Sufi music at the shrine.

DAYS 10-12
DISCOVER LAHORE

Discover Lahore, the cultural heart of Pakistan. Drown in national fervor at the Wagah Border for the flag lowering ceremony. Experience historic Lahore fort complex and many ancient sites. The next day return to the walled city to enjoy a walking street food tour that takes us to historic Haveli's, cultural museum, music schools and folk performances. End your evenings with a live music or cultural performance.

DAYS 13-14
PESHAWAR

We drive to the 2,000 year old city of Peshawar. Along the way we will stop at Katas Raj Temple complex. Once in Peshawar, we will visit the historic Qisa Khawani Bazar (story tellers bazar), you will have an opportunity to roam the streets before we settle in for a meal before returning to our hotel. The next day visit the Bala Hisar Fort in continuous use since the 7th century. Explore the Peshawar museum with the largest collection of Gahdhara art in the world.

DAYS 15-16
SWAT

Drive to Swat, stopping at the 1st century UNESCO world heritage site of Takht-Bhai. Visit the Swat Museum with its collection of Gandharan statuettes and treasure from the valley of Swat. We will visit the remains of 2nd century Butkara stupa, believed to contain the ashes of Buddha. Later visit Udegram village where you will have the option to hike to Raja Gira's castle, site with a history stretching from 1,000 BC to 14th century.


Mohra Mundra site Taxila

DAY 17
TAXILA

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After Taxila we will head over to our hotel in Islamabad. The afternoon and evening are free to relax or join an organized shopping trip.

DAY 18
ISLAMABAD

After a relaxed morning, you will have a chance to visit some of sights in Islamabad, including Faisal Mosque and the national institute of folk heritage. You will have an opportunity to buy local handicrafts and we will arrange a tour of carpet shopping.

After relaxing at the hotel, we will head to the Margala hills for a celebration dinner to end an amazing experience.

DAY 19
FLY OUT

Our private transport will take you to the


Faisal Mosque Islamabad

THE WANDER
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A devotee at the shrine of Shah Hussain

LAHORE & SOUTH PUNJAB

7 DAYS

1 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
APRIL - OCTOBER

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Eat your way through historic Lahore
- ✓ Immerse yourself in Sufism in South Punjab
- ✓ Enjoy a Desert Safari on Camel
- ✓ Visit the ancient site of Harappa
- ✓ Experience layers of history in Taxila

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation
- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees



Wagah Border

DAY 1
LAHORE

On arrival in Lahore you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Depending on your time of arrival the rest of the day is yours to start soaking up the local culture. We get together as a group to visit the Shrine of famous saint Shah Hussain for ecstatic Sufi dance/music followed by dinner.

DAY 2
LAHORE

Our tour today begins with the 17th century Wazir Khan Mosque in Lahore's historic walled city. We continue on to the Lahore Fort complex, which includes the 16th century Fort, the 17th century Badshahi Mosque and the 19th century Tomb of Ranjit Singh the Sikh ruler of Punjab. At sunset, drown in national fervor at the Wagah Border for the flag lowering ceremony.



Street Food - Halwa Puri

DAY 3
LAHORE

The next day return to the walled city to enjoy a walking street food tour that takes us to historic Haveli's, cultural museum, music schools and folk performances. End your evening with a live music or cultural performance.

DAY 4
BAHAWALPUR

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Sadiq Palace



Multan Historic District



Derawar Fort

DAY 5
CHOLISTAN

Venture on through the Cholistan Desert to Derawar. Here, enjoy a camel safari to the local villages and meet the local people. Spend the night in a tented desert camp. Enjoy the evening with live folk music.

DAY 6
MULTAN

Travel to the vibrant town of Multan, dominated by its Sufi Shrines and dominant Sufi culture. Walk through the streets to the old city fort. In the evening experience Sufi music at the shrine.

DAY 7
HARAPPA

We travel to the archaeological site of Harappa containing the ruins of the second largest city of the Indus civilization from 25th century BC. Later continue to Lahore for our departure the following day.

DAY 8

Our private transport will take you to the airport.

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KARACHI & SINDH DISCOVERY

8 DAYS

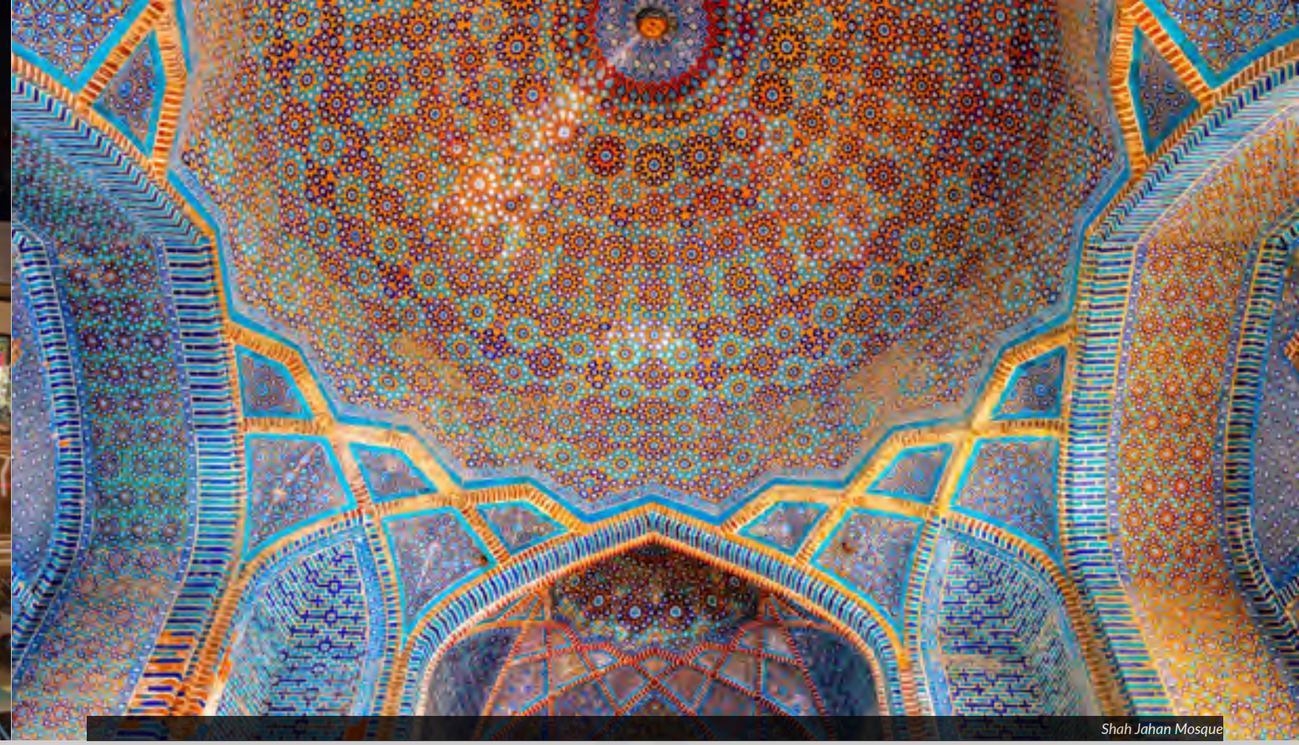
1 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
OCTOBER - APRIL

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Karachi the city of 22 million people
- ✓ Explore ancient Mohenjo-daro
- ✓ Marvel at amazing Shah Jahan Mosque
- ✓ Sleep under the stars in Ranikot Fort
- ✓ Whirl like a dervish at Lal Shahbaz


Karachi


Shah Jahan Mosque

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation
- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees

DAY 1
KARACHI

On arrival in Karachi you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Depending on your time of arrival the rest of the day is yours to start soaking up the local culture. We get together as a group for dinner where your guide will discuss the itinerary.

DAY 2
DISCOVER KARACHI

We start our day with a visit to the mausoleum of Abdullah Shah Ghazi, the patron saint of Karachi. We continue to National Museum of Pakistan Museum which covers the history of the region from the bronze age. We end the day at the Shrine of Mangho Pir, the patron saint of the African diaspora. The Shrine is known for its crocodiles who are considered sacred.

DAY 3
MAKLI

Our first stop is the ruins of the city of Banbhore (1st to 13th century). The ruins of the fortified walls are still visible. We continue our drive to Thatta the medieval capital of Sindh. We will visit the Necropolis of Makli a UNESCO world heritage site, a city of mausoleums built between 14th and 18th century. Our next stop is the 16th century Shah Jahan mosque considered to have the most elaborate tile work in South-Asia. Our day ends in Hyderabad where we will spend the night.


Chaukhundi Tombs


Makli

DAY 4
SUKKUR

We start our day with a visit to the Kalhora and Talpur tombs in Hyderabad. After lunch in a traditional restaurant we start our drive to Sukkur. We stop at Bhit Shah to visit the shrine of Shah Abdul Latif Bhitai and sit for some live music played by the devotes. Later we will stop at the majestic 18th century Kot Diji Fort before reaching Sukkur in the evening.

DAY 5
EXPLORE SUKKUR

In the morning we take a boat trip to see the boat houses of the Mohana people, descendants of the first inhabitants of the Indus valley. The wooden boats they live in are identical to the outlines etched onto the five-thousand-year-old seals of the Mohenjo-daro city civilization. We continue to visit the island of Sadhu Belo, famous for its highly revered Hindu temples.

After lunch we will take a hour and half drive to Larkana where we spend the night.

DAY 6
MOHENJO-DARO

The day is for guided exploration of Mohenjo-daro. The largest city of Indus Valley built around 26th century BC and a UNESCO world heritage site. After a detailed visit of the site and museum we continue to the shrine of Lal Shahbaz the most eccentric and popular saint in Sindh. At sunset we will experience Dhamal, the ecstatic whirling dance of Sufis.

DAY 7
RANIKOT

We drive two hours to explore Ranikot fort, considered the largest fort in the world with walls covering 32 km. There are three smaller forts inside. After a bonfire, we spend the night in glamping tents under a star filled sky.

DAY 8
KARACHI

After a relaxed morning, we will drive back to Karachi. Once at the hotel, you have the option to relax or join us for a shopping excursion.

DAY 9
FLY OUT

Transport to the airport is provided.


Sukkur


Ranikot

SWAT AND KALASH VALLEYS

8 DAYS

2 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
APRIL - OCTOBER

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Explore the bazaars in Peshawar
- ✓ Discover Greek influenced Gandhara civilization in Swat
- ✓ Kalash tribes ancient way of living
- ✓ Travel through history in Taxila
- ✓ See the Markhor Ibex in Gol National Park

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation
- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees



Swat Valley



Kalash girl in traditional dress

DAY 1
ISLAMABAD

The morning is free to recover from your journey. In the afternoon we offer an optional walk to the Margalla hills surrounding the capital.

Later in the afternoon, the trek leaders will give a full trip briefing. We will conclude our evening with a group dinner, this will be an opportunity for everyone to get to know each other, ask questions and enjoy a restful evening before our journey begins.

DAY 2
TRAVEL TO PESHAWAR

We drive to the 2,000 year old city of Peshawar. Visit the Bala Hisar Fort in continuous use since the 7th century. Explore the Peshawar museum with the largest collection of Gahdhara art in the world. In the evening wander through the historic Qisa Khawani Bazar (story tellers bazar), before we settle in for a meal before returning to our hotel.

DAYS 3-4
TAKHT-BHAI TO SWAT

Drive to Swat, stopping at the 1st century UNESCO world heritage site of Takht-Bhai. Visit the Swat Museum with its collection of Gandharan statuettes and treasure from the valley of Swat. We will visit the remains of 2nd century Butkara stupa, believed to contain the ashes of Buddha. Later visit Udegram village where you will have the option to hike to Raja Gira's castle, site with a history stretching from 1,000 BC to 14th century.



Saidpur Village



Chitral Valley

DAY 5
TRAVEL TO CHITRAL

We will travel by road to Chitral Valley, stopping at the Chakdara Museum with its collection of first to seventh century Gandhara Art. The drive will take us through villages and small towns and we will reach our destination in the evening, where our first stop is Kalash Valley.

DAY 6
KALASH VALLEY

Birbir, Bumborete and Rumbur valleys are locally known as Kafiristan (the land of the infidels). These valleys are home to the 3,000 year old civilization of Kalash people who are spread in about 20 villages. The Kalash practice their own religion and their cultural practices are unique from all other ethnicities. If we are here in time for a Kalash festival. The celebration is a huge party, with lots of dancing, wine and feasting. We will witness the celebrations and you have an opportunity to wear traditional Kalash attire and participate in the festivities.

DAY 7
GOL NATIONAL PARK

In the morning we travel to Chitral Gol National Park surrounded by high Hindukush mountains it is the natural habitat for Ibex, Snow Leopard, Lynx, Chakor, Ram Chakor, Pheasant and an assortment of birds and wild creatures. The rest of the day is free to relax in your hotel overlooking the Chitral Valley.

DAY 8
TAXILA AND ISLAMABAD

We take a morning flight to Islamabad. Our first stop is the UNESCO world heritage site of Taxila. The origins of Taxila as a city go back to 1500 BC and it was an important Buddhist Centre from 5th century BC to 6th Century AD. Taxila Museum is famous for its magnificent collection of Gandhara Art.

After Taxila we will head over to our hotel in Islamabad. The afternoon and evening are free to relax or join an organized shopping trip.

DAY 9
FLY OUT

Our private transport will take you to the airport.

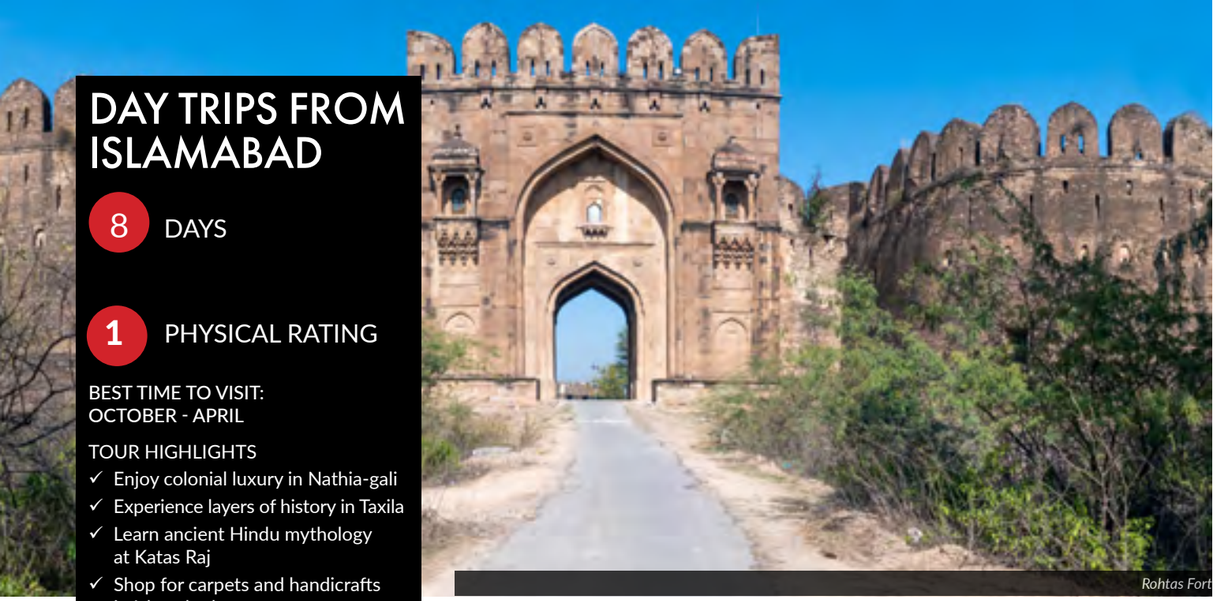


Markhor



Kalash Uchal Festival

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DAY TRIPS FROM ISLAMABAD

8 DAYS

1 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
OCTOBER - APRIL

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Enjoy colonial luxury in Nathia-gali
- ✓ Experience layers of history in Taxila
- ✓ Learn ancient Hindu mythology at Katas Raj
- ✓ Shop for carpets and handicrafts in Islamabad

Rohtas Fort

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation
- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees

DAY 1
ISLAMABAD

On arrival in Islamabad you will be met and transferred to your hotel. Depending on your time of arrival the rest of the day is yours to start soaking up the local culture. In the evening we offer an optional walk to the Margalla hills surrounding the capital. We get together as a group for dinner.

DAY 2
TAXILA

The origins of Taxila as a city go back to 1500 BC and it was a Buddhist Centre from 5th century BC to 6th Century AD. We will visit three sites representing different periods of history the visit concludes with tour of Taxila Museum famous for its magnificent collection of Gandhara Art. After Taxila we will head over to our hotel in Islamabad. The afternoon and evening are free to relax or join an organized shopping trip.

DAY 3
ROHTAS FORT

Rohtas Fort is one of the largest forts in the Sub-continent and is recognized as an exceptional example of Muslim military architecture in Central and South Asia located. This UNESCO world heritage is located 2hrs from Islamabad.

DAY 4
KATAS RAJ & SALT MINES

The Katas Raj is a complex located 155 km away from Islamabad. The location is described in detail in Mahabharata and is considered the second oldest holiest site in Hinduism, attracting flocks of pilgrims every year. Later visit Himalayan Salt mines in continued use since discovery by Alexander's army

DAY 5
TAKHT-BHAI & PANJA SAHIB

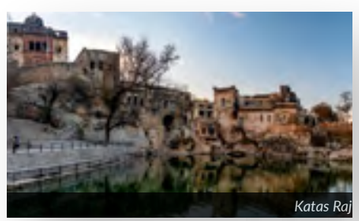
Our first stop is Takht-i-Bhai a 1st-century Buddhist monastery and an archaeological site listed among the UNESCO world heritage sites. Takht-i-Bhai is considered the most imposing remnant of Buddhism in Gandhara. We continue to Panja Sahib an important Gurdwara (Sikh temple) located 65 kilometers from Islamabad.

DAYS 6-7
NATHIAGALI

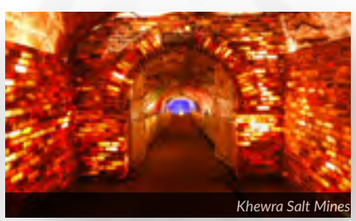
Nathia Gali is a hill station and resort town located in the Galiyat range about two hours drive from Islamabad. The lush green meadows, deep forests of oak and pine, and scenic views are what Nathiagali is famous and loved for. The colonial governors house is available for stays and makes for a perfect luxurious retreat.

DAY 8
FLY OUT

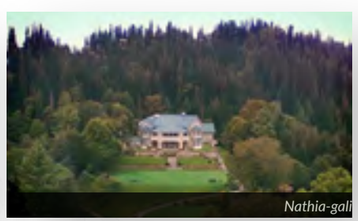
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Katas Raj



Khewra Salt Mines



Nathia-gali

ACCOMODATION OPTIONS



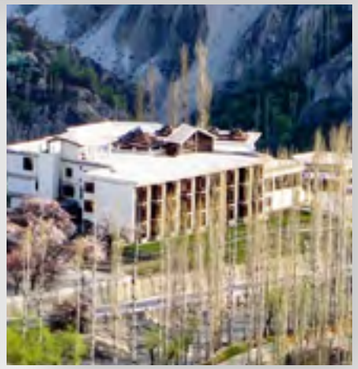
KHAPLU PALACE



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SHIGAR FORT



PC LAHORE

AUTUMN & SPRING IN HIGH PEAKS

12 DAYS

2 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
SPRING: APRIL - MAY
FALL: OCTOBER - NOVEMBER

The High Peaks region is particularly beautiful during the spring and fall. In the spring, cherry and apricot blossoms fill the valleys and brightly colored foliage lines the hills in the fall. The crisp, cool weather makes this a great time to travel.

The itinerary is subject to change as we adjust the tour to valleys with the best foliage colors.

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation

(Including hotel for first night in case of early arrival)

- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees



Cherry Blossom Spring - Altit Fort Hunza



Spantik views in Autumn

DAY 1
ISLAMABAD

The morning is free to recover from your journey. In the afternoon and we offer an optional walk to the Margalla hills surrounding the capital. We conclude our evening with a group dinner.

DAY 2
TRAVEL TO HUNZA

We take an early morning flight to Gilgit The flight is about an hour and on the way you will see the foot hills of the Himalayas,leading to Nanga Parbat. Have lunch in Gilgit and continue to Hunza Valley. On our way to Hunza we will stop for views of the great mass of Rakaposhi, the 27th highest mountain in the world.

DAY 3
KARIMABAD

Visit the 1100 years old Altit fort, the original seat of the Hunza state and the oldest monument in Gilgit-Baltistan. Next stop is the 700 year old Baltit Fort where the Mir (title of the Hunza ruler) resided until the 1950s. There is also an opportunity to hike behind the fort along an irrigation channel with views of Hunza Valley, the surrounding peaks and terraced fields with views of daily life.

DAY 4
KUNJERAB PASS

Today we head towards Khunjerab Pass, the land route to Chinese border and at 4,934m(16,187ft) the highest border crossing in the world. The scenery is beautiful with high peaks all around. Our last stop for the night is Attabad Lake, formed in 2010 after a landslide that blocked the flow of the river.

DAY 5
FAIRY MEADOWS

After a relaxed morning we start our journey to Fairy Meadows. We stop for lunch in Gilgit at Raikot bridge we take jeeps over a 17km steep and narrow dirt road to Tattu village, where the hiking trail to Fairy Meadows begins. This is a well established trail and we walk through the forest on a gentle climb for about 2-3 hours, night is in a mountain lodge with views of Nanga Parbat.

DAY 6
FAIRY MEADOWS

You have an option to relax or take an easy hike to the settlement of Beyal(4hrs round-trip) or continue the challenge to Nanga Parbat base-camp (8 hours round-trip). This is the easiest access to the base-camp of an 8,000m peak.

DAY 7
KACHURA LAKES

After a leisurely morning retrace our steps, back to Jhel where we continue the drive to Raikot bridge. We switch transports at the bridge and drive to Shigar valley. The road to our resort has beautiful views of high peaks. Kachura Lakes are two beautiful alpine lakes. We will have an optional hike to upper Kachura lake, for those interested it is possible to go boating and fish for Trout in these lakes.

DAYS 8-9
KHAPLU

In the morning we will visit the historic Kharpocho fort and continue on a beautiful drive to Khaplu. We stop at the 18th century Khaplu Khanqah and the Chaqchan Mosque and stop for lunch at beautiful restored palace where we will spend the night. Next morning hike to the 500 year old Thoksikar Fort, located at a high point with 360 views of Khaplu and Shyok river. The day is to relax and enjoy the serene setting of the Palace.

DAY 10
TRAVEL TO ISLAMABAD

We drive to Skardu and take a late morning flight to Islamabad. Our private transport will transfer us to the hotel and once we have settled in it will be time to take lunch. After lunch the rest of the day is free for independent sightseeing, shopping or to relax at the hotel.

DAY 11
ISLAMABAD

After a relaxed morning, you will have a chance to visit some of sights in Islamabad, including Faisal Mosque and the national institute of folk heritage, buy local handicrafts and we will arrange a tour of carpet shopping. After relaxing at the hotel, we will head to the Margalla hills for a celebration dinner to end an amazing experience.

DAY 12
ISLAMABAD AIRPORT

This morning transfer to Islamabad airport











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DAY HIKES IN HIGH PEAKS

10 DAYS

3 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
JUNE - SEPTEMBER

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Baltistan the land of impossible Peaks
- ✓ Treks starts from a historic Palace and ends at a Fort
- ✓ Hike through villages and shepherd settlements
- ✓ Enjoy traditional Balti cuisine


Nanga Parbat Base Camp


Yazghil Glacier

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation

(Including hotel for first night in case of early arrival)

- Upgraded mountain huts
- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees

We have curated this itinerary for those looking for an incredible mountain experience, without the complications of extreme adventure.

Challenging day hikes, amazing landscapes, luxury, and culture all combined into one amazing journey.


Hunza from Eagles Nest

DAY 1
ISLAMABAD

The morning is free to recover from your journey. Thie evening the trek leader will give a full trip briefing. We will conclude our evening with a group dinner, this will be an opportunity for everyone to get to know each other.

DAY 2
ISLAMABAD TO BATAKUNDI

We start our journey in the morning. On this scenic drive, you'll witness the landscape transition beautifully from urban sprawl to mountainous terrains, offering a visual feast of Pakistan's diverse geography.

DAY 3
NARAN TO FAIRY MEADOWS

Our journey follows a route that runs alongside the Kunhar River, showcasing the area's natural valleys and streams. We cross the Babusar Pass at 4,173m and head to Raikot bridge where we take jeeps over a 17km steep and narrow dirt road to Tattu village, where the hiking trail to Fairy Meadows begins. This is a well established trail and we walk through the forest on a steady climb for about 3 hours to reach Fairy Meadows with amazing views of Nanga Parbat.

DAY 4
NANGA PARBAT BASE CAMP

The trail to base-camp passes through pine and fir forest along a stream for about 5km. The vista finally opens up as we reach the small settlement of Beyal. From Beyal we continue on a trail with views in all directions leading to base camp at 4,000m.

We return to Fairy Meadows for stay at the lodge.

DAY 5
FAIRY MEADOWS TO HUNZA

We retrace our steps, taking an easy descending path back to Fairy Meadows and then on to Jhel where we continue the drive to Raikot bridge. We stop in Gulmet for views of Rakaposhi, have a traditional chai and then continue on to Hunza where we spend the night.

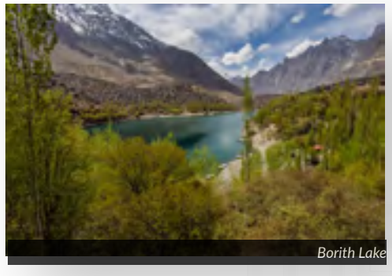

Ondra Poygah

DAY 6
EXPLORE HUNZA

Visit the 1100 years old Altit fort, the original seat of the Hunza state and the oldest monument in Gilgit-Baltistan. Our next stop is the 700 year old Baltit Fort where the Mir (title of the Hunza ruler) resided until the 1950s. For sunset visit the Eagles Nest in Duikar for view of the surrounding peaks and terraced fields.

DAY 7
BUALTAR GLACIER

In the morning, take the short journey to Hoper village. Enjoy a thrilling out-and-back hike from Hoper to the Baultar Glacier. After departing from the village of Hopar, the path quickly descends onto the glacier via a steep, zig-zag trail. This path, marked by cairns, winds across a glacier surface that is a mosaic of moraine and boulders.


Borith Lake

DAY 8
ONDRA POYGA & ATTABAD

Ondra Poygah is the name given to the ruins of an ancient fort with 360 views of Attabad Lake, Passu Cones, Shisper Peak and Gulmit Tower. The local community built 1655 stairs built with mud and stones to create a wonderful day hike that passes through villages.

DAY 9
SHIMSHAL VALLEY

We head from Hunza to Shimshal Village. On the way we stop at the iconic Passu Cones with their sharp ridges and unique formation, The road to Shimshal is narrow, fitting just one 4x4, and is surrounded by deep valleys, glaciers and striking rock formations. At times, the route is carved into steep cliffs, with massive rock overhangs.

DAY 10
YAZGHIL GLACIER

Gar-e-Sar, sitting at an elevation of 3500 meters, a name aptly translating to 'top of the rock'. From this vantage point, three hours into our hike, we are treated to a breathtaking panorama of the Yazghil Glacier, framed by the rarely-seen peaks of Yukshin Gardan Sar and Kunyang Chhish, towering at 7530 meters and 7852 meters respectively.

DAY 11
BORITH LAKE & PASSU GLACIER

Our adventure begins with a short trek that leads us to Passu Lake. As we continue our hike beside the lake and ascend onto the ridge to the south, the views become increasingly dramatic. The vast expanse of the Passu Glacier unfolds before us, with the imposing Passu Sar dominating the skyline. Our trek ends at Borith Lake.

DAY 12
GILGIT TO ISLAMABAD

Take the early morning flight to Islamabad,Our private bus will be waiting at the airport to transfer us to the hotel. After lunch visit Faisal mosque and folk heritage museum, the rest of the day is free for independent sightseeing, shopping or to relax at the hotel.

DAY 13
TAXILA AND RAWALPINDI

This morning, head to the UNESCO world heritage site of Taxila, visit a workshop for Truck Art and visit the bustling markets in Rawalpindi. This evening we will get together for a celebration dinner.

DAY 14
DEPARTURE

THE WANDER
NOT ALL WHO WANDER ARE LOST



PALACE TO FORT

10 DAYS

3 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
JUNE - SEPTEMBER

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Baltistan the land of impossible Peaks
- ✓ Treks starts from a historic Palace and ends at a Fort
- ✓ Hike through villages and shepherd settlements
- ✓ Enjoy traditional Balti cuisine

Khaplu Palace



Shigar Fort

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation

(Including hotel for first night in case of early arrival)

- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees
- 12.5kgs(27lbs) porterage of personal gear on trek

We have curated this itinerary for those looking for an incredible experience, without the complications of extreme adventure. Luxury, adventure, mountains and culture all combined into one amazing journey.

Shigar and Shyok valleys of Baltistan were home to ancient kingdoms of Khaplu and Shigar. These valleys are connected by a pass named Thalley La (4,572m).

In Khaplu we stay at the now restored Khaplu Palace, a mid 19th century Palace and one of the finest examples of Balti architecture. We cross Thalley La and walk down hill to Shigar Valley, where we stay at the restored 17th Shigar Fort heritage hotel.

DAY 1
ISLAMABAD

The morning is free to recover from your journey. In the afternoon and we offer an optional walk to the Margalla hills surrounding the capital. Later the trek leaders will give a full trip briefing. We will conclude our evening with a group dinner, this will be an opportunity for everyone to get to know each other.

DAY 2
TRAVEL TO KHAPLU PALACE

We take an early morning flight to Skardu. The flight is about an hour and incredibly scenic, on the way you will see the foot hills of the Himalayas, leading to Nanga Parbat and as we get closer to landing, K2 and Baltoro Glacier. We go to the Khaplu Palace hotel where you can relax before lunch. The rest of the day is yours to relax and get acclimated to the altitude.



Thaley Village

DAY 3
KHAPLU

This morning you have an option to hike to the 500 year old Thoksikar Fort, located at a high point with 360 views of Khaplu and Shyok river. The hike takes about forty minutes one-way and is a good way to get acclimated to the altitude. Later in the day we will visit the nearby 14th century Ch-aqchan Mosque and the majestic Khaplu Khanqah, built in the 18th century.

DAY 4
THALLEY VILLAGE & OLMO

After a relaxed morning we drive towards Thalley Valley. Our destination is Thalley village where we leave our jeeps and walk along Thalley river and through cultivated fields, towards the summer settlement of Olmo.

DAY 5
THALLEY BASECAMP

Today is a day to enjoy the panoramic views, and explore the area. We walk through rolling pastures to the shepherds settlement of Dubla Khan. We stop here for lunch, then continue to the last shepherds settlement also known as base-camp.



Churning Butter

DAY 6
HIKE TO DASERPA

We will walk a zig-zagging donkey path for about 3-4 hours to the top of Thalley pass 4,814m(15,796ft). There are views of Masherbrum range and Mango Gusor peak both above 6,000m(20,000ft). After spending sometime here we start our descent towards Shigar. We walk on a grassy ridge, past side streams and herds of dzos, sheep and goats to the summer settlement of Daserpa.

DAY 7
HIKE TO SHIGAR

The path is well maintained and the walk is easy going down hill. The path crosses the river twice and goes through shepherd settlements, until we finally get to the jeep road. The town of Shigar is another hours walk from here. The hike ends at the historic Shigar Fort hotel.

DAY 8
EXPLORE SKARDU

We start our day with visit to the 14th century Amburiq Mosque in Shigar Village, a UNESCO award-winning site. Later visit the historic Kharpocho fort in Skardu, built on the foundation of an earlier 15th century fort. According to some accounts, this location has always had a fort and during Buddhist times a monastery.
At the top, we have views of the surrounding area.

After lunch we head over to the beautiful alpine Kachura Lakes, here you can relax with some tea. For those interested, it is possible to go boating and fish for Trout or hike to upper Kachura lake.

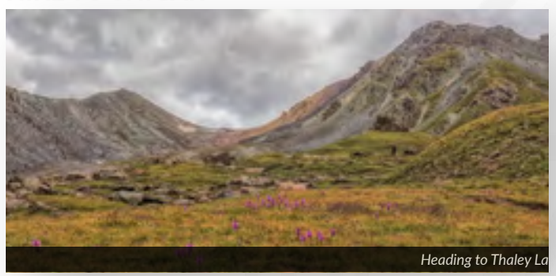
DAY 9
TRAVEL TO ISLAMABAD

We will take the early morning flight to Islamabad, if unable to fly we will drive the Silk Road back to Islamabad

Our private bus will be waiting at the airport to transfer us to the hotel and once we have settled in it will be time to take lunch. After lunch the rest of the day is free for independent sightseeing, shopping or to relax at the hotel.

DAY 10
ISLAMABAD AIRPORT

This morning transfer to Islamabad airport where your tour ends



Heading to Thaley La



Mashabrum Range from Thaley La

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PILGRIMS PATH TO KALASH VALLEY

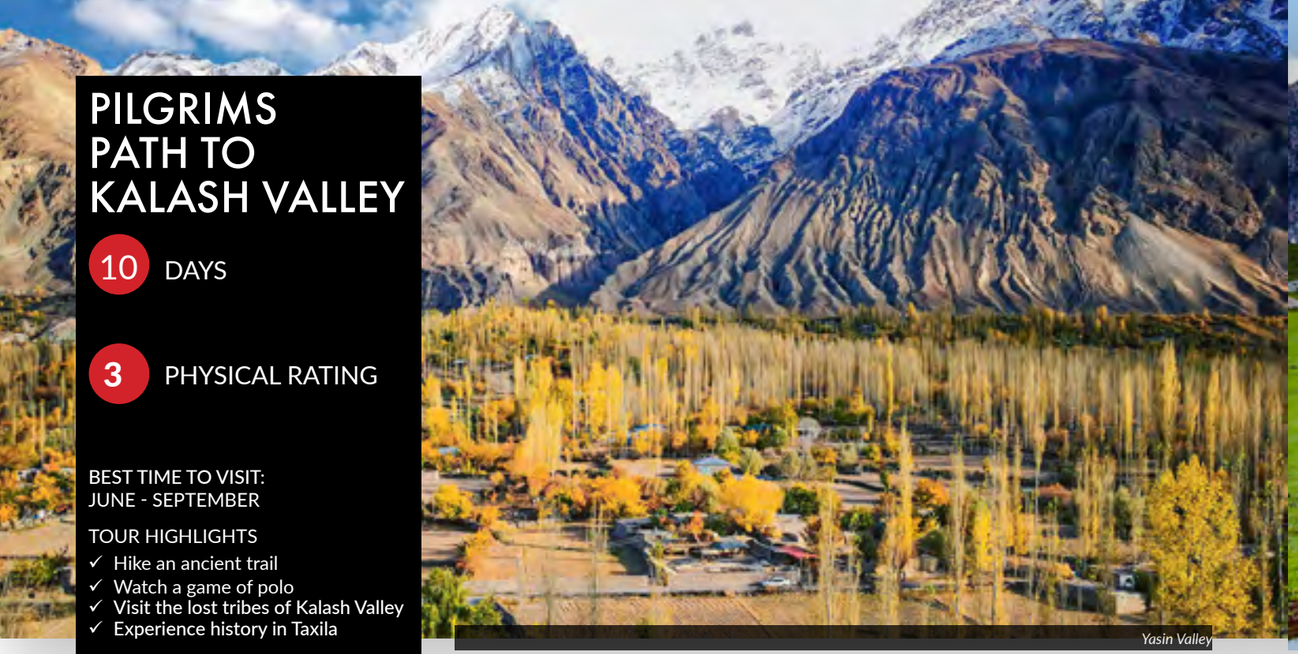
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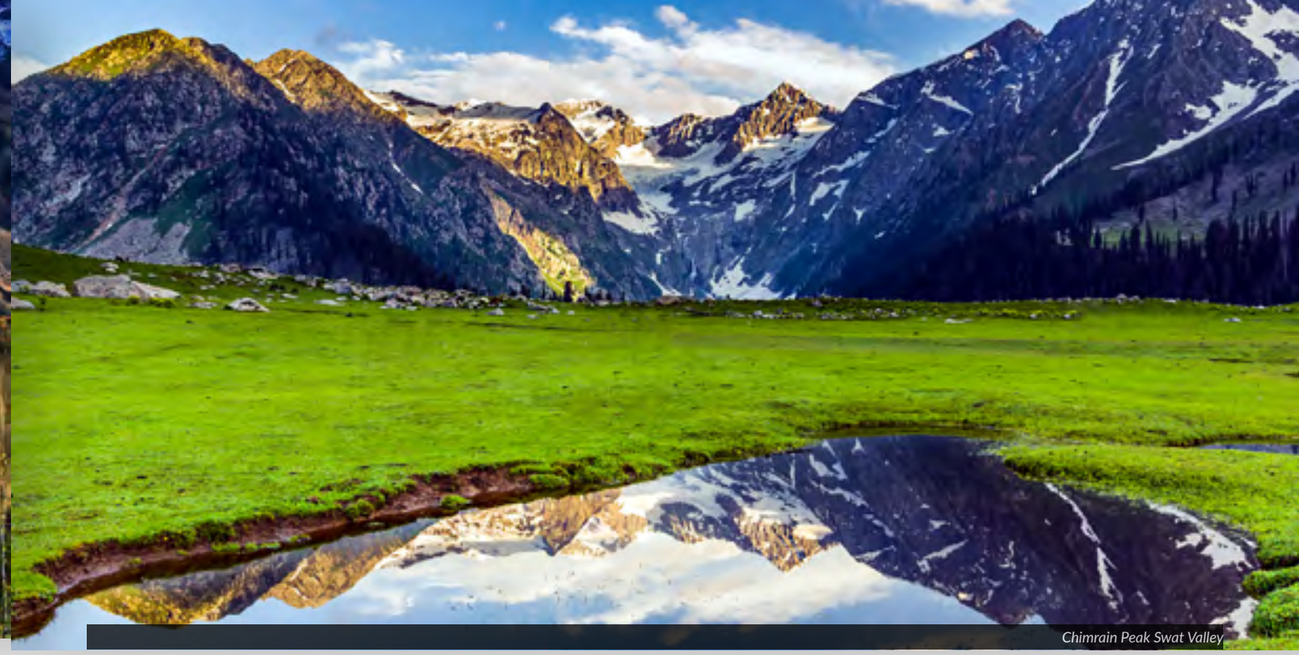
3 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
JUNE - SEPTEMBER

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Hike an ancient trail
- ✓ Watch a game of polo
- ✓ Visit the lost tribes of Kalash Valley
- ✓ Experience history in Taxila


Yasin Valley


Chimrain Peak Swat Valley

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation

(Including hotel for first night in case of early arrival)

- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees
- 12.5kgs(27lbs) porterage of personal gear on trek

This trek offers unmatched diversity of cultural experiences and connection with local cultures. The first part of this trip takes us on an ancient pilgrims path from Ghizer valley, surrounded by 6000m peaks. We cross Thui Ann pass to Chitral valley, where we take day treks to visit villages of the Kalash people who have maintained their traditions and religion over centuries.

DAY 1
ISLAMABAD

The morning is free to recover from your journey. Later in the afternoon, the trek leaders will give a full trip briefing. We will conclude our evening with a group dinner, this will be an opportunity for everyone to get to know each other.

DAY 2
TRAVEL TO YASIN VALLEY

In the morning we fly to Giligit and after breakfast we will travel to Yasin Valley. The day is yours to relax. You can stroll in the apple orchards or watch a game of Polo.

DAY 3
TREK TO RAMANACH

5-6 hours, climb about 200m

Start the hike from Nialthi village where the road ends and start hiking. Walk through fields of barley and millet, with water falls tumbling down the mountains. We stop at shepherd summer settlements and continue to our campsite.

DAY 4
TREK TO GASHUCHI

5-6 hours, climb about 1100m

Walk on Haghost bar glacier a mix of ice and scree to Gashuchi, a nice flat, sheltered camping site near a pool of water.

DAY 5
CROSS THUI PASS TO GOLESHI

5-6 hours, climb about 400m, descend about 1100m

Walk through flower fields to the head of the valley and take a donkey path to the top of Thui pass, you can see 5,000m and 6,000m peaks in both directions. We start the descent from glacier to summer pastures and stop at the shepherd settlement of Goleshi where we will spend the night.

DAY 6
TRAVEL TO MASTUJ

3-4 hours descend 700m.

It's an easy walk down Gazin river to the Yarkhun river, past villages and shepherd settlements to the village of Wasam. Our transport will be waiting for us to drive us to Mastuj village, where we spend the night within the walls of Mastuj Fort.

DAY 7
TRAVEL TO CHITRAL

This is a beautiful and scenic drive, as we start from Mastuj Valley towards Yarkund Valley and wind down towards Chitral. Driving close to the Wakhan Corridor, which borders Afghanistan and Tajikistan we will see impressive views of Trich Mir 7,708 m (25,289 ft) the highest mountain in the Hindukush range. In Chitral the day is free to relax at our heritage hotel.

DAYS 8-9
TRAVEL TO KALASH VALLEY

Birbir, Bumborete and Rumbur valleys are locally known as Kafiristan (the land of the infidels). These valleys are home to the 3,000 year old civilization of Kalash people who are spread in about 20 villages. The Kalash practice their own religion and their cultural practices are unique from all other ethnicities. We will visit Kalash villages, meet with locals who are keen to share their culture and lifestyle with visitors. Later we will move to our hotel in the Kalash Valley where we spend the night

DAY 10
TRAVEL TO SWAT

We will travel by road to Swat Valley, stopping at the Chakdara Museum with its collection of first to seventh century Gandhara Art. The drive will take us through villages and small towns and we will reach our destination in the evening.

DAY 11
TRAVEL TO ISLAMABAD

Visit the Swat Museum with its collection of Gandharan statuettes and treasure from the valley of Swat. Continue to see the remains of 2nd century Butkara stupa, believed to contain the ashes of Buddha. Later we drive to the UNESCO world heritage site of Taxila. Taxila was an important city in Bactria, we will visit archaeological sites from the Bactrian and Buddhist periods before heading to Islamabad.

DAY 12
ISLAMABAD

After a relaxed morning, you will have a chance to visit some of sights in Islamabad, including Faisal Mosque and the national institute of folk heritage. You will have an opportunity to buy local handicrafts and we will arrange a tour of carpet shopping.

After relaxing at the hotel, we will head to the Margalla hills for a celebration dinner to end an amazing experience.

DAY 13
FLY OUT

This morning transfer to Islamabad airport where your tour ends.


Yasin Village


Polo in Yasin Village


Nialthi Village


Rumbur Village Kalash Valley


Hindukush Heights Chitral

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HIMALAYAS AND THE KARAKORAM

12 DAYS

4 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
JUNE - SEPTEMBER

An introduction to the culture and high peaks of Pakistan, this trek brings together two of the world's highest mountain ranges, the Himalayas and the Karakoram in two accessible base-camp treks.



Nanga Parbat from Fairy Meadows

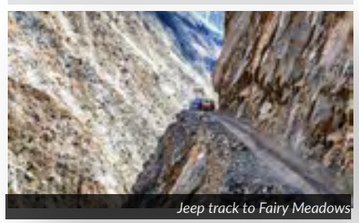
PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation

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- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees
- 12.5kgs(27lbs) porterage of personal gear on trek

Nanga Parbat is the western most high peak of the Himalayan range. Nanga Parbat, the 9th highest in the world, is a colossal and magnificent mountain. In mountaineering circles it is known as King of the mountains for its size and magnificent profile. The Karakoram Range, in contrast, has the greatest concentration of high peaks along with the longest glaciers outside the polar regions. Amongst these is Rakaposhi, the 27th highest peak in the world. Rakaposhi is well recognized for its beauty than its rank might suggest.



Jeep track to Fairy Meadows

DAY 1
ISLAMABAD

The morning is free to recover from your journey. In the afternoon and we offer an optional walk to the Margalla hills surrounding the capital. Later the trek leaders will give a full trip briefing. We conclude our evening with a group dinner.

DAY 2
TRAVEL TO FAIRY MEADOWS

Take an early morning flight to Gilgit, on the way you will see the foot hills of the Himalayas, leading to Nanga Parbat. We continue to Fairy Meadows. At Raikot bridge we take jeeps over a 17km steep and narrow dirt road to Tattu village, where the hiking trail to Fairy Meadows begins. This is a well established trail and we walk through the forest on a gentle climb for about 2-3 hours. Spend the night at a mountain lodge.

DAY 3
NANGA PARBAT BASECAMP

The trail to base-camp passes through pine and fir forest along a stream for about 5km. The vista finally opens up as we reach the small settlement of Beyal. From Beyal we continue on a trail with views in all directions. The trail leads up to the moraine where a ruble covered track leads us to Nanga Parbat base-camp. The incredible peaks of Nanga Parbat form a sweeping panorama.

DAY 4
HIKE TO FAIRY MEADOWS

In the morning there is an option to trek to camp1 and return. The trek to camp1 is on a steep trail above the great moraine and takes about two hours, all along the trek the views are spectacular. Those who decide to stay will enjoy a leisurely morning enjoying the panoramic views, and can explore the area. Later we retrace our steps, taking an easy descending path back to Fairy Meadows where we will spend the night.



Nanga Parbat from Beyal Camp



Rakaposhi Base-camp

DAY 5
TRAVEL TO NAGAR

We retrace our steps, taking an easy descending path back to Fairy Meadows and then on to Jhel where we continue the drive to Raikot bridge. We stop in Gulmet for views of our next trek Rakaposhi, have a traditional chai and then continue on to Nagar where we spend the night.

DAY 6
RAKAPOSHI BASECAMP

This is a long day of hiking. We start early taking our transport to a bridge on the snout of Minapin glacier. The trail is very steep, initially rising 183m on switch backs and then easing but continuing the ascent until we reach the summer settlement of Hapakun, where we will rest for a couple hours and have lunch. Continue through forests and pastures until we get to the moraine which has been hidden from the view until this moment. You are rewarded with a panoramic view of the ridge connecting Diran and Rakaposhi peaks. We spend the night in camps.



Altit Fort

DAY 7
RETURN TO HUNZA

We retrace our steps stopping at Rakaposhi view point along the way. The path is an easy descent, we stop for lunch and then continue on to Minapin where we will take the transport to Hunza.

DAY 8
EXPLORE HUNZA

Visit the 1100 years old Altit fort, the original seat of the Hunza state and the oldest monument in Gilgit-Baltistan. Our next stop is the 700 year old Baltit Fort where the Mir (title of the Hunza ruler) resided until the 1950s. There is an opportunity to hike behind the fort along an irrigation channel with views of Hunza Valley, the surrounding peaks and terraced fields with views of daily life

DAY 8
PASSU CONES AND ATTABAD LAKE

We head to "Passu Cones" also known as Cathedral Ridge, a series of pointed 6,000 m peaks located next to the Karakoram Highway. Enjoy some gentle trekking on the Batura Glacier after which we will hike across a suspension bridge to Borit Lake.

Later we take a short boat ride across Attabad lake to our lake side hotel where we spend the night.

DAY 10
TRAVEL TO GILGIT

We enjoy a relaxed morning at the lake; in the afternoon drive towards Gilgit. Visit the famous Kargah Buddha, a 7th century carving of a large standing Buddha. The day is free to relax.

DAY 11
TRAVEL TO ISLAMABAD

Take the early morning flight to Islamabad, Our private bus will be waiting at the airport to transfer us to the hotel. After lunch the rest of the day is free for independent sightseeing, shopping or to relax at the hotel.

DAY 12
ISLAMABAD

This is an additional day for sightseeing and our trip leader will arrange a group tour to see some of the local sights. We will have a group dinner with some entertainment.

This is an important contingency day; in-case of flight cancellation we will be arriving in Islamabad this afternoon so you should not be planning to fly out on this day.

DAY 13
ISLAMABAD AIRPORT

This morning transfer to Islamabad airport for your flight home.



Passu Cones from Lake Attabad

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RUSH LAKE TREK

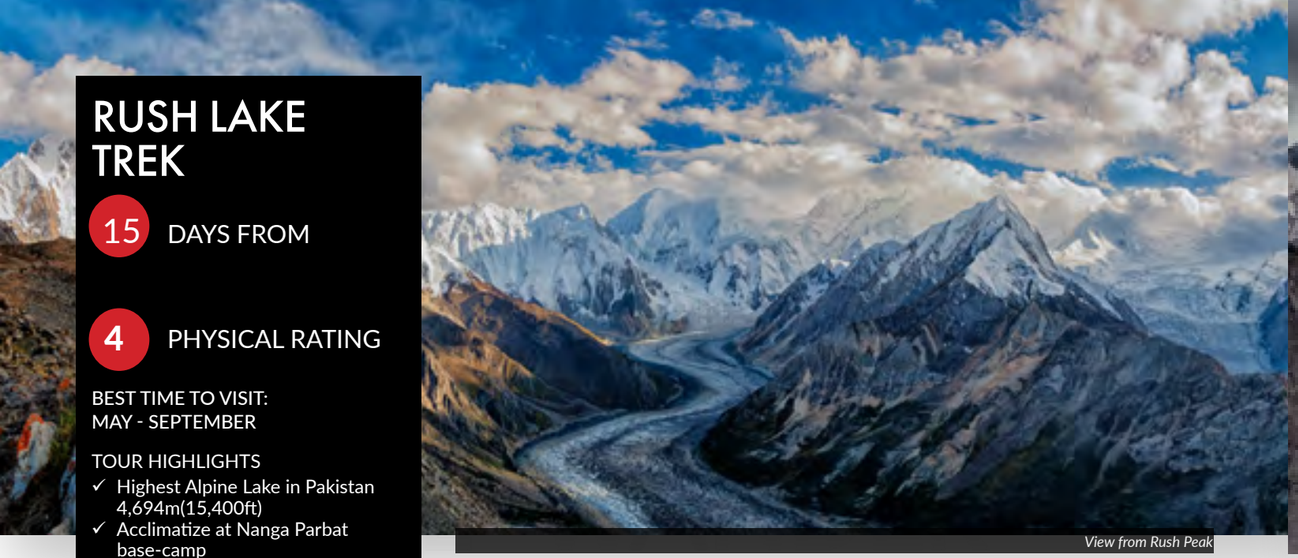
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4 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
MAY - SEPTEMBER

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Highest Alpine Lake in Pakistan 4,694m(15,400ft)
- ✓ Acclimatize at Nanga Parbat base-camp
- ✓ Experience villages in Hopper Valley
- ✓ Spend a night on the lake in Attabad


View from Rush Peak

PRICE INCLUDES

(Including hotel for first night in case of early arrival)

- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees
- 12.5kgs(27lbs) porterage of personal gear on trek


Attabad Lake

DAY 1
ISLAMABAD

The morning is free to recover from your journey. Later in the afternoon, the trek leaders will give a full trip briefing. We will conclude our evening with a group dinner, this will be an opportunity for everyone to get to know each other.

DAY 2
TRAVEL TO FAIRY MEADOWS

We take an early morning flight to Gilgit We will have lunch in Gilgit and continue to Fairy Meadows. At Raikot bridge we take Jeeps over a 17km steep and narrow dirt road to Tattu village, where the hiking trail to Fairy Meadows begins. This is a well established trail and we walk through the forest on a gentle climb for about 2-3 hours. Night stay is at a mountain lodge.

DAY 3
NANGA PARBAT BASECAMP

The trail to base-camp passes through pine
and fir forest along a stream, for about 5km. The vista finally opens up as we reach the small settlement of Beyal, there are great views of the Indus Valley and Rakaposhi. The trail leads up to the moraine where a ruble covered track leads us to Nanga Parbat base-camp. The incredible peaks of Nanga Parbat form a sweeping panorama. After dinner we have time to enjoy the mountain, we turn off all lights to watch the unbelievable star filled sky.

DAY 4
TRAVEL TO HOPPER

We retrace our steps, taking an easy descending path back to Fairy Meadows and then on to Jhel where we continue the drive to Raikot bridge. We stop in Gulmet for views of Rakaposhi, have a traditional chai and then continue on to Hunza where we spend the night.

DAY 5
HIKE TO BARICHO KOR

The first day of the trek is over the two glaciers- Hoper (Bualtar glacier) and Barpu glacier. We leave early to avoid the heat. Walking is tiring due to unstable terrain caused by rubble covering the glaciers.

DAY 6
HIKE TO CHINDIN HARAI

We start early to avoid the sun during a steep climb towards Chindin Harai. The trail rises steadily, north of the scree gully descending from the ridge. We climb 2½ to four hours to the ridge top (4020m). It takes another one to1½ hours to Chidin Harai. 4440m). There is a goat pen, a few herders' huts and grassy areas for camping.

DAY 7
HIKE TO RUSH LAKE

After a leisurely breakfast we head towards the top of the slope and hike towards Rush Lake. Rush is the highest alpine lakes in Pakistan. Here you enjoy views of the Miar Glacier, Spantik, Diran and Phuparash. Two unclimbed 6000m to 6200m peaks to the south are visible behind the rocky Rush Peak.

DAY 8
RUSH PEAK

Nowhere else in the Karakoram can you get such magnificent mountain views on such a short trek, sweeping from the nearby 7500m peaks of the Hispar Muztagh to the 8000m giants of the Baltoro Muztagh. On a clear day you can see K2, Broad Peak and Gasherbrum IV.


Rush Lake

DAY 9
HIKE TO DATUCHUGAN

The descent is very steep and relentless, we take our time enjoying the views of Sumayar Bar and Miar glaciers, and the Malubiting and Phuparash peaks. Finally we reach Datuchugan a beautiful grass meadow with juniper trees, where we have time to relax and enjoy our dinner.

DAY 10
HIKE TO HAPAKUN

We continue up the forested ablation valley with flower- filled meadows, cross the Miar glacier with magnificent views of Miar Peak and follow a narrow path that leads us to the summer settlement of Hamdar. Another hour takes us to Hapakun with views of Golden, Chukutans, Rash peaks. We camp here alongside the shepherds.

DAY 11
HIKE TO HOPPER

Cross the white Bualtar glacier today, walking is tiring due to rubble covering the glacier and hiking can take longer as glacier crossings shift and we have to find the right place to cross. Once across we continue to hike uphill until we reach Hopper. Our transport will be waiting for us to take us to our hotel in Hunza.

DAY 12
EXPLORE HUNZA

Visit the 1100 years old Altit fort, the original seat of the Hunza state and the oldest monument in Gilgit-Baltistan. Our next stop is the 700 year old Baltit Fort where the Mir (title of the Hunza ruler) resided until the 1950s. There is also an opportunity to hike behind the fort along an irrigation channel with views of Hunza Valley, the surrounding peaks and terraced fields with views of daily life.

DAY 13
KHUNJERAB PASS

Head to towards Khunjerab Pass, the land route to Chinese border and at 4,934m (16,187ft) the highest border crossing in the world. The scenery is beautiful with high peaks all around. Our last stop for the night is Attabad Lake. We will take a boat ride to our hotel where we spend the night.

DAY 14
TRAVEL TO ISLAMABAD

We drive to Gilgit to take the morning flight to Islamabad. Our private transport will transfer us to the hotel, the rest of the day is free for independent sightseeing, shopping or just to relax at the hotel. This evening we come together again for a celebratory meal at a local restaurant.

DAY 15
ISLAMABAD AIRPORT

This morning transfer to Islamabad airport where your tour ends


Spantik from Hamdar Village


Hunza Valley

NOT ALL WHO WANDER ARE LOST



Pamir Shimshal

SHIMSHAL PASS AND MINGLIG PEAK

16 DAYS

5 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
JUNE - SEPTEMBER

Remote villages, challenging trails, breathtaking landscapes, and a taste of the traditional culture of Pakistan's Hunza region.

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation

(Including hotel for first night in case of early arrival)

- All Meals
- Full service camping
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees
- 12.5kgs(27lbs) porterage of personal gear on trek

Shimshal is an isolated villages in the greater Hunza Valley. For generations the villagers from Shimshal herd domestic animals, notably, yaks to the high altitude pastures of the Pamir plateau. We traverse rugged terrain to reach the Pamir meadows and the summer settlement of Shuwerth at 4735m. Minglig Sar at 6050m is one the easiest peaks for its height in the Karakoram range, the summit offers panoramic vistas of adjacent glaciers and towering peaks.



Yak crossing at foot bridge

DAY 1
ISLAMABAD

The morning is free to recover from your journey. In the afternoon and we offer an optional walk to the Margalla hills surrounding the capital. Later the trek leaders will give a full trip briefing. We conclude our evening with a group dinner.

DAY 2
TRAVEL TO HUNZA VALLEY

Take an early morning flight to Gilgit, on the way you will see the foot hills of the Himalayas, leading to Nanga Parbat and then Gilgit. We continue to Hunza Valley.

This afternoon visit the 1100 year old Altit Fort. Watch sunset at Eagles Nest surrounded by high peaks and panoramic views of the emerald-green terraced fields, quaint villages, and the meandering Hunza River

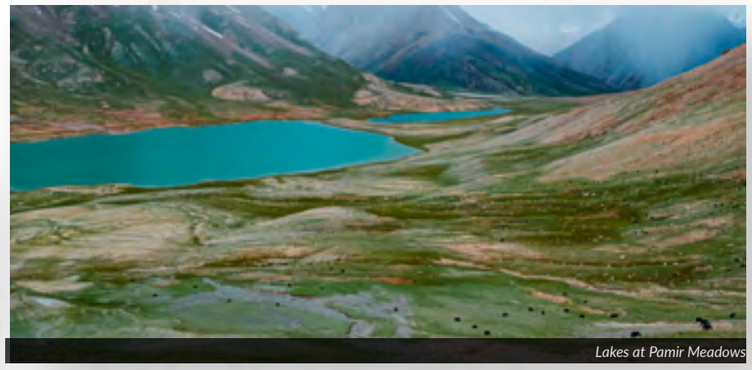
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HUNZA TO SHIMSHAL

We head from Hunza to Shimshal Village. On the way we stop at the iconic Passu Cones with their sharp ridges and unique formation,

The road to Shimshal is narrow, fitting just one 4x4, and is surrounded by deep valleys, glaciers and striking rock formations. At times, the route is carved into steep cliffs, with massive rock overhangs.

DAY 4
SHIMSHAL TO GARESAR

Starting from Shimshal village 3000m, we trek 5.5km (3-4 hours) alongside the Shimshal River. We will cross the Pamire-Tang River via a suspension bridge and ascend the ridge between the rivers for 2km. As you progress, walk through landscapes of Artemisia steppes and igneous rock, leading to a basin. At Gare-Sar, meaning 'top of the rock'. enjoy the views of the Yazghil Glacier and highpeaks including peaks of Hispar Muztagh.



Lakes at Pamir Meadows



Views from Minglig Sar Peak

DAY 5
GARESAR TO WUCH FURZEEN

From Gar-e-Sar, continue along level galleries, passing eroded cliffs on the opposite side of the canyon, then continue up river on an exposed trail. The route will test your endurance with steady climbs and traverses at a higher elevation, before rewarding you with stunning views as you descend through a scree-filled gully to Wuch Furzeen translated as as the 'upper birch grove.

DAY 6
WUCH FURZEEN TO ARBAB PURIAN

We start by descending to the river, then after crossing a couple of foot bridges we start a challenging ascent of 320m that takes up the Canyon eventually reaching the level plain known as Purien-e-Sar for lunch.The hard part over, we continue on the trail to the beautiful valley of Arbab Purian.



Shimshal Valley

DAY 7
ARBAB PURIAN TO SHUIZHERAV

We start the day by day descending towards the river, following a scenic trail beside it, leading to the meeting point of Gunj-e-Dur and Shuizherav rivers. In Wakhi, "gunj" means 'distant treasure,' and "dur" is 'sheep valley'. We cross a wooden bridge and continue along the Shuizherav River to the large settlement of Shuizherav, named after its rocky terrain and glacial river. The settlement offers a captivating view with huts amidst mountains.

DAY 8
SHUIZHERAV TO SHIMSHAL PASS

A short hike brings us to Abdullah Khan Maidan. A unique tradition exists here: visitors must be joyful, often entering while singing.As you wander through the flowery fields, you'll encounter herds of yaks and sheep roaming freely in the area. Nearby, two significant lakes mark the boundary between South and Central Asia. You'll soon approach Shimshal Pass at 4735m and the lively summer settlement of Shuwerth. The atmosphere is lively with women tending to the daily tasks including milking and herding.

DAY 9
MINGLIG SAR HIGH CAMP

Mingalig Sar, towering at 6050m above Shimshal Pass, is among the more accessible peaks in the Karakoram given its altitude. We start today from Shimshal Meadows, a 3-4 hour hike over rocky landscapes, will bring us to the high camp where we rest for our summit attempt in the morning.

DAY 10
MINGLIG SAR SUMMIT

We will head to summit in the early hours, giving us sufficient time to reach the summit at sunrise. On a clear day you'll be surrounded by an expansive panoramic vista of the majestic Karakoram peaks and glaciers. Towering high in every direction you turn, these peaks dominate the landscape, makingthe summit a truly rewarding experience.

DAY 11-13
TREK BACK TO SHIMSHAL

After a day of rest at Shimshal Meadows, we trace our steps back for our hike back to Shimshal Village.

DAY 14
SHMISHAL TO HUNZA

We drive back to HUNZA and get some rest before our flight back to Islamabad.

DAY 15
REST DAY IN HUNZA

A day to relax in Hunza and a contingency day for trekking.

DAY 16
HUNZA TO ISLAMABAD

This morning we drive to Gilgit for a flight back to Islamabad. This afternoon, head to the UNESCO world heritage site of Taxila before retiring to the hotel. This evening we will get together for a celebration dinner.

DAY 17
ISLAMABAD AIRPORT

This morning transfer to Islamabad airport for your flight home.


K2

THRONE ROOM OF THE MOUNTAIN GODS

21 DAYS

5 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
JUNE - SEPTEMBER

Aptly described as 'the Throne Room of the Mountain Gods', Concordia, the innermost sanctum of the Karakoram has possibly the most spectacular mountain scenery anywhere in the world.

The tour goes to K2 base-camp after which we cross Gondogoro pass to Hushe Valley.

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation

(Including hotel for first night in case of early arrival)

- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees
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ISLAMABAD

The morning is free to recover from your journey. In the afternoon and we offer an optional walk to the Margalla hills surrounding the capital. Later in the afternoon, the trek leaders will give a full trip briefing. We will conclude our evening with a group dinner.

DAY 2
DEOSAI

Take an early morning flight to Skardu, after breakfast head to Deosai Plains, stopping at the beautiful turquoise blue Satpara Lake on the way. We will camp on Sheosar lake and take day hikes in the area.

Deosai National Park is the second highest plateau in the world and perfect for acclimatization before your trek.

DAYS 3-4
SHIGAR

After a relaxed morning and some hiking we drive back towards Skardu getting back to our hotel in the evening. Skardu is the launching point for most expeditions so it is possible to get any additional items that you may need for the days ahead. This time is for you to relax and prepare for the trek ahead.

DAY 5
TRAVEL TO JHOLA

We leave Skardu by jeep for the 7-hour drive to Jhola, passing through the beautiful Shigar Valley. We continue to the confluence of the Braldu and Dumordo Rivers and follow the banks of Braldu river to our camp at Jhola.

DAY 6
HIKE TO PAIJU


Deosai Plains


Shigar Fort


Khuburtse Campsite


Masherbrum

3400m (11500ft)

Our route follows the Braldu River, the trail alternates between riverbed and the terraces above. At our high point we have views ahead to the snout of the Baltoro Glacier and the granite peaks of the Trango Towers and Cathedral Peaks.

DAY 7
HIKE TO KHUBURTSE 3800m (12468ft)

As we progress, the scenery becomes rugged, wild and even more spectacular. Stunning views gradually emerge of granite peaks on the north side of the glacier. It takes a few hours to cross the glacier. From here we follow a rocky trail along the edge of Baltoro to Khuburtse where we have sensational views of the Grand Cathedral, the Trango Towers and the striking Uli Biaho tower and peak.

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HIKE TO URDUKUS 3905m (12811ft)

We will mostly be walking across the crest of the lateral moraine and will cross a small river along the way. It takes 4-6 hours to reach the camp site. Urdukus is a beautiful camp site near an army supply camp. The views of Paiyu, Trango towers, Cathedaral and Uli Biaho are stunning.

DAY 9
HIKE TO GORO I 4223m(13855ft)

We continue eastwards beside the Baltoro Glacier, we cross two small side glaciers, and eventually we can see the Trango Towers and the isolated pillar of the Nameless Tower, as we reach Urdukas (3900m) for lunch. Another 2-3 hours of walking brings us to our campsite at Goro I. The campsite is opposite the Yermanendu glacier which flows down from Masherbrum pass. Here we will spend our first night on the glacier.

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HIKE TO CONCORDIA 4550m(14927ft)

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Gasherbrum IV heading to Concordia


Chogolisa

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K2 and Broad Peak from Concordia



Views of Nanga Parbat on flight to Islamabad

Baltoro, Broad Peak (8051m) comes into view above the ridge connecting Marble Peak and Crystal Peak on our left. K2 keeps itself hidden until the very moment we reach Concordia when suddenly its full height is revealed in sweeping lines that climb almost 4000 meters from the valley floor to the summit. We make our camp at on a moraine ridge surrounded on all side by jagged peaks,

DAY 11
CONCORDIA

Concordia, the joining of five glaciers is an immense sea of ice covered in stone. The views here are stunning, K2, Broad Peak, Gasherbrum, Mitre Peak, Chogolisa and Sia Kangri are all prominent, along with dozens of smaller peaks. In preparation for Gondogoro-la crossing, we will organize a skills session on the simple techniques of roped travel and moving on fixed lines.

DAY 12
K2 BASECAMP
5135m (16847ft)

The first few kilometers after leaving Concordia are covered with crevasses and melt water rivers, after which reach easy terrain and follow the medial moraine of the Godwin Austen Glacier. It will take us approximately 3 hours to reach Broad Peak base camp. Here we have an excellent view of K2 in one direction and in the other you look back at Concordia framed with Mitre Peak and the bulk of Chogolisa, also known as Bride Peak. After lunch we will continue to K2 base-camp. It will take another 2-3 hours to reach the Gilkey memorial. We will have dinner and camp here for the night.

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Today we take a mostly downhill walk back to Concordia and rest in preparation for the Gondogoro-la crossing. The trip leader will give a briefing about what to expect on the crossing and we will revisit our skills.

DAY 14
HIKE TO ALI CAMP
4930m (16174ft)

From Concordia we trek along upper Baltoro towards Chogolisa at the head of the valley, eventually reach the confluence of this glacier with the West Vigne Glacier which sweeps down from the base of the Gondogoro La. Here on the moraine beside the junction we make our home for the night at the place known locally as 'Ali Camp' (4800m).

DAY 15
GONDOGORO-LA
5585m (18,323ft)

To avoid risk of rock falls on the decent on the Hushe side, we start very early (around 1am). After an early breakfast, we will wear crampons and harnesses and set off roped together onto the West Vigne Glacier towards the foot of the Gondogoro-la pass. After 3-4 hours of steep and strenuous ascent (assisted by fixed ropes) we gain the top to be rewarded with stunning views of K2, Broad Peak and the Gasherbrums. The descent is much steeper than our ascent route and here we will use fixed lines for the majority of the way down. We descend 3-4 hrs to Khuspang camp (4600m). Khuspang is named for the turquoise (xhu) flowers which blanket this grassy place in summer.

DAY 16
HIKE TO SAICHO
3400m (11,155ft)

After a couple of minutes of easy walking we get onto the glacier where we pick our way across the moraine and ice, finally crossing the glacier. There is a spectacular view of Masherbrum and the glacier cascading down from Masherbrum Pass. At this point we have reached the more benign altitude where things grow and instead of rock and ice we have grass. It is a beautiful walk to Shaicho as we pass yak pastures and see the first trees since Paiju. Saicho is a picturesque campsite nestled amongst tamarisks, wild roses and junipers set beside the river. There are views up to the Charakusa Valley towards K7 (6934m).

DAY 17
TRAVEL TO KHAPLU
3050m (10,006ft)

Today is our final day of trekking; 3-4 hours of easy descent bring us to the village of Hushe. Nestled in the Hushe Valley the village is the gateway for many expeditions traveling to Masherbrum, K7 and the Charakusa and Nangma valleys. At Hushe our transport is waiting for us, we will drive about three hours to Khaplu where we spend the night.

DAY 18
KHAPLU

This is a day to rest and recover from the long trek.

Note: In case we have to wait for the crossing on Gondogoro-la, day 16 and 17 can be used as contingency days.

DAY 19
TRAVEL TO ISLAMABAD

We will take the early morning flight to Islamabad, if unable to fly we will drive the Silk Road back to Islamabad Our private bus will be waiting at the airport to transfer us to the hotel. The rest of the day is free for independent sightseeing, shopping or to relax at the hotel. This evening we come together again for a celebratory meal at a local restaurant.

DAY 20
ISLAMABAD

After a relaxed morning, visit some of the sights in Islamabad including Faisal Mosque and the national institute of folk heritage. Shop for local handicrafts have fun shopping for hand made carpets.

DAY 21
FLY OUT

Transfer to Islamabad Airport is provided.



Heading to Ali Camp



Khuspang and Laila Peak



Hushe Valley



Khaplu Palace

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K2 BASECAMP TREK

19 DAYS

5 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
JUNE - SEPTEMBER

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Add a check to your bucket-list
- ✓ Spend a night at K2 Base-camp
- ✓ Be amazed by High Peaks in Concordia
- ✓ Eat your way through diverse Pakistani cuisine


K2

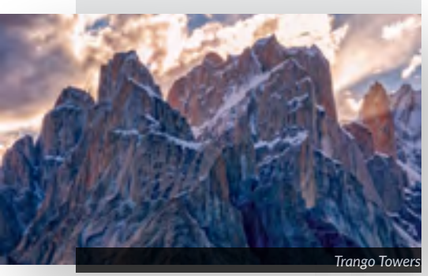

Karakoram High Peaks (K2, Broad Peak and Gashabrum II are visible)

PRICE INCLUDES

- Best available accommodation *(Including hotel for first night in case of early arrival)*
- All Meals
- Domestic Transportation
- Touring with dedicated Guide including entrance fees
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Designed for those who want to experience K2 base-camp and the Epic mountain scape of Concordia without the challenge of Gondogoro-La.

The trip goes to K2 base-camp and returns back to our starting campsite of Jhola from where we return to Shigar.


Trango Towers

DAY 1
ISLAMABAD

The morning is free to recover from your journey. In the afternoon and we offer an optional walk to the Margalla hills surrounding the capital. Later in the afternoon, the trek leaders will give a full trip briefing. We conclude our evening with a group dinner, this will be an opportunity for everyone to get to know each other.

DAY 2
DEOSAI

We take an early morning flight to Skardu, and after breakfast head to Deosai Plains, stopping at the beautiful turquoise blue Satpara Lake on the way. We will camp on the lake and take day hikes in the area.

DAY 3-4
SHIGAR

After a relaxed morning we will drive back towards Skardu getting back to our hotel in the evening. Skardu is the launching point for most expeditions so it is possible to get any additional items that you may need for the days ahead.

DAY 5
TRAVEL TO JHOLA

We leave Skardu by jeep for the 7-hour drive to Jhola, passing through the beautiful Shigar Valley. Given reasonable road conditions, we continue to the confluence of the Braldu and Dumordo Rivers and follow the banks of Braldu river to our camp at Jhola.

DAY 6
HIKE TO PAIJU 3400m (11500ft)

Our route follows the Braldu River, the trail alternates between riverbed and the terraces above, as we get to higher ground we will find excellent views of the impressive Paiju Peak. At our high point we have views ahead to the snout of the Baltoro Glacier and the granite peaks of the Trango Towers and Cathedral Peaks.

DAY 7
HIKE TO KHUBURTSE 3800m (12468ft).

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DAY 9
HIKE TO CONCORDIA 4550m(14927ft)

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DAYS 13 - 16
HIKE TO PAIJU

We retrace our steps back to Paiju Campsite

DAY 17 -
TRAVEL TO SHIGAR

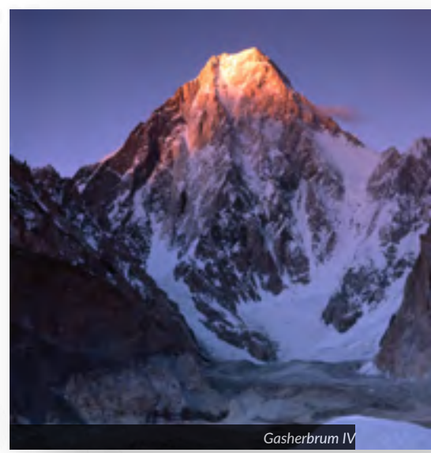
Start the day with a hike to the campsite of Jhola where our transport will be waiting to take us back to Shigar.

DAYS 18 - 19
ISLAMABAD

Take the early morning flight to Islamabad. Days are flexible with sightseeing in and around Islamabad.
Day 19 is an important contingency day; incase of flight cancellation we will be arriving in Islamabad this afternoon so you should not be planning to fly out on this day.

DAY 20 FLY OUT

Transfer to Islamabad Airport is provided.


Gasherbrum IV

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THE BIG 5

20 DAYS

5 PHYSICAL RATING

BEST TIME TO VISIT:
JUNE - AUGUST

5 base camps of 8,000m Peaks. The experience of this trip is hard to describe in words; a physical challenge and a spiritual nature retreat, this is a trip of a life time. Faithful to the quest, we visit and spend nights at the base camps of Nanga Parbat, K2, Broad Peak and Gasherbrum I & II.



Sunset at Concordia views of Gasherbrum IV, Broad Peak and K2

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ISLAMABAD

In the afternoon and we offer an optional walk to the Margalla hills surrounding the capital. Later in the afternoon, the trek leaders will give a full trip briefing.

DAY 2
RUPAL

Early morning flight to Gilgit, after which we continue towards Astore and reach Rupal Valley. We drive to Rama meadows and take a short 2-hour hike to the alpine Rama Lake with lovely views of landscape, mountains, streams, mini-glaciers, and pools on the way.

DAY 3
NANGA PARBAT BASE CAMP 3550m (11646ft)

The trail follows the valley's north side to Herrligkoffer Base Camp (3550m), a beautiful, meadow along the Bazhin Glacier's east margin. We can camp here or, if we feel fit, we have the option to cross the Bazhin Glacier over a trail in 1½ hours to reach Latobah (3530m), broad level meadows frequented by Rupal herders. The incredible peaks of Nanga Parbat form a sweeping panorama.

DAYS 4
DEOSAI

Hike back to Rupal from where we will take our jeeps and head to Deosai National Park. Stop at the beautiful turquoise blue Sheosar Lake and spend the night.

DAYS 5-6
SHIGAR

Enjoy hiking in the morning, later drive towards Skardu getting back to our hotel at Shigar in the evening. This time is for you to relax and prepare for the trek ahead.

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TRAVEL TO JHOLA

Leave by jeep for the 7-hour drive to Jhola, passing through the beautiful Shigar Valley. We continue to the confluence of the Braldu and Dumordo Rivers and follow the banks of Braldu river to our camp at Jhola.

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DAY 11
HIKE TO GORO I 4223m(13855ft)

The path here is unpredictable and changes every year as the glacier shifts. We will walk 3-4 hours to our campsite at Goro I. The campsite is opposite the Yermanendu glacier which flows down from Masherbrum pass. We spend our first night on the glacier.

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Nanga Parbat Base camp



Broad Peak Base Camp



Gilkey Memorial near K2 Base camp



Gasherbrum I & II Base camp

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Baltoro from the air Gasherbrum IV on the left wth GI, GII and GIII behind

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K2 BASE CAMP 5135m (16847ft)

It takes about 3 hours to reach Broad Peak base camp. We have an excellent view of K2 in one direction and in the other you look back at Concordia framed with Mitre Peak and the bulk of Chogolisa. It will take another 2-3 hours to reach the Gilkey memorial. We camp here for the night.

DAY 15
BROAD PEAK BASE CAMP 5000m(16404ft)

Take a short 2–3-hour hike to Broad Peak base camp. The rest of the day is free to rest and relax before we start trek towards G1 and G2.

DAY 16
HIKE TO SHAGHRIN 4890m (16043ft)

Trek 5-6 hours along upper Baltoro towards Gasherbrum VI, eventually reaching the confluence of this glacier with the Abruzzi Glacier which goes down towards south Gasherbrum glacier. Here at the base of Gasherbrum VI, we camp for the night at 'Shaghrin' (4890m).

DAY 17
GASHERBRUM I & II BASE CAMP 4890m (16043ft)

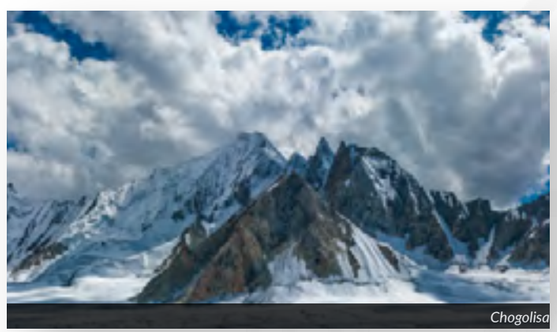
Walk about 2-3 hours along the Abruzzi glacier to south Gasherbrum glacier, here Gasherbrum I & II base camps are located near the confluence of the two glaciers (5100m). The rest of the day is free to explore the area.

DAY 18
CHOGOLISA BASE CAMP 4572m (15000ft)

Trek 6-7 hours along Abruzzi glacier towards upper Baltoro and cross the upper Baltoro glacier to Vigne Glacier heading towards the base of Chogolisa. This is not a typical camp site, but this trek considerably reduces the distance to Ali camp, we will find a space suitable for the camp site for the night.

DAY 19
HIKE TO ALI CAMP 4930m (16174ft)

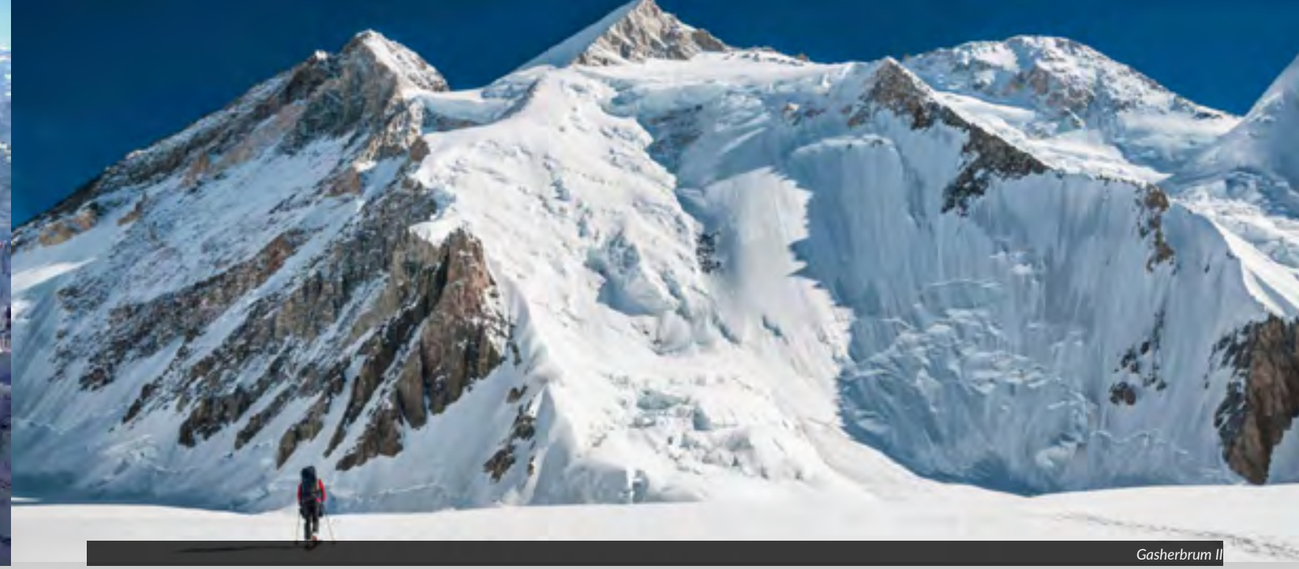
From Chogolisa we trek 2-3 on Vigne Glacier which sweeps down from the base of the Gondogoro La. Here on the moraine beside the junction we make our home for the night at the place known locally as 'Ali Camp' (4800m).



Chogolisa



Khuspang and Laila Peak



Gasherbrum II

DAY 20
GONDOGORO-LA 5585m (18,323ft)

We start very early (around 1am). After an early breakfast, we will wear crampons and harnesses and set off roped together towards the foot of the Gondogoro-la pass. After 3-4 hours of steep and strenuous ascent (assisted by fixed ropes) we gain the top to be rewarded with stunning views of K2, Broad Peak and the Gasherbrums. The descent is much steeper than our ascent route and here we will use fixed lines for the majority of the way down. We descend 3-4 hrs to Khuspang camp (4600m).

DAY 21
HIKE TO SAICHO 3400m (11,155ft)

We leave the campsite to get onto the glacier where we pick our way across the moraine and ice, finally crossing the glacier. There is a spectacular view of Masherbrum and the glacier cascading down from Masherbrum Pass. It is a beautiful walk to Shaicho as we pass yak pastures and see the first trees since Paiju. Saicho is a picturesque campsite nestled amongst tamarisks, wild roses and junipers set beside the river.

DAY 22
TRAVEL TO KHAPLU 3050m (10,006ft)

Today is our final day of trekking; 3-4 hours of easy descent bring us to the village of Hushe. Nestled in the Hushe Valley the village is the gateway for many expeditions traveling to Masherbrum, K7 and the Charakusa and Nangma valleys. At Hushe our transport is waiting for us, we will drive about three hours to Khaplu where we spend the night.

DAY 23
KHAPLU

This is a day to rest and recover from the long trek.

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DAY 24
TRAVEL TO ISLAMABAD

We will take the early morning flight to Islamabad, if unable to fly we will drive the Silk Road back to Islamabad Our private bus will be waiting at the airport to transfer us to the hotel. The rest of the day is free for independent sightseeing, shopping or to relax at the hotel. This evening we come together again for a celebratory meal at a local restaurant.

DAY 25
ISLAMABAD

After a relaxed morning, visit some of the sights in Islamabad including Faisal Mosque and the national institute of folk heritage. Shop for local handicrafts have fun shopping for hand made carpets.

DAY 26
FLY OUT

Transfer to Islamabad Airport is provided.



Deosai National Park



Cathedral Peak

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Your Pakistan Questions Answered

A selection of our frequently asked questions

Q. How soon after making our booking will we receive confirmation?

A. Once we have received your deposit we will send your confirmation documents.

Q. Do you send us information about the destinations we will visit?

A. It is essential that you read the relevant tour details before booking, which can be found on our website. We can also arrange for trip details to be sent to you. If there are any particular challenges such as the length of time spent on your feet, journey times or accommodation standards, they will be explained in these concise trip notes. Two weeks before you travel, you will receive suggested packing list with your final documents.

Q. Will I know which hotels I will be staying in before I go?

A. Hotel details will be sent with your final documents. Note that these may be subject to change. We select the best available hotel in the area, usually 3-5 star. In more remote areas, accommodation may be of a lower standard and may not have all western amenities. Rest assured that all hotels used by The Wander Adventures are inspected by our staff to ensure that standards meet your needs. If you require an early check-in or late check-out for your arrival and departure days, please contact us at info@thewander.travel.

Q. How do I get my visa?

A. Pakistan does have visa on arrival facility for a number of countries. Please check the details at https://visa.nadra.gov.pk/visa-on-arrival-tourist/. We will provide the Invitation letter required for the visa application. The visa process is different if you are on a high altitude trek or climbing expedition. We will provide all documentation and support for



required clearances as part of the service.

Q. Do I need travel insurance?

A. We strongly recommend that you are adequately covered by insurance for the duration of your travel arrangements. Mountain rescue and medical evacuation insurance is mandatory for those joining a trek. We recommend that you take out a policy as soon as you pay your deposit.

Q. What vaccinations do I need?

A. At the time of printing, only COVID vaccinated passengers are allowed to undertake international travel to and from Pakistan. Other vaccination requirements often change, therefore for up-to-date information please seek your doctor's advice.

Q. What size are your tour groups?

A. The group size on our tours is on average around 8 passengers, with a maximum group size 20.

Q. Do you run guaranteed departures?

A. Our guaranteed departures are subject to a minimum group size of 4 for treks and cultural tours. Please check the tour on our website for the latest information.

Q. As a single traveler, will I have to pay a single supplement?

A. Single supplements are required for solo travelers. After confirmation you can inform us that you will be 'happy to share' with another solo traveler. If another solo traveler is on the trip looking to share, we will connect you and waive your single supplement. Happy to Share is on request when booking less than 60 days before departure

Q. What is the maximum luggage allowance on your tours?

A. Your main suitcase or backpack must not exceed 20kg and your hand luggage must not exceed 5kg as this is the maximum allowance on internal flights.

Q. What currency should I take?

A. We recommend you take US dollars as well as the local currency and a credit/debit card. We do not recommend travelers cheques. Please ensure you have sufficient funds to pay for personal expenses such as drinks, snacks, souvenirs, additional tipping

Q. How fit do I need to be?

A. Our Group Tours are graded on each page to reflect the level of fitness required. The specific reasons for a particular grading for each tour are clearly described in the tour description which you can find on our website. Please contact us if you require any advice. Our range of Private Tours is more flexible and may better cater for individual needs. Ask us for more details.

Q. When is the best time to visit Pakistan?

A. Pakistan is a year-round destinations. While October – March are the most popular months to visit the plains, mountains in the high peaks region are best visited between May and September.

Q. What sort of transport do you use?

A. Air: Internal flights are based on economy class, with reputable airlines.

Road: Coaches with air conditioning are used on our Group Tours for city sightseeing, short excursions to the countryside and longer transfers where necessary. In the mountains we use SUV similar to a land cruiser with 4 people in each vehicle. On our Private Tours we use air-conditioned vehicles suitable for the size of the party.

Q. Is there a dress code on your tours?

A. Our dress code is very relaxed; however, Pakistan is a conservative country, so please do not plan on wearing shorts or skirts. Follow the recommended packing list we will provide for your trip.

Q. Are meals included?

A. All meals (excluding beverages) are included in our group tours except where stated. Please note that in remote areas, meals may be basic or repetitive. In urban areas we include several free evenings, offering flexibility for those who wish to explore local restaurants. If all meals are included they will start with dinner on the day of arrival and finish with breakfast on the normal day of departure. Any additional meals will be at your own expense and no refund will be made for any meals missed. You will sample a range of local cuisine with occasional western meals, and meals are usually taken at local restaurants.

Q. Are there any optional excursions?

A. From time to time your Guide may suggest optional sightseeing in addition to the standard sightseeing planned, depending on local conditions. Such options maybe at an additional cost, with prices usually per person. This is paid in cash (local currency) to the guide on the day of the optional excursion - just ask your guide if you need to visit a cash machine before touring for that day commences.

Q. Is tap water safe to drink?

A. We strongly recommend that you drink bottled water only.

Q. Can special requests be arranged?

A. If you have any special requests such as dietary requirements, or if you wish to celebrate an event, please notify us at the time of booking and we will do everything possible to ensure your requests are met. Please note that special requests cannot be guaranteed.

Q. Can I use my credit cards/ATM cards in Pakistan?

A. All major international credit cards can be used in the major cities of Pakistan and are accepted at hotels, banks and some stores. If your credit card is encoded with a PIN number you will be able to withdraw cash from automatic teller machines (ATMs) situated at banks and shopping centers in most major cities. We recommend using an ATM in Pakistan to withdraw any cash you may require during the tour. Outside the bigger cities the ATMs are unreliable.

Q. How is Internet and WiFi access in Pakistan

A. Free WiFi hotspots are generally found in main cities only and can be sporadic throughout the rest of the country. Outside the cities and especially during the treks, cellphone reception is unavailable. Most clients enjoy the disconnected nature of our tours, however, if staying connected is a priority we can arrange a satellite phone or you can use our satellite phone on a pay as you go basis.

Q. Will my cell phone work in Pakistan

A. Check with your phone company before leaving home about international mobile roam facilities available in Pakistan. Alternatively you can buy SIM cards in Pakistan. We at The Wander can help arrange this for you. Note that signal is not available in all rural areas. If constant coverage is a necessity we can provide satellite phones. Our Guides carry Satellite phones for our treks.

Q. What are Tipping and Service Charges

A. Tipping in Pakistan is not obligatory on any of our tips. However, tipping for good service or kindness is at the discretion of the visitor. We do recommend that you should budget $2-$3/day for porters who carry your loads and something at your discretion for the guide.

Q. What are the rules on alcohol consumption in Pakistan

A. Pakistan is a dry country for all Muslims. However, foreigners and non-Muslims are exempt from this restrictions. Hotels that cater to foreigners (the ones where you stay on our tours) do offer alcohol.

Q. What can I shop for?

A. All of our tours include time for shopping. You will be amazed at the shopping options in Pakistan. Hand woven carpets, textiles, embroidered Pashmina shawls, unique jewelry and ethnic art. Himalayan salt lamps and Onyx bowls, there is a lot of options for all price levels. If you have something specific in mind, please let us know and we will make sure you get what you are looking for.



THE WANDER ADVENTURES

BOOKING CONDITIONS

The following booking conditions ('Booking Conditions') form the basis of your contract with The Wander Adventures LLC, of 578 Arkansas Mountain Road, Boulder, CO 80302, USA, ID 20191463359. Please read them carefully before making a booking request as they set out our respective rights and obligations. By making a booking request, you acknowledge that you have read and understood the Booking Conditions as well as the specific day to day demands of your chosen tour and agree to be bound by them.

YOUR CONTRACT The first named person on a booking request ("Lead Traveler") promises that s/he is authorized to request a booking subject to these Booking Conditions by all persons named in the booking request and by the parents or guardians for any party member who is under 18 when the booking request is made. The Lead Traveler is responsible for making all payments due under a booking by all party members. The Lead Traveler must be at least 18 when the booking is requested. After we receive your booking request and all appropriate payments (see "Reservation and Deposit" below), if the arrangements you wish to book are available, we will issue a confirmation invoice.

A binding agreement will come into existence between us when we email your confirmation invoice to the 'Lead Traveler' or the travel agent through whom the booking was requested.

OUR SERVICES We commence providing services to you as soon as soon as we issue your confirmation invoice. This includes (often significant) work undertaken prior to travel to arrangeand coordinate the delivery of your travel arrangements. The services we provide to you are limited to (a) the arrangement and coordination of your travel arrangements; and (b) the delivery of travel arrangements which we directly control (if any).

YOUR DETAILS Passenger names must be provided exactly as per passport, including middle names, at the time of booking. A copy of your passport is required at the time of booking. Any spelling corrections made after a deposit is paid must be sent in writing. If you do not advise the correct information and we have to re-issue airline tickets or other documentation, then you will be responsible for any fees charged (such as airline cancellation charges or re-issue fees) in addition to our own reasonable administration fees.

YOUR OBLIGATION TO CHECK DETAILS Please check your confirmation invoice carefully as soon as you receive it. Contact us immediately if any information which appears on the confirmation invoice or any other document appears to be incorrect or incomplete as it may not be possible to make changes later. We regret we cannot accept any liability if we arenot notified of any inaccuracies (for which we are responsible) in any document within ten days of our sending it out (five days for tickets). We will do our best to rectify any mistake notified to us outside these time limits, but you must meet any costs involved in doing so. If you wish to change or cancel any arrangements later, you may have to pay an amendment or cancellation charge (See "Amendments by You" & "Cancellations by You" below).

PRICES General: Prices and services are subject to availability of tour, airline, and specific economy airfare. Prices may differ once a preferred booking class is sold out. Prices stated are in US Dollars ($USD) and are current at the time of publication. The most up to date pricing is available on our website. The price includes domestic flights, accommodation, transportation and other inclusions as per the published itinerary.

The Wander Adventures reserves the right to release specials which are applicable to new bookings only. We also reserve the right to correct any obvious errors in rates quoted or calculated, or any omissions made at any time during your booking. Any verbal quote given is an indication only of the final price and is subject to confirmation in writing. Costs associated with passports, vaccinations, insurance, meals (other than those stipulated), emergency evacuation costs, gratuities, and all items of a personal nature are not included.

Itinerary Deviations: All fully inclusive tour prices indicated in the brochure are based on group travel and any deviation from the set itinerary may incur additional airline ticket costs. Arrangements such as transfers, accommodation, etc. outside the set group arrangements/dates are at an additional cost.

Airline Fuel Charges: In addition to the cost of any airfares, airlines also charge an additional levy to cover the ever-increasingcost of aviation fuel. As fuel prices have fluctuated, so too has the amount airlines charge for this levy. At the time of pricing, some airline fuel surcharges are included in the cost of the fare; however, this amount is subject to change until your airline ticket is issued.

Price Surcharges: We reserve the right to surcharge the cost of your booked travel arrangements prior to commencement for circumstances beyond our control such as currency devaluation,fuel or air fare surcharges, or the imposition of new or amended Government charges. We will not surcharge for currency fluctuations once full payment has been received by us.

PAYMENTS Deposit: You are required to pay a deposit of $100 per person (or full payment if booking within 60 days of commencement of your travel arrangements) to The Wander Adventures or your travel agent within three days of you making your booking request. Please note that we may not hold any services for you until we receive payment of your deposit, meaning that services may become unavailable, or prices may increase, in which case you will be responsible for paying the increased price, and we will not be responsible if services become unavailable. In some cases, theamount of the deposit may be higher where, for example, we need to pre-purchase flight tickets, accommodation, or other services and in the case of our flight upgrade special offers, to which early airline ticketing may apply – please see the terms and conditions of individual special offers for further information. This will be advised at the time of quotation.

Balance Payment: 50% of the balance is payable 90 days before the start of the trip. The final balance of the travel arrangements is due no later than 60 days prior to the confirmed tour commencement date. Air tickets are issued upon receiving final payment only. If we do not receive all payments due in full and on time, we are entitled to assume that you have canceled your booking, and cancellation fees will apply (See "Cancellations by You" below). The Wander Adventures reserves the right to request a partial payment of the final balance more than 60 days prior to departure to cover the cost of earlier ticketing should it be requested by the airlines, or tickets issued by our overseas operators due to airline ticketing time limits.

Card Processing Fees: Please note that any payments made by credit or debit card are subject to a 2.6% processing fee, which represents the cost charged to us to process the payment.

Tailor-Made Quotations: For Tailor-made itineraries, the first two quotes are complimentary. After this, we reserve the right to request a non-refundable commitment fee of $100.00 per person.This will be deducted from your required deposit amount at the time of confirmation.

SPECIAL REQUESTS If you have any special requests, you must inform us prior to booking. Although we will endeavor to pass any reasonable requests on to the relevant supplier, we regret we cannot guarantee any request will be met. Failure to meet any special request will not be a breach of contract on our part. Confirmation that a special request has been noted or passed on to the supplier or the inclusion of the special request on your confirmation invoice or any other documentation is not confirmation that the request will be met. Unless and until specifically confirmed, all special requests are subject to availability. Unless you receive written confirmation from the supplier that a special request will be complied with, you must assume that it will not be. The responsibility for providing the special request lies solely with the supplier and not with The Wander Adventures. We regret we cannot accept any conditional bookings, i.e., any booking which is specified to be conditional on the fulfillment of a particular request. All such bookings will be treated as "standard" bookings subject to the above provisions on special requests.

AMENDMENTS BY YOU We will endeavor to accommodate amendments and additional requests. You acknowledge that thesemay not be possible to fulfill, and for group departures a transfer of a booking to a different departure is deemed a cancellation.

An amendment fee of $50 per change will be levied to cover communication and administration costs for any changes to bookings. You will also be required to pay any additional costs charged by suppliers. Please note that airfares are subject to strict airline policies and booking fare rules. Special airfares that require early ticketing may be non-refundable and non- changeable. Once a booking is confirmed, any name change, or passenger change will incur additional charges and/or may be deemed a cancellation of the airfare.

AMENDMENTS BY US Prior to travel: Occasionally, we may need to make amendments or modifications to the itinerary and its inclusions, and you acknowledge our right to do this. If we become aware of a significant change to your itinerary or its inclusions prior to the commencement of your trip (where the trip can still proceed), then we will notify you within a reasonable time and give you the choice to accept the change, to receive a refund of the land portion of your trip or to accept an alternative trip if offered.

During travel: You acknowledge that the itinerary, modes of transport, accommodation and/or the trip's inclusions may need to change during your trip due to local circumstances beyond our reasonable control, including road conditions, poor weather, changes in transport schedules, and/or vehicle breakdowns.

General: To the fullest extent permitted by law, we will not be responsible for any omissions or modifications to the itinerary or the inclusions due to Force Majeure or other circumstances beyond or control happening after we have accepted your booking. This includes any loss of enjoyment or distress caused by omissions or modifications. If you are entitled to any cancellation charges (subject to any additional charges for air or rail tickets as referred to below) from the date the written cancellation is received: compensation for any modifications or omissions, then you agree it will be reduced by the value of any alternative services we provide which you accept. We will not be responsible to you for any expenses or loss you incur in connection with your booking resulting from any amendment or change to the itinerary or its inclusions.

CANCELLATION BY YOU General: all cancellations must be made in writing to The Wander Adventures and will be subject to the following:

* More than 75 days prior to departure; loss of deposit
* Before 60 days prior to departure; $100 deposit plus any additional expenses related to the trip
* Between 59 and 30 days prior to departure; 10% of total cost plus any additional expenses related to the trip
* 30 days or less prior to departure 100% of total cost
* Any 'no show'; 100% of total cost

Airfare & Rail Tickets: If airline and rail tickets have been issued, the rules of the fare airfare will determine cancellation and/or amendment charges. Note that it is often the case the air and rail tickets once issued are non-refundable. You agree that these cancellation charges are reasonable, represent a genuine pre-estimate of our loss and are required to protect our legitimate business interests. For group departures, a transfer of a confirmed booking to another departure date is deemed to be cancellation of the original booking. Following the commencement of your tour, no refunds will be made for any services which you choose not to use or which you cannot use for any reason other than a reason within our control. Regrettably, cancellation charges and fees cannot be waived. There can be no exceptions. Please note that employees of our partners or staff of The Wander Adventures are not authorized to give any guarantees or agreements to customers in respect of refunds or any other matters.

CANCELLATION BY US Minimum Numbers: The Wander Adventures reserves the right to cancel or vary a tour prior to departure due to insufficient numbers. We will advise you no less than 60 days prior to your tour commencement if minimum numbers have not been achieved. Please see the 'General' section below for your rights in this circumstance.

Force Majeure - Prior to travel: If your travel arrangements cannot proceed due to flood, earthquake, war or civil strife, acts of terrorism, hurricane, cyclone, industrial disturbance, strike, fire, lock-out, epidemic, pandemic, failure or delays of scheduled transportation, or any law, order, decree, rule or regulation of any government authority (including quarantine requirements or government travel advisories), or for any other reason beyond our reasonable control (Force Majeure), we may elect to:

* reschedule your travel arrangements, in which case we willissue you with a credit equal to amounts paid; or
* cancel your travel arrangements, in which case our contractwith you will terminate.

If we cancel your travel arrangements, neither of us will have any claim for damages against the other. However, we will refund payments made by you less unrecoverable third-party costs and less fair compensation for work undertaken by us up until the timeof termination and in connection with the processing of any refund.

Force Majeure - During travel: If we cancel your travel arrangements after your trip has commenced due to Force Majeure, we will provide you with a refund of recoverable third-party costs only.

General: If we provide you with any alternative services or assistance where travel arrangements are canceled due to Force Majeure, then you agree the amount to be refunded to you will be reduced by the value of these services and assistance. If we cancel your travel arrangements for reasons beyond Force Majeure (including if minimum numbers are not achieved), you will be offered (at your election) a refund of all funds paid (less visa cost), or the offer of a trip of substantially equal or better quality if appropriate. We will not be responsible to you for any expenses or loss you incur in connection with your booking if your travel arrangements are rescheduled or canceled whether or not due to Force Majeure.

JOINING YOUR TOUR Airline schedules from different cities/countries vary so travelers may require pre or post-tour accommodation, a stopover or have a lengthy transit en-route to their destination. Any cost for accommodation, transportation or meals incurred will be at the passengers' own expense. Our reservations team can assist with any of these additional services. If you have booked a land only option, please email a copy of your flight schedule and passport copy at time of final payment so we can arrange transfers and visas.

ILLNESS If due to any illness, suspected illness or failure to satisfy any required tests (such as a temperature test in relation to Covid-19):

* an airline or other common carrier refuses you carriage.

* a hotel or vessel refuses to accommodate you; or

* we or our suppliers (acting reasonably) exclude you from the trip and you are consequently prevented from commencing or continuing your trip, then:

* if you have already commenced your trip, we will provide you with reasonable assistance to arrange alternative travel arrangements or to continue the trip. This will be at your cost.

* if you have not commenced your trip then we regret we will not be in a position to provide such assistance.

REFUSAL OF CARRIAGE The Wander Adventures retains the right to remove customers from our group tours for reasons that impact on the enjoyment or safety of other tour members, such as, but not limited to, the physical, medical or mental inability of customers to undertake the arrangements of the tour, unsocial or unruly behavior, or the carriage of prohibited substances and materials. You will not be entitled to any refund for unusedservices, and you will be responsible for any additional costs you incur.

HOTELS Hotel descriptions featured on our website are basedon current hotel guides provided by suppliers. Any facilities described are subject to change at any time. Maps and photographs are included for general information only and may not necessarily reflect actual routings, location or services.

The Wander Adventures has made reasonable inquiries to verify that the descriptions and details are accurate but does not warrant that they are. We reserve the right to substitute hotels and other forms of accommodation with properties of a comparable or higher standard.

TRAVEL INSURANCE We strongly recommend that you take out a policy as soon as you pay your deposit. The Wander Adventures cannot in any way be made liable for any additional cost incurred by the customer on any tour due to the customer not having adequatetravel insurance.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS All customers are required to familiarize themselves with any health requirements specificto the countries being visited. Any pre-existing dietary requirement/food allergy; disability; medical, health, physical, psychological, or behavioral condition ('health conditions') must be discussed with your doctor who can confirm your suitability to travel on your chosen tour. The 'tour pace' of each tour is outlined in our brochures, on our website and also in the Tour Dossier. All passengers will receive a link to download a copy of the Tour Dossier with quote and deposit documents.

If you or any member of your party has any health conditions, which may affect you while traveling, you must provide us with full details in writing prior to making your booking so that we can assist you in considering the suitability of your arrangements. You must also promptly advise us if there are any changes to your health that may affect your holiday after your booking has been confirmed. In the best interests of yourself and of your tour group, The Wander Adventures reserves the right to prevent you from further participation on a tour if a health condition presents itself that significantly affects the enjoyment or wellbeing of yourself or the rest of your group. The Wander Adventures will not be liable to refund any part of the price of the tour paid by you, or on your behalf, which you have not used if you are prevented from participating on a tour due to a health condition. You will be responsible for making alternative arrangements to accommodate any health condition. The information provided does not, under any circumstances, make The Wander Adventures liable if your condition exacerbates or affects your ability to participate in any portion of the tour. Your medical and dietary information is collected so that we may process your booking. Your medical and dietary information will be provided to our suppliers and partners for the sole purpose of endeavoring to accommodate your condition where possible.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS & VISA PROCESSING A passport with a minimum of six months validity upon return to your country is required for customers traveling to Pakistan. Visa fees are not included however, we will support documentation required for processing of visas. Responsibility for documentation accuracy, passport validity, purchase of additional required passport photos, and dispatch of documents rests with the customer. The Wander Adventures accepts no responsibility for any failure in this respect. The Wander Adventures cannot guarantee that any visa will be issued by the relevant authority and accepts no responsibility if a visa application is refused. Any cancellation fees or other expensesincurred by the customer due to the refusal of a visa will be entirely the customer's liability. Relevant authorities may require additional documentation to approve your visa application. The cost of additional documentation or application forms are at the travelers expense.

LATE BOOKINGS If a booking is made within 75 days prior to departure it is considered a late booking. Late bookings mayincur additional fees including any applicable urgent visa processing fees.

SHARED BOOKINGS If traveler is unable to confirm a share partner, The Wander Adventures will confirma single room with the single supplement. If the booking originated as a twin share booking and one traveler cancels, the remaining traveler will be charged the applicable single supplement. If the cancellation occurs more than 75 days prior to the tour departuredate, the option to select 'happy to share' will apply if it is available on the selected tour.

SEAT BELTS Please note that seat belts are not compulsory by law in all destinations featured in this brochure and therefore the local people largely choose not to wear them. For this reason local operators may or may not have seat belts in vehicles or they may be hidden underneath protective seat covers. It is recommended that where seat belts are available customers must use them and remain seated at all times while the vehicle is moving. As such, customers acknowledge that seat belts may not be available and therefore travel at their own risk. Customers warrant that they shall not make any claim howsoever arising from injury or damage in respect of, arising from or contributed to by the absence of seat belts and hereby release The Wander Adventures from all such claims.

INDEPENDENT ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS We may provide you with information (before departure and/or when you are on holiday) about activities and excursions which are available in the area you are visiting. We have no involvement in any such activities or excursions which are neither run, supervised nor controlled in any way by us. They are provided by local operators or other third parties who are entirely independent of us. They do not form any part of your contract with us even where we suggest particular operators/other third parties and/ or assist you in booking such activities or excursions in any way. We cannot accept any liability on any basis in relation to such activities or excursions and the acceptance of liability contained in our booking conditions will not apply to them. We do not however exclude liability for the negligence of ourselves or our employees resulting in your death or personal injury. We cannotguarantee accuracy at all times of information given in relation to such activities or excursions or about the area you are visiting generally or that any particular excursion or activity which does not form part of our contract will take place as these services are not under our control. If you feel that any of the activities or excursions referred to in our brochure, on our website and in our other advertising material which are not part of our contract are vital to the enjoyment of your holiday, write to us immediately and we will tell you the latest known situation. If we become aware of any material alterations to area information and/or such outside activities or excursions which can reasonably be expected to affect your decision to book a holiday with us, we will pass on this information at the time of booking.

SHOPPING & OTHER SERVICES Shopping can be fun and entertaining, especially in local markets, where many copies of international brand names can be purchased for next to nothing. However, The Wander Adventures, its staff and employees are neither qualified nor permitted to ensure or guarantee the quality or value of any goods purchased or the suitability of any retail outlets visited and the security of using a credit card to purchase such goods. In all cases the purchasing of goods and the use of a credit card for those transactions is entirely at the customer's own risk and at all times the customer must use their own discretion. Leisure activities and services undertaken during free time is at the customer's own discretion.

ACCEPTANCE OF RISK You acknowledge that travel involves personal risks which may be greater than those present in your everyday life. This could be as a result of the adventurous nature of your trip or the visiting of destinations which present geographical, political or cultural risks and dangers. You should consult guidance issued by the country of your origin applicable to the destinations within your itinerary. You accept any additional personal risks associated with your travel. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we disclaim any liability for these risks.

RESPONSIBILITY Services supplied by independent suppliers: Where a third party over whom we have no direct control (Independent Supplier) is the supplier of travel arrangements that form part of your trip, you acknowledge that our obligations to you are limited to taking reasonable steps to select a reputable Independent Supplier and arranging for them to provide those travel arrangements to you. Independent Suppliers over whom we have no direct control include but are not limited to airlines, railway and cruise operators, hoteliers, independent transport. Services we directly supply: To the extent only that we are the principal supplier to you of travel arrangements or other services which we control, then we will provide those travel arrangements and services with reasonable skill and care. We will only be responsible for our employees in the course of their employment, and for our agents and suppliers (where we are not the supplier's agent or an intermediary for an Independent Supplier) if they were carrying out the work we had asked them to do. We will not be responsible for any loss, damage, claim or expense caused by the acts or omissions of yourself, of any other third party not connected with the provision of the travel arrangements or services, or due to an event of Force Majeure. While we endeavor to meet scheduled arrival and departure times, we cannot guarantee this. We will not be responsible for any loss or additional expenses you incur for any missed connections/ services attributable to delays.

General liability limitation: You acknowledge that travel arrangements or services which comply with local laws and regulations will be deemed to have been properly performed, even if this would not be considered the case in USA.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, our maximum liability to you under these Booking Conditions, in tort (including negligence) or at law is limited to arranging for the travel arrangements to be resupplied or payment of the cost of having the travel arrangements resupplied.

PROCEDURES FOR LODGING COMPLAINTS OR CLAIMS At The Wander Adventures we are committed to ensuring that we deal with complaints effectively and efficiently. Should the customer not be satisfied with any aspect of their arrangements they must immediately inform the Local Guide who will endeavor to resolve the issue at the time. If this is not possible and you wish to lodge a complaint or claim this must be done in writing to The Wander Adventures by email to info@thewander.travel within 30 days of the date of the completion of your The Wander Adventures arrangements. Relevant receipts and substantiating evidence must be attached to the letter of claim. Our complaints handling policy is available at thewander. travel or upon request.

AIRLINES Airlines featured in this brochure do not by virtue of their endorsement represent themselves either as contracting with any purchaser of a holiday from The Wander Adventures, or as having any legal relationship with such a purchaser. Pre-flight seat allocation may not be available. If seat allocation, additional baggage, airport assist services or medical clearance is required and is permitted by the airline, this is to be booked by the traveler directly with the airline and additional fees incurred at the time of arranging these services is payable by the traveler. For details, contact our office. Schedule changes or flight cancellations are subject to the airlines policy and are outside The Wander Adventures control.

PRIVACY We are collecting your personal information so that we can process your booking. We will also keep you up to date with other The Wander Adventures offers and product information that maybe of interest to you if you have consented to this. You can opt out of receiving information at any time if you choose to do so. Any personal information you provide will be managed in accordancewith The Wander Adventures privacy policy, which can be viewed at https://www.thewander.travel/privacy-policy.

BROCHURE VALIDITY Tour itineraries and prices in this brochure are accurate at the time of printing and prices are based on exchange rates as of 1st January 2022. Once a customer has paid the deposit, the standard regular price of the tour is guaranteed, subject to any increase in fuel surcharge, tax changes or levies imposed by any government or their agencies or any airline. Prices are subject to change without notice.

Departure dates of tours are subject to change due to futureairline schedules. The Wander Adventures reserves the right to make alterations to itineraries, departure dates and prices due to circumstances beyond its control.

AGENT RESPONSIBILITIES If the tour has been booked by an agent or a supplier, it is the travel agents' responsibility to ensure that all invoice and itinerary details and documentation issued by The Wander Adventures are correct and that the customer is aware of amendment and cancellation conditions and other provisions of these Booking Conditions. It is also the agent's responsibility to provide copies of valid passports at time of deposit. If the agent fails to satisfy these obligations, you must make any claims against the agent and you hereby release The Wander Adventures from all such claims.

LAW OF CONTRACT This contract is governed by the laws of the state of Colorado, United States and any legal action arising therefrom shall be litigated only in the appropriate court in that state having jurisdiction in that claim.

NOT ALL WHO WANDER ARE LOST



Booking your trip

We want booking your trip to be as simple as 1-2-3

1. Choose Your Tour

Choose your perfect getaway from our brochure, explore options on our website, or give us a call to tailor a journey that aligns perfectly with your travel preferences.

2. Schedule a Consultation

Connect with our expert travel consultants through our website or by sending an email to info@thewander,travel

3. Make a booking

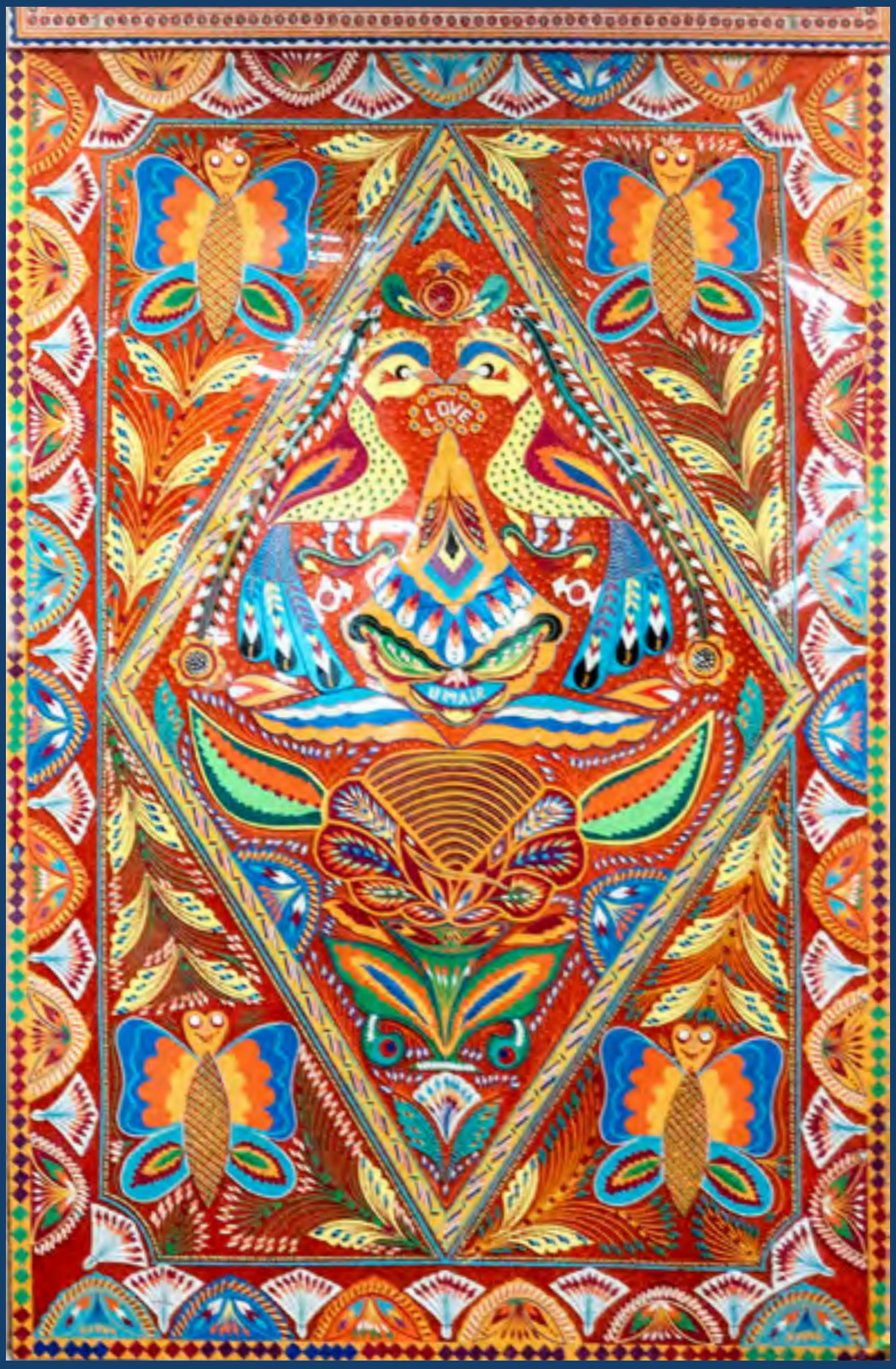
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