Mardi Himal Trek- a less challenging, easy, and short 8-day trek in the Annapurna region of Nepal, offers breathtaking Mountain views including Fishtail (6,993m), Annapurna I (8,091m), Annapurna South, Himal Chuli, Annapurna II and IV at proximity, starting and ending at Kathmandu. It is a less traversed route compared to other world-famous **Everest Base Camp and Annapurna Circuit Trek** as it was discovered and opened for visitors just in 2012 A.D**.** After taking a short drive to Kande from Pokhara, your trek begins as you walk through the tranquil forest of Rhododendron to Australian Camp that offers stunning mountain views and valleys. Navigating through the hills and mountains, you reach at the base of Machhapuchhre Himal standing tall and proud just waiting for you to conquer. It is a moment that marks the onset of an extraordinary adventure, filled with anticipation for what lies ahead.

Mardi Himal Trek Accommodation:

We seek to offer our clients comfortable and clean private accommodations. We always make sure that you can sleep well. We always provide you the best available lodge/tea-house during the trek. Most of the nights, there will be a warm dining room with comfortable chairs. Access to hot shower will be possible only on your request.

Your guide always makes sure that your bed is clean and comfortable.

While in Kathmandu and Pokhara, we provide you with a 2/3-star category hotel with free Wi-Fi, TV and attached bathroom with hot/ cold shower. However, if you would like to upgrade the hotel in Kathmandu and Pokhara, please let us know. We will upgrade the hotel for an additional cost.

Additional Information:

• The price is based on twin share. If a single person wants to do the trek, there will be an additional one-time cost of USD 100/ which must be paid after arriving in Kathmandu.

• The minimum number of travelers for one trek is 2. A group can be no larger than 10 people. For single travelers, they must join an existing group.

• Minimum age of travelers is 10 years old.

• Trip fitness intensity grade: moderate. It involves approximately 5-7 hours trekking along rocky ridges. No previous experience is required, but you should be moderately fit.

• Bookings are subject to availability. Book early to secure your desired date!

• Once your booking is confirmed, we are unable to refund your purchase in the case of a cancellation. If you have to cancel an existing reservation, you can reschedule prior to your initial departure date by contacting the merchant

Mardi Himal Base Camp Trek Itinerary

Day 01: Drive to Kande and Trek to Australian Camp to Pitam Deurali 2100m/4 hours/6km

- Start 8 am. 27 km drive to Kande walk to Australian Camp and Pothana where you will take a Lunch.
- 6km walking to Pitam Deurali through grassy land and Rhododendron Forest.
- Arrival and check in Guest House.
- Meals: Breakfast/ Lunch and Dinner

Day 02: Trek to Forest Camp

- Walking distance: 8km through the moss-covered forest.
- Approximately time taken: 5 hours
- Altitude: 2520 m
- Accommodation: Guest house
- Meals: Breakfast/ Lunch and Dinner

Day 03: Trek to Badal Danda/High Camp 3,900 m

- Walking distance: 8 km/ 5 hours through high altitude terrain
- Altitude: 3,900m
- Accommodation: Guest House
- Meals: Breakfast/ Lunch and Dinner

Day 04: Trek to Mardi Himal View Point and Base Camp and back to Badal Danda

- Walking distance: 13 km through the rocky ridge
- Altitude: 4,500m Mardi Base Camp/ View Point 4,120m
- Accommodation: Guest House
- Meals: Breakfast/ Lunch and Dinner

Day 05: Trek down to Siding Village

- Walking distance: 8 km/7 hours descending
- Altitude: 1,700m
- Accommodation: Guest House
- Meals: Breakfast/ Lunch and Dinner

Day 06: Drive to Pokhara by sharing Jeep or by public bus.

Approximately time taken: 4 hours, beautiful drive with scenic landscapes

Arrival and Transfer to Hotel

Rest of the time Explore your self

Meals: Lunch.

Cost includes

- TIMS-card (Trekker Information Management System)
- Annapurna Conservation Area entry fees
- All ground transportation by tourist and public vehicles from destination to destination
- All meals while on the trek (6-Breakfast,6-Lunch, 5-Dinner)
- 5-night lodge accommodation during the trek (twin sharing)
- Experienced English-speaking trekking guide with a government license
- Company guarantees for Government Rescue Services
- Insurance for Nepalese Staff.
- All government taxes and VAT
- Complementary duffel or sleeping bag (refundable after the trek)
- Farewell dinner at a Nepalese restaurant

Cost Exclude

- International flight and Nepal entry visa costs 15 days, 30 days and 150 days for 30 USD, 50 USD and 125 USD respectively visa can be obtained on upon arrivals in Kathmandu International Airport.
- Bar bills and all personal expenses
- Porter if required (Ratio: 1 porter=2 clients, porter cost 220 USD)
- Meals and drinks as per itinerary
- All beverages, alcoholic and non-alcoholic, Hot and Cold drinks
- Battery charge, internet, personal trekking equipment
- Emergency evacuation by helicopter (bill should be paid by your insurance company)
- Staff Gratuities (tips)

Note: The flight tickets to Pokhara and Kathmandu is available for an additional cost 100 USD. We do offer the hotel in Kathmandu and Pokhara as per your interest for an additional cost. Please feel free for any additional services.