

## Mystical Kumaon Mountains 08 Days / 07 Nights



\* Ex - Delhi

Nainital, Bhimtal, Kausani & Corbett

### HIGHLIGHTS-

- ☑ Enjoy a beautiful panoramic view of the mighty Himalayan ranges at Gun Hill Point.
- ☑ Visit Sat Tal - a group of seven lakes including the famous jade green Garud Lake, the larger Bhim Tal and Naukuchiya Tal.
- ☑ Excursion to Baijnath and a visit to Anasakti Ashram in Kausani.
- ☑ Visit the Chaubatia Gardens, Kalika Estate and Golf Course driving in Ranikhet.
- ☑ Explore Corbett National Park - India's first National Park and the first sanctuary to come under Project Tiger.

### Tour Itinerary

#### Day 1 : ARRIVE DELHI - ON TO NAINITAL / BHIMTAL (330 KMS / APPROX 9 HOUR DRIVE)

Welcome to New Delhi, the grand capital of India. On arrival at the airport / railway Station in Delhi, begin your tour. Proceed on a picturesque drive to the charming hill station of Nainital. On arrival, check into your hotel. The rest of the evening is at leisure to explore the beautiful hill station of Nainital / Bhimtal. Overnight in Nainital / Bhimtal - None (Meals on your Own)

### Day 2 : NAINITAL / BHIMTAL

Today, after breakfast, visit Sat Tal - a group of seven lakes including the famous jade green Garud Lake, the larger Bhim Tal and Naukuchiya Tal, where you will have the opportunity for boating and paddling.

**Note: Boating and paddling at Bhimtal and Naukuchiya Tal would be on direct payment basis.**

The rest of day is at leisure. Relax or take stroll to the local markets. Overnight in Nainital / Bhimtal (B)

### Day 3 : NAINITAL / BHIMTAL

Today, you will visit the Naina Devi Temple and Hanuman Garhi. Naina Devi temple is a must visit in Nainital especially for people who seek spirituality and wish to offer their prayers to Goddess Naina. This temple is greatly visited by local devotees during religious festivals. The rest of the day is at leisure. You can walk around the Naini lake, and enjoy a boat ride on the picturesque Naini lake (on your own).

Overnight in Nainital / Bhimtal (B)

### Day 4 : ON TO KAUSANI (120 KMS / APPROX. 4 HOUR DRIVE)

Today morning, drive to Kausani. Kausani is an idyllic Himalayan hamlet Located at about 6000+ ft above sea level. This tiny and serene hill-station is famous for its well-preserved natural beauty. It is also famous for 250 km-wide views of the Himalayan snow-peaks.

Kausani is famous for breathtakingly close view of the Himalayan Peaks and it's solitudes and greenery.

The wide expanse of the famous Katyur Valley lies in front of it as you wake up to experience the Kausani sunrise. On arrival, check into your hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure to explore the beautiful scenic hill station of Kausani (on your own). Overnight in Kausani (B)

### Day 5 : KAUSANI

This morning, proceed for an excursion to Baijnath, lying in the Katyuri valley, 19 km away from Kausani. Later, visit Anasakti Ashram. Mahatma Gandhi stayed at the Anasakti ashram in the year 1929. After his vacation, the place is called as "Gandhi ashram". He was very impressed by the peaceful environment of the hills around. In this time period, he wrote a book noble Anasakti Yoga.

The most important historical place in Uttarakhand is Baijnath which is situated on the banks of the Gomti river. The Baijnath Temple here was built thousands of years ago and can still be admired for its carvings and sculptures. The temple is made up of a cluster of Shiv-Parvat temple.

The rest of the day is at leisure.

Overnight in Kausani (B)

### Day 6 : ON TO CORBETT VIA RANIKHET (190 KMS / APPROX 5 1/2 HOUR)

Today, drive to Ranikhet to visit the Chaubatia Gardens, Kalika Estate and Golf Course driving past the Kumaon Regiment Centre. Located in the Kumaon hills, Ranikhet is a cool, quiet and serene hill station. Surrounded by picturesque views. Ranikhet offers the panorama of the great Himalayas, ancient temples, picnic spots, exciting trekking options. Passing through beautiful terrain and soak up in the beautiful ambience. Later, proceed to Corbett. On arrival, check into your hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure. Overnight in Corbett (B, L, D).

### Day 7 : CORBETT

The day is at leisure. You can enjoy a jungle safari at Corbett National Park (on your own). The main wildlife animals found in the Corbett National Park include the tiger, elephant, chital, sambar, nilgai, gharial, King Cobra, muntjac, wild boar, hedgehog, common musk shrew, flying fox, Indian Pangolin, and nearly 600 species of birds. The park is a natural habitat of the rare species of Tigers that are facing extinction. It is a heaven for bird watchers, wild life enthusiasts, environmentalists and nature lovers.

**Note : Corbett National Park remains open throughout the year for the visitors from Jhirna zone but the best time to visit Corbett is from 15th November to 15th June.**

Overnight in Corbett (B, L, D)

### Day 8 : DEPART CORBETT \* ONTO DELHI (270 KMS / APPROX. 7 HOUR DRIVE)

Today, bid farewell to your tour as you get transferred to the airport / railway Station in Delhi for your onward journey. (B)