

07 Nights / 08 Days Leh Ladakh

DAT E	SECTOR S	PROGRAMME DESCRIPTION
Day 01	Delhi / Leh	In time transfer to airport to connect the flight for Leh. Meeting and assistance on arrival and transfer to Hotel. Rest day at leisure to Acclimatize till 4 O'clock. PM walk upto Samker Gompa & Leh Bazaar. Samker Gompa is little up in the valley, 3 Kms from Leh Town, which is open to visitors in the morning and evening only. The Gompa belongs to Yellow Sect & was founded in 18th Century. The Gompa is the seat of the Head Lama of Ladakh & founder of yellow sect, Tson-Kha-Pa. The temple walls have recent painted of figures including Sakyamuni, Avalokiteshwara, Padmasambhava, Tson-Ka-pa and green Tara. After Samker, visit Leh Temple & Walk back to Leh Bazaar through the famous Leh Polo Ground. Overnight & All meals in Hotel.
Day 02	Leh – Uleytokp o 70 KMS – One way 3040 MTRS	Arrive: <u>Uleytokpo</u> on arrival check-in at Uleytokpo Camp & Resort. Enroute from Leh to Uleytokpo Visit the village of Nimo and stop for photo session at River Zanskar Proceed further to visit Basgo Fort & Likir. <u>Likir</u> is situated in a side valley about 05 Kms from main Srinagar – Leh highway. Likir belongs to Ge-Lung-Pa sect; the monastery also maintains and runs a school for young Lamas. Afterwards cross river Indus and reach Alchi. A Beautiful village covered with Apricot Orchards. On arrival check-in at Uleytokpo Camp & Resort. After lunch drive to <u>Alchi Gompa</u> which is 9 Kms from Uleytokpo from the most beautiful Gompa of Ladakh & is also called Jewel among the central Ladakh' s religious sites. It's known as Chos-Kor, or religious enclave. It comprises five temples which are noted for its massive Buddha statues and lavish woodcarvings and art work. Its Murals dating from 11th and 12th centuries, pre-date the Tibetan style of painting that is present in all other Gompas. Overnight at Uleytokpo Camp & Resort.

Day 03	Uleytokp o - Leh	Early morning after refreshment leave Resort to visit Rizong Monastery. It has a monastery and a nunnery, which accommodates lady monks or Nuns locally called as "Chomos". Return to the camp for breakfast. Proceed for Leh, enroute Visit to Phyang Monastery, which is 17 Kms from Leh, built by Tashi Namgyal in 16th century AD and belongs to the Red Cap Sect of Buddhists. After early lunch drive to Leh. On arrival check in at the hotel. Rest of the day at leisure. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.
Day 04	Leh – Pangong 290 km Oneway	Leave early morning after breakfast leave for Pangong. Lake through Changla pass 5486 Mtrs. While ascending Changla pass 5486 Mtrs. Enjoy the beautiful panoramic view of the villages below the pass. After crossing the pass halt for picnic lunch at Tsoltak, the summer pastureland of the yaks. Arrive Durbuk and from there a short drive takes you to the western shore of the lake. Dinner & overnight stay at Hotel /
Day 05	Pangong – Leh	Enjoy the landscape in the back drop of the Lake. This famous blue brackish Lake of Pangong is 5/6 Kms wide and over 144 Kms long with half of it's running the other side of the "INDO CHINA BORDER". One rarely feels so close to nature and environment and the scenery is unforgettable. In the late afternoon drive back to Leh. Dinner & overnight stay in Leh.
Day 06	Leh – Nubra 155 Kms One way	Breakfast at the hotel. Early Morning Leave Leh for 3 Days Trip to NUBRA VALLEY passing thru Horzey & Gangles Village. The road then rises to reach Khardungla (5602 Mts.) the world's highest Motorable road & enjoy the landscape & the beautiful birds eye view of the Leh town. Halt for a picnic lunch at Khardong village + Another 35 Kms drive takes to Khalsar at Shyok Valley, where the scenery is all around. The road after crossing Khalsar Bridge at Shyok River enters Nubra Valley & then proceed along the Nubra River to arrive in the afternoon at Tegar or Kyegar as locally called. Meals & Overnite stay in tents at Lhari-Mo North Camp at Sumur (Kyegar & Sumur are very close by) OR AT Tirith Camp at Tirith. Afternoon visit Panamik Hot Springs which are rich in Sulphur contents & believed to have medicinal benefits. Dinner and overnight at the Camp.
Day 07	Nubra - Leh	Breakfast at the Camp. Drive back the same route for Leh with picnic lunch. On arrival in Leh, check in at the Hotel Kanglachen or Similar. Afternoon Free to explore surroundings of Leh.

Day 08	Leh – Delhi	In time transfer to airport to connect the flight for <u>Delhi.</u> Meeting and assistance at Leh Airport on Departure.
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