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Kedarkantha

trekkers' winter paradise

SURAT - KEDARKANTHA - RISHIKESH - SURAT



8 Night / 9 Days



AC TRAIN



LOCAL TRANSPORT



TENT STAY




RAFTING

01st - 09th January 2025



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DID SOMEONE SAY WINTER TREKKING?

Trekking in the Himalayas during summer has been in fashion since a few years but few know that Himalayas are even more beautiful during the peak winters!

The thought of trekking in the winter may give you shivers but those who have been there have a different and a more beautiful story to tell.

The entire valley is covered with fresh December snow and few trees pop out from that white carpet and everything looks like a fairytale location. Grandiose mountain peaks stand out tall from the horizon in a haphazard but aesthetic fashion and you see nothing but white fluffy layers of mountain ranges hiding behind each other.

Kedarkantha trek is a 3 Days winter trek which you may be just looking for to escape the ordinary and monotonous urban lifestyle. The trek is designed to give a true Himalayan winter experience to beginners and intermediate level trekkers.

The trek starts from a small village named Sankri. The drive till Sankri takes you through beautiful, dense pine forests. The cuts and curves of that beautiful route is something that you will capture in your memories for lifetime. You reach Sankri by evening when the sun turns everything golden and you will be briefed for the trek. Sipping hot tea and chit chattering with your campmates will cut the remaining day for you.

The trek starts next day and you pass through the snow clad jungles for the next 3 days where you sleep in high altitude tents in cozy colourful sleeping bags. Early morning wake up calls may bring you out of the tents only to witness golden capped snow mountains burning from the rising sun. Camping besides Juda ka Talab (a beautiful pond) located in middle of the snow is something that you may just want to flaunt about later. The view from Kedarkantha top (12,500 ft) offers panoramic views of the entire Himalayan (Supin) range with peaks of Swargarohini, Bandarpoonch and Black Peak Mountains.

From the top, you can also view the Dhauladhar range of Himachal Pradesh, The Rupin valley, Har Ki Dun valley and views that goes down to the dense settlement of Purola.

Kedarkantha is a lifelong experience for anyone who even remotely connects with nature.

Date : 01st - 09th January 2025

Grade : Easy To Moderate

Max Altitude : 12,500 Ft.

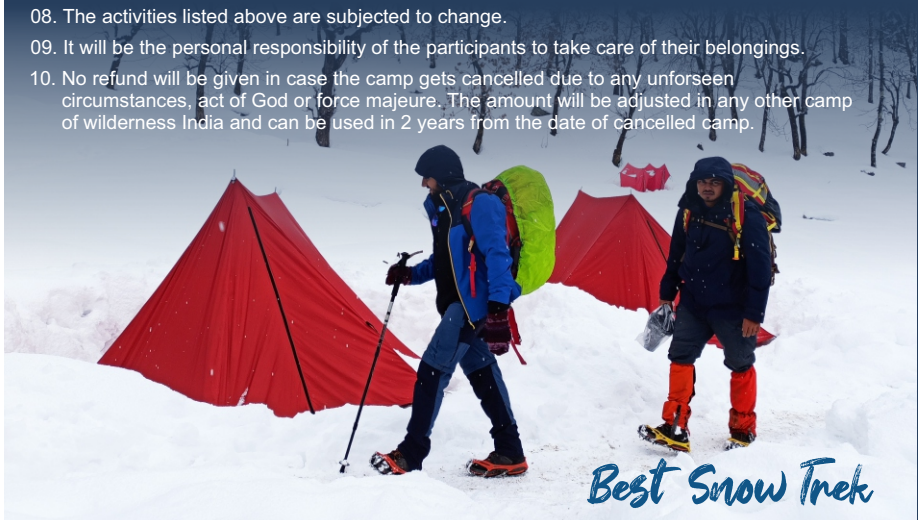
Fees - INR 18,500/- only Surat to Surat (8N/9D)
INR 12,000/- only Rishikesh to Rishikesh (5N/6D)

Program Itinerary :

- Day 01 Departure from Surat by 3 AC to Haridwar
- Day 02 Railway station to Kotgaoun (240 kms, appx 10-11 hrs drive, 6,400 ft), Night stay at home stay/hotel.
- Day 03 Sankri to Juda ka Talab, 4 Kms trek, Stay in tent.
- Day 04 Juda ka Talab to Kedarkantha Base, 4 kms trek Stay in tent
- Day 05 Kedarkantha Base (11,000 ft) – Kedarkantha Summit (12,500 ft) – Kotgoun (6,400 ft) Night stay at homestay/hotel.
- Day 06 Kotgaoun to Rishikesh, 230 kms, 10-11 hrs, Stay in hotel.
- Day 07 River Rafting, Gangaji Aarti, Market Visit in Rishikesh, Stay in hotel.
- Day 08 Early morning 3 AC Train from Rishikesh to Surat.
- Day 09 Reach Surat with lifelong memories.

Note:

- 01. Alcohol, smoking and chewing pan masala is strictly prohibited.
- 02. No refund will be made against cancellation.
- 03. Do not bring any valuable to the camp. Binoculars and cameras to be brought at owners risk.
- 04. Electric / Mobile / electronic entertainment gadgets are not encouraged.
- 05. Medical facility in the form of first-aid will be available and best care of the participants will be taken.
- 06. Lady volunteers will accompany and take care of female participants.
- 07. If you have a history of any communicable or infectious disease, please mention. Medical certificate is compulsory. Personal Insurance not include.
- 08. The activities listed above are subjected to change.
- 09. It will be the personal responsibility of the participants to take care of their belongings.
- 10. No refund will be given in case the camp gets cancelled due to any unforeseen circumstances, act of God or force majeure. The amount will be adjusted in any other camp of wilderness India and can be used in 2 years from the date of cancelled camp.



Best Snow Trek

Things to Carry :

- Three layers of warm clothes (jackets, fleece jackets and a padded jacket)
- Thermal Clothes (top and bottom)
- Wind & Waterproof jacket
- Two/Three trek pants
- 3-4 t-shirts (Full sleeved, collared/dri-fit)
- Normal Hat/Cap, Woollen Cap, Bandana
- Water proof hand gloves & Woolen Hand gloves
- Socks (4-5 pairs) and a 2 pairs of woolen socks
- Trekking shoes: Carry water proof trekking shoes.
- Sandle / floaters
- Back pack & Rain cover
- Day pack & Rain cover (If hire a mule or porter)
- Hand and Body Warmers, Dark Sunglasses
- Head Lamp with Extra batteries
- Water bottle (1 ltr x 2 nos, insulated type recommended)
- Raincoat / Ponchos
- Sunscreen Lotion & Moisturizer
- Toilet Paper & Wipes
- Snacks – Energy bar, dry fruits, electoral
- Original and photocopy of government photo identity card
- Personal Medicines

Inclusions :

- Train Tickets from Surat to Surat
- Tempo traveler (Rishikesh to Sankri & Sankri to Rishikesh)
- Accommodation (Tent, Home stay & Hotel)
- Rafting in Rishikesh
- Sleeping bag and mat
- Microspikes and Gaiters
- All Meals Sankri to Sankri, Breakfast in Rishikesh
- Professional guide
- Forest permit
- Plate, mug and spoon

Exclusions :

- Food during transit
- Cost of Emergency
- Personal Porter Charges
- Bottled water
- Any personal expense

Cold Air &
Cozy Tent





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