

## **DAYARA BUGYAL ITINERARY**

# **Description:**

The Dayara Bugyal trek which starts from Raithal in Uttarkashi district of Uttarakhand is an easy-moderate level trek suitable for beginners and first-time trekkers and can be done by individuals, families, corporates and, school and college groups alike.

Raithal basecamp and the subsequent campsites offer stunning vistas of the Gangotri range, Black Peak, Bandarpoonch and Draupadi ka Danda. The nearest railway station is Dehradun Railway Station and the nearest airport is Dehradun's Jolly Grant Airport. Uttarkashi is the nearest city.

**NOTE:** We also have a 5 day plan for those who wish to start on Wednesday after work and be back for work on Monday. Click <u>here</u> for more information.

## **DAY 1: DELHI TO DEHRADUN**

We meet at Hazrat Nizamuddin station in Delhi at 2315hrs to catch the Kota Dehradun AC Express at 2350hrs.

## **DAY 2: DEHRADUN TO RAITHAL BASECAMP**

The train will drop us at Dehradun railway station at 0545hrs. We start our drive to Raithal in Uttarkashi district at 0700hrs after about an hour of rest post tea. We will stop for breakfast

and a loo break on the way. We'll cross the beautiful hill towns of Landour and Uttarkashi during our road journey.

By 1330hrs, we will reach the quaint little village of Raithal for lunch. Check-in to your room, have lunch and go around for a nice walk after some rest.

Soup and snacks followed by tea in the evening. Bonfire dinner before we retire for the night.

This is the last spot where you will get electricity and water supply, so charge your phones and power bank. You can leave behind any unnecessary luggage that we do not require for the trek.

#### **DAY 3: RAITHAL TO GUI**

Trek 4.5km over 5hrs to reach Gui. From Raithal, enjoy views of Mt. Srikanth and Gangotri peaks. The trail to Gui ascends gradually, passing village fields, a grassy clearing with a water pump, and a dense oak and rhododendron forest. Gui campsite lies in a small clearing surrounded by woods, with nearby village huts and a forest hut.

Gui Thatch offers breathtaking views of the entire Gangotri range, showcasing peaks like Shrikanth, Gangotri I, II, and III. Directly ahead, you'll spot the majestic Jaonli peak, while to your left, the summit of Bandarpoonch makes its appearance.

## **DAY 4: GUI TO CHILAPADA**

Trek 2.5km over 3hrs to reach Chilapada. The trail from Gui all the way till Chilapada is relatively flat compared to the previous day. The trail goes through beautiful oak forests with mountains peeking through the trees. You'll get your first views of Bandarpoonch as you climb ahead of Gui towards Chilapada.

The trail from Gui Thatch continues for half a kilometre as an easy and relaxed walk through enchanting rhododendron forests. The gentle terrain invites you to take your time, soaking in the serene beauty of the Himalayan landscape.

## **DAY 5: CHILAPADA TO NAYATA**

After breakfast, we start our almost 10km trek to Nayata via Dayara Top. Chilapada offers easy access to Dayara Bugyal, allowing ample time to explore its vast meadows. A short climb through forests reveals stunning views of Bandar Poonch and Kala Nag. In summer, vibrant wildflowers blanket the meadows, while winter transforms them into snowy expanses. Spend hours here before descending to Nayata via a forested trail.

#### DAY 6: NAYATA TO RAITHAL

Begin your trek to Raithal around 9 AM from the Nayata campsite. Follow the main trail descending under dense forest cover. After 15 minutes, pass the rain shelter where you previously diverted to Barnala. An hour later, reach a grassy clearing with a water source for a break. The final descent leads to Raithal, marked by an arch. Raithal basecamp is a short walk further, ending your captivating Dayara Bugyal adventure. The 4-hour trek combines forest serenity and a satisfying conclusion.

#### DAY 7: RAITHAL TO DEHRADUN TO DELHI

After breakfast, we depart for Dehradun railway station via Uttarkashi to catch the Dehradun Shatabdi Express to Delhi at 1655hrs. Lunch will be on the way to the railway station. Dinner will be served on the train. We will reach New Delhi railway station at 2250hrs. Trip ends.

Are you celebrating a special occasion like a birthday or an anniversary? <u>DM us</u> if you would like us to make some special arrangements.

COST PER PERSON: INR <del>37,999</del> 32,449/ - for a minimum group size of 4 people SINGLE SUPPLEMENT: INR 6,499/ - (Option for a separate tent and room for yourself)

## **INCLUSIONS:**

- All travel from Delhi to Dehradun and back to Delhi by AC Tier-2/AC Chair car in train
- All travel from Dehradun and back to Dehradun by road (by non AC vehicle)
- All arrangements for staying in tents and rooms on a twin-sharing basis while on the trip
- All meals from breakfast on Day 2 to dinner on Day 6.
- Sanctuary fee / royalty / permits where applicable.
- All trekking arrangements experienced guiding team, camp staff, cook, etc.
- Porters/mules for personal baggage up to 12 kg.
- Trek insurance

#### **EXCLUSIONS:**

Airfares and Airport Taxes

- Items of personal clothing.
- Expenses of a personal nature like laundry, beverages and snacks.
- Tips for Guide, Cook & Porters.
- Any costs arising out of unforeseen circumstances such as bad weather, landslides, road conditions and any other circumstances beyond our control.
- Only trek insurance is included, no insurance of any other kind is included.

## **Booking & Payment Conditions: -**

At least 50% of the payment should be made in advance at the time of booking to confirm your spot. The remaining 50% must be paid at least 15 days before the date of commencement of travel.

#### **Cancellation Terms**

- 1. An admin fee of Rs. 1200 per person will be deducted in case of cancellation by the customer irrespective of the date of cancellation.
- 2. 100% of the total amount paid, minus the admin fee, will be refunded within 10-15 business days from the date of conclusion of the trip if the travel plan is cancelled by the customer 45 days or more prior to the date of commencement of travel. Alternatively, you can go for another trip within the next 120 days from the date of cancellation by paying the balance amount or getting a refund of the excess amount and avoid paying the admin fee.
- 3. 75% of the total amount paid, minus the admin fee will be refunded within 10-15 business days from the date of conclusion of the trip if the travel plan is cancelled by the customer 30 days or more prior to the date of commencement of travel. Alternatively, you can go for another trip within the next 120 days from the date of cancellation by paying the balance amount or getting a refund of the excess amount and avoid paying the admin fee.
- 4. 50% of the total amount paid, minus the admin fee will be refunded within 10-15 business days from the date of conclusion of the trip if the travel plan is cancelled by the customer 15 days or more prior to the date of commencement of travel. Alternatively, you can go for another trip within the next 120 days from the date of cancellation by paying the balance amount or getting a refund of the excess amount and avoid paying the admin fee.
- 5. No money shall be refunded in case of cancellation of travel plan less than 15 days prior to the date of commencement of travel. Alternatively, you can go for another trip within the next 120 days from the date of cancellation by paying the balance amount or getting

a refund of the excess amount. An admin fee of Rs. 1200 per person will be charged in this case.

- 6. 100% of the amount paid will be refunded to the customer in case of cancellation by Blue Magpie Adventures irrespective of the date of cancellation except in cases of cancellation due to unforeseen circumstances such as bad weather, landslides, road conditions and any other circumstances beyond our control. Alternatively, the customer has the option to avail the amount paid as credit for another trip within 365 days of cancellation by Blue Magpie Adventures plus an additional Rs. 3000 off on their next trip.
- 7. 100% of the amount paid minus an admin fee of Rs. 1200 per person will be credited to the customer for use for any trip in the near future within 120 days of cancellation by Blue Magpie Adventures in cases of cancellation due to unforeseen circumstances such as bad weather, landslides, road conditions and any other circumstances beyond our control.