

Bardia wildlife safari Tour (2 Nights / 3 Days Package)

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Bardia National Park is spread over 968 sq. km located in the western Nepal. It is easily the largest and least disturbed wilderness spread in the terai and is predominantly sal forest sprinkled with tall grasslands. It is bounded on the north by the Churia Hills and is skirted on the west by the Geruwa River. It is here that your chances of spotting a tiger in Nepal are the highest. Other animals include the rhinoceros, swamp deer, leopard, jungle cats, blue bulls, sloth bear, barking deer, and langur. There are a few wild elephants and some of the males are considered the largest in Asia.

The Geruwa River that rushes in through a break in the hill range, is home to the famous mahaseer game fish, gharial, marsh mugger crocodiles and the freshwater Gangetic dolphins. The park also has cobras, kraits and pythons.

The park boasts more than 250 species of birds, including the endangered Bengal florican, Sarus crane and many species of geese, duck and parakeets.

When to visit?

The best time to visit Royal Bardia National Park is from October through June

How to get there?

By surface: Bardia National Park can be reached by direct bus departing every afternoon from Kathmandu, Pokhara and Chitwan National Park.

BY Land: Buses reach at Ambassa, the turn off for the Park, at approximately 3 a.m. to 6 a.m. Forest Hideaway Hotel & Cottage is 13 k.m. from Ambassa. You will be received at Ambassa by our staff, and transferred to the hotel. We will have private transport by car/Jeep/Van/Bus according to the group size as well.

By flight: Flights are available daily from Kathmandu to Nepalgunj. Upon your arrival at Nepalgunj Airport, you will be transferred to the resort by Jeep, which takes 2.5 hours from the airport.

What to bring?

Binoculars, Flashlight, A jacket or sweater from November through February. Lightest clothing with sunglasses and hats from April onwards. Pants should be worn during elephant rides. Bright colors such as red and white should be avoided since those colors have been known to upset the rhinos. Comfortable walking shoes are essential. Please carry only the bare necessities but not jewelers and valuable items. During the warmer months swimming suits are recommended.

Itinerary

Day 01: Flight from Kathmandu to Nepalgunj

Upon your arrival, our staff from the Lodge will receive you. You will then be transferred to the Hotel (88k.m) where you will be offered refreshment & be given a briefing about the programs.

15.00 Village tour to a nearby ethnic Tharu Village where you will learn more about the life and lifestyle of the Tharus.

20.0 Dinner

Day 02: Full Day Activities

06.00 Wake up call.

06.30 Breakfast

07.30 Elephant Ride. An excellent opportunity to see Asian Elephant, Great One Horn Rhinoceros, Spotted Deer or Chital, Hog Deer, Barking Deer, Sambar, Swamp Deer or Barasingha, Nilgai, or Bull, Black Buck, Wild Boar, Royal Bengal Tiger, Leopard, Wild Dog, Golden Jackal, Striped Hyena. You will also encounter many other smaller mammals that have made Bardia their home. Visit to Visitor Center, Crocodile Breeding Center and Tharu Cultural Museum.

13.00 Lunch

15.00 Jungle Walk. An excellent opportunity to see the wild animals, small mammals, birds, and wait in the Tower (Machan) to have the wild sightseeing, accompanied by our experienced naturalists, and wildlife tracker. Excellent photographic opportunities are plentiful.

19.00 Tharu Culture dance

20.00 Dinner

Day 03: Sight Seeing And Departure

06.00 Wake up call

06.30 Breakfast

07.00 Visit to Karnali river for Dolphin sightseeing

12.30 Lunch

13.30 Drive to Nepalgunj airport to catch up your flight to Kathmandu