

## **KASHMIR SPLENDOUR**

**2 NIGHTS SRINAGAR, 1 NIGHT GULMARG, 2 NIGHT PAHALGAM**



**05 NIGHTS / 06 DAYS**

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## **TOUR DETAILS**

**PACKAGE TYPE** : LEISURE TOUR  
**DURATION** : 05 NIGHTS

### **PACKAGE INCLUSIONS:**

- 05 Nights' accommodation on twin sharing basis as per hotels mentioned above
- Daily breakfast & dinner at the hotel
- All sight - seeing as per the itinerary mentioned below.
- All transfers and sightseeing by private Non – A C vehicle.
- Transportation part includes all Toll, taxes (if any), fuel charges, parking charges & driver allowances **(Vehicle will not be at disposal it will be available as per itinerary only) (point to point basis).**
- Airport pick-up and drop
- Shikara ride on Dal Lake (as per itinerary)
- All applicable toll, parking and driver allowances
- All currently applicable hotel taxes

### **PACKAGE EXCLUDES:**

- Any Airfare / Train fare
- Anything not mentioned in the Cost Highlights column
- Personal Expenses such as Laundry, telephone calls, tips & gratuity, portorage.
- Additional sightseeing or extra usage of vehicles, other than mentioned in the itinerary.
- Any cost arising due to natural calamities like road blockage, political disturbances (strikes), etc. (to be borne by the client, who is directly payable on the spot).
- Any increase in taxes or fuel price, leading to increase in cost on surface transportation & land arrangements, which may come into effect prior to departure.
- Any insurance, medical expenses etc.
- Guide Hiring Charges, Entry Fees, Camera charges at Monuments/temples
- Gondola Ride / Pony Ride Etc.

## **SUGGESTED ITINERARY**

### **DAY 01: ARRIVE SRINAGAR**

- Arrive Srinagar airport
- Meet your representative and transfer to hotel / houseboat
- Check in and freshen up at the hotel.



- Afternoon Shikara ride on Dal Lake - Enjoy a leisurely Shikara ride on Dal Lake, gliding past floating vegetable gardens, houseboats and the famous Char Chinar island.
- Arrive back at the hotel
- Evening free at leisure.
- Dinner & overnight stay.

#### **DAY 02: SRINAGAR - GULMARG (52 KMS / 1.5 HRS)**

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Check out and drive to Gulmarg.
- Arrive Gulmarg & check into the hotel. **(Standard check in time at 2 PM)**
- After freshening up depart for sightseeing of Gulmarg, the 'Meadow of Flowers'
- **Optional** Gondola cable car rides up to Kongdoori / Apharwat **(at own cost)** Gulmarg's cable car (Gondola), one of the highest cable cars in the world, takes you up to Kongdoori and further to Apharwat Peak, offering panoramic views of the Himalayas.
- Arrive back to the hotel
- Evening free at Leisure
- Dinner & overnight stay.

#### **DAY 03: GULMARG - PAHALGAM (150 KMS / 4 HRS)**

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Check out and drive to Pahalgam via Srinagar.
- Arrive Srinagar and visit the Mughal Gardens - Nishat Bagh, Shalimar Bagh and Chashme Shahi - **Nishat Bagh, the 'Garden of Joy'**, is the second largest Mughal Garden in Kashmir, laid out along the eastern shore of Dal Lake with the Zabarwan mountains as a backdrop. **Shalimar Bagh** was built by Emperor Jahangir for his wife Nur Jahan and is famous for its terraced lawns, fountains and chinar trees. **Chashme Shahi**, the 'Royal Spring', is a small, terraced garden built around a natural spring believed to have medicinal properties.
- Continue your drive to Pahalgam
- Arrive Pahalgam and check in hotel
- Dinner & overnight stay.

#### **DAY 04: PAHALGAM LOCAL SIGHTSEEING**

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Depart for the Full day excursion by local shared cab **(at own cost)** covering Betaab Valley, Aru Valley and Chandanwari. **Betaab Valley**, named after the Bollywood film shot here, is a lush green valley surrounded by pine forests and snow-capped peaks along the Lidder river. **Aru Valley** is a picturesque hamlet known for its meadows, pine forests and as the base for treks to Kolahoi Glacier. **Chandanwari**, the starting point of the Amarnath Yatra, is known for its snow bridges and the Sheshnag mountain views.



- Spend your evening at the banks of River Lidder.
- Arrive back to the hotel for dinner & overnight stay.

#### **DAY 05: PAHALGAM - SRINAGAR (95 KMS / 2.5 HRS)**

- Breakfast and check out, drive back to Srinagar
- En-route visit Awantipora ruins.
- Arrive Srinagar and check into the hotel.
- Depart for the sightseeing of Mughal Gardens - Nishat Bagh and Shalimar Bagh Nishat Bagh, the 'Garden of Joy', is the second largest Mughal Garden in Kashmir, laid out along the eastern shore of Dal Lake with the Zabarwan mountains as a backdrop. Shalimar Bagh was built by Emperor Jahangir for his wife Nur Jahan and is famous for its terraced lawns, fountains and chinar trees.
- Evening free for shopping at Lal Chowk
- Arrive back to the hotel for dinner & overnight stay.

#### **DAY 06: DEPART SRINAGAR**

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Check out and transfer to Srinagar airport for onward journey.

**\*\*\*\*\*BON VOYAGE\*\*\*\*\***