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HARDWAR – YAMUNOTRI – GANGOTRI – KEDARNATH – BADRINATH- HARDWAR (TOUR NO: 11)

No of Persons allowed per Ticket: 1

Reporting Time: One day before departure (Pre Night Thursday accommodation included)

Reporting Location: Rahi Motel,Hardwar

Duration: 10 Days

Frequency: Friday

Mode of Transport: By AC Innova

Period	Adult	Child	Sr.Citizen
May to Jun	41700	41700	38350
Jul to Aug	33400	33400	30650
Sep to Oct	41700	41700	38350

Start

Day 01 HAR KI PAURI-BARKOT-JANKI CHATTI

07:00 AM - 01:00 PM (After Tea / Breakfast)

Location Name: **Har Ki Pauri**

The Har Ki Pauri is the most famous ghat on the banks of the Ganges at Haridwar. This is the ghat that witnesses the daily Aarti ritual and welcomes crowds which flock the banks for the Aarti. The Har ki Pauri is also known as Brahmakund and mythology suggests that Lord Shiva and Lord Vishnu had visited this place during the Vedic times. A temple is built around a large foot mark which is believed to be the imprints of Lord Vishnu. Budget and Luxury hotels are located near the Har ki Pauri to house all types of visitors and guests who visit Haridwar.

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM (Via Mussoorie, visit Kempty Falls enroute)

Location Name: **Barkot**

When you are in Barkot, visit the popular Kempty Falls via Mussoorie. This man-made waterfall was developed some 150 years ago.

02:00 PM - 05:30 PM (After Lunch)

Location Name: **Barkot**

Barkot is a town and a nagar palika in Uttarkashi District in the state of Uttarakhand, India. It is located on the banks of the Yamuna river.

05:30 PM - 10:00 PM (Dinner & Night Halt)

Location Name: **Janki Chatti**

It is the midpoint of the trek to Yamunotri which is accessible by jeeps. Janki Chatti is situated 7kms before Yamunotri and this place is popular for thermal springs

Day 02 JANKI CHATTI TO YAMUNOTRI TO JANKI CHATTI TO BARKOT

06:00 AM - 09:00 AM (After morning tea)

Location Name: **Janki Chatti**

After your morning tea, head to the next destination from Janki Chatti.

09:00 AM - 10:00 AM (Holy dip/puja /darshan / breakfast)

Location Name: **Yamunotri Temple**

Yamunotri is one of the Char Dhams and is also the first place to visit in the Char Dham Circuit. Thousands of tourists visit the Yamunotri temple of Goddess Yamuna from April to October. Yamunotri temple was constructed by Maharaja Pratap Shah of Tehri Garhwal. The temple holds great significance amongst the Hindus as the place is the source of the Yamuna River which is one of the major rivers of India. This sacred temple is located at 3,235mts above sea level and it could be reached by an easy trek of 13kms. Barkot is situated 49kms before Yamunotri.

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (On the way to Janki Chatti)

Location Name: **Yamunotri Temple**

After the morning darshan at Yamunotri temple, it's time to come back to Janki Chatti.

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (Lunch break)

Location Name: **Janki Chatti**

Stop at Janki Chatti for a hearty lunch.

12:00 PM - 05:00 PM (On the way to Barkot)

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05:00 PM - 10:00 PM (Dinner & night halt)

Location Name: **Barkot**

Stop at Barkot for dinner and spend the night here.

Day 03 BARKOT TO GANGOTRI

06:30 AM - 12:00 PM (After tea / breakfast)

Location Name: **Barkot**

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12:00 PM - 02:00 PM (Lunch break / visit Vishwanath temple)

Location Name: **Gangotri**

One of the main religious places among the four Char Dham pilgrimage areas, Gangotri, situated in Uttarkashi, is closely related to Goddess Ganga, the river that we know as Ganges. The history of Gangotri dates back to centuries when Goddess Ganga transformed herself into a river to dissolve the sins of King Bhagirath's forefathers, following his penance. Gangotri is a popular pilgrim place in India, which stands at an altitude of 3042m and emits a highly pious aura. Religious rituals are in full swing in the Gangotri temple with the aarti ceremony performed by the pujaris of the Semwal family. The river Ganga originates from the Gangotri glacier and is known as Bhagirathi. The name Ganga picks up later on after the river passes Devprayag and merges into the river Alakananda. The striking presence of the snow-clad mountains in the vicinity and the pure crystal clear water of the Ganges flowing around add to the sanctity of the place. Vegan food dominates the culture and is available in the local food joints or dhabas. Non-vegetarian food and alcoholic drinks are a strict no-no.

02:00 PM - 05:00 PM (On the way to Gangotri)

Location Name: **Gangotri**

Witness the vibrant aarti ceremony performed by the pujaris of the Semwal family in Gangotri.

05:00 PM - 10:00 PM (Temple visit / puja darshan)

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Day 04 GANGOTRI

06:30 AM - 12:30 PM (After tea / breakfast)

Location Name: **Gangotri**

Gangotri is situated near the Shivaling Peak in the Himalayas. The temple is at 3,145m above sea level.

12:30 PM - 02:00 PM (On the way to Uttarkashi)

Location Name: **Gangotri**

After breakfast, start for Uttarkashi.

02:00 PM - 05:00 PM (After lunch)

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05:00 PM - 10:00 PM (Dinner & night halt)

Location Name: **Gangotri**

Have your dinner at Gangotri and spend the night here.

Day 05 GANGOTRI TO RUDRAPRAYAG

06:00 AM - 01:00 PM (After tea/breakfast)

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01:00 PM - 02:00 PM (Lunch break)

Location Name: **Rudraprayag**

Rudraprayag is a town and a municipality in Rudraprayag district in the Indian state of Uttarakhand. Rudraprayag is one of the Panch Prayags of Alaknanda River, the point of confluence of rivers Alaknanda and Mandakini.

02:00 PM - 05:00 PM (On the way to Rampur)

Location Name: **Rudraprayag**

After lunch, travel towards Rampur.

05:00 PM - 10:00 PM (Dinner & night halt)

Location Name: **Rudraprayag**

Stop at Rudraprayag for dinner and the entire night.

Day 06 RUDRAPRAYA TO GAURIKUND TO KEDARNATH

07:00 AM - 08:00 AM (After tea)

Location Name: **Rudraprayag**

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08:00 AM - 01:00 PM (Breakfast halt & arrangement of doli / pony)

Location Name: **Gaurikund**

Halt at Gaurikund for breakfast. Make sure to arrange for a pony or a palanquin (if needed) for the onward trek.

01:00 PM - 05:00 PM (Lunch enroute)

Location Name: **Gaurikund**

It is the base for the Kedarnath trek. The village has hot water springs and a temple dedicated to Goddess Gauri.

05:00 PM - 10:00 PM (Darshan / pooja / aarti / dinner & night halt)

Location Name: **Kedarnath**

Kedarnath is a town in the Indian state of Uttarakhand and has gained importance because of Kedarnath Temple. It is a nagar panchayat in Rudraprayag district.

Day 07 KEDARNATH TO GAURIKUND TO RUDRAPRAYAG

08:00 AM - 01:00 PM (Morning pooja / darshan & tea / breakfast)

Location Name: **Kedarnath**

Visit the Kedarnath temple for morning pooja and darshan. It is a nagar panchayat in Rudraprayag district.

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM (Lunch halt)

Location Name: **Gaurikund**

It is the base for the Kedarnath trek. The village has hot water springs and a temple dedicated to Goddess Gauri.

02:00 PM - 05:00 PM (On the way to Rudraprayag)

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05:00 PM - 10:00 PM (Dinner & night halt)

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Day 08 RUDRAPRAYAG TO JOSHIMATH TO BADRINATH

08:00 AM - 12:00 PM (After tea / breakfast)

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12:00 PM - 01:00 PM (Visit Narsingh temple /Jyotirmath)

Location Name: **Joshimath**

Joshimath is one of the four 'maths' created by Adi Shankaracharya. Joshimath is the home of Shri Badrinath during winters.

Joshimath is connected with Auli by the highest cable car of Asia. Joshimath is situated at an elevation of 1,890mts above sea level. Do visit Kalpavriksha and Narsingh temple while on a visit to Joshimath. It is situated 14kms from Joshimath.

01:00 PM - 02:30 PM (After lunch)

Location Name: **Joshimath**

Joshimath is the winter seat for Lord Badri.

02:30 PM - 10:00 PM (Evening aarti/ darshan/ pooja/ dinner/ night halt)

Location Name: **Badrinath temple**

Badrinath is the most sacred dham of India. It is located at an elevation of 3,133mts above sea level in the Chamoli district of Uttarakhand state. This dham was established by Adi Shankaracharya in the 9th century. The deity of Badrinath temple is Lord Vishnu. The temple is situated on the right bank of the holy Alaknanda River.

Day 9 BADRINATH TO JOSHIMATH TO CHAMOLI

09:00 AM - 12:00 PM (After Tea / Breakfast, visit Mana village)

Location Name: **Badrinath Temple**

The Badrinath town is situated between the Nar and Narayana mountain ranges.

12:00 PM - 02:00 PM (Lunch break enroute/ visit Auli by cable car on own payment basis)

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02:00 PM - 05:00 PM (Lunch break at Joshimath)

Location Name: **Joshimath**

Joshimath is the winter seat for Lord Badri. Stop here for lunch.

05:00 PM - 10:00 PM (Dinner & night halt)

Location Name: **Chamoli**

Chamoli, the abode of Gods, reputed for its shrines and temples, birthplace of 'Chipko Movement' with its strategic significance is one of the hill districts of Uttarakhand. Chamoli has proved itself to be the most spectacular in its natural assets; be it maintaining the scenery, valley aspects, water edges, floristic varieties, dramatic landform or the climatic cardinalities.

Day 10 CHAMOLI TO RISHIKESH TO HAR KI PAURI

06:30 AM - 01:00 PM (After tea / breakfast enroute)

Location Name: **Chamoli**

Have your tea at Chamoli and leave for Rishikesh

01:00 PM - 02:00 PM (Lunch break)

Location Name: **Rishikesh**

Rishikesh is a city in India's northern state of Uttarakhand, in the Himalayan foothills beside the Ganges River. The river is considered holy, and the city is renowned as a center for studying yoga and meditation.

02:00 PM - 05:00 PM (Tour concludes)

Location Name: **Har Ki Pauri**

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