



## **Ghorepani Poon Hill Trek Itinerary**

### **Day 1: Arrival in Nepal**

We will be waiting to greet you when you arrive at the airport. After welcoming you, we will take you to the hotel. After entering the hotel you will be refreshed and explore around there. In the evening, we will take you for dinner at a place where traditional Nepalese dances will be performed. Overnight stay at Hotel.

### **Day 2: Sightseeing in Kathmandu on World Heritage Side**

We will start today with a nice breakfast. After breakfast, we will leave to visit the places listed on the World Heritage Site recognized by UNESCO. In the beginning, we will go to Swayambhunath Temple, where you can get information about history, art, Buddhism, and culture, and you can also see the view of the beautiful Kathmandu valley. After that, we will leave to visit Bhaktapur Durbar Square. In Bhaktapur Durbar Square we can also learn about the old art culture, traditions, customs, and life stories of residents. After visiting here, we will go to a restaurant for lunch. After taking food, we will visit Boudhanath Stupa or Pashupatinath Temple. If you want to know more about Buddhism and related issues, we will visit Boudhanath Stupa, or if you want to know about Hinduism and related issues, then we will visit Pashupatinath Temple. Both these places are equally important and historical. Overnight stay at Hotel.

Sightseeing Places:

Swayambhunath Stupa

Bhaktapur Durbar Square

Pashupatinath Temple

Boudhanath Stupa

### **Day 3: Kathmandu to Pokhara by Drive: (Flight Optional)**

We will take a tourist bus from Kathmandu to the city of Lakes Pokhara early today. Before going to Pokhara, we will have Breakfast, if it will not have time to eat breakfast, we will pack breakfast and eat it on the Bus. We will reach Pokhara in about 5 to 6 hours. The journey from Kathmandu to Pokhara will be 200 km.

Landscapes, green forests, waterfalls, streams, mountains, etc. can be seen on the way to Pokhara. Overnight stay at a hotel in Pokhara.

#### **Day 4: Pokhara to Nayapul by drive early morning, Trek start to Ulleri (2210m) from Nayapul – 5/6 hours**

Today early in the morning after breakfast, we will go to Nayapul by private vehicle, which will take approximately 2 hours. After arriving in Nayapul and our trek begins from here. You will check your permits and TIMS card in Birethanti and gently climb to Tikhe Dhunga on the following roadway.

After crossing the suspension bridge of Thikhe Dhunga, you will climb up to steep terrain. It takes approximately 5 to 6 hours to the overnight Tea House in Ulleri. This day might be the hardest day for you compared to other days.

#### **Day 5: Trek to Ghorepani (2860m) from Ulleri -5/6 hours**

Today we will start our hiking after breakfast, beginning hour is quite steep like the last hours of yesterday. Reaching out to the forest after Ban Thati the trekking trails become easier. Passing the forest and Nange Thati village, we head on to Ghorepani Village." Ghore- Horse, Pani- Water" which means there was a small spring water pool, and horses used to drink water in here.

Nowadays this place is popular by the name Ghorepani. Overnight stay in the Tea House of Ghorepani. Several mountains can be seen from here such as Annapurna South (7219m), Hiuchuli (6441m), Fishtail (6997), Annapurna I (8091m), Dhaulagiri (8167m), etc.

#### **Day 6: Early in the morning, hike to Poonhill (3210m) and back to the hotel and Trek to Tadapani (2630m) from Ghorepani – 5/6 hours**

One and half hours earlier of sunrise, we will start to hike on steps into Poonhill to catch the sunrise view including a splendid view of the Mountains. Of course, will be cold before sunrise and you can get Hot Water and Tea in the tea shop of Poon Hill. You can wave your hand to beautiful mountains like Dhampus Peak, Nilgiri, Dhaulagiri, Annapurna First (Bara Shikha), and Fishtails, Gandharba Chuli, Annapurna South, Hiuchuli, Annapurna and Lamjung ranges. Spending a time half an hour to an hour, you will back to the hotel and pack your bag.

After breakfast, you will head on to Tadapani. The trail to Tadapani starts on quite a steep terrain until the Deurali pass. Deurali Pass is a nice viewpoint as like as and as high as Poonhill. We will start to walk into the forest after Deurali pass. It takes almost three to four hours to cross the forest and climbing the last one-hour step up through the jungle you will reach Tadapani. Overnight stay in Tadapani.

#### **Day 7: Trek to Ghandruk (1940m) from Tadapani -3/4 hours**

Today, if the sky is clear you can have another chance to see a sunrise view from your accommodation. After breakfast, we descend to Ghandruk village through the jungle way to have a short hike on the trek. Ghandruk village is known as one of the largest Gurung villages in Annapurna. Gurung from this village is fierce and loyal Gurkha soldiers in both the British and Indian armies. Do not forget to take an experience of Gurung Museum, Traditional Dress up, and Annapurna Documentary here. White Mountains look very nearby this Village. Overnight in Ghandruk.

#### **Day 8: Trek to Nayapul from Ghandruk and drive to Pokhara – 5/6 hours**

Today is the final day of this trek. After breakfast will say bye-bye to this beautiful, peaceful village and mountains this time. We head to Nayapul passing through Siwai village, Syauli Bazaar, and BireThati. We will check out your permits and TIMs card here and walk to Nayapul. You can take a vehicle to get to Pokhara. It takes just an Hour and a half to two hours. Overnight stay in Hotel.

### **Day 9: Pokhara Exploration**

Today after breakfast you will explore in Hindu Temple called "Taal Barahi Mandir" or hike to Peace Pagoda Monastery boating through Fewa Lake. It takes around an hour to hike up and half an hour to get down from Monastery. Or you will visit David Falls and Mahendra Cave by taking a car there. The rest of the time of the day is yours. You can enjoy your day in Pokhara as your wish. Overnight in Pokhara.

### **Day 10: Drive back to Kathmandu from Pokhara (Flight optional)**

Today, after breakfast you will go to the Tourist Bus station to take a tourist bus to get back to Kathmandu. You may take a car to get to the Tourist Bus station or walk. It takes 5-10 min by car and half an hour to forty minutes by walk from Lakeside's Hotel. Your Bus leave from Pokhara at 7:00 AM.

You will get back to Kathmandu in the same way you took on your third day to get to Pokhara from Kathmandu. It will take around 6 hours to get to Kathmandu. You have the option to fly over Kathmandu from Pokhara by Plane. It takes only 27 minutes. Overnight in Thamel, Kathmandu.

### **Day 11: Airport Departure**

We will drop you at Airport by private vehicle. This day is the last day of your Nepal stay for this time. We are hoping to meet up again and provide more services. Have to say bye-bye now.

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