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7. Tribal stories(Imphal-Kohima-Majuli-KZR )

**DAY 1 : ARRIVAL IMPHAL**

ACTIVITY: Transfer

Welcome to Imphal! Upon arrival at the airport we shall be waiting for you to transfer you to Hotel. After check in, visit historic **Govindajee Temple.** Later come back to Hotel.

*Recommendation: Early arrival in Imphal*

Accommodation: Hotel/Resort/Homestay in Imphal.

TERRAIN: Plains

**DAY 2: IMPHAL**

ACTIVITY: Transfer

After breakfast, you will spend full day exploring Imphal city. The sightseeing here includes **Kangla Fort**, **Imphal Museum**, Iskon Temple, Polo Ground and Shahid Minar, **KwhairambandKeithel** popularly known as **Ima Market**, **World War II cemetry**. Kangla Fort. Later come back to Hotel.

Accommodation: Hotel/Resort/Homestay in Imphal.

TERRAIN: Plains

**DAY 3: IMPHAL – KOHIMA**

ACTIVITY: Transfer

After breakfast transfer from Imphal to Kohima, later visit local market in Kohima.

Accommodation: Hotel/Resort/Homestay in Kohima.

TERRAIN: Plains -> Hills

**DAY 4: KOHIMA – KHONOMA – KOHIMA (25 KMS / 2-3 Hrs)**

ACTIVITY: Sightseeing

Today we will travel to **Khonoma Village** which is about 25 kms from Kohima. It takes a little more than an hour to cover the distance because of the bumpy roads. Khonoma is a historical village...The villagers had put up great resistance to the invading British troops. The village has also been declared as a Green Village because of its successful conservation programme. We will also try and see a cultural presentation in the village. Other villages to visit are **Zakhama Village** and Visit the **Kisama Village** to see the **Hornbill ground** – There you can see the dormitories of all the tribes of Nagaland.

Sightseeings in Kohima **2nd world war cemetery**, **State Museum**, **Zoological Park**, **Mary Help of Christians Cathedral**.

Accommodation: Hotel/Resort/Homestay in Kohima.

TERRAIN: Hills

**DAY 5: KOHIMA – MOKOKCHUNG (165 KMS / 2-3 Hrs)**

ACTIVITY: Transfer

After breakfast, transfer to Mokokchung. After lunch – day at leisure/visit local Ao market.

**Mokokchung:** It is situated at an altitude of 4347 feet, Mokokchung is the home of the Ao Naga tribe. According to the legends the Aos sprung up from “Longtrok” which means “six stones”. In the past, Mokokchung was one of the preliminary locations in the Naga Hills, where the British had established their presence in the late 19th century. Later on, arrival of Christian missionaries to Mokokchung had brought a different image in the field of education and today it is having the highest literacy in the state with an average literacy rate of 84 %.

Accommodation: Hotel/Resort/Homestay in Mokokchung.

TERRAIN: Hills

**DAY 6: MOKOKCHUNG – MON (165 KMS / 2-3 Hrs)**

ACTIVITY: Transfer

After breakfast, transfer to Mon. Enroute Visit Pyramids of Ahom Dynasty and First Fortified Palace of Ahom.

Accommodation: Hotel/Resort/Homestay in Mon.

TERRAIN: Hills

**DAY 7: MON**

ACTIVITY: Transfer

After breakfast visit Longwa Village, bordering India and Burma, situated about 50 km from the district headquarters of Mon. It is one of the biggest villages in the district, some portions of this village lie in India and some in Myanmar. However, it is controlled by a chief known as Angh. Half of the house of the chief falls in India and the other half in Myanmar. The lucky villagers enjoy two citizenships, one of India and the other of Burma. It is the place where coal mine was discovered in 1907. A visit to the village will acquaint you with the culture of the tribe. They are skilled in making exquisite handicrafts. Later on visit the ShanhahChingnyu village, where still you might find human skulls kept as a head hunting trophy. Later return to Mon Village. Night in basic guest house or homestay.

*We recommend you to opt for the services of a local guide in order to get a real taste of the Konyak lifestyle.*

Accommodation: Hotel/Resort/Homestay in Mon.

TERRAIN: Hills

**DAY 8: MON – MAJULI (180 KMS + 45 Min Ferry Ride / 3-4 Hrs)**

ACTIVITY: Transfer

After breakfast, transfer to the Asia’s biggest river island and Epitome of the Assamese culture – “Majuli”. Visit various monasteries here. Special attraction is SamaguriSatra – Mask Making out of Bamboo and Clay, AunatiSatra – One of the oldest serving monastery, Uttar KamalabariSatra – It’s the centre for the cultural studies and its disciples and performed cultural programmes of the Gayan Bayan dance.

*Optional: Gayan Bayan Dance (Had to be pre-booked)*

Accommodation: Hotel/Resort/Homestay in Majuli.

TERRAIN: Plains -> Plains (River Island)

**DAY 9: MAJULI**

ACTIVITY: Sightseeing

Full day explore Majuli River Island.

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*Optional: Gayan Bayan Dance (Had to be pre-booked)*

Accommodation: Hotel/Resort/Homestay in Majuli.

TERRAIN: Plains -> Plains (River Island)

**DAY 10: MAJULI – KAZIRANGA (Ferry Ride – 50Mins) + (100 KMS / 2-3 Hrs)**

ACTIVITY: Transfer

After Breakfast, transfer to Kaziranga National Park, the home of "One Horned Rhinoceros". You can opt to have a afternoon Jeep Safari/Game Drive. Evening free for leisure or explore the local market.

Accommodation: Hotel/Resort/Homestay in Kaziranga.

TERRAIN: Plains

**DAY 11: KAZIRANGA NATIONAL PARK**

ACTIVITY: Game Drive + Elephant Ride

Early morning Elephant Ride (Either Central “KOHORA” or Western Range “BAGORI”)
*(****Optional:*** *Unless it is mentioned in the inclusion)*.

Probable sighting during the Elephant Ride: One Horn Rhino is the major attraction, apart from that other species are Hog Deer, Swamp Deer, Asiatic Water Buffalo, Asian Elephants and if you are lucky then Royal Bengal Tiger. Later return back to hotel/Resort for breakfast.

Ride timings: 5.30 AM/6.30 AM/ 7.30 AM

After breakfast you can visit “**Kaziranga orchid and Biodiversity Park**” and Tea Garden. Even visit Hathikhuli Tea outlet – for direct tea retail outlet by Hathikhuli Tea Garden for organic CTC and organic Green Tea.

Afternoon 2.00 PM you will have **JEEP SAFARI/GAME DRIVE** in Central range/Western Range.
*(****Optional:*** *Unless it is mentioned in the inclusion)*.

*Optional: Bihu Dance/ Karbi Dance (For groups and had to be pre booked)*

Accommodation: Hotel/Resort in Kohora.

TERRAIN: Plains

**DAY 12: KAZIRANGA NATIONAL PARK – GUWAHATI – DEPARTURE (250 KMS / 4-5 Hrs)**

ACTIVITY: Transfer

After Breakfast, you will road back to Guwahati Airport / Railway station for your departure.

**End of Services.**