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DAYARA BUGYAL TREK



Dayara Bugyal is one of the vast grasslands in India which covers an area of about 28 kilometers at an altitude of 3,408 m. Thus, Dayara Bugyal offers a plethora of magnificence during every season making it an ideal trek for beginners. 'Bugyal' in the local dialect means high altitude meadow or pasture lands. 'Nature's own garden' as one may describe it, is nestled between the Deodar, Pine, Oak and Rhododendron forest. It is home to the rich wildlife that includes wild fox, porcupine, wild boar and many more. Birds like Himalayan Monal, Vulture, Snow Pigeon, Robin and Rosefinch are also easily sighted here. It is a perfect summer trek to witness the green meadows with the backdrop of the mighty Himalayas. These lush green meadows are developed into snowwhite ski slopes during the winter season. Thus, in the winter season it is frequented by adventure lovers to take pleasure in Nordic as well as Alpine skiing.



SHORT ITINERARY

DAY 1	DRIVE FROM DEHRADUN TO BARSU.
DAY 2	TREK FROM BARSU TO BARNALA TAL.
DAY 3	TREK FROM BARNALA TAL TO DAYARA TOP TO BARNALA TAL.
DAY 4	TREK FROM BARNALA TAL TO BARSU AND DRIVE TO DEHRADUN.







DETAILED ITINERARY

Day 1 - DRIVE DEHRADUN TO BARSU (186 KM, 9 HOURS).

- It will be a drive of 186 Km from Dehradun, the cab will pick you up from Dehradun Railway Station / Mussoorie Bus Stand at 7:00 AM.
- Trekkers will be notified with details of the cab a day before your trek start day..!
- We start our drive from Dehradun to Barsu early in the morning. The drive is visually appealing as the route is a mix of changing mountain terrain and the colours of holy river Bhagirathi as we go deeper into the valley.
- Ourdrive ends as we reach village Barsu. Barsu is a ranquil village which is frequented by trekkers as it is the base-camp of Dayara Bugyal trek. The locals are devotees of Nag Devta and the village has a temple dedicated to Nag Devta.
- The day ends with a relaxing dinner and an overnight stay in a homestay.

Day 2 - TREK 5 KM BARSU (7670ft) TO BARNALA TAL (9100ft).

- After early morning breakfast and tea, a briefing session would be conducted by the trek leader sharing all the necessary details about the trekking trails. After morning exercise we will have our breakfast and start the trek around 8 AM for our first camp Juda Ka Talab.
- You will cover a total of 5 km of distance today. The village perishes behind the forest trail as we ascend ahead of Barsu on the well-marked trail. The trail goes through an oak & rhododendron forest which finally leads us to a small patch of ameadow. The meadow is home to the beautiful Barnala Tal which is a natural high altitude lake and the holy Nag Devta Temple at one corner of the lake.
- overnight stay near by barnala lake.



Day 3 - TREK 8KM BARLANA (9100 ft) TO DAYARA BUGYAL TOP (12100 ft) AND BACK TO BARLANA TAL.

- Today is the most visually mesmerizing day of the entire Dayara bugyal trek.
- Get up early morning to see the golden glow of snow-clad peaks.
- The trek starts through the forest trail in the morning. As we ascend leaving the forest trail behind we are greeted with some shepherd huts called Chani in the local dialect. As we pass the huts the meadow, Dayara Bugyal welcomes us with thebackdrop of the snow capped Himalayan peaks.
- The lush green expanse of 28 square kilometers has streams and rivers that originate in this alpine meadow. The majestic Himalayan peaks, including Srikanth, Gangotri, Draupadi ka Danda, Jaonli, Bandarpunch and Swargarohini are visible from the meadow. We enjoy our time at Dayara top and after relaxing we trek back to Barnala Tal.
- overnight stay at our same Barlana campsite.

Day 4 - TREK 5KM BARLANA TAL (9100ft) TO BARSU VILLAGE AND DRIVE 186KM TO DEHRADUN.

- The trek starts early in the morning as we descend from Barana Tal to village Barsu.
- The local community in Barsu is involved in agriculture but over the recent years Barsu has seen a surge in tourism. Thus, a number of guesthouses for tourists have come up bringing in employment. The locals also work as guides, cooks and porters.
- The day ends as we drive 186km from Barsu to Dehra Dun filled with the memories of the beautiful Dayara Bugyal.

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INCLUSIONS

- 1 Nights in a guest house / Homestay on a sharing basis. 2 Nights stay in a tent on a triple, quad sharing basis.
- Transportation from Dehradun Barsu Dehradun by Sumo / Bolero / Tempo Traveller (Depends on the number of travelers).
- All Meals from (Day 1 Dinner to Day 4 Breakfast) are included. We provide simple nutritious vegetarian food on all days of the trek. Breakfast, lunch, Evening Tea with light snacks or soup and dinner. Tent, Sleeping bags, Mattress, Dining tent, Toilet tent.
- Qualified and Experienced Trek leader and support staff.
- Trekking Equipment: Gaiters, Micro Spikes.
- All necessary forest fees and permits.
- Basic First Aid kit

EXCLUSIONS

- Meals during transit, any extra meals apart from the ones mentioned under inclusions.
- Travel Insurance, items of personal nature like porterage, tips, laundry etc, Any Kind of Expense for Loss / Misplaced / Theft of personal belongings.
- Any other costing involved due to circumstances like natural calamity, weather conditions, riots, roadblocks, landslides or
- any other forced circumstances which are out of our control. Anything which is not mentioned in the above inclusions.



COST PER PERSON

DEHRADUN TO DEHRADUN	INR 6999 + 5% GST
BARSU TO BARSU	INR 4999 + 5% GST

COST FOR DOUBLE SHARING IS INR 1500 PER PERSON EXTRA. COST FOR OFFLOADING BAGPACK (12KG) IS INR 1200 FOR ENTIRE TREK.

BANK DETAILS

Ac. Name - Northern Himalayas Ac. Number- 50200055984102 IFSC CODE : HDFC0009516

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BOOKING PROCESS

You may make this payment by UPI, Cash, Online, or NEFT. Once you done the payment kindly provide us the payment detail through an email and whatsapp. Payment procedure: To confirm your registration you need to pay at least (RS 2000) 30% of the Trip fee as an advance and the Rest of the balance is to be paid 2 days prior of the trip. (Through Bank Transfer) alternatively, you can pay on the day of departure after meeting us. seats are booked on a first come first reserved basis.

THE CANCELLATION CHARGES ARE AS UNDER :

1.If cancellations are made 30 days before the start date of the trip, 50% of the trip cost will be charged as cancellation fees. 2.If cancellations are made 15-30 days before the start date of the trip, 75% of the trip cost will be charged as cancellation fees. 3.If cancellations are made within 0-15 days before the start date of the trip, 100% of the trip cost will be charged as cancellation fees. 4.In the case of unforeseen weather conditions or government restrictions, certain activities may be canceled and in such cases, the operator will try his best to provide an alternate feasible activity. However, no refund will be provided for the same. 5.No cancellations will be taken over phone calls or WhatsApp messages. Please reply to the email of the payment receipt that you received at the time of booking regarding the cancellation. 6.If a trek/trip cannot be completed due to natural calamity/unforeseen circumstances (like rain, snowfall, earthquake, landslides, strike, bandh, etc.). No refund would be provided.



TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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- Full Payment of the Trek cost must be made before the trek begins. Pending Payments may eventually lead to the Cancellation of the trek.
- No refunds shall be made towards any inclusion(s) not availed by the trekker.
- Trekkers must take care of their luggage & provided equipments. The management shall not be responsible for any damage or any missing items along the trek.
- The time of Departure is stated & fixed. All travelers must update their status with the coordinator(s), & report at the pickup point 30 mins prior to the scheduled departure. Anyone missing the bus shall not be eligible for any refunds. We shall call you twice before the schedule departure.
- Drinking & Smoking are strictly prohibited along the tour due to health & safety concerns. If found flouting the rules, your participation on the trek will be canceled with immediate effect. Our tours involve physically demanding activities such as trekking, camping at high altitudes and we recommend for you to be in the right shape to make most of them.
- Drop out during trek: If for any reason a participant has to drop out from the trek on any day then We will help the trekker to reach the nearest road head.
- No act of misconduct or indiscipline shall be tolerated on the trek. We are a cordial travel community and we aspire to bring to you a hassle free and memorable experience.
- Northern himalayas shall not be responsible for any delays or alterations in the program or indirectly incurred expenses in cases such as Natural Hazards, accident, breakdown of machinery, weather conditions, landslides, political closure or any untoward incidents.
- We do not provide any insurance policy to cover for the expenditure on sickness or accidents or losses incurred due to theft or other reasons.
- Numerous factors such as weather and road conditions the physical ability of participants etc. may bring alteration in the itinerary. We reserve the right to make necessary changes in the schedule in the interest of safety, comfort and general well- being!
- All extras are to be paid directly to the hotels/the service providers.
- Please stick to itinerary, changing the itinerary anything extra shall be chargeable (at the location itself.)
- The Air Conditioning will be switched off in the hills. Also, during the trip, it shall be the Driver's discretion to put off the AC as & when required, considering the travelers' safety & ease of travel along uneven & dangerous routes.



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THINGS TO CARRY

- Rucksack
- (Min 55 Ltrs with rain cover)
- Day backpack (20 30 Ltrs)
- Floaters or Sandals
- waterproof Trekking Shoes
- 3 Quick Dry T-shirt.
- 2 warm fleece
- 2 Track Pants
- 5 Pair of Cotton Socks
- 1 Pair of Woolen Socks
- 1 down Jacket
- 1 Pair of Thermal
- Quick-dry towel
- Windproof Jacket
- Sun Cap
- woolen Cap
- 1 Poncho
- Gloves
- 1 Scarf or Balaclava

- Lip Balm
- Cold Cream
- SunScreen (SPF 40+) Antibacterial powder
- Water Bottle 1 Ltr. (Reusable) thermosteel bottle 1 Ltr.
- Headlamp or torch
- Bag for all your Toiletries Toilet paper
- Personal Medication & Basic Medical Kit
- Dark Sunglasses
- Trekking Pole
- Mobile charger / Power bank
- identification Documents
- camera
- Lunch box.

