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# Luxury Ghandruk Ghorepani Jeep Tour & Trek - 5 Days

## Jeep Ride and Trekking ratio during Ghandruk to Ghorepani Jeep Tour

Ghandruk to Ghorepani Jeep Tour combined with a short and moderate hike to explore the taste of Annapurna Region in a short period of time. This is perfect for those willing to explore the Annapurna panorama, lifestyle and culture in places like Ghandruk and Ghorepani in the Annapurna region. Though this program includes famous trekking destinations, it is an easy option that escapes long walking hours.

During our Ghandruk to Ghorepani jeep tour the sparkling glaciers, quaint villages, and a sunrise will leave you speechless. Forget the demanding long treks, this 4-day Jeep tour adventure to Ghorepani via Ghandruk unfolds comfortably on scenic jeep rides, allowing you to soak in the majestic Annapurna region's beauty at your own pace.

# Glimpsing a Panoramic Paradise of Annapurna, Nepal

On our Jeep tour from Ghandruk to Ghorepani, we travel through valleys carpeted with emerald rice terraces. Traditional villages painted in vibrant hues cling to hillsides that whisper the tales of a timeless culture. We can stop by and get insight into the lifestyle, history, and culture of the settlements. Whereas, the major inhabitants of the region are the Gurung and Magar people. Though the prolonged trekking program to Ghorepani/Ghandruk would offer more insight into the lifestyle and cultural aspects, the Jeep tour adventure also provides a remarkable experience.

Along with short and moderate trekking in some part of the trip, we traverse various settlements during the off-road Jeep ride from Ghandruk to Ghorepani. This is a magical venture that unfolds as you embark on your Ghandruk to Ghorepani on a jeep tour.

Nevertheless, the mighty Annapurna giants along with Dhaulagiri and Manaslu, pierce the azure sky. Their snow-capped peaks promise a breathtaking display of nature's grandeur throughout our Ghandruk to Ghorepani Jeep tour. We can see the mountain panorama from our 4WD Jeep or take a break to see the peaks along with photo sessions. Hence, the Ghorepani Ghandruk Jeep Tour is a mingling of 4WD Jeep Ride adventure, cultural insight, as well as mountain panoramas.

## Finding Tranquility in Ghorepani

Ghorepani, a charming village nestled amidst the mountains in the Annapurna region of Nepal. It is a famous tourist hub popular for the culture, traditional settlements, the sceneries, and many more. Here in Ghorepani, you'll find welcoming teahouses that serve warm and traditional hospitality. We can get an insight into the lifestyle and people, their culture and history and savor a local meal prepared with fresh and organic mountain ingredients. Relaxing with the mountain panorama in the backdrop at Ghorepani is a rejuvenating experience.

#### The famous Sunrise from Poon Hill



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One of the most rewarding activities on this tour is sighting the sunrise symphony over the gigantic Dhaulagiri I and Annapurna ranges from Poon Hill Viewpoint. It is an unforgettable pre-dawn adventure for which the Ghorepani Poon Hill Trek is renowned worldwide.

This is a short hike from Ghorepani village which we must initiate before dawn. As darkness surrenders to light, the horizon explodes in a mesmerizing display of fiery oranges, delicate pinks, and deep purples. And we can witness the majestic Annapurna range come alive. Each peak basking in a crown of golden light. Without a doubt, the sight of iconic Machhapuchhre aka Fishtail Peak, bathed in this ethereal glow will become a permanent fixture in your memory. This experience is one of the remarkable highlights of our Ghandruk Ghorepani Jeep Tour.

## **Gurung Culture in Ghandruk**

Ghandruk, a large Gurung village, offers a glimpse into a unique cultural tapestry. Besides being naturally blissed and astounding, the village is also very popular because of the Gurung culture. The Gurungs, an indigenous ethnic group renowned for their rich heritage and soldierly skills welcome you into their world. We can explore the Ghandruk village's narrow lanes lined with traditional stone houses and decorated with lively prayer flags.

Similarly, we also witness the timeless charm of everyday life of the local artisans crafting complicated handicrafts, farmers working in their terraced fields, and children playing amidst breathtaking backdrops. You might even have the opportunity to visit a Gurung family and learn about their customs, traditions, and way of life firsthand. Likewise, the region also offer Homestay Trekking for those willing to dwell deeper into the lifestyle and cultural aspects of the region.

## Why Jeep Tour from Ghandruk to Ghorepani is Perfect for Everyone?

The Ghandruk to Ghorepani jeep tour is meticulously crafted for those who desire to explore the Annapurna region but want to escape the strenuous hikes. Or, could not commit the required number of trekking days. This comfortable 4WD jeep journey allows you to witness breathtaking landscapes, local culture, and mountain magic and gather memories that will last a lifetime. It is a great option for travelers who want to enjoy the scenery and culture of the area without the physical demands of a long trek. So, ditch the heavy backpacks, buckle up, and embark on an unforgettable adventure into the heart of the Himalayas with the Ghandruk Ghorepani Jeep Tour.



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## PRICE INCLUDES

- Airport Pickup and drop from Airport.
- Hotel in Kathmandu, (2nights 5\* BB)
- Hotel in Pokhara, (2nights-5\* BB)
- All food during the trek/tour
- All accommodation during the trek/tour (Best available Tourist Standard).
- Transportation costs: by jeep drive from Hotel to trek start and ends.
- Government license holder English-speaking trekking guide.
- Foods, Salary, and insurance for guide.
- Trekking permits: Annapurna conservation area fees & TIMS.
- First aid medical box.
- All required trekking gear like sleeping bags and down jackets made available on rent.
- T-shirt, Duffel Bag, and Trekking Map.
- Rescue Management Service.
- All Tax 13% VAT+10% Service charge).
- Farewell Dinner

## PRICE EXCLUDES

- · All kinds of Drinks.
- International flight tickets and extra baggage charges.
- Travel insurance/ Rescue operation costs.
- All personal expenses (laundry, electronic device. charging cost)
- Tip for guide and porters.
- Hot and cold Shower.



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#### ITINERARY IN DETAIL

# Day 1: Arrival in Kathmandu and Transfer to Hotel

After arrival in Kathmandu, you will be transferred to a 5-star Hotel of your choice where you can rest and relax for the day.

## Day 2: Kathmandu to Pokhara by Jeep (6-7Hours by jeep)

Today we embark on a scenic journey to Pokhara, Nepal's adventure capital and gateway to the Annapurna region. As we travel along the Prithvi Highway, we witness the transition from bustling cityscapes to serene countryside vistas. Upon arrival in Pokhara, we check into our hotel and soak in the breathtaking panorama of the Annapurna range, including the iconic Fishtail peak (Machhapuchhre). We can relax at the Fewa Lake or go for walks in the evening. Or if we reach in time, we can also explore some places on this day. Overnight at Pokhara.

# Day 3: Pokhara to Tadapani via Ghandruk by Jeep (5-6 Hours by jeep)

Get ready for 4WD jeep adventure!

We leave Pokhara and wind our way through picturesque villages and terraced fields. En route, make a captivating stop at Ghandruk, a large Gurung village nestled amidst the mountains. Explore the village's narrow lanes, lined with traditional stone houses adorned with colorful prayer flags. Immerse yourself in the rich Gurung culture and learn about their way of life.

We will then continue our journey to Tadapani, a charming village perched on a ridge offering panoramic views of the Annapurna range. Check into your cozy guesthouse and enjoy a delicious local dinner. Stay Overnight at Tadapani.

# Day 4: Tadapani to Ghorepani (walking 4-5Hours)

After our breakfast, we embark on a short and scenic trek to Ghorepani, a village renowned for its breathtaking sunrise views. We will not use 4WD Jeep today and hike around 4 to 5 hours instead. As we ascend, we can enjoy the refreshing mountain air and the tranquility of the surrounding forests. Upon arrival in Ghorepani, we will make our stay in a local tea-house/guesthouse and savor a local meal. As dusk descends, mingle with fellow travelers and witness the stars twinkling against the backdrop of the majestic Annapurna peaks. Overnight at Ghorepani.

# Day 5: Ghorepani to Poon Hill Sunrise and Trek to Banthati back to Pokhara (4h-by jeep)

Today we shall be prepared for an unforgettable experience – a pre-dawn hike to Poon Hill (3210 meters). Bundle up in warm clothes as the jeep takes you to a designated starting point. Embark on a moderate hike (approximately 2 hours) along a well-defined trail, enjoying the crisp morning air and the tranquility of the awakening mountains. As you reach the summit of Poon Hill, witness a spectacle that will leave you spellbound. The first rays of dawn paint the sky in vibrant hues, illuminating the majestic Annapurna range bathed in golden light. Witness the iconic Fishtail peak bathed in the ethereal light, a sight that will forever be etched in your memory. After basking in the glory of the sunrise, descend to Ghorepani for a hearty breakfast, savoring the warmth and the sense of accomplishment. Later, embark on a scenic trek to Banthanti, a charming village nestled amidst serene pine forests. Upon arrival in Banthanti, take jeep to pokhara 3 to 4 hours.



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## Day 6: Pokhara and Back to Kathmandu (6-7 Hour by jeep)

Traveling from Pokhara to Kathmandu by jeep offers an exhilarating journey through the breathtaking landscapes of Nepal. This route spans approximately 200 kilometers and meanders through picturesque valleys, alongside rushing rivers, and past terraced hillsides adorned with traditional villages.

The duration of the journey typically ranges from 6 to 8 hours, depending on the condition of the roads and any stops made along the way. Jeeps are a popular choice for this route due to their ability to navigate the occasionally challenging terrain, ensuring both comfort and adventure.

One of the highlights of this journey is the opportunity to witness panoramic views of the majestic Himalayan range, including renowned peaks like Annapurna and Manaslu. Additionally, travelers will catch glimpses of rural Nepali life, adding to the cultural richness of the experience.

Travelers have the option to either opt for direct transfers or take detours to explore attractions such as the charming hilltop town of Bandipur or the Trishuli River, famous for its white-water rafting opportunities.

our short and sweet Ghandruk to Ghorepani Jeep Tour concludes with a farewell dinner in the evening by Trek Mania Nepal.

# Day 7: Departure Day

Today marks the conclusion of your Luxury Jeep Tour in Nepal. As our valued guests, we at Trek Mania Nepal are filled with immense pride to have been a part of your incredible Himalayan journey. We hope the breathtaking panoramas, the vibrant culture, and the personal challenges you conquered have left an indelible mark on your memory.

After a hearty breakfast at your hotel in Kathmandu, our representative will assist you with any departure formalities and ensure a smooth transfer to the airport. As you bid farewell to Nepal, we extend our heartfelt gratitude for choosing us as your trekking partner.