



TRANS HIMALAYAN DRIVE

FAQ



Q1. What is the best time to travel to Sach Pass?

June to September is a good time to visit Sach Pass. Numerous water crossings, endless waterfalls, snow walls as high as 40 feet, driving through the ever violent gushing streams and waterfalls, running through the live landslides. This is the daddy of all the mountain passes – Sach Pass in Pangri Valley. Any time is a good time to visit Daddy. Still if you want the best then Autumn and Spring are the best times.

Q2. What kind of temperatures should we expect?

Between June and October; temperature will be moderate until you start getting close to top of the pass. Around Bairagarh and Killar, it will be cold but not way too much. At top of the pass however, cold winds keep the temperature low. Nights in the entire region are cold and temperature at Sach top can dip to zero degrees even during summer.

Q3. Is it safe for Kids?

Yes, it's safe for kids as they would be travelling with our team of experts and we make sure not just kids but each and every guest of ours is safe.

Q4. Do we stay in Tents also? If yes, how many nights

Yes, route of Trans Himalayan Drive takes you through remote places. These places do offer some accommodation but not what our guest expect from hygiene and comfort point of view. Thus, we travel with a full convoy of tents and cooks to ensure you are well taken care off. To be specific - 7 Nights we must stay in Tents

Q5. What are the facilities in the Tents?

We lay a 4-inch mattress on the ground on which everyone can comfortably sleep along with full upper bedding. Water bottles, camping light and chemical toilets are provided in each tent

Q6. How is it different from other permanent Camping sites?

We choose the camping spot everyday as we move along. These are not permanent sites. Our staff dismantles and fixes the tents for you every day. If you are adventurous kind and want to help us in fixing tents you are most welcome.

Q7. Can you arrange the trip for us exclusively?

Yes, exclusive trips can be arranged for a minimum of 15 pax

Q8. How is the road condition?

50% of the road is tarmac and 50% of the road is broken that is the reason we suggest SUVs. Even non 4x4 SUVs shall also work.

Q9. How do we deal with altitude sickness?

Altitude Sickness is the result of sudden exposure to reduced air pressure and lower oxygen level at high altitude. General symptoms are headache, fatigue, nausea, and loss of appetite, sleeplessness, heavy breathing. Descending down and inhaling oxygen can cure it faster.

Q10. Do you have medical facilities?

We carry a basic first Aid kit and Oxygen Cylinder with us and we are aware about the Doctors around all the places. However, there is no dedicated doctor that travels with the group.

Q11. What if my Car breaks down?

We know the Mechanics around the terrain and can get help from them, We can also do basic Towing for a few Kms, In case of Major damage we can get the Recovery Van anywhere in Himalayas

Q12. Do we need any permits?

No, you don't require any inner line permits here.

Q14. Is there some trekking involved?

No, there is no trekking involved. However if we reach our destination sooner than planned and you want to go on a short trek, you can absolutely do that.

Q15. I have a medical history related to breathing, blood pressure or anything significant. Can I travel at such heights and low temperatures?

It purely depends on the acuteness of the problem. There have been instances where guests having problems such as blood pressure and asthma have travelled with us and were absolutely fine. However, as mentioned this is purely depend on case to case basis. Thus we advise you to consult your doctor for the same.

Q16. How is network connectivity during the drive?

Network connectivity during the drive is generally poor. However, Airtel and BSNL offer the best possible connectivity.

Q17. What will be the group size ?

Group size is 15 – 20 pax

Q18. Is it safe for girls to travel?

Yes, it is safe for girls to travel. However, if you are a single girl and don't want to share accommodation with another single girl on the trip. We shall require you to pay extra for single accommodation.

Do I need to carry Extra fuel on this route?

Yes, you need to carry min 30 liters of extra fuel with yourself as sometimes fuel stations in these terrains run out of fuel.