# Kathmandu Pokhara Tour (6 Nights 7 Days)

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You will start with a tour of three world heritage monuments, Kathmandu Durbar Square, Bhaktapur Durbar Square and Patan Durbar Square. These three medieval cities are a standing testament to the rich cultural and architectural wonders of Nepal. You will also visit ancient temples of Pashupatinath, Swayambhu, and Boudhanath in Kathmandu.

Afterwards you head to Pokhara, located about 200km from Kathmandu. Pokhara is perhaps the second most popular cities for travellers known for its pristine lakes, museums, temples, bat caves, rivers and nightlife. Visit the hill of Sarangkot for breathtaking spectacular views of Mt. Annapurna, Mt. Dhaulagiri and Mt. Macchapuchre among others and enjoy adventure activities such as paragliding, mountain biking and hiking.

Duration: 7 days

Price: \$700

Grade: Easy

Destination: Nepal

Activity: Tour in Nepal

Region: Kathmandu Valley

**Itinerary:** 

Day Day 01: Arrive Kathmandu

Upon arrival in Kathmandu, meet our representative at the airport and transfer to hotel. Check in to the Hotel Short Briefing of your Tour. Rest for free Afternoon or come out for walk around the Kathmandu Durbar Square. In the evening, typical Nepali dinner with folk dance performances.

Day Day 02: Sightseeing Tour in Kathmandu: Kathmanu Durbar Square, Pashupatinath, Swayambhu, Boudhanath

Guided tour to Kathmandu Durbar Square the UNESCO World Heritage Site, Pashupatinath, the Hindu holy Temple, Boudhanath, the largest stupas, in Asia and Swayambhu meaning the "the self-existent" is popular among the foreigners as the Monkey Temple owing to the large number of monkey population residing in the area.

Day Day 03: Sightseeing Tour in Patan & Bhaktapur City

We start our tour of two more UNESCO World Heritage Site cities adjacent to Kathmandu: Patan & Bhaktapur. Patan is also known as The City of Fine Arts. Patan Durbar Square is one of the places in the Kathmandu Valley where the medieval arts and architecture still remain in its original state. The Durbar Square is full of ancient places, temples and shrines, noted for their exquisite carvings, mostly the Hindu and Buddhist monuments. Similarly, the medieval town of Bhaktapur, or the Town of the Devotees, preserves medieval arts, architecture, culture, and lifestyle to this date. One is sure to feel like travelling back into the past while walking along the Bhaktapur street, squares and streets.

#### Day Day 04: Drive to Pokhara 200KM , Sightseeing Davis Fall & Shiva Cave

We drive you to Pokhara, one of the most beautiful places on earth. The town offers magnificent views of Dhaulagiri, Manaslu, Machhapuchhare, five peaks of Annapurna and others. Pokhara owns numerous lakes, offer fishing, boating and swimming. Pokhara is also the gateway for trekking in the Annapurna Region. Reaching Pokhara, we visit Davis Fall and Gupteshwar Gufa Cave (also called Shiva Gufa). In the late afternoon, explore the surrounding lakeside and see the reflection of the Fish Tail Peak on the lake travelling back into the past while walking along the Bhaktapur street, squares and streets.

#### Day Day 05: Full Day Pokhara Sightseeing with Sarangkot Sunrise

We spend a full day to explore Pokhara. Early morning we drive to the Sarangkot Hill to have the sunrise views over the Himalayas. After breakfast, we make a full day sightseeing of Pokhara.. We also take a boat around the Phewa Lake which is the second biggest lake of Nepal. We take the boat across the lake and take an hour's walk to the World Peace Pagoda. Some of the other places that we visit today include the Seti River Gorge, mountain museum, Bindhabasini Temple the pet God of Pokhara, and many other cultural and natural landscapes.

## Day Day 06: Drive to Kathmandu

After breakfast, we drive back to Kathmandu. It would be an upward journey along the winding road that we came by. Leisure day in Kathmandu we will look around Thamel for shopping. Perhaps go for some last minute shopping and celebrate dinner together with us.

## Day Day 07: Departure

Transfer to the airport for your onward journey.

## **Highlights:**

- Visit the medieval palaces in Kathmandu, Patan and Bhaktapur
- Explore the ancient temples of Boudhanath, Swoyambhunath and Pashupatinath
- Enjoy boating on Phewa Lake in Pokhara
- Hike to Sarangkot in Pokhara to see spectacular views of Annapurna, Dhaulagiri and Macchapuchre