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Kaligandaki River Rafting - 3 Days

KALI GANDAKI RIVER RAFTING – ULTIMATE ADVENTURE IN NEPAL

Rafting in the Kali Gandaki River offers one of the most exciting rafting experiences in Nepal, nestled in the heart of the Himalayan region. This thrilling white-water adventure takes you through the majestic valleys of Annapurna and Dhaulagiri mountain ranges, offering a spectacular combination of rapid-filled excitement and serene landscapes. The Kali Gandaki River, originating from the Tibetan plateau, winds its way through remote areas of Mustang and Myagdi, providing the perfect mix of cultural exploration, natural beauty, and adventure. Whether you're new to rafting or an experienced adventurer, the Kali Gandaki rafting experience is not to be missed!

Exhilarating Class III to IV Rapids

The Kali Gandaki River is known for its Class III to IV rapids, which means that it's suitable for both beginner and advanced rafters. Some rapids, like "Big Brother" and "Refund", offer plenty of opportunities for heart-pounding thrills and pure adrenaline. The challenging rapids combined with the serene, beautiful surroundings make for an unforgettable experience. You'll face intense but safe challenges that will push your limits while enjoying one of the most scenic rafting journeys in Nepal.

Spectacular Himalayan Scenery and Remote Villages

What makes this rafting experience truly unique is the incredible scenic beauty and cultural immersion that comes with it. As you paddle through the river, you'll have panoramic views of the Annapurna and Dhaulagiri mountain ranges, towering above you like natural sentinels. Along the way, you'll pass by remote Nepali villages where you can learn about local traditions and the daily lives of people living in these rugged terrains. The Mustang region, known for its historical significance and unique culture, provides a stunning backdrop for the entire journey.

Discover Nepal's Rich Culture While Rafting

Rafting in the Kali Gandaki River not only satisfies your craving for adventure but also allows you to discover the rich culture of rural Nepal. You'll have the opportunity to interact with locals in the Mustang and Myagdi districts, known for their traditional farming practices and unique Buddhist influences. This river journey is more than just an outdoor adventure; it's also a cultural exploration of life in one of Nepal's most remote and scenic regions.

Short, Action-Packed 3-Day Itinerary

This exciting 3-day rafting tour in Nepal is perfect for those looking for a short but intense adventure. The trip starts with a scenic 3-hour drive from Pokhara to Maldhunga, where you'll set up camp on the riverbank. After a safety briefing and rafting lessons, you'll embark on a thrilling day of rafting on the Kali Gandaki River. Your second day will include rafting from Madikhola to Purtighat, navigating various rapids while enjoying the stunning views along the river. On the final day, you'll continue your rafting adventure and finish at the take-out point, followed by a drive back to Pokhara or Kathmandu.

Why Choose Kali Gandaki River Rafting?

- Thrilling white-water rapids with Class III to IV difficulty levels

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- Beautiful views of the Annapurna and Dhaulagiri mountain ranges
- An ideal short rafting trip for those on a time crunch
- A unique opportunity to interact with remote Nepali villages
- Perfect for adventurers looking for a combination of adrenaline and natural beauty
- Accessible from Pokhara, making it a great add-on to your Nepal itinerary

Ideal Add-On to Trekking and Adventure Tours

If you're already planning a trek like the Annapurna Base Camp Trek or Ghorepani Poon Hill Trek, Kali Gandaki River Rafting is the perfect adventure to complement your trekking experience. The rafting trip offers a completely different adventure and is a great way to relax and enjoy the natural beauty of Nepal after your trekking journey. Additionally, you can combine this rafting trip with other Nepal Adventure Packages or Nepal holiday tours for an even more enriching experience.

Ready to Begin Your Rafting Adventure?

If you're seeking an unforgettable adventure in Nepal, Kali Gandaki River Rafting should be at the top of your list. This short yet powerful rafting expedition is perfect for thrill-seekers, nature lovers, and anyone looking to experience Nepal from a different perspective. Whether you're a first-time rafter or an experienced adventurer, this tour offers something for everyone. Book your Kali Gandaki River Rafting Tour today and experience Nepal like never before!

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PRICE INCLUDES

- Experienced Guide & Supporter.
- All meals (B/L/D)
- Accommodation (Tent).
- All national Park permits
- Rafting permit.
- All necessary fees.
- Transportation
- All the necessary equipment for rafting, like boats, life jackets, paddles, and other safety equipment.

PRICE EXCLUDES

- Alcoholic beverages during the whole trip
- International air ticket.
- Hotel accommodations and extra meals
- International airport pick up and drop off
- Tips for guides and staff on sleeping bags

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Day 1: Drive to Maldhunga from Pokhara

Our staff will pick you up from your accommodation in Pokhara and transport you to Maldhunga. This trip will take around 3 hours, and once we arrive, we will set-up our tent on the beach beside the river and spend the night.

Day 2: Madikhola to Purtighat rafting

After a brief morning meal, we'll get ready for our rafting trip. we will meet up with our guide and other personnel who will give us brief lessons regarding rafting guides and safety procedures. Now we're ready to hit the river route, battle numerous rapids, and enjoy the magnificent landscape along the way. After we get to Modikhola, we will set up our tent, eat our meals, and spend the night near the river.

Day 3: Rafting then drive back to Pokhara or Kathmandu

Today, after our morning breakfast, we will begin our rafting expedition and continue our rafting, enjoying the thrill of white-water adventure while exploring the different scenery along the Kaligandaki River. After reaching our take-out location, we shall rest for a bit before returning to Pokhara.

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FAQ

1. Is Kali Gandaki River Rafting suitable for beginners?

Yes, Kali Gandaki River rafting is suitable for both beginners and experienced rafters. The river offers Class III and IV rapids, which provide an exciting challenge while remaining manageable for those with little rafting experience. Our guides will provide thorough safety instructions and guidance throughout the journey.

2. What is the best time for Kali Gandaki River Rafting?

The best time for rafting on the Kali Gandaki River is during the pre-monsoon (March to May) and post-monsoon (September to November) seasons. During these months, the weather is pleasant, and the river's water levels are ideal for an exciting rafting experience.

3. How long does the rafting trip last?

The Kali Gandaki River Rafting trip typically lasts for 3 days. This includes transportation to the starting point, rafting across various rapids, camping along the river, and returning to Pokhara or Kathmandu after completing the adventure.

4. Do I need previous rafting experience?

No, previous rafting experience is not necessary. The rafting on Kali Gandaki River caters to both beginners and experienced rafters. Before embarking on the trip, our professional guides will conduct a safety briefing and provide all the necessary instructions to ensure you feel confident on the water.

5. What should I bring for the rafting trip?

We recommend bringing the following items:

- Comfortable clothes for rafting (quick-dry material)
- A swimsuit
- A waterproof bag for personal belongings
- Sunscreen and sunglasses
- A camera in a waterproof case
- Personal medications, if required

6. Are the guides experienced and trained?

Yes, all our guides are highly experienced and trained in rafting and first aid. They prioritize safety and will provide full instructions and support throughout the rafting journey.

7. How difficult are the rapids on Kali Gandaki River?

The rapids on the Kali Gandaki River range from Class III to IV, offering a mix of exciting but manageable challenges. While the river is ideal for beginners, the rapids still provide an exhilarating white-water experience for more experienced rafters.

8. Can I combine rafting with trekking in Nepal?

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Absolutely! Many of our clients combine Kali Gandaki River Rafting with trekking tours in Nepal, such as the Annapurna Base Camp Trek or Ghorepani Poon Hill Trek. It's a fantastic way to experience the diverse landscapes and adventure activities Nepal has to offer.

9. Is there food and accommodation during the rafting trip?

Yes, food and accommodation are provided during the trip. You'll camp near the riverbanks, where our team will set up tents and prepare meals. The meals are delicious and typically consist of Nepali and Western cuisine.

10. What happens if the weather affects the rafting schedule?

In the event of bad weather or unsafe rafting conditions, our guides will assess the situation and take the necessary precautions. If conditions are unfavorable for rafting, we may reschedule the trip or adjust the itinerary to ensure your safety.

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