

Nagzira - Navegaon Base Camp Sakoli





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2 Day Itinerary for Guests of GPS, Nagpur.

Day 1

- Arrival at the Resort and Check In to the rooms.
- Lunch
- Evening Safari at Nagzira
- Talk and Movie on Wildlife.
- Barbecue and Drinks Followed By Dinner

Day 2

- Navegaon Morning Safari, with Packed Breakfast.
- Lunch at the Resort.
- Evening Trek to the Shiv Temple.
- Barbecue and Drinks, with live music, followed by Dinner.

Day 3

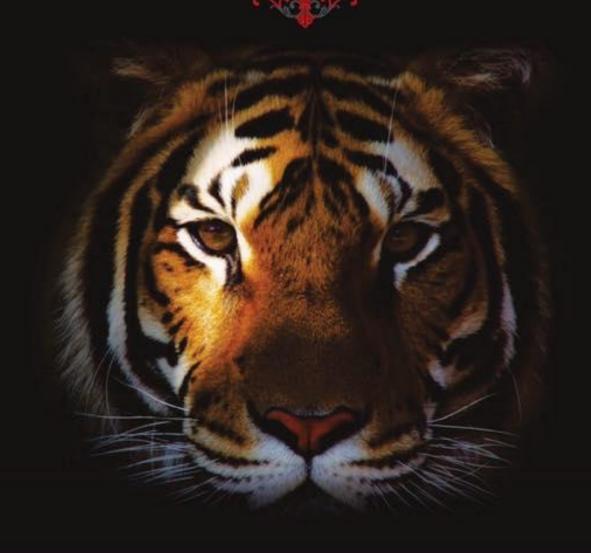
- Breakfast at the Resort.
- Check Out from the Resort
- Trip to Ghotangaon Tibetan Settlement, with Lunch.
- Departure for Nagpur.







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INFO GUIDE

ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW



INTRODUCTION:

Nagzira Wildlife Sanctuary is located in the Bhandara district in the northeastern corner of Maharashtra. The small reserve covering 152 sq. km. is an important corridor that links southern and central forested areas like the Tadoba - Andhari and Kanha Tiger Reserves. Tigers, Leopards, Dholes, Jungle Cats, Sloth Bears, Hyaenas, Jackals, Wolves and Herbivores like gaur and sambar have made this their home. There is also an astonishing variety of butterflies and an interesting amphibian and reptilian population at Nagzira.

ETYMOLOGY:

There is a temple of 'Nag' (Snake) which is exactly in the middle of nagzira and a temple of Mahadeo. There was also a village inside the forest called as 'Nangthana' that adds up to the name of the forest. Nagzira got its name from this temple and 'zira' (zara) in marathi means a perennial source of water that comes out from a hill in Pongezara, Nagzira

SIGNIFICANCE:

The Nagzira Wildlife Sanctuary is a miraculously preserved "Green Oasis" in the easternmost part of the Maharashtra State and has a great importance from bio-diversity conservation point of view. This sanctuary is locked in the arms of nature and adorned with picturesque landscapes, luxuriant vegetation and serves as living outdoor museum to explore and appreciate nature. This wildlife sanctuary is indeed nature's priceless asset and beckons one and all to enjoy its picturesque landscape, its scenic beauty, its pure and fresh air.

BEST SEASON:

The sanctuary is open for visitors from October to June. It is closed during the rains when the wind velocity is also at a maximum. February to May is the best season for a visit. The summer temperature maximum may rise to 45°C and the winter temperature minimum may drop to about 6.5°C.



INTRODUCTION

Navegaon National Park is located in the Gondia district of Maharashtra, India. Navegaon, a popular forest resort in the Vidarbha region, the easternmost part of Maharashtra, was built in the 18th century. The picturesque lake set amidst lush green hills at Navegaon, has a watch-tower beside it. One can get a bird's eye view of the surrounding forest and marvel at the exciting wildlife from the watch-tower which consists of a deer park, Dr. Salem Ali Bird sanctuary and three exotic gardens. The Dr Salim Ali Bird Sanctuary, Navegaon is home to almost 60% of the bird species found in entire Maharashtra.

ETYMOLOGY

The name "Navegaon" comes from the word Nave + gaon (Nave means new in Marathi and Gaon means village). This area also known as Navegaon Bandh locally (bandh means dam in English) because of the presence of the water body. Mostly tribal people leaves here and this area was under Gond Kings in the old days.

SIGNIFICANCE

It covers an area of 133.78 km2. It has great importance from nature's conservation point of view. It is indeed nature's priceless assets and beckons one and all to enjoy its picturesque landscape, its pure and fresh air. It has got immense potentials from bio-diversity conservation point of view. One can also join the jungle safari and stroll through the beautiful forest. Staying in the unique tree-top house, riding a power or sail boat on the lake, are thrilling pastimes.

BEST SEASON:

The best time to visit Navegaon Dam is during the winter months, when migratory birds can be seen in the area in large number



INTRODUCTION: Gothangaon is a Village in Arjuni Morgaon Taluka in Gondia District of Maharashtra State, India. It belongs to Vidarbh region. It belongs to Nagpur Division. It is famous for the Tibetan Camp.

TIBETAN CAMP, GOTHANGAON: Tibetan Camp is situated at Gothangaon and is one of the popular tourist spots. The camp is the settlement area for the Tibetans and tourists visit this place for exploring Buddhist temple and other sights of Tibetan significance. In 1959 and later years many Tibetan settlements were established to rehabilate and cope with an influx of several thousand Tibetan refugees with kind support from Government of India. Among them Norgyaling Tibetan settlement was established in 1972 and many Tibetans working in road construction as labourer in different part of Himalayan foothills were moved to this settlement. It is the only Tibetan settlement in the Maharashtra state of India.

DETAIL INFORMATION:

This settlement is situated in the north east of Maharashtra State of India at an altitude of 850 Fts above the sea level. The average summer temperature of the place is 46° - 47° Celsius and average annual rainfall of 55-56 inches. Agriculture is the main stay of the settlement people. They cultivate maize, rice, ragi etc. Apart from the agriculture, some of the settlers also do sweater selling during winter season to earn extra income to their family.

BEST SEASON:

October to February.

TIME REQUIRED FOR SIGHTSEEING:

Minimum 30 Minutes.



AMENITIES:

- 10 Cottages Embraced by Nature and Luxury.
- Banquet For Every Occasion.
- A Sprawling Party Lawn to give the guests a lasting experience.
- Recreation Room (Pool Table, Table Tennis, Carom) unwind yourself with our in-house activities.
- Multicuisine Restaurant & Room Service for a sumptuous spread for every taste.
- Enjoy your stay in Affluence in 2 Luxury Dormitories.

OUTDOORS:

- Activities:
 - Children's Play Area (Sand Pit),
 - Mini Football,
 - Badminton Court,
 - Swimming Pool,
 - Trek To The Temple,
 - Fishing Trip
- Machaan (Watch Tower) Take in the breathtaking view from the heaven above.
- Relish the all time favourite Barbeque with the wild.
- An altogether different experience with
- Open Air Movie Screening .





