

Adventure Tour (Option 2)

Day 01

Arrival, welcome by a representative of Lanka Sportreizen and transfer to Hotel.

In the evening undertake a relaxing **Boat Cruise** along the Ma Oya River through beautiful greenery, Palm Groves etc -

Evening City Tour of Negombo including a **Fishing Village, Old Dutch Fortress** from 1678 converted to prison, the **Hamilton Canal** which was built by the Dutch for the transportation of Cinnamon; **St. Mary's Church** and the **Old Dutch Cemetery** and naturally the Negombo **Fish Market**.

Overnight stay at Negombo

Day 02

After breakfast **transfer to Mawanella** on the Colombo - Kandy main highway.

Start **trekking to the "Saradiel Rock"** - This is a medium size mountain on top of which you have a point from which you can see the surrounding area and the main road for a long distance. Saradiel, local version of Robin Hood used to see the approaching Horse carriages during the 19th century which were taking the mail and the money to plantation areas in up country from this point and used to loot them as they approached and distribute the money to the poor people. He was later killed by the Police and there is a monument closer to this place.

In the evening **either** visit the **Elephant Orphanage** to see the largest herd of domestic elephants which comprises of babies who are being fed by bottle OR **engage in a hike** crossing the river, through the villages passing Rubber Plantations, Paddy Fields, Coconut Plantations, Home Gardens etc.

Overnight stay at Pinnawala

Day 03

After breakfast leave for **Kitulgala**

En route visit the **Salgala Monastic Complex** - located in a low country patch of rain forest to see the meditating monks - but not to disturb them or engage in conversations unless invited by them.

Proceed to Kitulgala - became famous as it was the location for David Lean's Academy Award winning film "Bridge on the River Kwai"

Take part in a session of **White Water River Rafting** along the Kelani River, 2nd longest in the island.

Overnight stay at Kitulgala

Day 04

After breakfast visit the “**Belilena** “- Pre historic cave where historical evidence has been found and confirmed of the earliest human beings that lived in this island dating back to 30,000 years.

Undertake a **transfer by catamaran rafts** to the other side of the river to take part in an interesting **hike** through paddy fields, a Jungle and remote villages during which we will see Toddy Tapping.

(Toddy is an alcoholic beverage extracted from the sap of the coconut flower which if left to mature will turn out to be Vinegar and go on to gives us Juggery – a sweetner)

Enjoy a lunch prepared by a local family in the **Kamatha** (The special place at the edge of the Paddy Fields lefty for the stocking and subsequent threshing of the paddy)

Overnight stay at Kitulgala

Day 05

After breakfast return to the main road **using a Suspension bridge** to cross the river

Proceed to Laxapana

Engage in a **hike** on the foothills of the Seven Virgins Mountain Range where some years back an Icelandic Airliner from Indonesia crashed with Moslem devotees returning after pilgrimage to Mecca killing all on board in the vicinity of the **Laxapana Water Falls** which provides water to one of Sri Lanka’s premier hydral reservoirs. Enjoy seeing the village ladies **preparing the Juggery** out of Toddy in their homes as a cottage industry.

Transfer to the base of the Adam’s Peak

Overnight stay at Dalhousie

Day 06

Leave for the ascend to the Adam’s Peak at 2.00 am.

Enjoy the ascend to reach the summit of the Holy Mountain.

Witness the “Sun rise”

Return for a late breakfast.

Refresh and leave for Bandarawela

Overnight stay at Bandarawela

Day 07

After breakfast transfer to the Railway Station to travel by train to **Idalgashinna**.

Start mountain trekking through Tea Plantations, Jungles, grasslands and a patch of rainforest etc to reach Colombo – Badulla highway and pickup transfer by vehicle.

Take part in a cooking demonstration

Overnight stay at Belihuloya

Day 08

After breakfast leave for a Hike to visit the **Lamp Flame Waterfalls**.

Leave for Uva Kuda Oya

Deep down in the south , in the dry zone in close proximity to the elephant infested jungles lies the village hamlet of Uva Kuda Oya .Travelling a short distance after turning off from the Wellawaya –Tissamaharama Highway to the interior , we reach the Farm Land within which is located the Cottage Site. A small scale village tank and a long line of Paddy Fields forms one boundary for this land situated within the arid zone of Sri Lanka.

Overnight stay at Kuda Oya

Day 09

After breakfast leave for **Ratnapura** – “The City of Gems”

En route undertake a Jeep Safari of the **Uda Walawe National Park** mainly to see wild elephants and the **Elephant Transit Home** where babies are being looked after to be subsequently sent back in to the jungles .This is a great effort for conservation of this giant species.

Also visit the **Sankapala Ancient Buddhist Temple**, first constructed in memory of Therapuththabhaya, one of the ten giants of the Great King – Dutugemunu in the Anuradhapura period and the **Maha Saman Devalaya**, the Temple devoted to God Saman which is supposed to be the Guardian God for this area including the Holy Mountain – Adam’s Peak.

In Ratnapura visit **the places of interest of the Gem Industry** in Sri Lanka including **Gem Mines** to get an insight in to this important segment of the local economy..

Overnight stay at Ratnapura

Day 10

After breakfast transfer to the **starting point for Canoeing**

Orientation and Briefing Session

Start **Canoeing** down Kalu Ganga, one of the four major rivers in Sri Lanka, apart from the activity enjoy seeing lots of life style of locals along the route including Sand Mining, illegal Hem Mining, Illicit liquor brewing etc.

Overnight stay at Anguruwatota

Day 11

After breakfast **start Biking** towards Bentota passing small townships, villages through Tea /Rubber / Coconut /Cinnamon Plantations, Home Gardens etc.

Also visit **Galapatha Rajamaha Viharaya** - belonging to the early periods of Sri Lankan history which was the depository for the relics of Great Arahath.

In the evening take part in a “**Meditation Session**”

Overnight stay at Bentota

Day 12

Engage in Water Sports at the Water Sports Centre using a “**FUN CARD**” (Each person will be given a card which will entitle him / her for a selected number of activities .However this card is neither transferable nor will entitle the person for refunds for any unused activities)

Relax

Overnight stay at Bentota

Day 13

Transfer to Airport for departure.

END OF SERVICES

(All passengers should be at the departure lobby of the Airport before 03 hours of their departure flight)

STANDARD PACKAGE

Goldi Sands Hotel or Similar - Negombo
 Elephant Bay Hotel or Similar - Pinnawala
 Kitulgala Rest House - Kitulgala
 Punsisi Guest House or Similar - Dalhousie
 Orient Hotel or Similar - Bandarawela
 Water Garden or Similar - Belihuloya
 Cottage Site - Kuda Oya
 Ratnaloka Tours Inn - Ratnapura
 Camping - Anguruwatota
 Marina Hotel or Similar - Bentota
 Goldi Sands Hotel or Similar - Negombo

01st November to 15th December 2015

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 2195
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1310
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1180
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1165
13 - 19 Pax		US\$ 1085
20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1005
		Single Supplement
Triple Reduction		US\$ 70

16th December 2015 to 20th January 2016

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 2270
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1370
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1240
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1225
13 - 19 Pax		US\$ 1145
20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1060
		Single Supplement
Triple Reduction		US\$ 75

21st January 2016 to 30th April 2016

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 2195
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1310
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1180
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1165
13 - 19 Pax		US\$ 1085
20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1005
		Single Supplement
Triple Reduction		US\$ 70

DELUXE PACKAGE

The Beach Hotel or Similar - Negombo
 Elephant Bay Hotel or Similar - Pinnawala
 Kitulgala Rest House - Kitulgala
 Punsisi Guest House or Similar - Dalhousie
 Bandarawela Hotel or Similar - Bandarawela
 Water Garden or Similar - Belihuloya
 Cottage Site - Kuda Oya
 Ratnaloka Tours Inn - Ratnapura
 Camping - Anguruwatota
 Taj Exotica Hotel / Bentota Beach Hotel or Similar - Bentota
 The Beach Hotel or Similar - Negombo

01st November to 15th December 2015

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 2570
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1525
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1395
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1385
13 - 19 Pax		US\$ 1305
20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1215
	Single Supplement	US\$ 537
Triple Reduction		US\$72

16th December 2015 to 20th January 2016

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 3415
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1950
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1815
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1805
13 - 19 Pax		US\$1725
20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1635
	Single Supplement	US\$ 950
Triple Reduction		US\$ 110

21st January 2016 to 30th April 2016

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 2760
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1620
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1490
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1485
13 - 19 Pax		US\$ 1405
20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1310
	Single Supplement	US\$ 630
Triple Reduction		US\$ 80

THE ABOVE PRICES INCLUDE

1. Transport in an A/C Vehicle with an English Speaking Chauffeur Guide from/to Airport as per itinerary except free times.
2. Accommodation sharing Double / Twin basis with Breakfast in Hotels as specified above.
3. Entrance Fees to all the tourist sites that are included in the programme.
4. Services of an English Speaking Local Guide from 07 Pax & upwards.
5. Jeep Hire to National Park (Wherever applicable)
6. Taxes as of now

THE ABOVE PRICES EXCLUDE

1. Lunch & Dinner
2. All beverages, Tips and Portages.
3. Compulsory Supplements (Christmas & New Year' Eve Gala Dinners Supplement)
4. Kandy Perahera supplements
5. Kandy Perahera seats
6. All expenses of personal nature such as Telephone Calls, Laundry and Tipping etc.
7. Any supplements that may incur due to events / matches / sports activities taking place in those localities
8. Additional transfers other than the itinerary will be charged locally. Mileage will be calculated from office to office

NOTE:

- Rates are nett, nett and non-commissionable.
- Change of hotels will be taken as a cancellation on the original booking / change of hotels while on tour will result 100% cancellation on the original booking.
- Check-in time 12 - 1400 hrs.
Check-out time 11-12 hrs.
- Hotels to be confirmed on availability basis.

Disclaimer: should the hotels come up with supplements due to events taking place in those localities the above rates will be subject to change.

Cancellation charges: 21 Days 100% Cancellation / 01 Month 50% Cancellation.