

## World Heritage Sites Tour

### Day 01

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

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 early breakfast leave for **Anuradhapura** - "The first Capital - 5th Century BC".

En route visit the **Elephant Orphanage** to see the world's largest herd of domestic Elephants including babies who are still being fed by bottle thrice a day, **Yapahuwa Rock** - where the majestic Gateway remains to be seen as the proof to the grandeur that this former capital enjoyed and any other place of interest

Visit many sites of the City of archaeological and historical interest including **Isurumuniya** - the first temple to be built in the island, **Sri Maha Bodhi Tree**- with an authenticated history of more than 2300 years which has been planted from a sapling from the original tree under which Buddha attained enlightenment , **Ruwanveliseya** - the largest stupa in the island , **Jethawanaramaya and Abhayagiriya** - which in their original form have been equivalent in size to the Great Pyramids in Giza and have thus been declared as World Heritage Sites , **Twin Ponds, Thuparamaya**- the first Stupa to be built in Sri Lanka enshrining the left collar bone of the Buddha, the **Samadhi Statue** - meditating posture etc In the afternoon

Overnight stay at Anuradhapura

### Day 03

After breakfast leave for Dambulla.

Visit the **Dambulla Cave Temple**

Visit the **Dambulla Cave Temple** considered being the largest painted caves in the world with more than 22,000 sq ft of painted surfaces with many paintings, sculptures, statues of Lord Buddha, his disciples, Kings, Gods etc

Continue to **Sigiriya**

Climb the **Rock fortress of Sigiriya**.

Overnight stay at Sigiriya

### Day 04

After breakfast leave for **Polonnaruwa** - "The Medieval Capital of Sri Lanka- 11th Century AD"

En route visit the **Avukana Standing Buddha Statue** - 12m tall - a magnificent master piece of Sri Lanka Craftsmanship.

In Polonnaruwa, visit the many sites of archaeological and historical interest in the Sacred City of Polonnaruwa including the **Grate Statue, Quadrangle, Royal Palace, Vatadage, Hatadage, Siva Devalaya, Gal Viharaya, Alahana Pirivena Complex, Kumara and Lotus Ponds, Thuparamaya, Rankoth Vehera, Pabalu Vehera, Thiwanka Image House, The Museum** etc some of which depict the influence that Hinduism had on the Buddhist Civilisation during that period of history.

Leave for **Kandy via Riverstone** - "The Hill Capital"

Engage **hike in the Pitawala Pathana**

Walk in to a **Spice Garden** and take part in a conducted tour to get some knowledge about the growth and use of spices in the day to day life.

In a **Batik Making Factory**, see how beautifully the village girls turn out beautiful colored cloths for different purposes with colourful designs.

Overnight stay at Kandy

### Day 05

After breakfast leave for a **City Tour** including the **Upper Lake Drive** - a place where one could have a bird's eye view of the city below, the **Royal Botanical Gardens** - one of the best of its kind in Asia with more than 5000 species of different varieties of flora which incidentally was the Headquarters of Lord Louise Mountbatten - the Supreme Commander of the Allied Forces during the 2nd World War, a **Gem Museum** - to see how the valuable gems that you see on a shop shelf are turned out from a raw stone with the back ground history.

In the evening watch a **Cultural Performance** by traditional Kandyan Dancers and Drummers including devotional "Fire Walking" and walk across in the star lit night to the **Temple of the Sacred Tooth Relic of Buddha** - by far the most important place of worship for Buddhists world over.

Overnight stay at Kandy

### Day 06

After breakfast leave for Dalhousie

Transfer to the Base of **the Adam's Peak**.

Overnight stay at Dalhousie

### Day 07

Leave for the ascend to the Adam's Peak at 2.00am

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

Witness the "**Sun Rise**"

Return for a late breakfast

Refresh and leave for **Nuwara Eliya** - "Little England"

En route visit a **Tea Factory and a Plantation** to witness the manufacturing process of world famous "Ceylon Tea" and to taste a pure unblended cup of factory fresh tea before being sent to the Tea Auctions in Colombo leading to Export.

Evening is free for **walk /tour** around the city - the important places being the **Victoria Park, Gregory Lake, Golf Course, and Market etc.**

Overnight stay at Nuwara Eliya

### Day 08

After breakfast leave for **Horton Plains National Park** and hike up to the **World's End** and the **Bakers Falls**.

Relax

Overnight stay at Belihuloya

### Day 09

After breakfast leave for the **Sinharaja Rain Forest**

Overnight stay at Weddagala

### Day 10

After breakfast leave for **Bentota** on the south west coast via Matugama

Relax

Overnight stay at Bentota

### Day 11

After breakfast undertake an excursion to **Galle Dutch Fortress** - a World Heritage Site

Galle is the best example of a fortified city built by Europeans in south and Southeast Asia, showing the interaction between European architectural styles and south Asian traditions. The Galle fort is a world heritage site and the largest remaining fortress in Asia built by European occupiers.

Return to Hotel.

Overnight stay at Bentota

### Day 12

After breakfast leave for **Colombo** - "The Commercial Capital"

In Colombo undertake a half day **City Tour** including a **Buddhist Temple, Dutch Wolvendhal Church, a Hindu Temple, Town Hall, BMICH(Bandaranaike Memorial International**

Conference Hall) , Cinnamon Gardens , Prime residential area, replica of standing Buddha Statue and Nelum Pokuna, the newly opened Performing Arts Theatre.  
Shopping at “ODEL Unlimited” and “House of Fashion” etc.

Continue to Negombo.

Overnight stay at Negombo

### 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 / Catamaran Beach Hotel or Similar - Negombo  
Galway Miridiya Lodge or Similar - Anuradhapura  
Sigiriya Hotel or Similar - Sigiriya  
Thilanka Hotel or Similar - Kandy  
Punsisi Guest House or Similar - Dalhousie  
Galway Forest Lodge or Similar - Nuwara Eliya  
Water Garden or Similar - Belihuloya  
Martin’s Guest House - Sinharaja  
Marina Hotel or Similar - Bentota  
Goldi Sands Hotel / Catamaran Beach Hotel or Similar - Negombo

### 01<sup>st</sup> November to 15<sup>th</sup> December 2015

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 2235
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1285
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1170
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1145
13 - 19 Pax		US\$ 1085
20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1005
	Single Supplement	US\$ 472
<b>Triple Reduction</b>		<b>US\$ 92</b>

## 16<sup>th</sup> December 2015 to 20<sup>th</sup> January 2016

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 2350
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1375
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1255
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1240
13 - 19 Pax		US\$ 1175
20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1090
		Single Supplement
<b>Triple Reduction</b>		<b>US\$ 110</b>

## 21<sup>st</sup> January 2016 to 30<sup>th</sup> April 2016

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 2245
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1295
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1170
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1150
13 - 19 Pax		US\$ 1090
20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1005
		Single Supplement
<b>Triple Reduction</b>		<b>US\$ 90</b>

### DELUXE PACKAGE

Jetwing Blue Hotel or Similar - Negombo  
 Palm Garden Village Hotel or Similar - Anuradhapura  
 Sigiriya Village Hotel or Similar - Sigiriya  
 Earl's Regent or Similar - Kandy  
 Punsisi Guest House or Similar - Dalhousie  
 Heritance Tea Factory / Grand Hotel or Similar - Nuwara Eliya  
 Water Garden or Similar - Belihuloya  
 Blue Magpie or Similar - Sinharaja  
 Bentota Beach Hotel or Similar - Bentota  
 Jetwing Blue Hotel or Similar - Negombo

## 01<sup>st</sup> November to 15<sup>th</sup> December 2015

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 2820
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1625
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1505
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1500
13 - 19 Pax		US\$ 1430
20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1340
	Single Supplement	US\$ 712
<b>Triple Reduction</b>		<b>US\$ 90</b>

## 16<sup>th</sup> December 2015 to 20<sup>th</sup> January 2016

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 3155
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1790
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1670
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1655
13 - 19 Pax		US\$ 1585
20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1505
	Single Supplement	US\$ 877
<b>Triple Reduction</b>		<b>US\$ 100</b>

## 21<sup>st</sup> January 2016 to 30<sup>th</sup> April 2016

01 Pax	Single Occupancy on BB basis	US\$ 2980
02 Pax	Double per-person sharing rate (BB basis)	US\$ 1700
03 - 06 Pax		US\$ 1585
07 - 12 Pax		US\$ 1580
13 - 19 Pax		US\$ 1505

20 - 35 Pax		US\$ 1415
	Single Supplement	US\$ 797
<b>Triple Reduction</b>		<b>US\$ 88</b>

### 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. Other local assistance

### 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.