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Dhaulagiri Expedition

Dhaulagiri is the 7th highest mountain in the world which lies north & west of Pokhara. Dhaulagiri is almost unique in the world in terms of its rise above local terrain where it rises to 7000m over the Kali Gandaki gorge to the south east in about 30 km of aerial distance. In fact, Kali Gandaki is dramatic as two eight thousanders, Annapurna I & Dhaulagiri both stand near the river facing each other over a deep valley. The Dhaulagiri Round trek is a challenging, and a real adventure for experienced trekkers who are looking for an expedition-like experience. The trekking adventure, which encounter exceedingly beautiful Hidden Valley allows the trekkers to literally touch the majestic mountain Dhaulagiri at Dhaulagiri Base Camp. The landscape from the high passes and the base camps beat your imagination, as you come to see more and more of this biggest white mountain of Nepal and its surroundings. Sometimes you may also see mountain sheep and the snow leopard on the way. The starting point of the trek is Beni, the district headquarters of Myagdi District. Initially the trekking trail passes through villages of Gurung, Chhetri, and Magar people, where you get to observe their unique culture and lifestyle. It gradually gets tougher as you move to higher elevations. Diverse culture, treading through different types of forests to treeless zone and getting as close as possible to peaks like Dhaulagiri and Dhaulagiri Peak are great highlights of Dhaulagiri Round trek.

Price:

Trip Start:

Trip Ends:

Duration: 40

Grade:

Altitude:

Destination:

Trip Style:

Transport:

Group Size:

Best Time:

Itinerary

Day	Title	Description
1	<u>Arrival and Transfer</u>	After landing at the Tribhuvan International Airport, Adventure Ascent representative will be there to greet you and take you to the hotel. We will then check-in at the hotel, freshen up and take a rest. Welcome dinner will be hosted in the evening
2	<u>Preparation and Briefing for Departure</u>	This day we are busy for briefing about expedition, documentation and last minute equipment shopping and preparation for departure to the trekking and climbing route. You will be kept in get set position.
3	<u>Kathmandu-Pokhara-Darbang Fly/Drive</u>	Fly from Kathmandu to Pokhara about 25 minutes and drive from Pokhara to Darbang via Beni which takes about five hours
4	<u>Darbang to Dharapani Trek</u>	Today we trek from Darbang to Dharapani; overnight at tented camp accommodation.
5	<u>Dharapani to Muri Trek</u>	Trek from Dharapani to Muri; overnight at tented camp accommodation.
6	<u>Muri to Bagar Trek</u>	Trek from Muri to Bagar; overnight at tented camp accommodation.
7	<u>Bagar to Dovan Trek</u>	Trek from Bagar to Dovan; overnight at tented camp accommodation.
8	<u>Dovan to Sallaghari Trek</u>	Trek from Dovan to Sallaghari; overnight at tented camp accommodation.

9	<u>Sallaghari to Italy base Camp Trek</u>	Trek from Sallaghari to Italy base Camp; overnight at tented camp accommodation.
10	<u>Italy base camp to Dhaulagiri Base Camp Trek</u>	Trek from Italy base camp to Dhaulagiri Base Camp (4700m); overnight at tented camp accommodation.
11-39	<u>Dhaulagiri Summit Climbing Period</u>	These days are the major climbing days for you to ascend the summit of most awaited Mt. Dhaulagiri. After some days of acclimatization and exercise you will proceed to the higher camp to be closer to the summit of (8167m). We are allowed to trek from lower to upper camp or vice versa for more practice and acclimatization. Finally we wish for your success to reach in the summit.
40	<u>Preparation to returning (Clean Base Camp)</u>	Today is the day for preparing to move out from the base camp by packing all logistics and clean the base camp to maintain the eco-friendly environment in the area as per government rule.
41	<u>Dhaulagiri Base Camp to down Yak Kharka trek</u>	Trek down from Dhaulagiri Base Camp to Yak Kharka (3680m); overnight at tented camp accommodation.
42	<u>Yak Kharka to Jomsom Trek</u>	Trek from Yak Kharka to Jomsom (2710m), Which Takes about six hours; overnight at tented camp accommodation.

Includes

All transportations including pick up & drop.

4 night's 4/5 star hotel in Kathmandu with bed & breakfast

One Welcome Dinner in tourist standard restaurant in Kathmandu with Office's Staffs.

International Air cargo clearance of Member Personal Luggage & Payment of Government taxes in Nepal. *before expedition.

Expedition Royalty and permit of Nepal Government, Restricted area Permit, national park, TIMS Card, Conservation area entry permits and fee.

1 Government Liaison officer with full equipment, salary and accommodation.

Stool Shipment Transfer & Garbage Deposit fees.

Medical & Emergency rescue Insurance for all involved Nepalese staffs during the trek and expedition.

Trekking and climbing map.

All kind of Land/air Transportation Kathmandu to Kathmandu

Necessary all equipment Transportation for all Members and Staffs from Kathmandu to Kathmandu (by Jeep) Up to 60 Kg per member for personal baggage during the trek carrying by porters.

3 meals a day (BLD; including tea and coffee) along with accessible accommodation at Hotel/Lodge/Tea house/Tent during the trek and Basecamp. Well-managed base camp set up for member & Staffs.

Porter per member up to Base camp & back

Experienced and well-trained Base camp Cook & kitchen Helpers as required.

All Nepalese staffs & porter's daily wages, salary, equipment, foods & clothing.

Each member will have individual tent in Base Camp.

At Base camp: best mattresses and pillow per member, 1 Dinning Tent, 1 Kitchen Tent, 1 Communication tent, 1 Toilet & 1 Shower Tent, 1 Staffs Tent, 1 Tent for Nepalese base camp staffs, Store tents, Tables & chairs & all necessary cooking gears.

Heater for base camp in each Dining and other necessary camp.

Solar panel for battery charge and light at base camp. (Generator in only for backup power) we are not using generator because of the try to be responsible for environments.

1 veteran and Government Licensed Sherpa per member (1 Sherpa)

Climbing Sherpa Salary, Equipment, Food and Clothing.

Oxygen bottles members & high-altitude Sherpa with mask and regulator for each member and high-altitude Sherpa, which has to be return after expedition.

The team of experienced Sherpas will fix the route. (Extra charge is not applied to members).

High Altitude Tent, Necessary cooking gas, cooking pot for member, High food for member, Sherpa.

Group climbing gears, fixed and dynamic rope during the climbing period as required.

Satellite Phone for emergency communication carrying by Sherpa, also available for members with appropriate charge.

Walkie-talkie for communicating during the expedition.

Comprehensive Medical kit.

After summit each member & Sherpa will get climbing certificate issued by MoCTCA

Excludes

Lunch and dinner in Kathmandu and Pokhara.

All hard drinks such as : Mineral water, whisky, rum, cola, fanta, etc.

All entrance fees during the sightseeing in Kathmandu and until finished.

Any extra cost offering from unfavorable circumstance such as weather bad.

Personal expenses like hot shower and battery charge.

Personal equipment.

Emergency Rescue evacuation if necessary.

Personal tips for trekking staff.