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Pikey Peak Trek

Pikey peak trek is a short trek in the lower Everest region which is best suited for the beginners, honeymooners, families, student groups, small groups and short time trekkers. This trail is comparatively less crowded than upper parts of the Everest region. Pikey Peak is also culturally rich trekking route where you can see ancient monasteries, Mani walls and Stupas. On a clear day we can witness the magnificent views of Everest, Kanchenjanga, Makalu, Ama Dablam, Mera Peak, Gauri Shanker and Numbur Himal to the North and deep valleys dropping away into the clouds to the South from Pikey Peak at 4060m. Late Sir Edmund Hillary had claimed the view of Everest from Pikey Peak to be his favorite one. Our Trek is a week long. It begins with a long beautiful drive to Japre in a jeep. Then in couple of days we hike to the top of Pikey peak from where we view the sunrise. On fifth day we visit the Thupten Choling monastery. It is a celibate Tibetan Buddhist Monastery founded by His Holiness Trulsik Ringboche in 1960s after fleeing Tibet.

Price:

Trip Start:

Trip Ends:

Duration: 10 Days

Grade: Medium

Altitude: 4060m

Destination:

Trip Style:

Transport:

Group Size:

Best Time: Sept-Dec and March-May

Itinerary

Day	Title	Description
1	<u>Arrival in Kathmandu</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. Overnight in Kathmandu.
2	<u>Kathmandu: Sightseeing and Trek Preparation</u>	After introduction with the city tour guide at the hotel you will begin your tour to Pashupatinath temple, Swayambhunath stupa and Bouddhanath stupa, which are all world heritage sites. Pashupatinath temple is one of the most important places of pilgrimage for all Hindus. Swayambhunath is also known as the Monkey Temple and Bouddhanath Stupa is one of the largest stupas in the world. After the tour you will meet with your trekking guide, briefing about the trek and checking your trek gears will be done afterwards. Overnight in Kathmandu.
3	<u>Drive to Japre and overnight in local tea house (2850m) 9 hours</u>	We take a long beautiful drive to Japre in a jeep. We get the opportunity to see the countryside of Nepal along the way. We get to enjoy the view of green hills, terraced farms, rivers, waterfall and the mighty Himalayas. We stay overnight in Japre.
4	<u>Trek to Pikey base camp (3800m) 7 hours</u>	After breakfast in the local tea house we head towards Pikey base camp. The route leads us upwards through a beautiful landscape with lushly green forest. There aren't much tea house along the way. We enjoy the peace and serenity of the path and may be lucky enough to spot some wild animals and birds. Overnight in a local tea house.
5	<u>Sunrise View (4060m) and trek to Jase Bhanjyang</u>	We start early today to witness the sunrise from Pikey peak. We observe the first rays of sun hitting the magnificent mountains. We stay for a while to take some snaps and appreciate the delightful beauty of the Himalayas. Then we head for Jase Bhanjyang, our next stop. The path is beautiful.

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| 6 | <u>Trek to Junbesi
(2600m) 5 hours</u> | After tea and breakfast we head towards Junbesi village. Today our route leads us mostly downhill. We reach the village after 5 hours of walking. Junbesi is a calm and pleasant Sherpa village beside the river. The splendid view of Mount Number in the background perfectly matches the pleasant environment. You can explore the area and meet the locals and buy stuffs in the shop. |
| 7 | <u>Visit Thupten
Chholing
Monastery
(2950m) 3 hours</u> | Today we head towards Thupten Chholing Monastery. It is a celibate Tibetan Buddhist Monastery founded by His Holiness Trulsik Ringboche in 1960s after fleeing Tibet. The monastery used to be the refugee camp for the Tibetans It is a short and beautiful upward walk to the Monastery. Most of the trail follows the bank of the river. |
| 8 | <u>Trek to Phaplu
(2413m) 4 hours</u> | On the eight day we head towards Phaplu. The trail is easy. We follow the recently made seasonal road. We walk amongst the pine forest until we reach the point where two rivers meet called Beni. Then we start to see small settlements of farmers and tea houses along the path. After 4 hours of walking we reach Phaplu. In phaplu there are several lodges and a airport. Overnight in Phaplu. |
| 9 | <u>Fly back Or drive
back to
Kathmandu.</u> | After breakfast we head back towards Kathmandu. We can either fly back from Phaplu airport or drive back in a jeep. Overnight in Hotel in Kathmandu. After reaching Kathmandu you can roam around Thamel to buy souvenirs to take back home. |
| 10 | <u>Fare well for
now.</u> | After checking out from hotel, our Adventure Ascent staff will drop you off to the International airport for your flight back towards your home. Farewell for now with hopes of meeting again for another adventure in Nepal. |

Includes

Airport Pick up and transfers to hotel.

All accommodation as BB in 4/5 star hotel. Depending on choices

Welcome & farewell dinner,

Experience professional guide for tour, trekking.

Full insurance, transportation & salary for staff during the trip.

Full board meals on trekking breakfast lunch & dinner.

Properly tea and coffee whatever hot drink available during the trekking.

Transportation from the starting and ending points of the trekking.All domestic flight tickets

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First Aid Kit for staff.

Oxygen gas in case (extra safety)

National park, conservation entry fee and TIM's card or trekking permit whatever needed.

All entrance fees during the sightseeing.

Sleeping bag.

Trekking stick.

Duffel bags (for trekking Luggage).

Excludes

Lunch and dinner in Kathmandu

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

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

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Personal equipment.

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