

## **Gangtok, Lachen, Lachung & Darjeeling 7N 8D**

**DAY 1.** Pick-up at Bagdogra Airport / NJP railway station – Gangtok (5,500 ft), (128 kms / 5hrs). Meet & Greet on arrival at Bagdogra Airport /NJP railway station & transfer to Gangtok. Overnight stay at Gangtok.

**DAY 2.** Morning drive to Lachen (9,400 ft, 124 km). On the way visit Twin waterfalls, Singhik view point. Lunch at a local restaurant on the way. Check in at Hotel in the late afternoon. Overnight stay at Lachen.

**DAY 3.** Morning drive to Thangu (13,500 ft, 31Kms from Lachen). Visit Chocta Valley (13,200 ft) it is rich in alpine vegetation. Drive towards Gurudongmar Lake (17,800ft) only Indian National is allowed. Gurudongmar Lake is one of the highest situated lakes in North Sikkim. Remember the altitude here may cause breathing problem. Back to hotel & leave for Lachung (Alt 8,610 ft, 60 km). Overnight stay at Lachung.

**DAY 4.** Early morning drive to Yumthang Valley (Alt 11,800 ft), 24kms an Alpine flower valley in North Sikkim. Enjoy the scenic landscape and Hot spring and drive back to Lachung for Lunch. Optional tour to Yumesamdong Valley or Zero Point close to Tibet Border (Alt 15,000 ft, 23 kms from Yumthang) for Indian tourists only (at extra cost 3000/- per vehicle on prior notice). Overnight stay at Gangtok.

**DAY 5.** After heavy breakfast start a tour to Tsomgo Lake (12,400 ft, 34km). Lake is 1 km long, oval in shape and 50 ft deep. Here you can find snowfall & Yak Riding. Visit to legendary Baba Mandir & Nathula pass depends upon permit availability on additional cost of Rs. 3,000/- per vehicle for permit (Monday and Tuesday pass is closed). Overnight stay at Gangtok.

**DAY 6.** Drive towards Darjeeling (7,200 ft, 115 km). Overnight stay at Darjeeling.

**DAY 7.** Early Morning (at 04:00 am) drive to Tiger hill to watch the spectacular sunrise over Mt. Khangchendzonga (28,208 ft. Worlds 3rd highest peak) (subject to clear weather), on your way back visit Ghoom Monastery and Batasay Loop. After breakfast visit Himalayan Mountaineering Institute, P.N. Zoological Park (Thursday closed), Tenzing Rock, Tibetan Refugee self-help Centre (Sunday closed), Tea Garden (outer view) and Japanese Temple (4 hrs from 9.00 to 13.00 hrs). Evening free for shopping and personal activities. Overnight stay at Darjeeling.

**DAY 8.** Drop to Bagdogra Airport / NJP railway station according to the schedule. Tour Ends.

