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Eco – Nomad Tour in Kyrgyzstan, 8 days

Type: Cultural tour

Season: May - October

Duration: 8 days, 7 nights

Itinerary: Bishkek – Shamshy Gorge -Cholpon-Ata - Karakol- Altyn-Arashan - Chon-Kemin Nature Park -Bishkek

Description: During this tour you will enjoy the beauty of Central Tien-Shan Mountains, see one of the most magnificent mountain lakes, see how nowadays people



live in the villages and experience the ancient culture of Kyrgyz nomads. During this trip you will stay close to the nature and local cultural.

Day by day Program:

Day	Itinerary:
1	<p><u>Bishkek</u> Arrival in Bishkek. Meeting at the airport “Manas”, transfer to the hotel 3*. Rest. Sightseeing tour: visit Ala-Too square, Osh market Opera and Ballet Theatre, Fine Art Museum, World National Library and etc. Accommodation in the hotel 3*. <i>Meals: breakfast, lunch</i></p>
2	<p><u>Bishkek – Shamsy Gorge</u> Breakfast. Transfer to Shamsy Gorge (120km, 2,5 hours). On the way visit Burana Tower, a large minaret dated to the 10th century, a settlement on the Great Silk Road. Lunch in Yurt Inn. Afternoon hiking to the mountains or horseback riding. Dinner and accommodation in Yurt Inn. <i>Meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner</i></p> <p><i>Shamsy Gorge is a unique natural reserve where the natural landscapes are preserved almost in virgin state. The glaciers are neighboring with green coniferous forests and steppe regions where tourists can feel real Kyrgyz dwelling in Yurt Inn as a nomad people. It is situated at the altitude of 3570m. Through the gorge the Shamsy River crashes dramatically from rock to rock. Shamsy Pass, located at the altitude of 3573 m, connects the Kochkorskiy and Chuy valleys. Nowadays, many horse trips pass through our gorge enroute over Shamsy Pass in the direction of Son-Kul Lake.</i></p>
3	<p><u>Shamsy Gorge – Issyk-Kul Lake</u> Breakfast. Transfer to Cholpon –Ata, northern shore of Issyk-Kul lake (240 km, 3-4 hours). Visiting Cultural Complex “Ruh Ordo” after name of Kyrgyz famous writer Chyngyz Aitmatov. Petroglyphs Museum on open air in Cholpon-Ata. Rest / walking on the shore of the mountain lake Issyk-Kul. Dinner in local restaurant. Accommodation in the Home Stay. <i>Meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner</i></p>
4	<p><u>Issyk-Kul Lake – Karakol</u> After breakfast transfer to Karakol (140 km, 3-4 hrs). On the way excursion to Grigorievskoe Gorge by exiting from Semenovskoe Gorge (50 km, 1 hrs). Upon arrival to Karakol visit Prejevalskiy Museum. Afternoon visit Dungan mosque (built in 1910 years), Cathedral of the Holy Trinity (XVIII cen.). Dinner in Local Family with Local Folklore. Accommodation in the Family Guest House. <i>Meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner</i></p>
5	<p><u>Karakol –Altyn-Arashan</u> Breakfast. Excursion to Altyn-Arashan Gorge (Hot Springs) by Russian jeep UAZ, 4 WD (45 km, 2,5 hrs). On the way visit Issyk-Kul reserve in Ak-Suu Gorge. Lunch-box. See different size of hot springs in the Altyn-Arashan Gorge, walking through the fir-trees forest and enjoy magnificent view of local nature. Back to Karakol. Dinner in local restaurant. Accommodation in the Family Guest House. <i>Meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner</i></p>
6	<p><u>Karakol – Chon-Kemin Nature Park</u> Breakfast. Transfer to Chon-Kemin Nature Park (320 km, 4-5 hrs), along southern shore of Issyk-Kul lake. On the way excursion to Jety-Oguz Gorge, see seven red stone mountains and Broken Hurt mountains. Walking to waterfall in the Kok-Jaiyk summer pasture which is</p>

	surrounded by coniferous forests. Continue excursion on the way and visit Skazka Gorge. Lunch in the family house in Bokonbaeva village. Optional extra: After lunch seeing Salburun show (Eagle hunting show) in Bokonbaeva village. Dinner and accommodation in Family Guest House. <i>Meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner.</i>
7	<u>Chon-Kemin Nature Park – Bishkek</u> Breakfast. Hiking in the mountain. After lunch transfer to Bishkek (140 km, 3 hours). Check-in the hotel 3*. Free time for your own. Dinner in restaurant. Accommodation in the hotel 3*. <i>Meals: breakfast, lunch, dinner.</i>
8	<u>Bishkek – Airport “Manas”</u> Breakfast. Transfer to the airport “Manas” (40 km, 30 min). Departure.

Price:

Package of 8 days /7 nights	2	4	6	8	10	12	Single supplement
Kyrgyzstan package	\$882	\$693	\$606	\$580	\$522	\$496	\$60

Program price includes:

1. Transportation

- Car 4 WD, 4 seats for 2 pax
- Minivan Delica 4 WD, 6 seats for 3-5 pax
- Minibus 18 seats, for 6-12 persons

2. Accommodation:

- Bishkek, Garden Hotel 4* or equal level - 2 nights
 - Shamsy Gorge, Mountain Cottage, 1 night
 - Issyk-Kul: Family run home stay, shared bathroom - 1 night
 - Karakol, Riverside Guest House or equal level, shared bathroom - 2 nights
 - Chon-Kemin Nature Park: Family Guest House, shared bathroom, 1 night,
3. English speaking guide from day 1 to day 8, including salary, meals and accommodation.
 4. Meals: Full Board as mentioned in the program
 5. Excursion + entrance fees according to program
 6. Bottled water during program 1,5 litre per person per day
 7. Memorable souvenir
 8. All local taxes

Service does not include:

1. International air flight
2. Early check in Bishkek: hotel 3* - 55 USD twin / night
3. Alcohol beverage in restaurants
4. Horseback riding in Shamsy Gorge – 15 USD / day / horse
5. Salburun (Eagle Hunting show)

Notes:

1. In case of early arrival in Bishkek on day 1, extra charge for early check-in the hotel is applied
2. Four or five star hotels can be arranged by request, but the program price will be changed accordingly.
3. Offered program can be changed or individualized according to the interests of the tourists

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