

A high-angle, wide shot of a rugged mountain valley. In the foreground, a winding asphalt road follows the left bank of a wide, shallow river with milky, white water. The river flows from the background towards the bottom right. The surrounding mountains are steep and rocky, with distinct horizontal sedimentary layers. The peaks in the distance are jagged and covered in snow, set against a sky filled with heavy, grey clouds. The overall color palette is dominated by earthy browns, greys, and the white of the snow and river water.

# ADVENTURUSH

## INCLUSIONS

- **Accommodation** - All days stay at hotels, camps or guest houses on Single/double or triple sharing basis, as selected
- **Meals** - Breakfast and dinner are included in the trip from Dinner on Day 01 to Breakfast on Day 09
- **Transportation** – Bike as per selection and fuel for the entire itinerary
- **Experienced Tour marshal with Mechanic**
- **Helmets** for both Rider and Pillion (used ones-not new)
- **Backup Vehicle** with Facility to carry luggage in a vehicle restricted to 1 Rucksack / Duffle bag of 60 Liters per motorbike
- **A Professional Tour Guide** with experience of accompanying travellers on trips to this location is provided throughout the trip
- **Miscellaneous**
- First Aid Kit
- Oxygen Cylinder
- Inner line permit/Manali Green Tribunal Permit
- Bonfire wherever applicable depends on weather conditions

## EXCLUSIONS

- **Personal Expenses** such as telephone charges, laundry, tips, table drinks etc
- **Insurance of any kind** - Medical, Accidental or theft
- **Transportation charges** (airfare or rail fare) that are not mentioned in 'Inclusions'
- **Lunch** or any other meal not listed in 'Inclusions'
- **Parking and Entry fees** for sightseeing's
- **Activities outside of bike expedition**
- Cost of any spare part which will be used due to the accidental damage incurred when the motorbike is in riders possession.
- Cost incurred to transfer or tow the motorbike in case the trip is discontinued mid way.
- Any additional cost incurred due to extension or modifications to the trip owing to circumstances beyond control such as - natural calamities, road blocks, union issues,
- (including but not limited to accommodation charges or meal charges for extended stay)
- Other charges not mentioned in the 'Inclusions' section

## ITINERARY

### Day 1: Arrival In Srinagar

Upon landing at the Srinagar Airport, proceed straight to the hotel for your overnight stay.

### Day 2: Srinagar To Kargil

Begin your day with a beautiful morning and prepare for the amazing journey ahead. Start your biking trip after breakfast with the drive towards Sonmarg, one of the more scenic resort towns in the region. After ascending Zoji La, descend to enter Ladakh. Discover some amazing Kargil battle facts by visiting the Kargil War Memorial in Drass Village. Afterwards, stay overnight in Kargil.

### Day 3: Kargil To Leh

The next leg of the motorbike trip will include crossing two high-altitude mountain passes. Leaving Kargil, first pass Mulbek - a life-size Buddha sculpture on Rock Mountain and then Lamayuru - one of Ladakh's oldest monasteries. Enjoy the view of the moon landscape. Experience the divinity at Gurudwara Pathar Sahib. Be ready for the mind-boggling and intriguing phenomenon of Magnetic Hills. After arriving in the city in the evening, check into the hotel for the night.

### Day 4: Leh To Nubra Valley

Take a scenic and exhilarating ride to the Nubra Valley as part of the Srinagar To Manali Motorbike Expedition. Drive to Nubra valley through Khardung La, highest motorable road on earth. At Nubra Valley, which is located next to the Nubra River, spend a relaxing night at the hotel.

### Day 5: Nubra Valley To Pangong Lake

Depart for the majestic Pangong Lake after leaving the stark region behind. Shyok Village is on your route, which is a tourist attraction that recently opened to tourists. Capture the beauty and tranquillity of this waterbody as you reach its shores. Later, the group will head to the camp site for a bonfire and a peaceful overnight stay.

### Day 6: Pangong To Leh

Marvel at the breathtaking views of the Pangong Tso. Depart for Leh after breakfast. The journey today will take us over the second-highest pass in the world, Chang La (17,590 ft). The

pass is considered one of the hardest in the world. Leh is connected to the Changthang Plateau through this pass. Enjoy the Tsoltak Lake before ascending the Mighty Pass. The journey continues on the Manali-Leh highway after descending from the pass to Shakti. By evening, arrive in Leh and spend the night in the city.

### **Day 7: Leh To Sarchu / Jispa**

In the morning, after a hearty breakfast, continue your journey into Sarchu/ Jispa. Take in the panoramic view of the mighty mountains and colours of nature as you travel through the mountains of Jammu And Kashmir And Himachal Pradesh. Ascend Tanglang La, the third highest pass (17,480 ft). Pass through the Morey-Plains, an astounding plateau at a height of 15,500 ft with a 45 km stretch of flat road. After crossing Lachung La (16,616 ft) and Nakee La (15,547 ft), reach the famous Gata Loops (21 hairpin bends). After that, you will reach your destination by nightfall.

### **Day 8: Sarchu/Jispa To Manali**

Your adventurous journey is nearing its end. Ride along the iconic route of the Atal Tunnel and some of the most scenic villages in the Lahaul Valley. Upon arrival in Manali, check in to your pre-booked hotel and spend the night

### **Day 9: Departure From Manali**

Get ready for the last day of the Srinagar to Manali Motorbike Expedition as soon as the dawn breaks. Following a hearty breakfast, explore Manali at your leisure, and then by late afternoon, board the Volvo bus to Delhi for an overnight journey.

### **Stay Options**

Manali: Westin 'O' Laurent and Banon Resort / Seven Hills/ Similar

Jispa: Jispa Journey Camps/ Gemur Camps Similar

Sarchu: Snow Gold Camps/Wild Adventures/ Holiday Makers/Similar

Leh: Zik Zik/ Royal Heritage Resort Similar

Nubra: Lasthang /Alpin Glow Camps/ Similar

Pangong: White Heaven Cottage/Auspicious Camps/Similar

Kargil: Rangyul/ Caravan/ Similar

Srinagar: Amina House Boat/ Similar""""