

# Andaman Escape

## Tour Overview

**Portblair (4N)---> Havelock (1N)---> Neil (1N)**

Andaman, the emerald island, with its primeval location, aboriginal inhabitants, colonial past, pristine beaches, spectacular coral reefs, amazing ocean life, mysterious mangrove forest, and boundless adventurous water sports are intriguing in more than one way. This Andaman beach package is truly special because it is one of the few tours that have an overnight stay in Neil Island. Explore the stunning beauty that this island has to offer you. This island has the most enchanting beaches in the entire Andaman Islands which most of the tourists miss out on this island due to the overshadowing of the Havelock Island. Neil Island is alluring and nature here is at its utmost beauty. Well, it doesn't end here as this trip also introduces you to the tropical side of Andaman Islands, Baratang Island and experience mangrove boat rides and limestone Caves. What would one expect when anyone visits a tropical island? -The dense forest, tribal inhabitants, mangroves, boat rides through the mangroves, beaches, birds, caves, trekking, and volcanoes. Baratang is a platter serving all of this to cater to one's expectations. So why are you waiting for? Head on to those untouched islands with lush greenery and experience that tranquillity you had never felt before.

CTH promises you a fun filling and refreshing trip. We come with service assurance packages for exclusive assistance. A mandatory sanity check has been conducted over vehicles and hotels. We always anticipate in the best way possible hence we have deployed smart professionals 24x7 for real time resolution if any required.

**Places of Interest: -**

- Cellular Jail Light and Sound Show.
- Corbyn Cove Beach.
- Ross and North Bay.
- Havelock Island.
- Radhanagar Beach.
- Neil Island.
- Bharatpur Beach.
- Laxmanpur Beach.
- Sitapur Beach.
- Baratang Island.

# Itinerary

## **Day 1 Pick up from Airport and transfer to hotel & Sightseeing:-**

*Our representative will receive you at Veer Savarkar Airport, Port Blair and will escort to the hotel, he will also assist you to do hotel check-in formalities. After check-in and little relax, you will be taken to the following places: -*

*Corbyn's Cove Beach: The Corbyn's' Cove, is a serene and unspoiled soft sandy beach, set in picturesque background of lush green coconut palms and pleasant blue sea. The main attractions of this beach are the inviting water sports. The Corbyn's' Cove beach, situated 8 kms from the City center is the closest Beach from the city. This coconut- palm fringed beach, is ideal for swimming and sun bathing.*

*Cellular Jail: This historic building was built in the 19th century to look like a wheel with seven spokes. Today only three wings of the seven remain. It took 10 years to complete. It is called 'Cellular' because it is "Cells beyond Cells".*

*Light & Sound Show: At the National Memorial 'Cellular Jail' you can attend the Sound & Light Show where the heroic saga of the Indian Freedom Struggle is brought alive by the means of light and sound at the jail premises, presented in English and Hindi, which takes you back to the British Era.*

*Overnight Stay at Port Blair.*

## **Day 2 Ross Island and North Bay:-**

*After Breakfast you will be escorted to Andaman Water Sports Complex to catch a ferry which will be your mate for the entire excursion to Ross Island and North Bay.*

*Ross Island: It was the Capital of Port Blair during British and Japanese regime, prior to India's Independence. It was named after Sir Daniel Ross a marine surveyor. It was nick named "The Paris of the East". It is now under the supervision of the Indian Navy. This island is an ideal destination for nature walk amidst sylvan surroundings with deer's, peacocks and exotic birds.*

*North Bay: It is also called "The Gate Way to Port Blair". This place is famous for its coral reefs, exotic varieties of beautiful ornamental fishes and water sports activities. The breathtaking stretch of coral bed leaves you spellbound. North Bay is the foremost snorkeling point of Andaman. Apart from snorkeling and glass-bottom boat ride, scuba diving, underwater sea walk facility is also available at North Bay.*

*Overnight stay at Port Blair.*

## **Day 3 Port Blair to Havelock Island by Inter Island Ferry Visit Radhanagar Beach:-**

*In the morning you will be escorted to Phoenix Bay Harbor to board inter island ferry which will take you to Havelock Island.*

*Havelock Island: The Island is named after a British Army Officer. The island offers state-of-the-art facilities for snorkeling and scuba diving. Havelock is famous for its white sand and crystal clear and transparent waters.*

*At the Harbour our representative will receive you and will escort you to the Hotel for check-in process. After check-in proceed to Radhanagar Beach: -*

*Radhanagar Beach: - The best and famous beach of Andaman Islands. Radhanagar Beach is without a doubt the most famous beach in the Andaman Islands. Crowned as "Asia's Best Beach" and "7th best beach in the world" by Time Magazine, this place sees a lot of tourists. It truly is an unforgettable curve of white sand with perfectly colored blue waters, all lined by lush forest and palm trees.*

*Overnight stay at Havelock.*

## **Day 4 Havelock Island to Neil Island by Inter Island Ferry & Sightseeing: -**

*Check out from the hotel, move towards the Harbor to board a ferry which will take you to Neil Island. At the harbor our representative will receive you and will escort you to sightseeing of Neil Island.*

*Neil Island: This Island is apparently named after James George Smith Neill, a British soldier responsible for several war crimes during the suppression of the 1857 Mutiny. There is a lone jetty at Bharathpur, which serves as the only entry-exit point of the island. Visit Natural rocky bridge at Laxmanpur-2, Bharatpur Sea Beach. After lunch visit Laxmanpur Sea Beach for sunset view at Neil. The places of interest in Neil Island: -*

*Bharatpur Beach: -is one of the most beautiful beaches of Neil Island. Boasting of green surroundings and clean sand, the beach looks quite inviting. The colorful coral reefs make the place look all the more beautiful. Swimming and snorkeling are the other activities that can be done here to explore the vast variety of colorful aquatic beings.*

*Laxmanpur Beach: - lies in the village of Laxmanpur. Positioned at a distance of just 2 km from the Neil Jetty. One of the most beautiful beaches of Neil Island, Laxmanpur beach is ideal for activities like swimming and sun bathing. White shell sand with shallow waters and dead corals make it perfect for snorkeling as well. The wide beaches become perfect for evening walk and offers stunning sunset views.*

*Sitapur Beach: - is another beautiful beach in Neil Island (Shaheed Dweep). This beach is located 5 km to the South and is at the tip of this island. Sitapur beach is popular for its iconic sunrise that will stun you as it is primarily famous for sunrise. High tides are a common sight at the Sitapur beach since the beach is exposed to open sea. This serene and clean beach will amaze you its charm, the shade of the skies changing from orange to lilac is a gorgeous sight that you should not miss. You can take a dip or two on the beach but the currents are wild and the tides might get high anytime so it is advisable to avoid swimming at this beach. Jump out of your beds early in the morning and take walk at this beach and enjoy the beauty of the sun as it rises and the colour tones of skies as it reflects on the water below. It is a great place for you to introspect and unwind yourself amid nature.*

*Overnight stay at Neil Island.*

## **Day 5 Neil to Port Blair by Inter Island Ferry:-**

*After breakfast relax a bit and enjoy the calm morning in the afternoon check out from the hotel & we will start our return journey to Port Blair enjoying the sea breeze and the sight of the changing colors of the sky of the setting sun and most of the time accompanied by dolphins and flying fishes swimming along the boat. Upon reaching our representative will attend you and will take you to the hotel for check-in. In the evening free time for your shopping and spend at your leisure. Overnight Stay at Port Blair.*

## **Day 6 Baratang Island:-**

*Early morning before daybreak we depart for Baratang Islands. It is approximately 110 kms away from Port Blair. It is connected through road passing through Jarawas Tribe Reserve also known as ATR Road (Andaman Trunk Road or the State High Way). We will travel through fabulous and enchanting forest in conveys to reach Nilambur Jetty (Middle Strait) from where we take a ferry for Baratang Island which is a 15mints ride. It has thick mangrove creeks on both sides followed by dense tropical forest. Major attractions at Baratang are lime Stone Cave and Mud Volcanoes.*

*Lime Stone Cave: They are located 15 mints away by sea from Baratang Jetty. We can reach there by dongis or small boats. The journey enthalls everyone as it takes you underneath the dense forest of mangroves plantation. Please do carry sufficient water along with you.*

*Mud Volcano (Jalki): The mud volcanoes have erupted so sporadically with recent eruption I n 2005, believed to have been associated with the 2004 earthquake. The natives of this island call it "Jalki". The mud volcanoes squirt little fountains of mud.*

*Then back to Portblair & Overnight stay.*

## **Day 7 Departure:-**

*After morning Breakfast Transfer to Port Blair Airport for onward journey with pleasant memories of Andaman and the warmth of our hospitality in your heart.*

*Trip ends with Happy Memories !!!!*

## Inclusions

- Welcome drink (Non Alcoholic) on Arrival
- All accommodation in double sharing basis
- Breakfast & Dinner
- All Sightseeing & Transfers by Exclusive Vehicle
- Entry permits, Entry tickets, Parking charges, Boat tickets, luxury cruise tickets for inter island transfers wherever required.

## Exclusions

- Air/Ship Fare
- Personal expenses such as laundry, telephone calls, tips, luggage van, porter-age etc.
- Additional sightseeing or extra usage of vehicle, other than mentioned in the itinerary.
- All personal expenses, optional tours and Extra meals.
- Any water sports/coral activity/Speed boat charges
- Medical and Travel insurance.
- Video Camera Permits During Sightseeing..
- Any cost arising due to natural calamities like, landslides, road blockage, political disturbances (strikes), etc (to be borne by the client directly).
- Anything not mentioned under 'Inclusions'
- GST @ 5%.

## Terms & Conditions

**Please Note :**Early check in would be subject to availability and at sole discretion of hotel.

All booking vouchers and tickets will be provided 3 days before departure.

If luggage van is required will be charged extra as per actual on the spot.

In case of natural calamities\ road blockage\train,flight,cruise cancellation or schedule change.Itinerary may change prior information to guest and any additional cost arises guest has to pay in cash as per actual on spot payment basis.**Payment policy:**

At the time of booking confirmation 40% of the total booking amount is required.

15 to 30 days Prior to departure 30% of the total booking amount is required.

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If booking made within 31 days prior to departure, 100% amount is expected at the time of booking.**Cancellation Policy:**

If you want to cancel your booking, you must notify us in writing.

No cancellation or changes are allowed after departure.

**Cancellations are subject to the following charges:**

30 Days or more before departure: 25% of the Total Cost

30-15 Days Before departure: 50% of the Total Cost

15-7 Days before departure 75% of the Total Cost.

Less than 7 days before departure: 100% of the Total Cost.