TOUR 01:
COMBINED TOUR OF TIPU SULTAN TRAIL

Location: Bangalore
Duration: 10 Hours
Start Time: 0630 Hrs
Activity Level: Easy
Language: English
Starting Point: Your accommodation in Bangalore
Ending Point: Your accommodation in Bangalore
Reporting Point: Your hotel


Highlights
- A walk through history of Bangalore
- Local experiences and flavors
- Nature experience

Detailed Overview
Description of the tour: Historians and common people alike have a love-hate relationship with Tipu Sultan. One's travel to Bangalore would never be complete without tracing the footsteps of our Sultan, who has left many a mark on the city's future, seen even today. This tour takes one through the locations associated with this enigmatic personality that includes memorials, forts, temples, palace remnants & the Lalbagh Botanical Park. At Lalbagh, we explore its history, some unique trees and one of the oldest rock formations of the Asia.

Itinerary
6.30 AM: Leave from hotel
7.30 AM: Reach Nandi Village. Visit Sultanpete & Nandi Temple
8.30 AM: Return to Nandi Upachar for breakfast
9.30 AM: Leave for Nandi Hills
10.15 AM – 11.15 AM: Explore Nandi Fort, Hilltop
11.30 AM-12.15 AM: Travel to Tipu's birthplace & fort – Devanahalli
12.15 – 12.45 AM: Explore Devanahalli fort
12.45 PM – 1.30 PM: Travel back to the city for lunch.
2.30PM – 3.00PM: Travel to Lal Bagh Botanical Garden
3.00PM – 4.00 PM: Explore Lal Bagh Botanical Garden, its history, unique trees, the oldest rock formation and Lal Bagh water body.

Tour Cost: per pax
01 pax: USD 160
02 pax: USD 85
03 pax: USD 60
Inclusions
- 02 bottles of mineral water bottle per person
- English speaking guide during the whole tour
- Breakfast
- Transport for the tour from pick up until drop at hotel by AC vehicle
- One-time entrance to monuments

Exclusions
- Lunch is not included in the package

Important Info
Lunch is recommended at Koshy’s (on direct payment basis)

Cancellation Policy
- Zero refund if cancelled within 03 days of the tour
- 40% cancellation fee applicable for cancellation between 03 - 07 days of the tour
- Zero cancellation if cancelled before 07 days of the tour

Add on (Optional Supplement):
Supplement of USD 30 for language speaking guide for the tour
Supplement of USD .5 per bottle for additional water bottle
Supplement of USD 35 per person for Lunch at Koshy’s

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LOCATION: Bangalore
DURATION: 3 Hours
ACTIVITY LEVEL: Easy
START TIME: Anytime of the day
STARTING POINT: Your accommodation in Bangalore
ENDING POINT: Your accommodation in Bangalore
LANGUAGE: English
REPORTING POINT: Your hotel

OVERVIEW
Walk to discover the treasure that is Lalbagh, as you go through the sand, stone and waters of Lalbagh, Tipu Sultan’s paradise – His personal garden!

HIGHLIGHTS
- Walk through the botanical garden with a guide
- Learn about the history of Bangalore
- Local flavours and experiences

DETAILED OVERVIEW
Bangalore’s most popular tourist destination, Lalbagh, is often thought of as a large informative park, which it is. Walk to discover the treasure that is Lalbagh, as you go through the sand, stone and waters of Lalbagh, Tipu Sultan’s pleasure paradise! Commissioned by Hyder Ali and completed by Tipu Sultan, Lalbagh was the ruler’s personal garden, a statement of power and extravagance. Around one of KempeGowda’s towers, Lalbagh has since acquired a large range of horticultural samples, a beautiful glass house and India’s first lawn-clock. Today, it is not just a botanical garden but is also one of the few green spaces left in the increasingly polluted ‘garden city’. Join & step into pockets of silence and bloom right within the corporate jungle that is Bangalore. Listen to stories from the past, myths associated with the park and personal anecdotes that help understand Lalbagh better.

ITINERARY
The guide will meet you at the hotel lobby & drive along to Lal Bagh Botanical Garden. You will walk the garden with your guide & spend time knowing about the various flora & fauna in the garden. After the tour ends you will be driven back to your hotel.

TOUR COST: per pax
01 pax: USD 70
02 pax: USD 40
03 pax: USD 30
Inclusions

- 02 bottle of mineral water per person
- English speaking guide
- Transport for the tour from pick up until drop at hotel by AC vehicle
- One-time entrance to Lal Bagh Botanical Garden

Exclusions

- Any kind of food item
- Battery car ride inside the park

Important Info

- Carry a scarf or hat to be safe from the sun
- Sunscreen to be applied before the tour
- Running shoes or comfortable flip-flops
- Light cotton clothes are recommended

Cancellation Policy

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- Zero cancellation if cancelled before 07 days of the tour

Add On

- Supplement of USD 30 for language speaking guide for the tour
- Supplement of USD .5 per bottle for additional water bottle

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TOUR 03 :
WINE TASTING WITH LUNCH AT VINEYARD

Location: Bangalore
Duration: 6 Hours
Start Time: 0930 hours
Starting Point: From your accommodation point
Ending Point: To your accommodation point
Activity Level: Easy
Language: English
Reporting Point : From your accommodation point

Overview
Visit to winery, vineyard & wine tasting (5 Varietals) – An introduction to the art of wine making and its appreciation.

Highlights
- Winery tour conducted by professional wine makers
- Wine tasting session with an expert.

Detailed Overview
The tour includes lunch, visit to winery, vineyard & wine tasting (5 Varietals). The Tour Starts at 10.30 am with a briefing about tour team introductions, safety, dos and don’ts. The entire tour will be conducted by a professional in respective areas. After a brief history and information about vines and vineyard cultivation followed by winery tour, wine tasting and lunch.

Itinerary
Winery tour: Winery tour starts from our crushing unit, every point you will be provided with adequate info required to understand, then we move to understand filtering, processing, i.e. fermentation, storing in tanks, bottling, labeling, and packaging of wine bottles, which are ready for sales. Note: Photography is prohibited in this session of tour.

Barrel Room: Barrel room is where we age our premium brand i.e. La reserve in imported oak barrels, you will find a lovely ambiance with a tasting setup made out of real oak barrels. Note: Photography is allowed in this session of tour.

Wine Tasting: now you will be taken by our professionals to have some fun ie tasting of 5 different varieties of wine, the tasting session will easily take 40 – 50 minutes, may be little more sometimes. You will have varieties of wine amidst oak barrels in air-condition cellar.

Lunch: The Lunch Menu includes (Veg Soup, Veg & Non Veg Biryani, Raita, Papad, Gulab Jamun)
The entire tour takes approximately 2 to 2.5 hours of time
Tour Cost: per pax
01 pax: USD 100
02 pax: USD 55
03 pax: USD 50

Inclusions
- 02 bottles of 500 ml mineral water
- Wine expert during the tour
- 05 glasses of wine for tasting
- Indian Lunch
- Transport for the tour from pick up until drop at hotel by AC vehicle

Exclusions
- Any local guide service
- Any service not mentioned in inclusions
- Any kind of tipping
- Extra glasses of wine
- Bottle of wine
- Grape Stomping

Important Info
The wine tour is conducted in a group of other participants
Grape stomping is subject to availability according to season
Photography or videography inside the wine making factory is prohibited

Cancellation Policy
- Zero refund if cancelled within 03 days of the tour
- 40% cancellation fee applicable for cancellation made between 03 - 07 days of the tour
- Zero cancellation if cancelled before 07 days of the tour

Add On
Supplement of USD 60 for local English speaking guide for the tour
Supplement of USD 80 for language speaking guide for the tour
Supplement of USD 0.5 per bottle for additional water bottle

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Tour 04: Half Day
Walking Tour of Old City of Bangalore

Location: Bangalore
Duration: 4 Hours
Activity Level: Easy
Start Time: Anytime of the day
Starting Point: From your accommodation point
Ending Point: At your accommodation point
Language: English
Reporting Point: Your accommodation point

Overview
A nostalgic walk through Bangalore covering Markets, Forts, Temples and Palaces.

Highlights
- Visit the oldest market in the city
- Visit to Bangalore fort and Tipu Sultan’s Summer Palace
- An introduction to the history of Bangalore city

Detailed Overview
Tour starts with the walking trail from K R Market – city’s oldest vegetable & flower market & the largest wholesale market. It is the first locality in the whole of Asia to get electricity and considered to be one of the biggest flower markets in Asia. Following to that walk down to Bangalore Fort - the fort has provided the setting for the treasure hunt in the book Riddle of the Seventh Stone. Visit the busy KoteAnjaneya Swami Temple which stands opposite to the fort. Lastly walk down to Tipu's Summer Palace - the structure was built entirely with teak and stands adorned with pillars, arches and balconies. The site also holds a painting of grand throne visualized by Tipu Sultan himself.

Itinerary
Pick up from hotel & drive to K R Market
Visit Bangalore Fort followed by KoteAnjaneya Swami Temple
Visit Tipu Sultan Palace

Tour Cost: per pax
01 pax: USD 85
02 pax: USD 45
03 pax: USD 35

Inclusions
- 02 bottles of 500 ml mineral water
- One-time entrance to the monuments.
- English speaking guide during the whole tour
- Transport for the tour from pick up until drop at hotel by AC vehicle
Exclusions
- Any food item
- Tipping of any sort
- Any kind of purchase item from the market

Important Info
- Recommended to wear shoes for comfortable walk on the streets & market
- Carry scarf or hat to cover your head from the sun
- Fresh flowers are available in the market which are sold at wholesale prices

Cancellation Policy
- Zero refund if cancelled within 03 days of the tour
- 40% cancellation fee applicable for cancellation between 03 - 07 days of the tour
- Zero cancellation if cancelled before 07 days of the tour

Add On
Supplement of USD 30 for language speaking guide for the tour
Supplement of USD .5 per bottle for additional water bottle

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**TOUR 05:**

**MALLESHWARAM HERITAGE TRAIL**

**Location:** Bangalore  
**Duration:** 3 Hours  
**Start Time:** Anytime of the day  
**Activity Level:** Easy  
**Language:** English  
**Starting Point:** From your accommodation point  
**Ending Point:** At your accommodation point  
**Reporting Point:** At your accommodation

**Overview**

Malleshwaran presents to you a quintessential slice of the south Indian life, modern and age-old. Discover Malleshwaram - a suburb of Bangalore on this signature heritage trail.

**Highlights**

- Oldest part of Bangalore city  
- One of the oldest & most sacred hindu temple in Bangalore  
- Traditional South Indian street shops by the road

**Detailed Overview**

The olden day suburb now at the heart of the city, Malleswaram evokes a strong sense of nostalgia and curiosity among Bangaloreans and outsiders alike. A large modern mall and the typically South Indian street shopping side-by-side, Malleswaran presents to you a quintessential slice of the south Indian life, modern and age-old. Malleswaram was visualised and built as a suburb, where the blue collar middle-class stayed, far enough from the central business district of the day, but close enough to take a short ride by horse carriage, or in rare cases by car. As employees of the British government or the Mysore Raj, or researchers and scientists at the IISc, the early inhabitants of Malleswaran tended to be upper middle class, mostly Brahmins, Bharatanatyam patrons, the influence of which can be seen to this day. Exploring this authentically South Indian Malleshwaram, this walk takes you through delights of south Indian life: in Hindu temples, street shopping for hand-woven flowers and pooja materials, freshly brewed filter coffee and one of Bangalore's best dosas.

**Itinerary**

Pick up from the hotel & drive to Malleshwaram.  
Visit Sri KaaduMallikarjunaswamy Temple & Sai Baba Temple  
Walk to the renowned residence of scientist Sir C V Raman which is converted to an institute for intellectually challenged youth who work on IT-enabled services.  
Explore the stories of other famous personalities that lies in the lanes on Malleshwaram  
Walk the old street local vegetable & flower markets  
Return to hotel.

**Tour Cost : per pax**

- 01 pax: USD 80  
- 02 pax: USD 45  
- 03 pax: USD 40
Inclusions
- 02 bottles of 500 ml mineral water
- English speaking guide during the whole tour
- Transport for the tour from pick up until drop at hotel by AC vehicle

Exclusions
- Any entrance charges other than the mentioned
- Any kind of purchase while on the tour
- Any food items

Important Info
Recommended to wear light cotton clothes
Avoid shorts or sleeveless tops
Wear comfortable walking shoes

Cancellation Policy
- Zero refund if cancelled within 03 days of the tour
- 40% cancellation fee applicable for cancellation made between 03 - 07 days of the tour
- Zero cancellation if cancelled before 07 days of the tour

Add On
Supplement of USD 30 for language speaking guide for the tour
Supplement of USD .5 per bottle for additional water bottle

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TOUR 06:
TALE OF TWO CITIES

Location: Bangalore
Duration: 3 Hours
Activity Level: Easy
Start Time: Anytime of the day
Starting Point: from the point of accommodation
Ending Point: to the point of accommodation
Language: English
Reporting Point: from your hotel

Overview
A Nature walk that takes you across the bridge of Bangalore 'Pete' and the Bangalore Cantonment.

Highlights
- A nature walk steeped in history and past.
- Monuments and Architecture of Bangalore

Detailed Overview
Bangalore’s history is a tale of two cities—the Indian City or Pete and the European Cantonment with Cubbon Park serving as a bridge between the two. Walk back into 20th century Bangalore along the trees at Cubbon Park. Meade’s Park, Sri Chamarajendra Park, more popularly known as Cubbon Park, is more than a park. Alongside the great many species of plants and birds that call it their home, Cubbon Park also borders several of Bangalore’s important buildings: AttaraKacheri—Karnataka High Court, a museum, Central Library, and an aquarium, among other things. Stroll through this verdant lung space and learn of a Victorian era when where men wore top hats and memsahibs held parasols, when people commuted on horseback and danced in the ballrooms of Parade road.

Itinerary
Pick up from hotel & drive to Cubbon Park.
Walking tour of the park with the brief British history that lies within this area.
Visit the nearby important buildings with prominent history of British India.
Return to hotel.

Tour Cost: per pax
01 pax: USD 80
02 pax: USD 45
03 pax: USD 40

Inclusions
- 02 bottles of 500 ml mineral water
- English speaking guide during the whole tour
- Transport for the tour from pick up until drop at hotel by AC vehicle
Exclusions
· Any kind of food item
· Battery car ride or auto rickshaw ride inside the park

Important Info
Carry a scarf or hat to be safe from the sun
Sunscreen to be applied before the tour
Walking shoes or comfortable flip-flops
Light cotton clothes are recommended

Cancellation Policy
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Add On
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TOUR 07: VISIT TO RURAL ECO VILLAGE

Location: Bangalore
Duration: 6 Hours
Activity Level: easy
Start Time: 1000 hrs
Starting Point: Your accommodation in Bangalore
Ending Point: Your accommodation in Bangalore
Language: English
Reporting Point: Your accommodation in Bangalore

Overview
A day at Eco – Village in Bangalore with eco-friendly activities & experience the simplicity of Indian rural life.

Highlights
- Participation in village activities
- Interaction with villagers

Detailed Overview
Spend half a day at an Eco Village in Bangalore. The Eco Village offers a very different set of activities. Here, you indulge in day-to-day activities that people follow in an Indian village. It is a fun as well as learning experience and the simplicity of it all excites a joyous feeling and a beatific smile.

Itinerary
Pick up from Hotel & drive to Eco-Village
Welcome drinks served upon arrival
Village activities in the eco-village
Buffet lunch
Experiences & fun games inside the eco-village
Hi-tea
Depart to hotel

Tour Cost: per pax
01 pax: USD 160
02 pax: USD 95
03 pax: USD 85

Inclusions
- 02 bottles of 500 ml mineral water
- English speaking guide during the whole tour
- Welcome Drink, buffet lunch & hi-tea
- Village activities – pottery making, bullock cart ride, gillidanda, kite flying, cricket, lagori, educational walk around our organic farm, spin the top, cycle tyre racing, indoor games – native board games, chess, ludo, etc, badminton, milking the cow, flower and rangoli design classes, kabaddi, access to our pond style swimming pool.
Exclusions

- Any service not mentioned in inclusions
- Any kind of tipping
- Any kind of food item not mentioned in inclusion

Important Info

Carry a scarf or hat to be safe from the sun
Sunscreen to be applied before the tour
Walking shoes or comfortable flip-flops
Light cotton clothes are recommended

Cancellation Policy

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Add On

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TOUR 08:
VICTORIAN BANGALORE WALK

Location: Bangalore
Duration: 3 Hours
Activity Level: Easy
Start Time: 0700 Hrs
Starting Point: Your point of stay
Ending Point: Your point of stay
Language: English
Reporting Point: Your point of stay

Overview
The Victorian Bangalore tour covers the sights and stories that surround the formation of Bangalore city as we know it under the influence of the British.

Highlights
- History and Architecture of Bangalore
- Monuments and Churches
- Local flavors and interactions

Detailed Overview
This quiet little town in South India grew quite spectacularly over the next 70 years. The seeds of Bangalore’s current persona - its leadership in technology, industry, scientific research & aerospace, its pubs, greenery, sporting culture and cosmopolitanism, as also the traffic chaos, demographic diversity and attractiveness to immigrants - were sown at different times and places in the Victorian era. Visit 19th Century churches, public buildings and stately homes, tracing the growth of the cantonment. Hear stories of Bangalore’s famous British residents and discover what made Bangalore tick in the 19th Century.

Itinerary
The walk starts from the Holy Trinity Church, Trinity Circle followed by visit to CSI East Parade Church, St. Andrew’s Church, St. Mark’s Cathedral & ending at St. Patrick’s Church.
Holy Trinity – CSI East Parade Church – 700 metres / 10 mins by walk
CSI East Parade Church – St. Andrew’s Church – 1.5 kms / 25 mins by walk
St. Andrew’s Church – St. Marks Cathedral – 800 metres / 10 mins by walk
St. Marks Cathedral – St. Patrick's Church – 1.5 kms / 25 mins by walk

Tour Cost: per pax
01 pax: USD 80
02 pax: USD 40
03 pax: USD 30
Exclusions
- Any kind of food item
- Battery car ride or auto rickshaw ride inside the park

Important Info
- Carry a scarf or hat to be safe from the sun
- Sunscreen to be applied before the tour
- Walking shoes or comfortable flip-flops
- Light cotton clothes are recommended

Cancellation Policy
- Zero refund if cancelled within 03 days of the tour
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Add On
- Supplement of USD 30 for language speaking guide for the tour
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TOUR 09 : TOY STORY
CHANNAPATNA WOODEN TOYS FACTORY VISIT

Location: Channapatna
Duration: 6 Hours
Activity Level: Easy
Start Time: 0900 hrs
Starting Point: your point of stay
Ending Point: your point of stay
Language: English
Reporting Point :your point of stay

Overview
Visit to the toy town of Karnataka and interaction with traditional toy makers who use their skill and ingenuity to churn out some of the most colourful toys in the world.

Highlights
· Introduction to Channapatna Toy town
· Techniques in toy making
· Interaction with local artsans

Detailed Overview
Channapatna toys are a form of wooden toys (and dolls) that are manufactured in the town of Channapatna in the Bangalore Rural district of Karnataka state, India. This traditional craft is protected as a geographical indication (GI) under the World Trade Organization, administered by the Government of Karnataka. As a result of the popularity of these toys, Channapatna is known as GombegalaOoru (toy-town) of Karnataka. Traditionally, the work involved lacquering the wood of the Wrightiainctoria tree, colloquially called Aalemara (ivory-wood).

The origin of these toys can be traced to the reign of Tipu Sultan who invited artsans from Persia to train the local artsans in the making of wooden toys. BavasMiyan is the father of Channapatna Toy. He is the one to sacrifice his life for channapatna toys. He adopted Japanese technology for toys making and help the local artsans improve their art. For nearly two centuries, ivory-wood was the main wood used in the making of these toys, though rosewood and sandalwood were also occasionally used.

The craft has diversified over time; in addition to the traditional ivory-wood, other woods—including rubber, sycamore, cedar, pine and teak—are now used as well. Manufacturing stages include procuring the wood, seasoning the wood, cutting the wood into the desired shapes, pruning and carving the toys, applying the colours and finally polishing the finished product. Vegetable dyes are used in the colouring process to ensure that the toys and dolls are safe for use by children. More than 6,000 people in Channapatna, working in 254 home manufacturing units and 50 small factories, were engaged in the making of these toys.
Channapatna Crafts Park is India’s first crafts park and is located at Channapatna in Karnataka, South India. The Park was established to help preserve, nurture and grow their skills by providing them with employment opportunities. This has been done through the provision of infrastructure and manufacturing facilities to exporters engaged in the production of wood craft lacquerware and natural fibre products synonymous with the region. The infrastructure and facilities of the Park are also available to Architects, Designers and Companies for crafting and manufacturing of wooden products and lacquerware. Spread over 14 acres of land, the Park has a sophisticated Common Facility Service Centre with state-of-the-art wood working machines. Also being set up is a Common Facility Service Centre for natural fibre. Manufacturer-Exporters are establishing their individual manufacturing centers within the Park.

Interact with the workers.
Visit the emporium for finished products.
Return to Bangalore to your hotel

Tour Cost : per pax
01 pax: USD 215
02 pax:USD 130
03 pax: USD 110

Inclusions
· 02 bottles of 500 ml mineral water
· English speaking guide during the whole tour
· Packed Lunch
· Permit to visit the factory
· Transport for the tour from pick up until drop at hotel by AC vehicle

Exclusions
· Any kind of purchase of the toys from the emporium or factory
· Any kind of food item not mentioned in the inclusion

Important Info
The visit permit has to be taken in prior with all details of the visitor
It is at the discretion of the Directors to allow visit to the factory
Public is allowed to visit this crafts park only upon prior approval from the Directors.
Photography & Videography is strictly prohibited
Offering any business deals or money to the workers is restricted

Cancellation Policy
No refund on cancellation

Add On
Supplement of USD 30 for language speaking guide for the tour
Supplement of USD .5 per bottle for additional water bottle

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Tour 10: 
**Doddalada Mara “The Big Banyan Tree”**

**Location:** Ramohalli, Bangalore  
**Duration:** 7 Hours  
**Activity Level:** Easy  
**Start Time:** 0900 Hrs  
**Starting Point:** from your point of stay  
**Ending Point:** at your point of stay  
**Language:** English  
**Reporting Point:** from your point of stay

**Overview**  
Visit to a giant 400 year old tree spread over 3 acres that has become a landmark and part of local folklore.

**Highlights**  
- Visit to world’s largest monolithic statue of Lord Naga

**Detailed Overview**  
The DoddaAlada Mara means a big Banyan tree. It is a giant 400 year old Banyan tree located in the village of Kethohalli/Ramohalli in the Bangalore Urban district in Karnataka. This single plant covers 3 acres (12,000 sq.m) and is one of the largest of its kind. It has a crown circumference of more than 250 meters and has more than a thousand aerial roots. In the 2000s, the main root of the tree succumbed to natural disease, and now it gives the impression of there being many different trees. The Big Banyan Tree is positioned at a distance of 28 km from Bangalore towards Mysore Road. Nearby to the historical banyan tree is a Mukthi Naga Temple of Navagraha in the form of Naga. It is the world’s largest monolithic statue of Lord Naga. This 7 headed idol is about 16 feet tall & 36 tons of weight. ShriMukthi Naga Kshetra has long been the home for the Serpent deity. As per the legend, the devotees used to make 9 pradakshinas around the "huuta" (anthill) where the serpent resides, to get their desires fulfilled within 90 days. The residents of this region have been referring to this place as "JunjappanaBayalu" (Junjappa's field)

**Itinerary**  
Pick up from hotel & drive to the destination.  
Spend time with guide knowing the history & important interesting facts & details of the Banyan Tree  
Walk at the nearby village roads to experience the rural life  
Return to Bangalore to hotel.

**Tour Cost:** per pax  
01 pax: USD 90  
02 pax: USD 50  
03 pax: USD 40
Inclusions
- 02 bottles of 500 ml mineral water
- English speaking guide during the whole tour
- Transport for the tour from pick up until drop at hotel by AC vehicle

Exclusions
- Any entrance charges other than the mentioned
- Any kind of purchase while on the tour
- Any food items

Important Info
Recommended to wear light cotton clothes
Avoid shorts or sleeveless tops
Wear comfortable walking shoes

Cancellation Policy
- Zero refund if cancelled within 03 days of the tour
- 40% cancellation fee applicable for cancellation made between 03 - 07 days of the tour
- Zero cancellation if cancelled before 07 days of the tour

Add On
Supplement of USD 30 for language speaking guide for the tour
Supplement of USD .5 per bottle for additional water bottle

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Tour 11: Visit to Shri Veerabhadra Swami Temple at Lepakshi

Location: Lepakshi, Andhra Pradesh
Duration: 7 Hours
Activity Level: Average
Start Time: 0900 Hrs
Starting Point: from your point of stay
Ending Point: at your point of stay
Language: English
Reporting Point: from your point of stay

Overview
Visit to a Hindu temple that is famous for its ‘Hanging Pillar’ that gives an illusion as if the pillar is hanging from the roof without any support.

Highlights
- Veerabhadra Temple
- The golden pillar
- Fresco Painting
- Stone carving
- Hanging Pillar
- Hooded Serpent
- Ganesha idol carved on a rock
- Huge foot impression if Lord Hanuman

Detailed Overview
Lepakshi is a small village located in the Anantapur District, in AP & is approximately 123 kms north of Bengaluru. It is a historical & archaeological site with temples dedicated to Hindu gods & the huge Nandi Bull made of a single Granite stone. The most astonishing architectural marvel of Lepakshi is the Hanging Pillar of Veerabhadra Temple. The pillar does not rest on the ground completely but hangs in the air, with enough space between its base and the ground to pass a sheet of paper or a small twig through it fully to emerge on the other side! Out of the 70 pillars at the stone temple, in the Vijayanagar style of architecture by brothers Virupanna and Veeranna, this particular pillar stands out as a triumphant masterpiece of architecture. The Archaeological Survey of India has proven that this pillar was not constructed as a mistake, but was built intentionally to prove the brilliance of the builders of the time.

Itinerary
Depart from Bangalore & drive to Lepakshi in Andhra Pradesh
Upon reaching, visit VeerabhadraSwamy Temple
Lunch stop at local restaurant at Lepakshi
Drive to Nandi Bull statue for picture stop of the flying eagle mounted at the hill top.
Return to Bangalore.
Tour Cost: per pax
01 pax: USD 190
02 pax: USD 100
03 pax: USD 90

Inclusions
- 02 bottles of 500 ml mineral water
- English speaking guide during the whole tour
- South Indian buffet Lunch at local restaurant
- Entrance
- Transport for the tour from pick up until drop at hotel by AC vehicle

Exclusions
- Any entrance charges other than the mentioned
- Any kind of purchase while on the tour
- Any food items not included in the tour

Important Info
Recommended to wear light cotton clothes
Avoid shorts or sleeveless tops
Wear comfortable walking shoes
Carry & apply sunscreen during the tour.
Wear a scarf or a hat to protect from heat.

Cancellation Policy
- Zero refund if cancelled within 03 days of the tour
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Add On
Supplement of USD 80 for language speaking guide for the tour
Supplement of USD .5 per bottle for additional water bottle

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Tour 12:
MELKOTE TEMPLE

Location: Melukote
Duration: 06 Hours
Activity Level: Average
Start Time: 0800 Hrs
Starting Point: from your point of stay
Ending Point: at your point of stay
Language: English
Reporting Point: from your point of stay

Overview
Cheluvanarayana Temple also known as Thirunarayanapura, is built on rocky hills called as Yadugiri or Yadavagiri overlooking the Kaveri valley. Lord Vishnu is worshipped in different forms across the world and CheluvanarayanaSwamy Temple is one of the many temples dedicated to Lord Vishnu.

Highlights
- Dedicated to Lord Vishnu
- Overlooks the Kaveri valley
- Situated on a hill top
- 1000 years old temple

Detailed Overview
Life in the devout Hindu town of Melukote (Melkote), about 50km north of Mysuru, revolves around the 12th-century Cheluvanarayana Temple, with its rose-coloured gopuram (gateway tower) and ornately carved pillars. This temple town is 50 kms away from Mysore and is often considered to be the home of Sanskrit Scholars. Melukote hosts many temples with beautiful carvings. On this tour away from the hustle & bustle of city life, explore this temple town & its rich customs. CheluvanarayanaSwamy Temple is over 1000 years old. The engravings on the temple mention the historical evidence of the temple. On one of the columns of navaranga is a bas relief, of Raja Wodeyar. This name is etched on the base. He was said to be a great devotee of the presiding deity and a constant visitor to the temple. CheluvanarayanaSwamy Temple is a lavishly empowered temple by the Wodeyar dynasty, the Royals of Mysore. The temple has the most valuable collection of jewels given to the lord by Mysore king Raja Wodeyar. Wodeyars gifted two gold crowns known as Vairamudi or Vajramukuta and Krishnarajamudi to the lord. There is another crown, must older than these two crowns gifted to the lord by some unknown person. All the three crowns are currently in the custody of the Government and are brought to the temple on special occasions.

Itinerary
Depart from Bangalore with your private chauffeur driven car to Melukote.
Drive down 160 kms of scenic country side road to reach the temple
Visit Cheluvanarayana Temple located at the hill top.
Drive down to the roads connecting to the nearby villages.
Drive past of small village & return to Bangalore.
Tour Cost: per pax
01 pax: USD 190
02 pax: USD 100
03 pax: USD 90

Inclusions
- 02 bottles of 500 ml mineral water
- English speaking guide during the whole tour
- Packed Lunch & refreshments
- Transport for the tour from pick up until drop at hotel by AC vehicle

Exclusions
- Any entrance charges other than the mentioned
- Any kind of purchase while on the tour
- Any food items not included in the tour

Important Info
Photography inside the temple premise is prohibited
Entering the inner sanctum (garbhagriha) of the temple is restricted
Recommended to wear light cotton clothes
Avoid shorts or sleeveless tops
Wear comfortable walking shoes
Carry & apply sunscreen during the tour.
Wear a scarf or a hat to protect from heat.

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