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Mysore Dasara is a Royal festival celebrating victory of truth over evil. Legend has it that the Goddess Chamundeeswari or Durga slew the demon Mahishasuran on Vijayadashami.

Dasara is a 10-day festival in this region culminating on Vijayadashami or the tenth day in the month of Ashvin roughly corresponding to the months of either September or October every year (In the Gregorian calendar). The event marks the successful conclusion of the preceding nine days. Vijayadashami epitomizes victory of the King and his subjects, either be it in battle or in day-to-day governance. The preceding nine days of Navarathri have celebrations starting only after six days. The sixth day is in honour of goddess Saraswathi. The eight day is dedicated to goddess Durga and the Ninth day is for Lakshmi - goddess of wealth. On tenth day a grand spectacular Procession is held which starts from Mysore Palace and ends in Bannimantap.

In Karnataka, Dasara is observed as State festival - Nadahabba, because of the celebration of the festival is steered by the Royal Family by performing special puja on the occasion of Dasara. In short it is grandeur religious and martial event with royal support.

During Dasara, the entire City is gaily decorated and illuminated. The Palace and other important buildings are illuminated. Cultural programmes by famous artists are arranged in the Palace along with Sports, Wrestling, Poet's meet, Food Festival, Film Festival which are witnessed by a large number of people. Dasara Exhibition is arranged in the Doddakere Maidana, by the Karnataka Exhibition Authority, where the public and private sector industries, leading business establishments, Government departments showcase their business potential by putting their stalls to promote industrial and corporate business.

Mysore is an enthralling destination for travellers, especially during Dasara. The illuminated Mysore Palace during celebrations draws tourists from all over the world. Nearly Rs. 10 million is spent annually towards maintenance of the illumination alone and more than 25,000 electric bulbs are replaced every year just before the Dasara festivities. The elephants for the Dasara processions are trained for the grand finale. Twelve handpicked Dasara jumbos will march on the procession route from Mysore Palace to Bannimantap twice a day.











### DASARA SPECIAL

Bangalore / Mysore / Bangalore
3 Nights / 4 Days

#### Day 01: 22nd Oct 2023:- Bangalore / Mysore (150Kms/3 Hrs)

Meet on arrival at Bangalore and drive to Mysore- Known for its magnificent palaces and majestic buildings, sprawling gardens and tree lined boulevards, shimmering silks and sandalwood, the 'City Royale' always figures in the tourist's itinerary, On arrival check into Hotel, Later visit Maharaja Palace - the palace is a splendid structure in the Indo-Saracenic Style, among its many attractions are a magnificent gold throne displayed during the Dasara celebrations, Evening visit Chamundi Hill - perched a top a hill-the 4.8m tall monolith of Nandi and the gigantic Mahishasura statue are added attractions. Return back to hotel and overnight.

#### Day 02: 23rd Oct 2023:- Mysore - Ayudapuja Day

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#### Day 03: 24th Oct 2023:- Mysore - Vijayadashami Day

Breakfast, proceed to Maharaja Palace at 11.30hrs to be seated to witness Dasara Pooja and procession at Maharaja Palace (Carry your sandwich and water bottle). Return to hotel at 16.00hrs. Evening free Overnight

#### Day 04: 25th Oct 2023:- Mysore / Bangalore

Breakfast, checkout of the hotel and carry back your Dasara experience to share with your friends.

TOUR COST				
No. of Guest	Tour Cost Per Person			
	Silver - 3*	Gold - 4*	Platinum - 5*	
2 Persons travelling (Dbl Occupancy)	19000	22500	25000	
3 Persons travelling together (TplOccupancy )	15500	18000	21000	
4 persons travelling together (2 DBL)	15500	18500	22000	
1 person travellingwith 2 persons (Single occupancy)	20000	23500	28500	
Children between 6-12 years	7500	9000	13500	
Children below 5 years	Comp	Comp	Comp	

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Place	3*	4*	5*
Mysore	Rio Meridian	Sandesh de Prince	Fortune JP Palace
	or Similar	or Similar	or Similar









### DASARA & WILDLIFE TOUR

Bangalore / Mysore / Nagarahole — Kabini / Bangalore **5 Nights / 6 Days** 

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TOUR COST			
No. of Guest	<b>Tour Cost Per Person</b>		
	Silver - 3*	Gold - 4*	Platinum - 5*
2 Persons travelling (Dbl Occupancy)	53000	61000	68000
3 Persons travelling together (TplOccupancy)	47500	55000	63000
4 persons travelling together (2 DBL)	47500	55000	63000
1 person travelling with 2 persons (Single occupancy)	72000	85000	98000
Children between 6-12 years	22000	25000	32000
Children below 5 years			

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Breakfast, proceed to Maharaja Palace at 11.30hrs to be seated to witness Dasara Pooja and procession at Maharaja Palace (Carry your sandwich and water bottle). Return to hotel at 16.00hrs. Evening free Overnight.

### Day 04: 25th Oct 2023:- Mysore / Nagarahole - Kabini (80Kms/2 Hrs)

Breakfast, check out and drive to Nagarahole National Park-Kabini-Nestled in the southern fringes of the Nagarahole National Park, the Kabini area is a perfect getaway for nature lovers. The breathtaking locale with the tranquil backwaters of the River Kabini presents an ideal setting for a long-awaited vacation. Check in on arrival and proceed for buffet lunch. Wild life safari in the evening. Dinner and overnight.

#### Day 05: 26th Oct 2023:- Kabini

Morning wake up at 05:45hrs to get ready for Wildlife Safari / Boat ride. Return to resort, breakfast. Relax or take a walk around the backwater area. Evening Safari, Dinner and overnight.

### Day 06: 27th Oct 2023:- Nagarahole - Kabini / Bangalore (250 Kms/ 5 Hrs)

Morning after coffee/tea proceed for Wildlife Safari at 06.30hrs. Return to resort, breakfast, checkout at 11.00hrs and drive to Bangalore. Tour Ends.

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Place	3*	4*	5*
Mysore	Rio Meridian or similar	Sandesh de Prince or similar	Fortune JP Palace or similar
Nagarahole	Kabini River or similar (Tented Cottage)	Kabini River Lodge or similar (Room)	Kabini River Lodge or similar (Maharaja Cottage)







### DASARA & CITY TOUR

Bangalore / Mysore / Bangalore 5 Nights / 6 Days

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TOUR COST			
No. of Guest	Tour Cost Per Person		
	Silver - 3*	Gold - 4*	Platinum - 5*
2 Persons travelling (Dbl Occupancy)	30500	35700	41000
3 Persons travelling together (TplOccupancy)	24600	28200	32000
4 persons travelling together (2 DBL)	25000	31000	36000
1 person travelling with 2 persons (Single occupancy)	33100	41000	48000
Children between 6-12 years	10000	12500	15000
Children below 5 years			

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Breakfast, proceed to Maharaja Palace at 11.30hrs to be seated to witness Dasara Pooja and procession at Maharaja Palace (Carry your sandwich and water bottle). Return to hotel at 16.00hrs. Evening free Overnight.

#### Day 04: 25th Oct 2023:- Mysore / Bangalore

Breakfast, checkout and drive to Bangalore . On arrival check in to hotel, lunch and relax. Later proceed for Half day sightseeing, visit to ISKCON Temple - the Krishna Temple is a blend of Modern technology and spiritual harmony, Lalbagh - 240 acres of beautifully sculpted gardens, flowers abound, rare collection of tropical and sub-tropical plants, Vidhana Soudha (out Side view)- this massive building houses the state Legislature and the Secretariat and return back to the hotel and overnight.

#### Day 05: 26th Oct 2023:- Bangalore

Breakfast and proceed for full day sightseeing, cover Cubbon part, Bull Temple - Dravidian-style temple, has a huge monolithic Bull is the vahana of Lord Shiva, Tippu's palace -Tippu Sultan's summer retreat is a two-storied ornate wooden structure, Indira Gandhi Musical Fountain-View the colourful swirling fountains dancing in tune to music. Evening Free for shopping. Back to hotel. Overnight.

#### Day 06: 27th Oct 2023:- Bangalore

Breakfast check out and drive to Airport to board the flight or train for onward destination. Tour Ends.

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Place	3*	4*	5*
Mysore	Rio Meridian or similar	Sandesh de Prince or similar	Fortune JP Palace or similar
Bangalore	Hotel Mayura or similar	Grand Magrath or similar	Welcomhotel by ITC Benguluru or similar









### DASARA & COORG TOUR

Bangalore / Mysore / Coorg / Bangalore
5 Nights / 6 Days

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	Silver - 3*	Gold - 4*	Platinum - 5*	
2 Persons travelling (Dbl Occupancy)	35700	41000	46500	
3 Persons travelling together (TplOccupancy)	28200	32000	36000	
4 persons travelling together (2 DBL)	29800	35100	40300	
1 person travelling with 2 persons (Single occupancy)	37800	44800	51800	
Children between 6-12 years	10000	12500	15000	
Children below 5 years				

(Carry your sandwich and water bottle). Return to hotel at 16.00hrs. Evening free Overnight.

### Day 04: 25th Oct 2023:- Mysore / Coorg - Madikeri (120 Kms/3 Hrs)

Breakfast, checkout and drive to Madikeri, enroute visit Bylakuppe - largest Tibetan settlement in South India. A beautiful Monastery with three large and imposing 62 feet Golden Buddha statues covered with gold plates. Cauvery Nisargadhama - is an island formed by river Cauvery and is used as a picnic spot island, with lush foliage of thick bamboo groves, sandalwood and teak trees and surrounded by the Cauvery river. On arrival at Madikeri check into hotel, relax and overnight.

#### Day 05: 26th Oct 2023:- Coorg - Madikeri

Breakfast, proceed to visit Bhagamandala - situated at the confluence of two rivers, the Cauvery and the Kanika. A third river, the Sujyothi is said to join from underground. Visit Talacauvery - known as Dakshin Kashi is the birthplace of river Cauvery at the foot of the breathtaking Brahmagiri Hills, Abbey Falls, Omkareshwara Temple and Raja Seat. Back to hotel. Overnight.

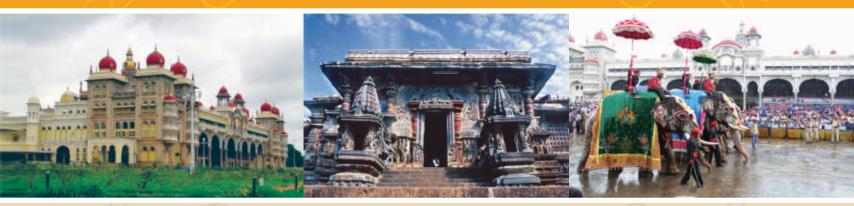
#### Day 06: 27th Oct 2023: Coorg/Bangalore (280 Kms/6 Hrs)

Early breakfast checkout and drive to Bangalore, enroute visit Dubare Elephant Camp (to reach the place before 08.30Hrs) offer the 3 hour experience with Elephants consisting of elephant Grooming, feeding, boat transfer. On arrival at Bangalore drop to Airport / Railway station to board the flight / Train for onward

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Place	3*	4*	5*
Mysore	Rio Meridian	Sandesh de Prince	Fortune JP Palace
	or similar	or similar	or similar
Coorg -	Coorg Palace	Club Mahindra	Coorg Wilderness
Madikeri	or similar	or similar	Resort or similar







### DASARA & HERITAGE TOUR

Bangalore / Mysore / Hassan / Bangalore
5 Nights / 6 Days

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2 Persons travelling (Dbl Occupancy)	35200	44300	45300
3 Persons travelling together (TplOccupancy)	37100	49300	58600
4 persons travelling together (2 DBL)	28300	35000	37000
1 person travelling with 2 persons (Single occupancy)	37100	49300	49300
Children between 6-12 years	10000	12500	15000
Children below 5 years			

Temple. Evening-attend rehearsal of Torch Light Parade at Bannimantap. Overnight

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#### Day 04: 25th Oct 2023:- Mysore / Hassan (120 Kms/3 Hrs)

Breakfast, check out and drive to Hassan, enroute visit Shravanabelagola - The monolithic statue of Lord Gomateshwara, a Jain saint (watch out 600 steps to be climbed). Later check into Hotel. Overnight.

#### Day 05: 26th Oct 2023:- Hassan

Breakfast and proceed to visit Belur - The most photographed and perhaps the best and they are a must on every tourist's temple itinerary and Halebid - the temple, perched on a star-shaped base amidst lawns, is a sculptural extravaganza. Overnight at hotel.

### Day 06: 27th Oct 2023:- Hassan / Bangalore (200 Kms/ 5 Hrs.)

Breakfast, check out and drive to Bangalore. On arrival drop to Bangalore Airport / Railway station to board the train or flight for onward destination. Tour Ends.

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Pla	се	3*	4*	5*
My	sore	Rio Meridian or similar	Sandesh de Prince or similar	Fortune JP Palace or similar
Has	san	Hotel Southern Star or similar	Hoysala Village	





### **Tour Cost Includes:**

- Accommodation on Single / twin / triple sharing basis with bed and breakfast and all taxes as per the itinerary.
- Accommodation with all meals and wildlife activities at Nagarahole Kabini.
- Transportation by A/C Vehicle depending upon the group size with driver allowance, parking & GST as per the itinerary

#### Tour Cost does not include:

- Lunch & Dinner wherever not specified
- Entrance Fee, Camera Fee, etc.,
- Gold Card & Entry Tickets.
- Personal expenses such as laundry, telephone charges, drinks, tips, etc.,

#### **CANCELLATION**

#### Prior to commencement of tour and counted from a working day.

- 30 days prior to commencement of tour, cancellation fee, 10 percent
- 29 to 15 days prior to commencement of tour, cancellation fee, 50 percent
- No refund for cancellation with less than 15 days



Customer taking our packages are assured in getting Gold Card or Entry Tickets to witness Jambo Savari (Dasara Procession) and Torch Light Parade at Cost Price. Gold Card cost is Rs. 5000/- per person and Entry Ticket cost is Rs. 2500/per person approximately.



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