

BEACH GETAWAY

08 Nights/09 Days



If you are someone who yearns to bask under the warmth of the sun surrounded by palm fringed coastlines and a pristine sandy floor, then look no further because Sri Lanka is waiting for you. Be it for a beach bum or a lone holiday-maker looking for that perfect beach experience, Sri Lanka has got it all.

And if you are looking for adventure on the beach, then be prepared to go at it with experiences such as kitesurfing, kayaking, wind-surfing, surfing, snorkeling and the likes that will be just around the corner. When it comes to beaches, throughout the year, the weather would remain favourable so you can get to enjoy a sun-kissed holiday. Winds from the north east makes the south western coast sunny and the sea calmer between November to March. South Western winds make the waters of the Eastern coast calmer as well, with a constant bout of sunshine.

DAY 01 | AIRPORT – NEGOMBO

At the airport you will be greeted by your chauffeur guide who will take you into the Hotel in **Negombo**. Once at the comforts of your hotel, relax and recover from any jet lag.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

<http://www.jetwinghotels.com/jetwingsea/>

DAY 02 | NEGOMBO – BENTOTA

After breakfast check out the hotel and start your journey towards **Bentota/Induruwa** Where you will spend 03 nights in Sandy Beaches of Indian Ocean.

Relax in the Hotel.

One of the most popular resort towns on the South West coast of Sri Lanka, Bentota is home to some of the finest beaches. It is also the much sought after centre of water sport action in the region. Snugly situated between the calm Bentota lagoon, the river and the ocean, it provides an ideal setting for a wide range of thrills and spills. Boat rides up river, also offers a chance to explore the tangled waterways, mangrove swamps and marine life that thrive there. The beach also attracts endangered sea turtles that come to nest – and many conservation projects operating in the area offer guests the opportunity to observe them up close.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

<http://www.templetreeresortandspa.com/>

DAY 03 | BENTOTA - BALAPITIYA - BENTOTA

After breakfast proceed to **Balapitiya** for a boat **safari in Madu River** (AUS \$ 20 per person). En route visit **Kosgoda turtle hatchery**. (AUS \$ 5 per person) Kosgoda is a quiet coastal town located along the Southern coastal belt of Sri Lanka and Kosgoda lagoon offers an ideal location for bird enthusiasts to observe some of the nature's finest.

Balapitiya is a picturesque coastal town, located in the Southern Province in Sri Lanka. It is an approximate two-hour drive (or less if travelling on the southern highway) from the capital Colombo. The town has many dated mansions and villas which are now transformed into attractive boutique villas and hotels, which makes finding suitable accommodation pretty easy. Surfing and snorkeling facilities are available and even deep sea fishing trips can be enjoyed.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

<http://www.templetreeresortandspa.com/>

DAY 04 | BENTOTA – MIRISSA

After breakfast proceed to **Mirissa**. En route stopover at Galle and enjoy a city tour including visit to the famous **Galle Fort, National Maritime Archeological Museum** **Mirissa** is a small village perched on a beautiful crescent of beach on the South of Sri Lanka made famous as a world renowned site for whale watching. Regarded as the closest point to where the giant Blue whales congregate due to favorable sea conditions. The ocean around Mirissa is popular with the giants of the sea – no less than five types of whales and four kinds of dolphins can be spotted. Mirissa also offers water sports facilities such as sailing, fishing, coastal cruises, river trips, sea kayaking, snorkeling and boating for those looking for some action.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

<http://www.mandararesort.com/>

DAY 05 | MIRISSA - WHALE WATCHING – MIRISSA

Proceed on a **whale watching safari** (AUS \$ 80 per person) with picnic breakfast. Back to the hotel and spend the day at leisure.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

<http://www.mandararesort.com/>

DAY 06 | MIRISSA - TISSA - YALA

After an early breakfast, check out the hotel and leave towards Yala which is located in the southern coastal belt of Sri Lanka. Evening enjoy a Jeep **safari to Yala National park**. (AUS \$ 50 per person)

Situated in the arid South East region of Sri Lanka, Yala National Park is home to the greatest variety of the nation's wildlife and therefore, its most popular wildlife destination. The 44 mammal species found here includes the endangered leopard subspecies *Panthera pardus kotiya*, which found only in Sri Lanka. Yala is also known to contain the highest Leopard concentration in the world. Other 'big game' such as sloth bear, herds of elephants, buffalo, sambar, spotted deer and crocodiles are also found in great numbers.

With over 200 species of birds, Yala is a hotspot for birders too. From October to April during the Northern Hemisphere winters, Yala becomes home to many species of migrants and the salt pans at Palatupana are a popular location for bird watching. Yala's historical significance dates back to 500 B.C and evidence shows that the park was inhabited in the past. There are many archaeological sites within the park and the ancient monastery of Sithulpahuwa standing sedately on an isolated rocky platform is a popular pilgrimage site.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

<http://www.jetwinghotels.com/jetwingyala/>

DAY 07 | YALA - UDAWALAWA

After breakfast travel towards Udawalawa. Evening visit Elephant Transit Home in Udawalawa (AUS \$ 7 per person) and if time inclined proceed on a game drive to **Udawalawe National Park**. (AUS \$ 45 per person)

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

<http://udawalawesafari.com/>

DAY 08 | UDAWALAWE - COLOMBO

After breakfast drive back towards **Colombo** which is the commercial capital of Sri Lanka. Today we enjoy a city tour in Colombo including Gangarama Temple, churches, mosques, Colombo Bazaar & fort area.

Overnight stay at the Hotel.

<http://www.galadarihotel.lk/>

DAY 09 | COLOMBO - NEGOMBO – AIRPORT

After breakfast departure transfer to Airport.

******* End of Services*******

TOUR COST

PERIOD - 01.11.2018-30.04.2019

NO OF PAX	PER PERSON (DBL SHARING) AUS \$
02 PAX	1140.00

PRICE INCLUSIVE OF:

- ❖ Accommodation 04 star hotels on Bed & Breakfast Basis starting with breakfast on Day 02 and ending with Breakfast on Day 09. Cost may change.
- ❖ Arrival, departure transfers and the tour as per the itinerary in an air conditioned Car accompanied with an English speaking licensed Chauffer guide.
- ❖ Passenger Insurance (Vehicle)
- ❖ Fuel, Parking & highway fees
- ❖ Complimentary SIM Card on arrival
- ❖ Garlands on arrival
- ❖ All currently applicable government taxes and service charges

PRICE EXCLUSIONS:

- ❖ Cost of Entrance Tickets & Jeep/boat hire charges to the sites visited in the itinerary.
- ❖ Lunch & Dinner cost
- ❖ Peak period supplements
- ❖ International air-fare, airport tax or any kind of insurance cover other than what is stated.
- ❖ Items of personal nature like drinks, laundry, telephone calls, tips, etc.
- ❖ Any other Sites not mentioned in the itinerary.
- ❖ Any other item not specifically mentioned above in 'PRICE INCLUSIONS'.
- ❖ Visa fees to Sri Lanka.

GENERAL:

- ❖ Hotel check-in time: 1400h, Hotel check-out time: 11.00 hours.
- ❖ 'No Show' will not be entitled to any refunds.
- ❖ Acceptance of these 'Terms and Conditions' is a requirement of your booking. Submission of a booking is your acknowledgement that you have read, understood and agreed to be bound by these 'Terms and Conditions'..

PAYMENT:

- ❖ In order to confirm your tour package, full payment is required upon confirmation.
- ❖ Credit Card payments require a 3.5% surcharge.
- ❖ Bank TT or Pay Pal (3.5% surcharge required) are accepted which is a common mode of payment

TOUR CANCELLATION POLICY:

- ❖ 90 days or more before departure – LOSS OF DEPOSIT!
- ❖ 89 to 64 days before departure - 25% of Tour Cost
- ❖ 63 to 43 days before departure - 50% of Tour Cost
- ❖ 42 to 31 days before departure - 75% of Tour Cost
- ❖ Within 30 days of departure - 100% of Tour Cost