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## DISCOVERING THE THAR DESERT AT JAISALMER

The enchanting desert city of Jaisalmer is easily one of Rajasthan's most unforgettable destinations. Nestled on the edge of the vast Thar Desert, the city is resplendent with golden-hued homes and intricate havelis and a towering fortress. From strolling the sand dunes to enjoying the sight of traditionally adorned camels, there are many things to do in Jaisalmer. Here we share our top things to do in the desert city.



## DINE UNDER THE STARS ON THE SAND DUNES

You can find exquisite and authentic Indian Cuisine all over the country, but some dining experiences are clearly more unique than others. We can arrange luxurious dinner among the sand dunes and under the stars to provide visitors with an unforgettable experience in Jaisalmer. The food is only rivaled by the ambiance and peaceful setting under the night sky. Special features of this evening are welcome of the guests in traditional style, evening camp fire, Rajasthani Folk dance and music followed by Authentic Indian dining experience. Return back to Hotel by Jeep drive.

#### No. of Pax: Min. 20 pax / Max. 150 pax

**Insider Tip:** This can be great Theme Dinner experience in the Sam Sand Dunes along with entertainment for our incentive groups.



CAMEL SAFARI: ENJOY YOUR RIDE ON THE SHIP OF THE DESERT

The beautiful expanse of the golden desert, air sprinkled with sand and majestic camels around, set the scene for an exciting desert safari in Jaisalmer. The vehicles of the desert, Camel rides are a fun way to explore the desert. Sit on the back of a camel holding on to its hump as it takes you on a bumpy ride across the Thar exploring the villages nearby and the picturesque sunset in the desert. From witnessing the shimmering sunrise on camel backs to visiting nearby villages to enjoying the evenings with Rajasthani folk music & dance, the experience is exhilarating.

No. of Pax: Min. 20 pax / Max. 200 pax

**Insider Tip:** Interesting/Memorable Activity which clients would cherish for years.



JEEP SAFARI: A RIDE ALONG THE GUSTY WIND

If you think you are more on adventure side then Jeep safari is an excellent option explore the Desert in Jaisalmer. The Jeeps used for the safari is a  $4 \times 4$  keeping the top open to enjoy the every bit of the experience of driving on the sand dunes. Leave behind the hustle and bustle of the city, and embark on a thrilling journey into the Thar Desert. You will experience the aspects of traditional life of Jaisalmer and the timeless beauty of the desert. En-route you will explore the traditional costumes of the villagers and houses made up of sand and grass roof.

No. of Pax: Min. 5 pax / Max. 500 pax Duration : 45-60 Min

**Insider Tip:** Adventure Activity considered as the fast and comfortable way to explore the beauty of Jaisalmer.



**OVERNIGHT CAMPING AT SAM SAND DUNES** 

Camping at the Sam Sand Dunes is an experience of its kind. We have our own set up of permanent camping at Sam Sand Dunes, which is 45 Kms from Jaisalmer. These are deluxe tents attached with toilets, these tents have a verandah of 12x6 feet, bed room of 12x12 feet and toilet size is 12x6 feet. Start your trip with the camel rides in the Sam sand dunes and explore the beauty around. In the evening, get a traditional Rajasthani welcome and enjoy delicious tea and snacks while the Rajasthani folk dancers and musicians will entertain you during the around the camp fire. Enjoy a delicious Rajasthani dinner before going to bed in your comfortable tents amidst the desert. In the morning, start your day with a delicious breakfast and a camel ride before ending your trip.

No. of Pax: Min. 2 pax / Max. 80 pax

**Insider Tip:** Camping at Sam Sand Dunes is an amazing Experience Furnished with modern amenities and traditional interiors, the tents are exclusively designed to provide visitors experience of lifetime.

## IN FOCUS: THE DESERT FESTIVAL, JAISALMER, RAJASTHAN (January 29 – 31, 2018)



The Jaisalmer Desert Festival is held annually in January or February every year. Exciting events such as cultural events, camel races, camel dance and even turban tying competitions take place at the festival every year. The longest moustache competition is the most anticipated event during the festival. The other most popular highlight of the festival includes the performances by famous Gair and fire dancers. The golden sands of the Thar Desert add an enchanting charm to the festival. This is a three day long extravaganza where the cultures of Rajasthan are on display. It take place in the Golden fortress of Jaisalmer. The Desert Festival is an extensively colorful festival that also offers a shopping experience while focusing on just local heritage and customs.

# VENUE PICK: HOTEL SURYAGARH

# What is it?

Suryagarh is a stunning luxury hotel on the quieter outskirts of Jaisalmer, about twenty minutes from the city. The hotel has been designed to look like a fort, built entirely out of the locally quarried dabri – yellow sandstone. It has 64 rooms divided across five tiers, the maximum being Palace rooms, then Grand Heritage Rooms, Signature Suites, Luxury Suites and two uber indulgent Jaisalmer Suites.

Why we love it?

- representation of a unique way of life that carefully preserves the traditions of India's past coupled with modernity

- features beautiful courtyards and grand Rajasthani architecture

- Provides beautiful courtyard settings where you can have your meals and interact with the various birds & animals including peacocks.

**Recommended for:**Corporate and private group of various sizes can spend their evening here in history with great music, performances and local gastronomy delights.



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