

## Overview

Ghale Gaun, a pristine destination quite popular among the South Asian villages is the perfect example of home stay in Nepal based tourism destination in Nepal to explore typical Nepalese life style of warrior ethnic Gurung tribe (Most of them are in military groups in Nepal army, Indian army and British army). Ghale Gaun is situated at an altitude of 2070m from sea level is only 205km. Immerse yourself in the culture, traditions, and lifestyle of the Gurungs during this 6-day home-stay tour in the remote village of Ghale Gaun.

Depart from Kathmandu to this traditional Gurung village nestled in the lap of the Annapurna range. The lifestyle of the village truly reflects an exotic living cultural tradition handed down through countless generations. The social life of the village is replete with interesting rituals, as well as a lively tradition of music and dance.

Taking advantage of its unique location and rich culture, Ghale Gaun has recently been promoted as a destination to experience village tourism. You will be welcomed with offerings of garlands and tilaka while music and dances are performed, and traditional farewell songs are sung as you depart. There are over 100 Gurung-style houses in the village, a number of which have been specially prepared for visitors with comfortable basic amenities.

Ghale Gaun homestay route as a part of trek offers tremendous view of breathtaking peaks of Annapurna I, Annapurna II, Himalchuli, Bouddha Himal, Mt, Manaslu, Annapurna South, Fishtail Mountain, Lamjung Himal etc. Ghale Gaun village homestay offers a real opportunity to become a part of local traditional culture. Ghale Gaun villagers will welcome you with warm greetings where we can see local hospitality service. Ethnic food, traditional handicraft, Gurung culture, Gurung Museum, panoramic mountains views and natural sceneries are the prime attraction of the Ghale Gaun homestay. Traditional cultural dances like the Jhyaure, Serka, Dohori, Ghantu dance, Ghyabring, Krishna Charitra and Jhakri are performed on various occasions and tourist love these dances in Ghale Gaun homestay.

## Itinerary Details

### Day 01 : Arrival At Kathmandu

On arrival you will be picked up at the international airport of Nepal and transfer to the hotel by our airport representative. Check in and rest for well. After refreshment tour guide will take you to the Kathmandu Durbar Square for half day sightseeing. This is one of the famous Sightseeing sport in the Kathmandu which is listed UNESCO world heritage site. Tonight we will take you to the cultural restaurant for dinner. Stay overnight at the hotel.

### Day 02 : Full Day City Tour In Kathmandu

Early morning Drive to Domestic Airport for Mountain Flight (Optional). This one-hour flight is the best thing ever happened towards exposing Mt. Everest - the highest peak of the world to a large number of visitors with limited time. Along with the spectacular view of the Everest, the passengers can also view a host of other giants of the Himalayas such as

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Shisha Pangma, Melungtse, ChoOyu, Pumori, Nuptse, Lhotse and Ama Dablam among others. This experience is enough to last a lifetime. Our first destination is Swoyambhunath. This place offers a majestic view of the entire Kathmandu valley. Stupa of Swoyambhunath epitomizes Buddhism. Your guide will enlighten you with detailed historical and cultural information about the place. After this you will visit Living goddess home and Kathmandu Durbar square. Locally this, Old royal palace area is called Basantapur Area or Hanuman dhoka Durbar Square. Our next sightseeing will be at Boudha nath (the biggest & Largest Buddhist Stupa in the World). In this Area, you will visit Buddhist Monastery and stop for lunch Break. If weather is clear you can see nearest Mountain of Kathmandu- Ganesh Himal from top of Restaurant. After Lunch, we will visit Hindus temple Pasupatinath & tour for today is over here. Free day to relax or explore yourself.

### **Day 03 : Kathmandu – Ghale Gaun**

Early morning drive from Kathmandu to Beshisahar approximately 6 hours and again drive to Ghale Gaun. Heartily warm welcoming by the typical local peoples. Dinner with typical cultural show, typical local food and overnight.

### **Day 04 : Ghale Gaun**

Wake up early in the morning, hike to Ghanapokhara to enjoy sunrise and clear eye appealing enchanting scenery of a green terraces landscape, panoramic view of Annapurna I, Annapurna II, Himalchuli, Bouddha Himal, Mt, Manaslu, Annapurna South and sceneries of nature. In the afternoon, Sightseeing in the village to see a typical houses made by stones and the life style of local peoples. Cultural show in the evening with their own cultural dances and songs, local cuisines and overnight.

### **Day 05 : Ghale Gaun – Kathmandu**

Drive back to Beshisahar and towards Kathmandu. En-route, you will get a opportunity to see Manakamana temple by riding in cable car from Kurintar. And continue to Kathmandu.

### **Day 06 : Departure From Kathmandu**

After wonderful time in Nepal, today you will timely pick up from hotel and transfer to the airport for your next destination. "Mountain Sherpa Trekking & Expeditions will try to keep day-to-day schedule as per the detailed itinerary but there might be some flexibility due to other factors beyond our control. A variety of factors, including adverse weather conditions, natural disasters, difficulty with transportation and politics can lead to enforced changes. So, it is not possible to guarantee as per the itinerary. In the case, trip leader will manage it to minimize your inconvenience." We wish you have a wonderful time with us!