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MAHARAJAS' EXPRESS: PRINCELY INDIA

12 DAYS & 11 NIGHTS / LUXURY GROUP JOURNEY

MUMBAI, VADODARA, UDAIPUR, JODHPUR, BIKANER, JAIPUR,
RANTHAMBORE, AGRA & DELHI

Join us on this luxurious exploration of India's diversity. Discover the vibrant, bustling city of Mumbai, imperial Delhi and the immortal beauty of the Taj Mahal. Enjoy sundowner cocktails in Bikaner, track the elusive tiger in Ranthambore, visit the Amber Fort in Jaipur and explore the shimmering Lake City of Udaipur.



2012 DATES:

JANUARY 26, FEBRUARY 23, MARCH 22

JAN 1 - APR 2, 2012

*PRICES FROM

Deluxe Cabin	\$ 10,280
Single Supplement	7,395
Junior Suite	12,375
Single Supplement	10,350
Suite	16,065
Single Supplement	14,985
Presidential Suite	25,505
Single Supplement	24,420



Bengal Tiger, Ranthambore

Day 3: Maharajas' Express - Onto Vadodara

This morning, see a 5000-year-old collection of Indus valley artifacts. Late this afternoon, transfer to the railroad station and settle into your private cabin as you begin your journey through Princely India. (B, D)

Day 4: Vadodara

After a leisurely breakfast, travel in a convoy of cars to the hamlet of Jambhughoda where you dine on the royal cuisine of the feudal lords of Jambhughoda Palace. En-route make a brief stop at the World Heritage Site of Champaner-Pavagadh Archaeological Park. This afternoon visit the Maharaja Fateh Singh Museum. Enjoy supper at the magnificent Laxmi Vilas Palace and return to the train for your onward journey. (B, L, D)

Day 1: Arrive Mumbai

Arrive into the City of Dreams – Mumbai where you will be met and transferred to the hotel. *The Taj Mahal Palace (Luxury Grande Sea View Room, Palace Wing) – 2 nights*

Day 2: Mumbai

Explore Mumbai's kaleidoscopic past and vibrant present as you see some of the landmarks today. Visit India's largest open-air laundry and stroll through a bustling Crawford Market. (B)

HIGHLIGHTS

- SAVOR SUPPER AT THE RESIDENCE OF THE ROYAL FAMILY OF VADODARA – LAXMI VILAS PALACE
- RELISH A ROYAL LUNCH IN THE SPLENDID CITY PALACE OF UDAIPUR
- ENJOY A FESTIVE COCKTAIL EVENING AT MEHERANGARH FORT
- WITNESS THE ROYAL SPORT OF ELEPHANT POLO IN JAIPUR
- TRACK THE ELUSIVE BENGAL TIGER IN RANTHAMBORE NATIONAL PARK
- INDULGE IN THE EXPERIENCE OF A LIFETIME – CHAMPAGNE BREAKFAST OVERLOOKING THE TIMELESS TAJ MAHAL

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Elephant Polo

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Day 5: Udaipur

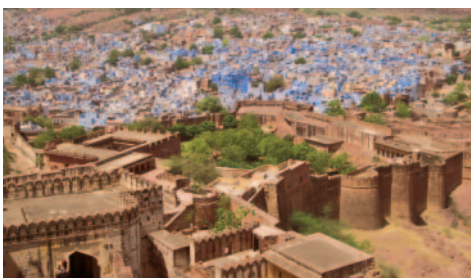
As you eat breakfast, admire the rugged Aravalli Hills. Disembark in Udaipur to visit the City Palace, followed by a royal lunch. If you like, take an optional walking tour of the Old Market. Return to the luxury of the train. **(B, L, D)**

Day 6: Jodhpur

Arrive into the Blue City of Jodhpur through dramatic landscape of the Thar Desert. Following lunch, take a walking tour of the Old Clock Tower market. Then walk in the footsteps of royalty in the magnificent Meherangarh Fort for a Royal Cocktail evening with regional culinary delights served in the open-air courtyard. Then it's onward through the desert towards Bikaner. **(B, L, D)**

Day 7: Bikaner

Upon arrival, relax on board or embark on an optional tour. Following lunch, disembark and visit the Junagarh Fort, an unassailable fortress built in 1593 AD. This afternoon, join a caravan of decorated camel carts accompanied by musicians for Sundowner Cocktails and a barbecue dinner on the dunes. Later, return to the comfort of the train for a journey to Jaipur. **(B, L, D)**



Meherangarh Fort, Jodhpur



Bikaner

Day 8: Jaipur

In the Pink City of Jaipur, experience an Exhibition Elephant Polo Match as the royal military band and the beating of nagadas (huge Indian drums) welcome you to the venue. After a celebratory cocktail lunch, take a trip to the Amber Fort or enjoy one of the optional tours. Enjoy dinner on board the train. **(B, L, D)**

Day 9: Sawai Madhopur (Ranthambore) – Fatehpur Sikri

Look for the elusive tigers on a safari in Ranthambore National Park, the former private hunting ground of the Maharajas. Return to the train for a hearty lunch and continue your journey to the fabled Mughal city of Fatehpur Sikri. Later, enjoy a festive Indian dinner on board. **(B, L, D)**

Day 10: Agra – Disembark in Delhi

Early morning, visit the world-renowned Taj Mahal. Enjoy a champagne breakfast while gazing at this splendid marble monument from atop the Taj Khema. Relish a hearty lunch on board as you take the last leg of your train journey to Delhi. **The Imperial (Heritage Room) – 2 nights (B, L)**

Day 11: Delhi

This morning explore Old Delhi and visit Shah Jahan's Jama Masjid and Raj Ghat — the moving

memorial to Mahatma Gandhi. In New Delhi, see the Qutab Minar, a masterpiece of perfect proportions, and the garden tomb of Emperor Humayun. **(B)**

Day 12: Depart Delhi

Transfer to Delhi's International Airport for your onward flight. **(B)**

Note: Royal India itinerary operates in reverse of Princely India with minor change in the flow of activities.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

- All hotel accommodations as per the itinerary
- Meals as noted in the itinerary **(B=Breakfast, L=Lunch & D=Dinner)**
- All transfers and transportation on a private basis
- Private sightseeing as described in itinerary including entrance fees and services of professional local guides

WHAT'S NOT INCLUDED

- International air travel (USA to India)
- Airport departure taxes
- Flights in India
- Visa fees
- Travel insurance
- Excess baggage fees
- Personal items and alcoholic beverages
- Gratuities to your guides, drivers, porters and hotel service