



Trip: Balthali Village Hike

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Overview

Ahead of Panauti is Khopasi, Khopasi is a village development committee in Kabhrepalanchok district in the Bagmati zone. It will take more 15 minute to get there from Panauti. Khopasi consist Water dam, Panauti-Dhunkharka Road and welcoming villagers. This circular route will take 6 hours approximately covering 16 km consisting villages Sanjyal, Mahat & Karki Village and offers great view of Patikharka and vegetation especially oranges & Maize.

Hike starts from Khopasi, beside dam, from where we will walk through the motorway and hike uphill from the fabricated way of villagers for the very first hour of hike. Route will be the combination of motor path as well as the narrow village path. First place we will come across is 'Thumki Danda' and we will be passing one major village in which majority of people belong to Tamang. As soon as we conquer the ascent, you will find one resting point at the pinnacle made by the villagers and further down the path is Sanjyal gaun bhanjyang.

Now terrain will be mostly uphill and down for two hours crossing several villages mention above. After crossing this several villages you need to adjoin your path with Panauti Dhunkharka Road. It will take around three hours in total to reach upto this place. Now major Location can be said as Gaunghar Organic Farm House from where we will go uphill upto 'Tip Chok Bhanjyang' which will take one hours, as you go up you will see "Namoo Buddha Monastery" view including path you have just come.

In Tip Chowk bhanjyang there is one government school Named "Bhumimata" and at the top and open area where you can catch your breath for a while. Now path will be downhill through the jungle, main aim will be to reach panauti and there is football ground as well just as to remember the path. Mostly you need to take left turn and downhill for 40 min and you will arrive at Panauti Bazar.

Arrival City Kathmandu

Departure City Kathmandu

Price Per Person

\$80.00

Duration 1

days

Trekking Days 1

days

Difficulty Easy-Medium

Primary Activities

Hiking

Means of Transport Private Vehicle

Trip Route

Kathmandu- Khopashi- Balthali- Kathmandu

Includes

- Packed Lunch
- Light trekking shoes
- Water (2 liter minimum)
- Backpack
- Sunglass and hat
- Chocolates bars (for instant energy)
- Trekking pole
- Umbrella/Rain Jacket/Poncho

Excludes

Itinerary

- 7:00 am: Our guide will visit you in your hotel.
- 8:00 am: Departure from Hotel (you have to take your breakfast at your hotel)
- 10:00 am: Trek start from Khopashi
- 12:30 pm: Lunch on the way to hike
- 3:00 pm: Drive back to Kathmandu from Khopashi

Testimonials

They were reliable, timely, organized and above all fun!

My experience with **Mega Adventures** could not have been any better! When I arrived in Kathmandu, I was warmly received by a member of the staff who, after dropping my bags off at the hotel, kindly led me around the city. After spending a few days exploring that wonderful city and meeting my climbing guide, we flew out to Lukla to begin our trek. Our goal was to summit Island Peak with a stop at Everest base camp along the way for acclimatization. Throughout the trek, my guide and porter were incredibly supportive and engaging and taught me so much about the region and culture. Although we ultimately were unable to summit Island peak due to weather conditions (one of the greatest challenges of climbing) we did reach approximately 6,000m, the highest I had ever been. I was immensely satisfied with the climb. Though I have taken a mountaineering course previously and had the opportunity to climb many of the highest peaks in Washington State, I was new to the Himalayan Mountains. My guide taught me several new techniques to enhance safety while climbing and provided a safe, encouraging environment. I would highly recommend this guiding company, as they were reliable, timely, organized and above all fun!

– Natalie Vandeven, USA