

### IN JIM CORBETT'S FOOTSTEPS -NORTHERN INDIA GROUP TOUR

DATES: 4 FEB TO 11 FEB 2025 MAXIMUM GROUP SIZE: 8 GUESTS WITH A TOUR LEADER

# ITINERARY

#### 4 FEB 25:

Arrive in Delhi early morning. You will be received at the airport by our representative and taken to your hotel. Depending on when you arrive, we have organized a half day sightseeing of Delhi this afternoon. This evening with the group assembled, meet your tour leader. Overnight at Roseate House, Delhi.

#### 5 FEB 25:

You make your way to Corbett Tiger Reserve. Today we shall go to the northern periphery of the park to explore the wonderful wildlife around the Ramganga River which is the lifeline of the park. This evening explore the jungles around the Ramganga River on foot seeking out both birds as well as mammals. Overnight at Vanghat, Corbett National Park.

#### 6 FEB 25:

Your exploration in the Ramganga valley continues today. We have planned a morning as well as an afternoon hike in search of the wonderful bird diversity that the region has to offer. Close to 50% of India's avian diversity can be found in this region. Overnight at Vanghat, Corbett National Park.

#### 7 FEB 25:

With our base at Vanghat we travel to Manila for a day excursion in search of birds found on a higher altitude. Highlights of the region are the Koklass and Cheer Pheasant. Overnight at Vanghat, Corbett National Park.

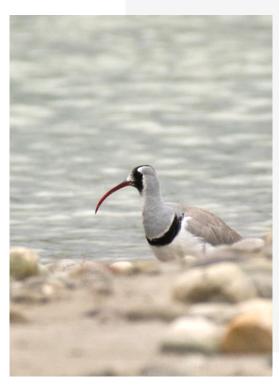
#### 8-10 FEB 25:

You now shift base to the southern periphery of the park and take jeep safaris into Corbett Tiger Reserve in search of the larger mammals that are often more difficult to find when on foot. Overnight at Jim's Jungle Retreat, Corbett National Park.

#### 11 FEB 25:

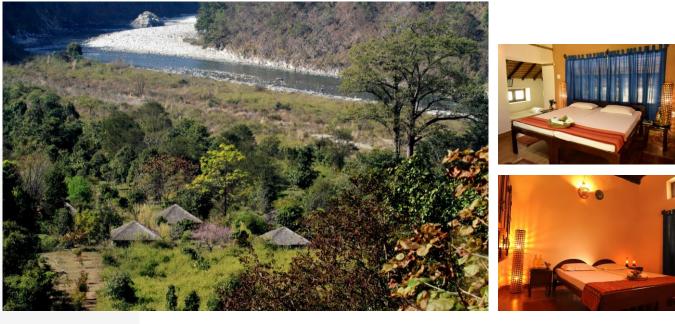
Today morning you explore Tumeria Dam for the bird life including plenty of waders, and meet the Vangujjar community. After an early lunch you transfer by road to Delhi International airport to connect with your international flight back home.

#### END OF THE TOUR





# VANGHAT LODGE, MARCHULA





#### THE "VANGHAT" EXPERIENCE

This experience is sure to take us back to the early 20<sup>th</sup> century and how we use to explore the wonderful jungles and landscapes. It's a basic lodge in the wilderness in one with nature. There is plenty of wildlife around including tigers, elephants, leopards, otters along with thriving birdlife.

#### **BIRDER"S DELIGHT**

When at Vanghat since we will be exploring on foot a large part of the focus will be on birding. The program does offer jeep safaris when staying at the next lodge. There is a wonderful bird hide which attracts Red-billed Leiothrix, Bluewinged Minla, Blue-throated Barbet, and a variety of woodpeckers.

# JIM'S JUNGLE RETREAT, CORBETT





Lounge & Cafe

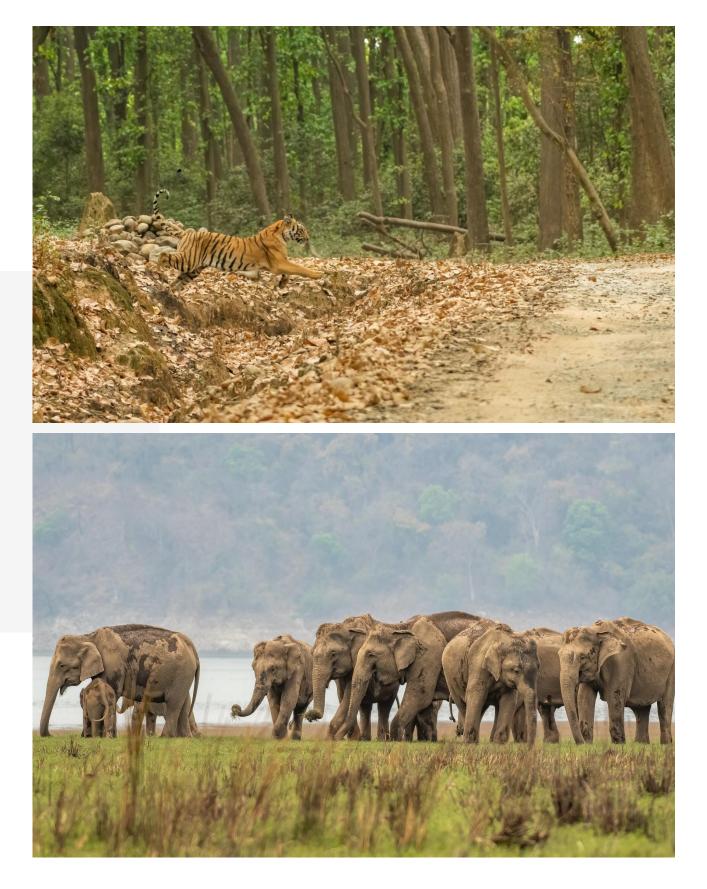


Waterhole with a Machan

#### THE RETREAT

Jim's Jungle Retreat offers three accommodation styles with18 residences in total, designed with a focus on aesthetic, comfort and of capturing the area's history. These include jungle cottages and lodges, old forest bungalows and rest houses inspired by the Raj era.

# CORBETT TIGER RESERVE •



# BIRD —— SPECIES TO SEEK OUT

Since Corbett landscape is home to about 600 species of birds it is important that we showcase this diversity. Some amazing species to seek out when on this adventure are:



**GREAT HORNBILL** 







KOKLASS



### CHEER



### TAWNY FISH OWL







### BLUE-THROATED BARBET



BLACK-CRESTED BULBUL RUFOUS-BELLIED NILTAVA

# PRICING



### PRICE:

Price per person with 6-8 guests travelling (double / twin): £2960 Single Room Supplement (depending on availability): £1455

### HOTELS:

Delhi	Roseate House	1-night	Premier Room
Marchula	Vanghat Lodge	3-nights	Mud Cottage
Corbett	Jim's Jungle Retreat	3-nights	Lodge

### **INCLUSIONS:**

- o Accommodation in India for seven (7) nights.
- o Full board meal plan at both the lodges. Only breakfast is included in Delhi.
- Half day sightseeing in Delhi for the group with an English-speaking city expert.
- o Four (4) jungle hikes in the Ramganga Valley.
- o One (1) day excursion to Manila.
- Five (5) jeep safaris into Corbett Tiger Reserve.
- o All transfers will be in an AC Toyota Innova Crysta. Each vehicle seats 3 guests.
- o A local travelling naturalist.
- o All currently applicable taxes.

# PRICING



### NOT INCLUDED:

- o Any international flights or visa fee.
- Any expense of personal nature including alcoholic beverages as well as soft drinks.
- o Any camera fee.
- Any unusual escalation of taxes, permit costs, fuel costs or major fluctuation in foreign exchange.