



# India

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Jayes Travel and Passionate People Institute bring you a special tour that will take you through a discovery of the continent that is India.

You will experience a journey through fabled Indian cities, marvelling at the beautiful museums, forts, palaces each redolent with history and a story to tell, the local markets and get a glimpse of its diverse cultures, languages, cuisines & lifestyle.

As you arrive into Delhi (the capital city of India) it will fascinate you with its ancient monuments, contrasting with its modern day grandeur. We then trace our route to the Mughal dominated stronghold of Agra, a city more synonymous as city of romance, after famed monument built as symbol to love, the Taj Mahal.



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### Brief Itinerary Overview

Thursday 6th November	Newcastle - Delhi
Friday 7th November	Delhi
Saturday 8th November	Delhi
Sunday 9th November	Delhi
Monday 10th November	Delhi - Agra
Tuesday 11th November	Agra
Wednesday 12th November	Agra - Delhi - Ashram
Thursday 13th November	Ashram
Friday 14th November	Ashram
Saturday 15th November	Ashram - Delhi - Sydney
Sunday 16th November	Arrive Newcastle



**AUM:** According to the Hindu Yogis in India, inhaling air generates SH-Sh sound while exhaling is associated with HM-HM and enunciated that SOHAM is the keynote of life. Later they discovered that sound O was guttural and sound AM touched palate and so told that AUM encompassed man's total existence. The Aum sound is vibrating throughout the cosmos and it has three manifestations; those of creations, preservations and destruction. Every time a person utters any letter or word, he puts into operation any of these three virtues of AUM. The vibratory cosmic energy- AUM does not maintain by food alone, but man's body battery. This invisible power flows through the human body and controls its actions when uttered properly with reverence and concentration.







Capital of India, the world's largest democracy, Delhi in many ways is the essence of modern India, with its startling paradox of old and new, foreign and familiar.

Its fascination lies in its amalgamation of ancient monuments and bustle and glamor of Old Delhi with Lutyens imposing and magnificent New Delhi. Now rushing headlong into the 21st century Delhi is also a contemporary show case of designer shopping, trendy bars and restaurants. It remains the best starting point for exploring North India, not only because of its excellent transport connections and relatively sophisticated infrastructure, but because its history as one of the oldest cities in the world, is essentially the history of India.

**THURSDAY 6<sup>TH</sup>  
NOVEMBER 2014**

**Newcastle – Sydney – Delhi**

Today you will be transferred from a central pick up point in Newcastle to Sydney International Airport.

**Air India Economy Class Flight**

Depart Sydney at 11.15am, Arrive Delhi at 6.20pm



# FRIDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2014

## Delhi

This day after breakfast at the hotel, start your exploration of the city with a sightseeing tour of the Walled City, i.e. Old Delhi. We arrive into **Old Delhi** which is a sharp contrast to the Imperial city with its mix of Indo-Islamic architecture. We begin our sightseeing tour with a visit to **Jama Masjid**.

After this we take a **rickshaw ride** through the by-lanes of the old walled city. The ride through **Chandni Chowk** is an absolute feast for the senses. You should think of the street as a supermarket with different departments - hair ornaments, pots and pans, blankets and the like. See beautifully embroidered Indian wear hanging dreamily from tiny shops and treat yourself to some classic street food while you are there. The rickshaw ride then stops at the imposing red sandstone structure of **Red Fort**, on the western bank of the river Yamuna. The Mughal Emperor Shah Jahan started the construction of this massive fort in 1638, after which he shifted the capital from Agra to Delhi.

Enjoy lunch at the **Chor Bizarre**, a fantasy of kitsch twisted into a unique and wonderful space that is more irreverent museum than diner. This is one restaurant that truly lives up to its name. Its name is a pun on chor bazaar, which literally means "thieves' market". Chor Bizarre is packed with fascinating odds and ends, mismatched settings, out-of-place furnishings, and reassembled bits and pieces (matchboxes, coins, chessboards, antique combs, ivory sandals, jewellery, chandeliers, a jukebox, etc.), innovatively displayed to create one of India's most visually dynamic restaurants. One table was previously a Maharaja's bed, while a 1927 vintage Fiat has become the buffet-carrying "Chaat mobile." Try the Kashmiri taramis (thali), filled with treats and served from a traditional royal platter.

After lunch, we take you to **Dilli Haat**, which is an upgraded version of the traditional weekly market, offering a delightful amalgam of craft, food and cultural activities. Spread over a spacious six acre area, imaginative landscaping, creative planning and traditional village architecture combine to produce the perfect ambience for a Haat or market place. This vibrant open-air market offers an extensive assortment of shops selling books, upmarket clothing, footwear, furnishing, etc.

Explore this beautiful market place which is a riot of colours and an absolute delight for the senses. Indulge in shopping, bargaining and looking through piles of jewelry & ethnic artifacts. Try on glass bangles for size and buy some for yourself & some for friends back home. Experience the thrill of **mehendi (henna)** on your hands & the magic of the patterns.

Enjoy dinner at **Veda**, the most talked-about restaurant in the city that made it onto Condé Nast Traveler's Hot List Tables in 2006. Its décor of traditional glasswork and marble has been inspired by the deserts of Rajasthan and the menu is Pan-Indian. Conceptualized and created by one of India's most famous fashion designers, Rohit Bal, this is one of the few restaurants in the city that has given due attention to its ambience.



Jama Masjid



Rickshaw Ride



Henna Art



Pan-India Cuisine



**SATURDAY 8<sup>TH</sup>  
NOVEMBER 2014**

**Delhi**



This day after breakfast at the hotel, you are driven to **Ms Seems Sondhi's yoga studio** where you spend the whole day learning the art of Yoga.

**11.00am: A brief introduction to yoga.**

A small talk on yoga and its origin, how it affects our body and how it influences our mind.

**11:30am – 12:45am: Yoga Asana Practice.**

This will focus on basic movements that will release stress from the body. Movements of the wrist, shoulders, spine and eyes will be worked upon. We will do classic yoga asanas and explain how the particular asana benefits our body. Once the asanas are over we will go onto relaxation or Shavasana as this is important to internalize the effects of the asanas in the body and mind and prepare us for meditation.

**12:45pm: Cleansing Tea break.**

**1:15pm: Pranayama session.**

Breathing exercises, as being aware of the breath is a very important aspect to manage and control stress and is an integral part of any yoga practice.

**2:00pm: Lunch & discussion.**

Wholesome vegetarian lunch followed by discussions on Koshas and suitable diet for each Kosha type.

**3.00pm: Discussion about daily life and how yoga plays an important role.**

**4.00pm: Meditation session with guidelines for personal practice.**

We will then begin by channelling the energy with a short chanting session.

**5.00pm: Crystals and their healing power.**

**6.00pm – 6.30pm: Q & A session and conclusion of day event.**

For dinner tonight we head to The Spice Route. This restaurant at the beautiful Imperial hotel was voted one of the top 10 restaurants in the world by Condé Nast traveller, and it certainly lives up to its promise with a vast menu that makes the mouth water at the variety of flavours and ingredients. The decor alone is worth a visit - every nook and cranny is hand-painted by temple artists flown in from Kerala, and antique beams, pillars, and ceilings are all imbued with meaning. The restaurant took 9 years to complete, and is divided into nine sections, each representing an aspect of the "journey of life" - for instance, the Wealth section is embellished with 24-karat gold leaf, whereas the Ancestral section has replicas of panels from Thai temples. As indicated by the name, the menu takes you on a complex culinary journey, from the Malabar Coast to Sri Lanka, Malaysia to Indonesia, and Thailand to Vietnam.

Return to your hotel for overnight stay.



# SUNDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2014

Delhi

After breakfast at the hotel proceed for a visit of **New Delhi** beginning with a drive around **India Gate** and **Lutyen's buildings**.

Drive on to **Humayun's Tomb**, the first garden-tomb in the Indian subcontinent and the inspiration for several monuments including Taj Mahal. We continue our exploration of Delhi with a visit to **Qutub Minar**, one of the finest Islamic structures ever raised in India.

For lunch this day, we take you to **Olive Bar & Kitchen** which is like a small piece of heaven set amidst beautiful trees. An ancient Mughal mansion beneath a banyan tree finds itself transformed into an exotic meeting place for recipes from around the Mediterranean. Fashion, art, music and style fuse here to create an unforgettable Mediterranean mosaic. The Olive Bar and Kitchen is a rustic hideaway where good food, laughter, culture and conversation come together in a delightful Mediterranean melting pot.

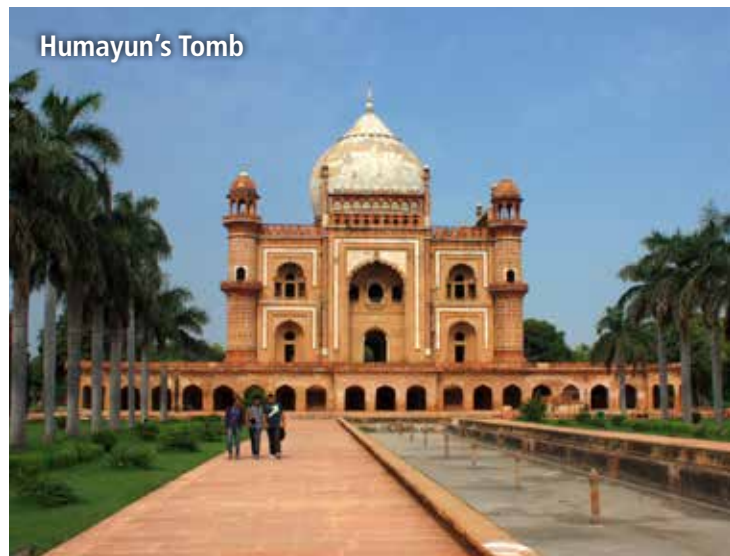
After lunch, we take you to **Khan Market**, ranked as the costliest retail location in India. Browse through Anokhi, patronised by expats and locals alike for its highly fashionable blend of Western and Eastern-style clothing. Other must visit shops are Goodearth, Amrapali, FabIndia. You will also find Cafes serving delicious food; The Kitchen, Market Cafe, Cafe Turtle, Albake, Big Chill Cafe, Cafe Zaffiro, and many more. Browse through the beautiful shops in this upmarket area and build up your appetite for what lies in store for you for the night.

Tonight we give you an opportunity to immerse yourselves into the mysteries of **Indian cooking**. This is an opportunity to learn more about local life, Indian lifestyle, and traditions of home life and of course the much talked about Indian food. Unravel the secrets of the mouth-watering dishes & discover the role of the numerous spices. Our culinary expert, Rashmi Marwah, will give you a hands-on experience & teach you the nuances & secrets of making Indian food. Enjoy this experience in her beautiful house over great conversation and food.

Afterwards return to your hotel for overnight stay.



India Gate



Humayun's Tomb



Qutub Minar



Khan Market



MONDAY 10<sup>TH</sup>  
NOVEMBER 2014

Delhi – Agra



After breakfast at the hotel, start your journey to **Agra** (about 04 hours' drive), the city of Taj Mahal, a monument beautifully described as "an immortal teardrop on the face of time" by the famous India poet Rabindranath Tagore.

The city of **Agra** stands as a testimony to the true spirit of a resilient era that made India a force to be reckoned with. For three generations one of the most dynamic dynasties in the medieval world, the Mughal dynasty, occupied the city which alternated with Delhi as the capital of their magnificent Empire. With their talent and wealth the Mughals immortalized Agra in stone and marble leaving behind a legacy of some of the finest examples of Mughal architecture in the country. Today, these buildings give a glimpse into the days of a magnificent era, grandiose, fascinating and enchanting. Although, one of the Seven Wonders of the World, the Taj Mahal is the most famous and synonymous with Agra along with the Red Fort; the likes of the tomb of Sikandra and tomb of Itmad ud Daula are excellent marvel of architecture too and worth visiting if time permits.

On arrival, get driven to your hotel where you will be met by a representative that will assist you with the check in formalities.

Have lunch in the hotel followed by a **rejuvenating 2 hour spa treatment in the hotel**. When not in a treatment, guests can relax and enjoy the extensive facilities of the hotel. Due to the location, you will also be able to explore local markets and shops.

Thereon, you begin your quest of the city of love by visiting the iconic **Taj Mahal**.

The Taj Mahal was built by Shah Jahan in 1560 in loving memory of his queen Mumtaz Mahal to enshrine her mortal remains. We will stay at the Taj until after sunset to see the changing colours.

Afterwards **return to our hotel for dinner**. This is a long day and therefore would suggest an early dinner so those who wish, can retire to their rooms.



# TUESDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2014

## Agra

This morning take a second visit to the **Taj Mahal** to witness sunrise. Witness the beauty of this epitome of love as the first rays of light dawn upon its majestic beauty. The structure took 20,000 labourers and 22 years to complete.

Return to the hotel for breakfast.

Visit the **Red Fort**. Few forts in the world have a more fascinating story to tell than the Great Fort of Agra. Originally planned as an impregnable military structure by Akbar, the Agra Fort, over a period of time, acquired all the elegance, lavishness and majesty of an imperial palace. Situated 1 km upstream of the Taj Mahal, on the right bank of the Yamuna, the Agra Fort was built under the direction of Akbar, by Mohammed Quasim Khan, his Commander-in-Chief and Governor of Kabul. It took eight years to complete and entailed an expenditure of three and a half million rupees.

Enjoy **Lunch at The Latitude**, the coffee shop, in Radisson Blu hotel. One of the finest restaurants in Agra, The Latitude is a 24-hour coffee shop located on the lobby level. The Latitude emphasizes all kinds of cooking techniques and tastes.

After lunch, we will proceed to visit the Tomb of **I'timad-ud-Daulah**. Often described as a "jewel box", sometimes called the "Baby Taj", the tomb of I'timad-ud-Daulah is frequently regarded as a draft of the Taj Mahal. Along with the main building, the structure consists of numerous outbuildings and gardens. The tomb, built between 1622 and 1628, represents a transition between the first phase of monumental Mughal architecture – primarily built from red sandstone with marble decorations, as in Humayun's Tomb in Delhi and Akbar's tomb in Sikandra – to its second phase, based on white marble and pietra dura inlay, most elegantly realized in the Taj Mahal.

Dinner is included at **Peshawri at the ITC Mughal hotel**, best known for the excellent selection of North Indian food.

In an ambience reminiscent of the rustic charm of dining in the warmth of tents under a starry sky in the cold desert terrain of the North West Frontier, Peshawri brings to Agra an award winning menu of delicacies cooked in the clay tandoor. Experience the wonder of this cuisine in Agra only at Peshawri, with a lavish spread of delicious kebabs – vegetarian and nonvegetarian that are cooked in myriad ways, a range of Indian breads – from the decadently indulgent to light and fluffy breads and of course, the inimitable Dal Bukhara – all of which is paired with an exclusive collection of wines and other beverages.



# WEDNESDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2014

## Agra – Delhi

Enjoy breakfast in the hotel restaurant and proceed for a private road transfer to the Ashram near Delhi.

Lunch is not included today and at your own expense.

After freshening up, if there's time, explore the beautiful grounds of the Ashram sprawled across 27 acres of land.

**Oshodham** has blossomed on the outskirts of Delhi offering a clean, green, aesthetic and peaceful environment for those on the inner journey. In tune with nature, a beautiful space has been created for group and individual meditations both indoors and outdoors. The cherubic sound of gurgling water bodies and fountains with the chirping of birds help the meditators to go deep on the path of awareness through meditation. Today, meditators from all over India and abroad converge here to meditate and celebrate.

**Stay three nights in the Osho Ashram.**  
**Air conditioned rooms, meals and activities are all included throughout the stay.**





# THURSDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> & FRIDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2014

Delhi

**Your two day active meditation course starts at 7.00am and goes on till 8.00pm.**

All of Osho's active meditations involve a beginning stage of activity – sometimes intense and physical – followed by a period of silence. All are accompanied by music that has been especially composed to guide the meditator through the different stages. Osho has also recommended eight different kinds of meditations for different times of the day which can go on for an hour each.

The 8 kinds of meditation that you will do throughout the day are:

- **Dynamic Meditation**

This is a meditation in which you have to be continuously alert, conscious, and aware. Whatsoever you do, remain a witness. Observe what is happening, as if you are just a spectator, as if the whole thing is happening to somebody else, as if the whole thing is happening in the body and the consciousness is just centred and looking.

- **Kundalini Meditation**

Kundalini Meditation lasts for one hour and has four stages, three with music, and the last without. Begin with shaking, then dancing, and end with stillness and silence, first standing or sitting, then lying.

- **Nataraj Meditation**

Let the dance flow in its own way; don't force it. Rather, follow it; allow it to happen. It is not a doing but a happening. Remain in the mood of festivity. You are not doing something very serious; you are just playing, playing with your life energy, playing with your bio-energy, allowing it to move in its own way. Just like the wind blows and the river flows, you are flowing and blowing. Feel it.

- **Nadabrahma Meditation**

This is an old Tibetan technique of humming, which creates a healing vibration throughout the body, and a hand movement which centres the energy at the navel. It can be done at any time of day, alone or with others, but have an empty stomach and remain inactive for at least 15 minutes afterwards.

- **No Dimensions Meditation**

This is a powerful method for centering one's energy in the hara - the area just below the navel. It is based on a Sufi technique of movements for awareness and integration of the body.

- **Gourishankar Meditation**

This method focuses on breathing. Osho has said that if breathing is done correctly in the first stage, the carbon dioxide formed in the bloodstream will make the meditator as high as if a Gourishankar (Mt. Everest).

- **Mandala Meditation**

This powerful, cathartic technique creates a circle of energy that results in a natural centering.

- **Whirling Meditation**

Sufi whirling is one of the most ancient techniques. It is good not to eat or drink for a few hours before whirling. It is best to have bare feet and loose clothing.



## SATURDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> & SUNDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2014

Delhi – Sydney – Newcastle

Today after breakfast you will be transferred to the airport for your return flight.

**Air India Economy Class Flight**

Depart Delhi at 1.00pm, Arrive Sydney at 6.40am on **Sunday, 16 November 2014.**

Upon arrival in Sydney, you will be met and transferred to Newcastle.



## TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Return transfers from Newcastle to Sydney Airport
- Return Economy Class Flights with Air India
- Prepayable airline taxes and fees
- Indian tourist visa
- Twin share accommodation throughout (or single supplement available for private room)
- All private group transfers and sightseeing as per the itinerary, with local guides
- Meals as per the itinerary
- Sponsorship of a child's education for a year
- Mentoring from Shivani throughout the tour

## TOTAL COST

\$5,990.00 per person twin share  
(single supplement \$700.00)

Deposit required to secure your place - \$500.00

\*\*Travel insurance is not included in the above package as premiums are subject on age and any pre-existing medical conditions. Jayes Travel can provide comprehensive policies featuring unlimited medical coverage and a nil excess on claims. Individual premium options can be supplied upon enquiry.



# Confirmation of Booking

**In order for Jayes Travel to confirm your booking, this form must be returned to our office with the non-refundable registration fee. Final documentation will not be released without receipt of this (signed) passenger booking form and conditions.**

**All questions must be answered. Print clearly In BLOCK LETTERS.**

**Names must be as shown on passport.**

Tour name \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Title \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Surname \_\_\_\_\_  
Known as / Preferred name \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Suburb/Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone No \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Passenger's departure date ex Australia \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you require transport to departure city (Sydney)? Yes / No  
Frequent Flyer Details \_\_\_\_\_

## Personal Preferences

Bedding: Twin share ( ) Single ( )

If you are travelling as a twin share, please answer the following:

Are you a smoker? Yes / No

Do you snore? Yes / No

Are you a light sleeper? Yes / No

Are you a night owl? Yes / No

Do you have any other habits that would be a concern for your room-mate? \_\_\_\_\_

## Medical / Dietary

Do you have any medical conditions or physical limitations that we should be made aware of? Yes / No

If yes, please provide details \_\_\_\_\_

## Passport Details

Passport Number \_\_\_\_\_ Issue Date \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date \_\_\_\_\_

Nationality \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: Male ( ) Female ( )

Place of birth \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

## Emergency Contact Information

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to passenger \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

**I acknowledge that the above information is accurate and correct, and that I have read and accept the tour booking conditions.**

Passenger Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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# Jayes Travel Booking Conditions

## CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

### Jayes Travel Services Pty Ltd CAN 127 787 455 trading as Jayes Travel

Please read carefully, the terms and conditions of contract in completing and submitting the Booking Form, you agree to be bound by these conditions which constitute the agreement between Jayes Travel Services Pty Ltd (Jayes Travel) and you. These conditions apply to exclusion of any other terms or conditions unless are set out in the Booking Form, or are otherwise agreed to in writing by the parties. Previous dealing with the parties will not vary these conditions. No purported variation of these conditions will be effective unless in writing and signed by a person so authorised by Jayes Travel.

**1. How to book:** To participate in this Jayes Travel adventure, you must pay a non-refundable registration fee (including GST) as per your itinerary, payable to Jayes Travel.

**2. Changes to your holiday:** You acknowledge that travelling with Jayes Travel requires a degree of flexibility, good humour and an understanding that the itinerary, accommodation, and/or modes or transport may change, even after a tour's commencement, without prior notice due to local circumstances. Changes may occur because of "Force Majeure", poor road and conditions, weather, the availability of tickets, vehicle breakdowns changes in transport schedules or other circumstances beyond Jayes Travel's control or which simply cannot be foreseen. Jayes Travel does not accept any responsibility for loss of enjoyment, delays or compensation resulting from circumstances beyond Jayes Travel's control.

The information provided in pre-departure information are subject to change. Where changes to your trip occur after you have received your final documentation, we will where practical, advise you of such changes.

**3. Cancellations by you:** If you wish to cancel your tour, you must notify Jayes Travel in writing and the following charges will apply: You will automatically forfeit your registration fee. Further cancellation fees may apply subject to timing of cancellation in regard to departure date, however these will be assessed on a case by case basis.

If there are too few participants on your tour, we reserve the right to cancel the trip or to offer you alternatives. If the trip is cancelled and any alternatives offered are not suitable, you shall be refunded any monies paid to Jayes Travel but shall not be entitled to claim any other amounts.

**4. Cancellation by Jayes Travel:** Jayes Travel reserves the right to cancel a departure and will advise you of such cancellations no later than 5 weeks before the departure date. If due to "Force Majeure" or government travel advice, Jayes Travel reserves the right to cancel a departure at any time. With any form of cancellation, Jayes Travel will offer you alternative arrangements and if the price of your alternative booking is of a lower value than the original booking, we will refund the difference to you. If you do not accept alternative arrangements we will refund all payments you have made to Jayes Travel (in case of "Force Majeure" or government travel advice refunds will be less any unrecoverable costs), Jayes Travel will not be liable for any additional costs incurred by you.

Force Majeure

Jayes Travel will not be liable for any delay in, change to or cancellation of trips due to "force majeure". "Force majeure" means a circumstance beyond the reasonable control of Jayes Travel and includes, but is not limited to, war or threat of war, riot, civil strife, terrorist activity, industrial dispute, disease, industrial or nuclear disaster, adverse weather conditions, fire and strikes.

**5. Prices and availability:** All prices are based on costs and exchange rates applicable when the tour, airfare and taxes quote is prepared. Jayes Travel reserves the right to adjust prices before you have made full payment. We will do everything within our control not to adjust prices and will generally only amend prices in the event of marked fluctuations in exchange rates, fuel costs, airlines increasing the cost of airfares & taxes and other operating costs on which prices are based. All air arrangements are subject to availability at the time you pay your deposit to Jayes Travel. If we are unable to confirm air arrangements for you at that time, we will offer you alternative options. If we are unable to obtain availability for the airfare that was quoted, we will confirm the next available airfare for you and advise you of the increased cost.

**6. Health, fitness, trip grades and age limits:** It is your responsibility to advise Jayes Travel or any pre-existing medical condition and/or disability that might reasonably be expected to increase the risk of you requiring medical attention, or an assessment of your medical condition from a qualified medical practitioner if requested by Jayes Travel or our suppliers. Jayes Travel reserves the right, at its reasonable discretion, to cancel your booking and refund the money paid by you, less any unrecoverable costs. Jayes Travel also reserves the right to cancel your participation in a trip at any time, including

after the commencement of your trip, with no right of refund if your medical condition and/or disability could be reasonably expected to affect the normal conduct of the trip and the enjoyment of other trip members.

**7. Authority of the Leader:** At all times the decision of the Jayes Travel leader or representative will be final on all matters likely to affect the safety and well-being of the trip. This includes any decision that the Jayes Travel leader makes about your ongoing participation in the trip or certain activities that comprise part of the trip. If you fail to comply with a decision made by the Jayes Travel leader, or interfere with the well-being of the group, then the Jayes Travel leader reserves the right to terminate this contract and order you to leave the tour immediately, with no refund.

**8. Complaints:** If you have any complaint about your trip, you must make it known at the earliest opportunity to the leader and/or Jayes Travel representative, who will normally be able to take appropriate action. If at the end of the trip you feel that your complaint has not been properly dealt with, you must notify us in writing within 30 days of the end of your trip.

**9. Travel insurance:** Adequate and valid travel insurance is optional but strongly recommended for all Jayes Travel travellers. Your travel insurance must cover accidents, injury, illness and death, medical conditions, emergency repatriation (including helicopter rescue and ambulance where applicable) and personal liability. Jayes Travel also recommends it covers cancellation, curtailment and loss of luggage and personal effects. You must carry proof of insurance with you and produce it if reasonably requested by Jayes Travel employees or suppliers. Jayes Travel reserves the right to cancel or suspend your participation on a trip or in certain activities that comprise part of a trip at any time, including after the commencement of your tour, with no right of refund, if you are unable to provide proof of insurance when requested.

**10. Your trip and assumption of risk:** Jayes Travel operates trips in regions where standards of accommodation, transport, safety, hygiene, medical facilities and other infrastructure may, at times, not be of the standard you are used to at home. By booking with us, you acknowledge that participation in all Jayes Travel trips involves inherent risks that may not be present in the case of conventional or less demanding holidays. These risks include, without limitation, the possibility of injury or death, psychological trauma, disease, loss or damage to property, inconvenience and discomfort. The possibility of experiencing all or some of these risks is likely to be higher if participation in a Jayes Travel trip involves visiting remote or unstable regions or where there is dangerous wildlife.

When assessing whether trips will operate, Jayes Travel uses information from its local suppliers in conjunction with advice from the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, the British Foreign Office and the US Department of State. It is your responsibility to accustom yourself with the travel advice provided by these government bodies as well as that of your country of residency, before commencing the trip. By booking with Jayes Travel, you acknowledge your decision to travel on Jayes Travel trip is made after due consideration of relevant travel information that may be made available at any time.

**11. Exclusion of liability:** Except where stated otherwise, Jayes Travel acts as an agent for service providers when making arrangements for your trip. Where Jayes Travel provides services, it will do so with due care and skill. Jayes Travel is not responsible for the acts and omissions of others, including tour guides, airlines and accommodation providers or for any loss, damage, death, injury or expense (including loss of money paid in advance) which you may incur as a consequence of the acts and omissions of others. You warrant that you have not relied on any representation made by Jayes Travel or other representative which has not been stated expressly in the trip notes.

Jayes Travel will not accept responsibility or liability if you contravene any law or regulation of any country or region visited. Any independent arrangements that you make that are not part of the Jayes Travel trip (including pre and post accommodation) are entirely at your own risk and Jayes Travel cannot and does not give you any assurance, representation or warranty in connection with any such arrangements.

To the fullest extent permitted by law and subject to the exception set out below, Jayes Travel does not accept liability for any loss, damage, death or injury however caused (including through negligence) which you may directly or indirectly suffer in connection with or arising from this contract or your participation in a trip, or in respect of a failure or omission on the part of Jayes Travel to comply with its obligation under this contract, or in respect of any other conduct that Jayes Travel undertakes in connection with a trip. To the fullest extent permitted by law and subject to the exception set out below, you also agree to release Jayes Travel and its officers, employees, agents and representatives ("Representatives") from all costs, liability, loss and damage incurred by you in connection with your participation in any trip, and waive any associated claims that you may have against Jayes Travel or its Representatives as a result of your

participation in any trip. For these purposes, Jayes Travel enters into these Booking Conditions as trustee or agent for its Representatives.

To the fullest extent permitted by law and subject to the exception set out below, any condition or warranty, which would otherwise be implied into these Booking Conditions is excluded. Where legislation implies any condition or warranty, and that legislation prohibits us from excluding or modifying the application of, or our liability under any such condition or warranty, that condition or warranty will be deemed included but our liability will be limited for a breach of that condition or warranty to one or more of the following: (a) if the breach relates to goods (i) the replacement of the goods or the supply of equivalent goods (ii) the repair of such goods (iii) the payment of the cost of replacing the goods or of acquiring equivalent goods or (iv) the payment of the cost of having the goods repaired; and (b) if the breach relates to services, (i) the supplying of the services again or (ii) the payment of the cost of having the services supplied again.

Exception

The "Exclusion of Liability" section set out in these Booking Conditions does not attempt or purport to exclude, restrict or modify liability arising under, or remedies that may be available to you, pursuant to legislation where the exclusion restriction or modification of liability or remedies is not permitted. This includes legislation in part of the Trade Practices Act 1974 (Cth) and any state or territory Fair Trading Act (or its equivalent).

**12. Visas and Passports:** You are responsible for obtaining all necessary immunisations and visas and bear the expense for the same. Jayes Travel staff are able to advise you about this. You must have a valid passport, which has at least six months validity beyond your return date.

**13. Exclusions from package price:** The following items are not limited to or included in the participation fee: Passport charges; any additional charges resulting if not departing from Sydney (this includes any additional accommodation required due to "forced" stopovers on your journey to or from the destination), extra meals not included in the itinerary; laundry, postage, personal clothing, medical expenses and items of a personal nature; aerated or alcoholic beverages; emergency evacuation charges; excess baggage charges; travel insurance; tips; any pre or post tour arrangements; single accommodation as all prices are twin share (unless otherwise specified).

**14. Release and waiver of liability:** In consideration of Jayes Travel accepting your booking application and in consideration of you being permitted by Jayes Travel to join the tour:

- you waive any and all claims you may now or in the future have against Jayes Travel, its officers, employees, agents or representatives ("its staff") and release from all liability and agree not to sue Jayes Travel or its staff for any personal injury, death, property damage or loss sustained by you as a result of your participation in the trip. You acknowledge that the trip involves adventure and accept all of the inherent risks associated with such a trip and the possibility of personal injury, death or property damage or loss resulting there from.

- you release Jayes Travel and its officers, employees, agents, licensees, guides and other representatives and the land management authorities in the countries in which the tour is conducted (each of whom are collectively referred to "Jayes Travel and its employees") from all cost, liability, loss or damage incurred or suffered by you directly or indirectly during the course of the trip and resulting from your personal injury, illness or death or damage to or loss of your property unless caused by the wilful negligence or wrongful act of Jayes Travel and its employees: and

- you waive any claims you have, or may at any time have, against Jayes Travel and its employees and you agree, by accepting the additional inherent dangers and risks associated with the trip, not to make any claim against or seek any compensation from Jayes Travel and its employees in respect of any personal injury, illness or death suffered by you or damage to or loss of property sustained by you as a result of your participation in the trip. To the extent permitted by law, section 74 of the Trade Practices Act 1974 does not apply to this contract.

**15. Privacy:** In order to be able to supply a service to you, Jayes Travel will need to collect certain information from you, some of which may be of a personal nature. The information may be discussed or disclosed to, or collected on our behalf by our service providers to enable the services to be provided, but will not be used by them for any other purposes.



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