Mt Cho Oyu Expedition

Duration: 38 Days 37 Night | Location: Nepal



Trip at a glance

Category: Trekking in Nepal

Location: Nepal

Duration: 38 Days 37 Night

Difficulty: 6/10

Trip Style: Trekking & Hiking

Best Time: Apr – Jun / Sep – Nov Dec

Accommodation: Semi Lodge/ or fully Camping

Max Altitude: 8201 m

Group: Min. 1- Max.15

Summary

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Overview

Trip Introduction

Mt Cho Oyu Expedition For anyone who has ever dreamed of climbing one of the world's highest 8000 m. mountains, Cho Oyu offers relatively easy access. Despite being the 6th highest mountain on the planet, Cho Oyu has the highest success rate among the world's fourteen 8,000 m. Himalayan peaks. The ascent to the summit is short and direct with a few small technical sections which can be climbed safely using fixed lines.

The normal route may not be called a technically difficult climb. The access becomes easier also because of the fact that the mountain can be reached by four-wheel-drive vehicle and one can walk to the Camp 1 in hiking boots. However, climbing Cho Oyu is still a demanding undertaking, the mountain being one of the highest on earth.

Cho Oyu lies about 20km west of Mt. Everest on the Nepal-Tibet border.

The mountain is also known as Mt. Qowowuyag and is situated in the middle section of the Himalayas. An Austrian team first climbed Cho Oyu in 1954 followed by the Indian and German teams in 1958 and 1964 respectively. Cho Oyu consists mainly of five ridges – Northwest, Northeast, Southeast, Southwest, and West with the Jabula Glacier on the north, Lanba Glacier on the south, and Gecongba Glacier.

Day by day itinerary

Trip Itinerary

Day 01: Arrival in Kathmandu (1300 m):

Upon your arrival at Kathmandu international airport, our representative will meet and welcome you to Nepal and then you will be transferred to the hotel. Once you finish the check-in procedure, you can rest and relax at the hotel. After short rest, we take you short Thamel tour which is main tourist hub in

Kathmandu to make you familiar with some good restaurants, ATMs, money changer, Supermarket, gear shop and other necessary things you might need for your trip. After a short explore you will be taken to our office for a trip briefing meeting. Overnight in hotel. If your arrival is late today, this tour and trip briefing will be shifted for tomorrow.

Day 02: Kathmandu Sightseeing:

Tour Duration: 4 Hrs. After having breakfast we will proceed for the sightseeing. Pashupatinath Temple: It is a most famous Hindu temple devoted to Lord Shiva, located beside the Bagmati River. One of the most significant temples for the Hindu devotees around the world and the UNESCO site. The golden pagoda style temple is richly carved with silver doors. On the day of Shivaratri, a big fair is held around the month of February/March.Boudhanath stupa: One of the biggest Stupas in the world is located on the east in Kathmandu. It stands with four pairs of eyes in the four prime directions, keeping watch for virtuous behavior and human success. King Man Deva at the advice of the Goddess Mani Jogini had built this remarkable Stupa. The Stupa resembles the Mahayana philosophy. After back from the tour you have some times for rest and prepare your gear and so on. Overnight in hotel.

Day 03 : Preparation of official documents / Last minute shopping:

We take time to prepare and finalize with official formalities of permits and others. You will be also briefed on the nature of expedition, equipments and team composition and meeting with your Guide. You can also make your last minute shopping of personal items or junk items as you will be flying to the Himalayas the next day.

Day 04 : Drive to Kodari & transfer Zhangmu (2,300 m.):

We start our Cho Oyu expedition from north face with a scenic drive to Kodari (Nepal Tibet border town). We cross the border and then drive to Zhangmu. Overnight stay in the town.

Day 05 : Zhangmu – Nyalam (2,750 m).

Today, we drive to Nylam situated at an altitude of 2750 m. Overnight in a local lodge.

Day 06 : Day of acclimatization:

We spend the day in Nyalam acclimatizing. Overnight stay in the Hotel.

Day 07 : Drive to Tingri (4,340 m.)

We drive from Nyalam to Tingri. Overnight in a lodge.

Day 08 : Rest day for acclimatization:

Rest day again for acclimatization.

Day 09 : Drive to Chinese Base Camp (5,000 m.):

We take our early drive to Chinese Base Camp 5,000 m. Overnight in the camp.

Day 10 : In Chinese Base Camp:

We move around the Chinese Base Camp to assess the environment of the camp. Overnight in the camp.

Day 11 : To Advance Base Camp (5,700 m.):

Today, we prepare our boarding and loading to Advance BC.

Day 12 : To Middle Camp:

From Base Camp, we proceed towards the middle camp with Yaks. Overnight in the camp.

Day 13 : To Cho Oyu Advance Base Camp:

It is the turn to go to Cho Oyu Advance Base Camp from middle Camp. Overnight in the camp.

Day 14-32 : Climbing Period:

We take this days to climb the Cho Oyu.

Day 33 : Descend to Chinese Base Camp :

We proceed towards Chinese Base Camp from Advance Base camp. Overnight in the camp.

Day 34 : Drive to Zhangmu:

Today, we drive to Zhangmu from Chinese Base Camp. Overnight in a local lodge in Zhangmu.

Day 35 : Drive to Kathmandu:

We drive to Kathmandu. Arrive Kathmandu and relax on your own. Overnight in the hotel.

Day 36-37 : Tour of Kathmandu and free time for Shopping:

You will enjoy these 2 days in Kathmandu on your own. Sightseeing tour of Kathmandu and then shopping. Farewell dinner party in the evening. Overnight in the hotel.

Day 38 : Departure :

As per your flight schedule, you will be transferred to the international airport of Kathmandu 3 hours prior to the flight time and your tour ends here.

Package: Standard Package

Contact for pricing

Pricing depends on dates and group size. Contact us for a quote.

Inclusions

All arrival and departure transfer services to and from International Airport.

5 nights Hotel accommodations in Kathmandu on BB Plan as per category.

Kathmandu-Kyarung-Kathmandu transfer for logistics and staffs.

Tibet travel visa and permit for climbing member and involved staffs.

Cho Oyu climbing permit with Chinese Government Royalty (U$7500 per person).

Tibetan official Liaison officer for Cho-Oyu Expedition fully paid.

Kyarung-Tingri -Chinese Base Camp and VV all accommodation and transportation (BB Plan).

All camping equipment in Chinese Base camp and Advance Base Camp.

Food during expedition period for expedition members and staff cooked by our cook.

Experienced climbing Sherpa guide and base camp staffs sharing with team.

Cargo and duties clearing assistance service in Kyarung border.

Gamow Bag will be available for expedition group.

Solar panel for light and batteries charger will be available for expedition members.

Each expedition member will have an individual tent in the ABC.

Insurance, wages, meal allowances for private Sherpa and sharing base camp staffs·

First Aid medical kits for the Group and the staffs.

Satellite phone carrying by guide for communication and available for members with the cost of US$ 4 per minute call.

All necessary paper works, office service charge and Government taxes levied in Nepal.

Farewell Dinner in a typical Nepali restaurant with domestic culture show in Kathmandu.

Our service Charges.

What you wont get

Exclusions

Lunch and Dinner during your stay in Kathmandu (except farewell dinner).

Lunch and Dinner during your travel period in Tibet (Except camp site).

Items of personal nature, Laundry Expenses, Tips etc.

Expenses incurred towards usage of any communication means.

Clothing, packing Items or bags, personal medical kit, personal trekking/climbing gears.

Any extra services or products or offers or activities not mentioned in the itinerary.

Any extra expenses arising out of various/unforeseen situations like natural calamities, landslides, political disturbances, strikes, change in Government regulations etc.

Any additional staff other than specified.

Rescue, repatriation, medicines, medical tests and hospitalization expenses.

Oxygen bottles, mask and regulators as per demand.

Medical-travel insurance and emergency rescue evacuation if required.

Airfare of international and domestic flights.

Nepal entry or re-entry visa fee (Visa issuance is easy at the arrival).

Icefall garbage deposit fees (Sharing with other member) if applicable.

Nepal custom duty fees for import of expedition goods.

Emergency/Rescue/Early Jeep cost (US$ 1200 approximately).

Any other item not included in “The cost includes” Secti

Gear checklist

Equipments List

Trip notes

Trip Highlights

Trip Duration: 38 days.

Trekking Duration: 38 days.

Grade: Challenging.

Accommodation: Semi Lodge/ or fully Camping.

Activities: Mt Cho Oyu Expedition

Highest Point: Mt Cho Oyu Expedition(8201 m).

Group size: Min. 1- Max.15.

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Max. Altitude: 8201 m.

Transport: Fly in -Fly Out.

Mt Cho Oyo Expedition Ideal training peak for Everest Expedition – probably the easiest among the highest 8,000 m.

Guided expedition: Climb with Mega Mount’s experienced Everest, Cho Oyu and other 8,000 m. summiteer guides and mountaineers

One base camp and three additional higher Camps supported by highly experienced mountaineers, guides, and crew members

Expedition includes acclimatization and cultural tour of the Tibetan Capital Lhasa and other ancient settlements

Departure

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Review

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