# Rajasthan's Havelis, Fort & Temples (05 Nights)

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### day 1

# Delhi – Nawalgarh (275 kms/ 6-7 hrs)

In the morning our vehicle will pick you up from your place of stay & then move towards Nawalgarh located in the Shekhawati region, literally translated as the "Garden of Sheka". Nawalgarh, is known for the high quality of its paintings, even in the richly frescoed Shekhawati area. Upon arrival check into hotel. Evening is kept for leisure and you can get a massage(on direct payment basis), work out at gym or just relax in the swimming pool at your hotel. Stay overnight at hotel.

City: Mandawa

**Hotel: Matsya Vilas** 

Meals: Bed and Breakfast, No Drink

Time: 6 hours 30 mins

# day 2

### Nawalgarh

After breakfast visit Nawalgarh followed by Camel Cart ride in the villages of Nawalgarh which is now converted to a museum, witness frescoes for which city is famous for. In this walking tour: visit the major tourist attractions of Nawalgarh the prominent havelis like Anandilal Poddar haveli which is now converted to a museum, witness frescoes for which city is famous for. In this village tour you will also witness local tailor, cobbler, and small hospital which is very much off the beaten track. Evening is free at leisure. Stay overnight at hotel.

Highlights: Camel Cart ride in the village of NawalgarhExplore the rich walls of the havelis at Nawalgarh with guide

City: Mandawa

**Hotel: Matsya Vilas** 

Meals: Bed and Breakfast, No Drink

#### Nawalgarh - Pushkar (200 kms / 4.5 hrs.)

After breakfast drive to Pushkar, one of the holiest Hindu pilgrimage sites in the world. Upon arrival check into hotel and after relaxing in the cozy ambience of your room start exploring this holy city by walking tour including the lake, ghats, and the 14th-century Brahma Temple. In the evening meet at parking area & embark on a sunset camel ride out into the dessert. You will also get a chance to wear Rajasthani ethnic dresses and you can click pictures in the beautiful attire. Stay overnight at hotel.

Highlights: Guided walking tour in PushkarSunset Camel Ride (01 pax on 01 camel)Dressed in traditional Rajasthani attire & click pictures

City: Pushkar

**Hotel: Brahma Horizon** 

Meals: Bed and Breakfast, No Drink

Time: 4 hours 30 mins

#### day 4

#### Pushkar – Jaipur (150 kms/ 3.5 hrs)

After breakfast drive to Jaipur, one of the most important heritage cities in India & commonly known as "The Pink City." Upon arrival check into your Hotel and after as short break get ready to explore the city of Jaipur. Among the highlights to be seen while touring Jaipur include the City Palace. The palace museum houses collections of rare manuscripts, armoury, costumes, carpets and miniature paintings. Walk to the Jantar Mantar or Astronomical Observatory made by the Maharaja of Jaipur, built in 1726 and is one of the five such astronomical wonders built by Sawai Jai Singh and makes accurate predictions even to this day. Later explore city by shopping on your own & learn more about the beautiful creations made by local artisans and spend the time browsing and shopping for souvenirs such as handmade jewellery, hand-woven carpets, traditional Indian art, and much more. Evening is free at leisure and stay overnight at hotel.

Highlights: Visit City Palace and Jantar Mantar with GuideDiscover Jaipur's best markets on your own

City: Jaipur

**Hotel: The Fern Residency** 

Meals: Bed and Breakfast, No Drink

Time: 3 hours 30 mins

### Jaipur

After breakfast you will be driven just outside Jaipur to the ancient capital of Amer to see the fabulous Amber Fort. Before the City Palace was constructed in Jaipur, Amber was the seat of power. Our car will take you to the fort and once on top, stroll through the sprawling complex of courtyards and halls. Drive past The 'Palace of Winds', otherwise known as Hawa Mahal. It is really an elaborate facade behind which the ladies of the court used to watch the daily goings on in the street below. Later in the afternoon proceed for Leopard Safari into the Jhalana National Park. It is home to 15 – 16 leopards out of which 7 leopards have their territory in tourism area of park. Situated right in the heart of Jaipur city closer to airport, Jhalana slowly is becoming a favourite destination to spot leopards in wild. This otherwise shy cat is the apex predator here and does not have much competition for survival which makes them bold and confident and therefore better sightings. In the evening experience a traditional Aarti, the Hindu ritual of offering prayers by fire at Birla Temple, Jaipur and take blessings from God for a happy life! Later in the evening proceed to Heritage hotel Samode Haveli for dinner with traditional dance & puppet show. Return to hotel for overnight stay.

Highlights: Visit Palace of Wind with Guide and enjoy Elephant Ride Leopard Safari into the Jhalana National Park Traditional Aarti at Birla temple. Relish the delicious cuisines at Special Hotel with traditional dance & puppet show

City: Jaipur

**Hotel: The Fern Residency** 

Meals: Bed and Breakfast, No Drink

day 6

**Jaipur – Delhi (265 kms / 5.5 hrs.)** 

After breakfast drive back to Delhi & drop you to your place of stay in Delhi.

Meals: Bed and Breakfast, No Drink

Time: 5 hours 30 mins