

Conference Tour

SATGOMBUR MOSQUE & KOROMJOL

SATGOMBUR MOSQUE

The satgambur is a large mosque. It stands on sixty stone pillars with its seventy-seven gambur or domes and not 'sat' or sixty gambur, as the name indicates. Some say that it was used as a mosque by Saint Khan Jahan Ali. Others say that it was used as a darbar by the mughal governor of the place. But it is associated more with Saint Khan Jahan Ali's name than with the name of the governor. The Shatgombur Mosque is a 15th century Islamic edifice situated in the suburbs of Bagerhat on the edge of the Sundarbans, some 175 km southwest of Dhaka. It is an enormous Moghul architectural site covering a very large area. The Mosque is unique in that it has sixty pillars, which support seventy-seven exquisitely curved domes that have worn away with the passage of time. The mausoleum of the city's founder, Khan Jahan Ali can be found nearby.



KOROMJOL

A forest station with a crocodile breeding and wildlife rescue centre.



Date of Tour: 8:30 am 16 February 2014 to 5:30 pm 16 February 2014

Terms and Conditions:

Conference tour will be arranged for first 100 registered persons.

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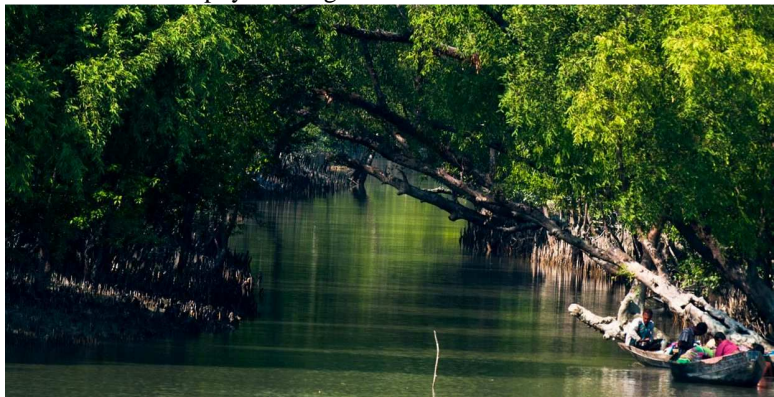
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Sundarban Tour (2 Days & 3 Nights)

The Sundarban is the largest single block of tidal halophytic mangrove forest in the world. The name Sundarban can be literally translated as “beautifuljungle” or “beautiful forest” in the Bengali language (Sundar, “beautiful” and ban, “forest” or “jungle”).The name may have been derived from the Sundari trees that are found in Sundarbans in large numbers. The forest covers 10,000 km² of which about 6000 km² are in Bangladesh. It became inscribed as a UNESCO world heritage site in 1997.



GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION: North-Bagerhat,Khulna and Sathkira; South- Bay of Bengal; East-Baleswar river, Perojpur and West-Raimangal and Hariabhanga rivers which partially form Bangladesh boundary with West Bengal in India.



MAIN ATTRACTIONS: Wildlife photography including photography of the famous Royal Bengal Tiger, wildlife viewing, boating inside the forest will call recordings, nature study, meeting fishermen, wood-cutters and honey-collectors, peace and tranquility in the wilderness, seeing theworld's largest mangrove forest and the revering beauty. The forests are not just mangrove swamps though; they include some of the last remaining stands of the mighty jungles, which once covered theGangetic plain. Sundarbans ishome to many different species of birds, mammals, insects, reptiles and fishes. Over 120 species of fish and over 260 species of birds have been recorded in the Sundarbans.

FAMOUS SPOTS: The main tourist spots in Sundarbanare Katka, Kochikhali, Hiron point and Mandarbaria. HironPoint (Nilkamal) is famous for tiger, deer, monkey, crocodiles, birds and natural beauty. Katka is famous for sea beach, deer, tiger, crocodiles, varieties of birds and monkey, morning and evening symphony of wild fowls. Vast expanse of grassy meadows running from Katka to Kachikhali (Tiger Point) provides opportunities for wild tracking.



Schedule of Tour:

8:00 pm 16 February, 2014 to

7:00 am 19 February, 2014

Amount (Tk): 4500/= per person

Terms and Conditions: Sundarban tour will be arranged if the minimum numbers of participants are 35. Please confirm your registration within **08 February, 2014.**

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