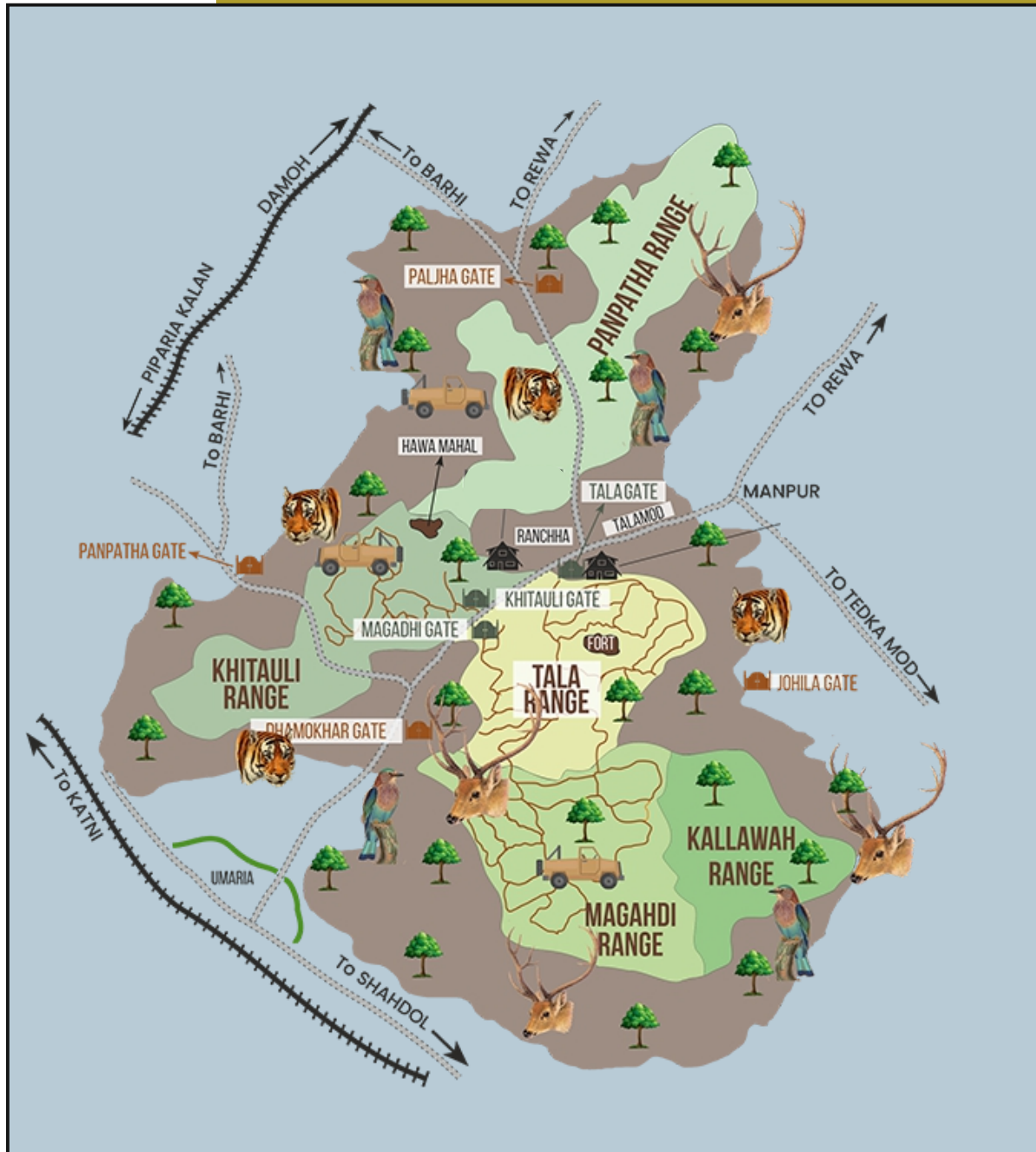


DIVINE BANDHAVGARH...



Map is only for representational purposes, not to scale.

Road map

5 nts. 6 days.

- Day 1 ● Departure from Pune / Mumbai - :
In the morning, board a train from Pune for Mumbai and then to Jabalpur. Overnight Journey.
- Day 2 ● Jabalpur - Bhedaghat - Bandhavgarh :
Arrive at Jabalpur in the morning. Visit Bhedaghat, have breakfast. Visit Dhuadhar falls and proceed to Bandhavgarh. In the evening, Go for a walk in nearby area. Overnight Stay at Bandhavgarh.
- Day 3 ● Bandhavgarh :
Early in the morning, go for First Jungle Safari. Take rest. In the afternoon, go for Second Jungle Safari. Overnight Stay at Bandhavgarh.
- Day 4 ● Bandhavgarh :
Early in the morning, go for Third Jungle Safari. Take rest. In the afternoon, go for Forth Jungle Safari. Overnight Stay at Bandhavgarh.
- Day 5 ● Bandhavgarh - Jabalpur :
Early in the morning, visit jungle for the 5th time. After breakfast, proceed to Jabalpur. Board a train to Pune or Mumbai. Overnight Journey.
- Day 6 ● Arrival at Pune / Mumbai :
Reach Pune or Mumbai in the morning.

Bandhavgarh National Park is one of the popular national parks in India located in the Umaria district of Madhya Pradesh. The park derives its name from the most prominent hillock of the area, which is said to be given by Hindu Lord Rama to his brother Lakshmana to keep a watch on Sri Lanka (British Name : Ceylon or Ancient Name : Sinhdweep). Hence the name Bandhavgarh (English: Brother's Fort). Bandhavgarh was declared a national park in 1968 with an area of 105 km². The buffer is spread over the forest divisions of Umaria and Katni and totals 437 km². Project Tiger was constituted in 1972 and then the Wildlife Protection Act 1972 came into force. It was realized that protection of just the 105 km² of prime Bandhavgarh habitat was not enough, so in 1982, three more ranges, namely Khitauli, Magdhi and Kallawah were added to Tala range.

This park has a large biodiversity. The density of the tiger population at Bandhavgarh is one of the highest known in India. The park has a large breeding population of Leopards, and various species of deer. Maharaja Sachin Singh Baghel of Rewa captured a white tiger in this region in 1951. This white tiger, Mohan, is now stuffed and on display in the palace of the Maharajas of Rewa.

Bandhavgarh National Park lies on the extreme north-eastern border of the present state of Madhya Pradesh in India and the northern flanks of the eastern Satpura Mountain range. Latitudes and longitudes are 23°30' to 23°46' North and 80°11' to 80°36' east. The altitude of the park varies between 410 metres (1,345 ft) and 810 metres (2,657 ft). The geology is soft feldspathic sandstone with quartzite. The soil is generally sandy to sandy-loam. At least twenty streams rise or flow through the park, amongst the streams Umrar (forming the western boundary) is the largest. The other important streams are Johilla (eastern boundary), Janadh, Charnganga, Damnar, Banbei, Ambanala and Andhyari Jhiria. All these streams eventually flow into the river Son, which is an important southern tributary to the Ganges. At the centre of the Park is the Bandhavgarh hill, rising 811 m above sea level – surrounding it are a large number of smaller hills separated by gently sloping valleys. These valleys end in small, swampy meadows, locally known as 'bohera'. The lowest point in the park is at Tala, 440 m above sea level. The terrain is of great rocky hills rising sharply from the swampy and densely forested valley bottoms. The finest of these hills is Bandhavgarh, sided with great cliffs and eroded rocks.

The park lies within the tropical monsoon climatic zone, characterized by well-defined winters, summers and rains. Temperature as low as 2.2 °C and as high as 44 °C have been recorded. Average rainfall is 1,173 millimeters (46 in), most of which falls during the monsoons. Some rains result from the cyclonic depressions as well, between the months of November and February.

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Day - 1

Pune / Mumbai to Jabalpur


Our wildlife tour to Bandhavgarh begins with the AC Train journey.

Overnight Journey.

 Train Journey

 810 mtrs.

 1200 kms.

 16-20 hours.

 No Meals Included.



Info :

Located in the Umaria district of Madhya Pradesh, the Bandhavgarh Tiger Reserve is among the best national parks of India. Its tropical dry deciduous forest ecosystem. Bandhavgarh was declared a national park in 1968, Bandhavgarh became Tiger Reserve in 1993, having 716 sq. kms. core area consisting Tala, Magadhi and Khitauli Zones. Located on the Vindhyan hill range, the nearest airport is in Jabalpur, which is 160 kms. away (4-hour drive). Katni is the nearest railway station located 90 kms. away.








Day - 2

Jabalpur - Bandhavgarh

Reach Jabalpur at 06:00 hrs., proceed to Bhedaghat for boating through Marble rocks. After Breakfast, proceed to Dhuadhar waterfalls situated on Narmada river. At around 12 noon proceed to Bandhavgarh National Park. Reach Bandhavgarh at around 16:00 hrs. fresh n up and take rest. Enjoy resort activities in the evening. Have Dinner at around 20:30 hrs. Go to bed at 22:00 hrs..

Overnight at Bandhavgarh.

-  Hotel Accommodation
-  810 mtrs.
-  180 kms.
-  04-05 hours by AC Vehicle.
-  Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Included.



Sightseeing :

Experience to witness the marble rocks adjoining the graceful Narmada River in Bhedaghat, Jabalpur. These soaring white rocks, are known to magically change shapes as you sail along the river. Treat yourself with a boat ride at the marble rocks. The boatman regales you with a witty description based on his imagination and explains about vicinity in the most creative way. The tranquil Narmada flows through high marble rocks and at a short distance, sited the remarkable spectacle of nature; Dhuandhar falls. The waterfall has been named so because of the smoky appearance of the water falling off the cliff with utmost force.








Day - 3

Bandhavgarh

Early in the morning you will get an wakeup call at about 0515 hrs. Tea / Coffee & Biscuits would be ready. Get ready for the first safari and the wildlife of Bandhavgarh begins with an experienced forest guide. You return to lodge by 11 a.m. Take Rest. After Lunch, explore the other area of the National Park which will be our Second Jungle Safari. Come back to resort at 19:00 hrs. At High tea, we will be having interactive session on wildlife. Have Dinner at around 20:30 hrs. Go to bed at 22:30 hrs..

Overnight in Bandhavgarh.

-  Hotel Accommodation
-  800 mtrs.
-  -----
-  5 hrs. Morning.
3.5 hrs. Afternoon.
-  Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Included.



Sightseeing :

Bandhavgarh is renowned for its fearless tigers, boasting the highest density of these majestic creatures. The park also houses remarkable mammals such as Elephants, Indian Gaur, Spotted Deers, Leopards, and Sloth Bears. Bird enthusiasts will delight in spotting Eagles, Owls, Storks, Flycatchers, Bee-Eaters, Drongos, Vultures, Rollers and other stunning species. Experience the captivating wildlife of Bandhavgarh for yourself! Keep your eyes peeled and embrace the adventure.








Day - 4

Bandhavgarh

Early in the morning, Third Jungle Safari will add more knowledge about wildlife and some historical places of Bandhavgarh. Come back to resort at 11:00 hrs. Take Rest. After Lunch, take rest. In the afternoon, explore another area of the Park with our Forth Safari. Come back to resort at 19:00 hrs. At High tea, we will watch some interesting films on Bandhavgarh. Have Dinner at around 20:30 hrs. Go to bed at 22:30 hrs..

Overnight at Bandhavgarh.

-  Hotel Accommodation
-  800 mtrs.
-  -----
-  5 hrs. Morning.
3.5 hrs. Afternoon.
-  Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner Included.



Sightseeing :

Bandhavgarh fort. The fort lies in the centre of the 32 hills in the park with its cliffs going as high as 800 m. There are several caves in and around the fort dating back to prehistoric times. The name "Bandhavgarh" has been derived from there only which significantly is the combination of two words: 'Bandhav' means brother and 'Garh' is the fort. Shri Rama upon returning to his state back after conquering the war from Ravana stayed at this place and built this fort to gift his dear brother Lakshmana.



Day - 5

Bandhavgarh - Jabalpur

Early morning's Fifth and Final Safari will be our last chance of trailing the various Flora and Fauna. Come back to resort at 11:00 hrs. After fresh n up and lunch, we will transfer to Jabalpur. Reach Jabalpur Railway station and board the train to Mumbai.

Overnight Journey.



Train Journey



300 mtrs.



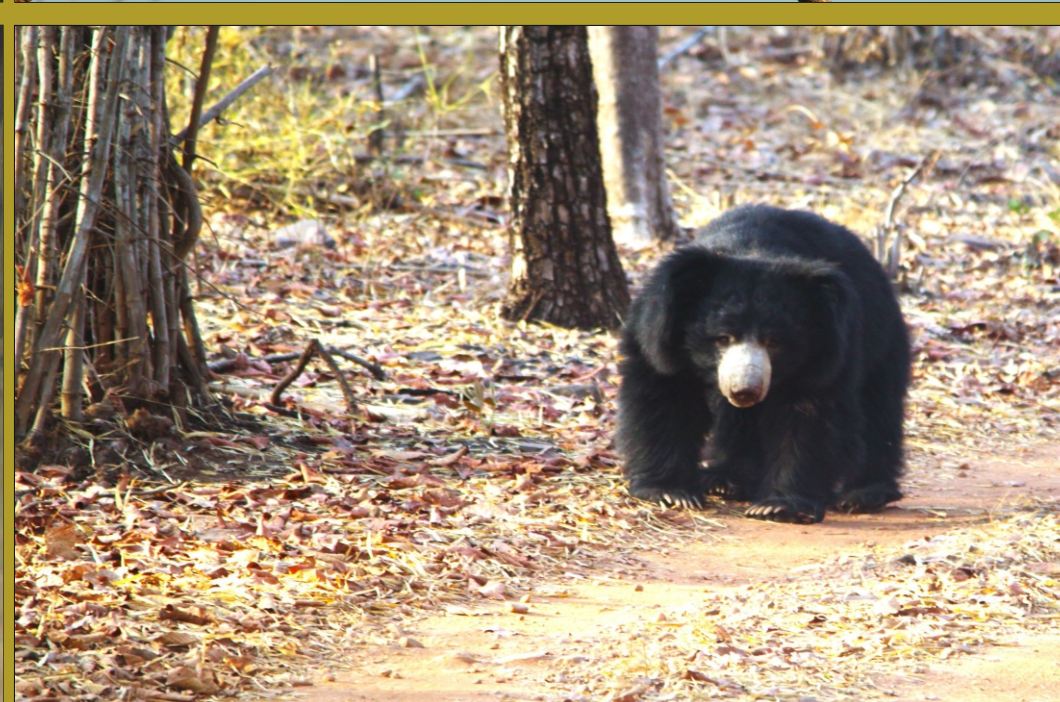
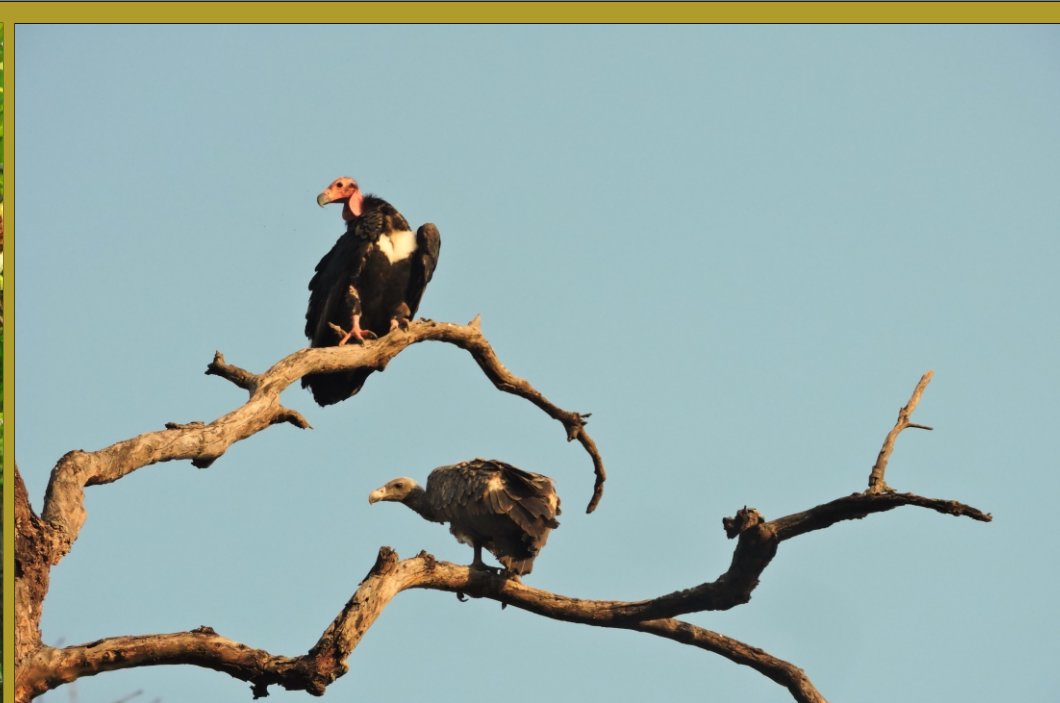
1,200 kms.



16 hours.



Breakfast & Lunch Included.



Sightseeing :

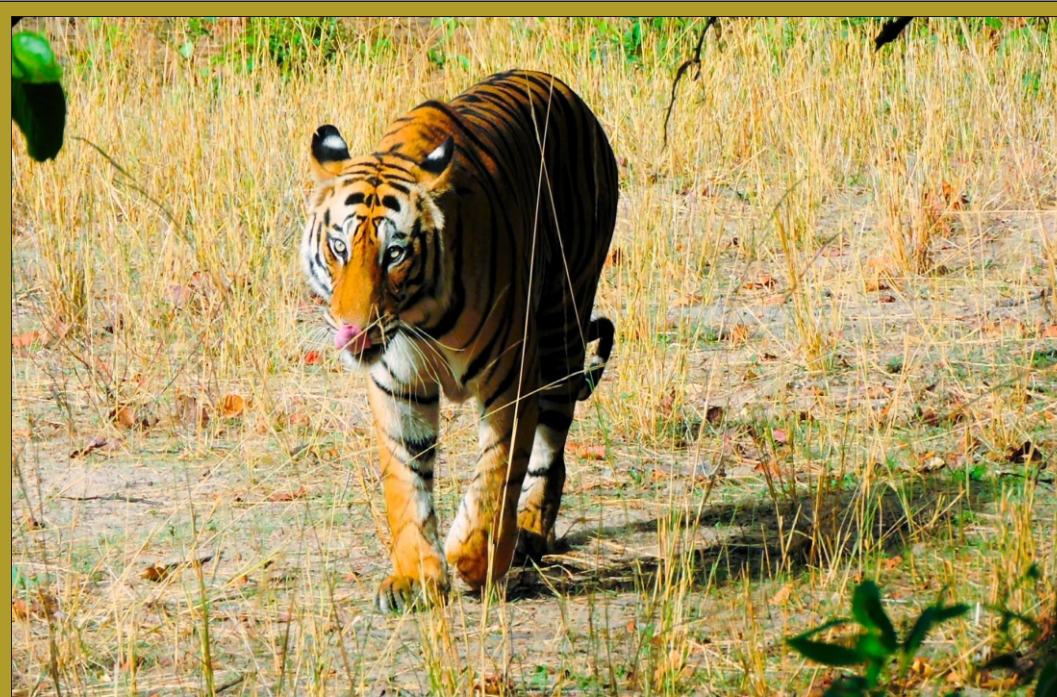
The park is also known to be the place where the first white tiger was spotted and holds an integral place in the history of the region. It was once the hunting ground for the maharajas and also boasts of various archaeological ruins that are as old as 2000 years. Chakradhara, Siddhbaba, Sita Mandap, Gopalpur, Badi Gufa, Banbai, Sheshshaiyya, Sukhi Patiha, Jamhol, Chakrawah, Mahaman, Nigahe nala, Sukha Talab, Darrah, Charanganga, Rajbehra, Bhulbhullaiya, Andhari Jhiriya are the famous places in Bandhavgarh.



Day - 6

Arrival at
Pune / Mumbai

Reach Mumbai in the noon.
Start the journey to Pune by road.



Information :

Head back to your hometown with cherished memories of wildlife at Bandhavgarh National Park. Spotting tigers is quite tricky and relies on luck. With 100+ tigers, spotting them in the 20% accessible forest area is a matter of luck. However, you can still enjoy diverse wildlife, including mammals, birds, trees, flowers, and fruits. Our trip has come to an end, but let's cherish the memories of Bandhavgarh. Don't forget to conserve nature! Together, we can make a difference.








Tour Cost

5 nts. 6 days



⇒ Cost Includes :

-  Double / Triple Sharing Accomodation.
-  Breakfast (4), Lunch (4) & Dinner (3) included.
-  AC Vehicle for Road transfers from Jabalpur to Jabalpur.
-  5 Jungle Safaris (4 Core & 1 Buffer) with open Gypsy.
-  3 tier AC railway ticket from Mumbai to Jabalpur and back by Garibrath Exps..

⇒ Cost Excludes :

- Φ Any Airfare, Busfare, Trainfare not mentioned in the itinerary.
- Φ Cost for optional tours, upgradation charges.
- Φ Any personal exps. i.e. Phone calls, Laundry, Soft drinks, Mineral Water, Tips, Porter chgs. etc.
- Φ Expenses incurred due to change in Oil prices, mishaps, landslide, strikes, political unrest, govt. policies.
- Φ Meals / food other than specified.
- Φ The items which are mentioned in the ' Cost Includes '.

Please note : The tour cost may increase if the Fuel prices, Forest authorities, Railway authorities increases their rates.

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