# KALIHANI PASS





Founded in **1993**, Banjara has a deep-rooted presence in the Indian Himalayas when it comes to hospitality and adventure. Through our experiences we hope to share the same spirit of adventure & exploration with everyone and also bring the best of adventure and hospitality together in doing so.

# WHO WE ARE



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### ARRIVE MANALI. REST & PREPARE

Arrive at our boutique property Roots Café and Stay, Bandrol, just 600 metres off the Kullu-Manali highway. Enjoy the delectable food at the in-house café, take a walk in the surrounding apple and pear orchards or simply rest and prepare for the days ahead.



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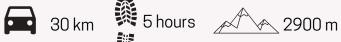




# **DRIVE TO MANALI.WALK TO LAMADUGH**







After breakfast we drive to Hadimba Temple, from where we start the trek. We climb through the Deodar forests to a rocky vantage point with a view of Manali. From here we continue to a small meadow before a steep ascent of 400m through small pastures and conifer and oak forest. Gradually the climb opens into a meadow -Lamadugh (2900m), ringed by Maple, spruce and Oak trees. We stay the night here in a mobile camp.





## **LAMADUGH TO RIYALI THATCH**





Today the ascent is long, gradual and exhilarating, offering views of the Solang and Hamta Valleys and Deo Tibba. The trail ascends through a ridge and as we reach the highest point, popularly known as Manali Pass. A long descent that takes us to a small stream crossing beyond which the trail ascends and then descends to the to the meadow known locally as Riyali, our campsite for tonight.







# RIYALI THATCH TO KALIHANI BASE CAMP



The trail gradually descends for and after about 2 hrs, we cross a small stream twice beyond which we start climbing to base camp. Some grassy slopes to begin with and then a long ridge before the final few zig zags on a grassy slope to reach Kalihani Pass Basecamp. The trail reward us with Sheperd shelters, views of Chanderkhani Pass, Indrasan and Deo Tibba

### BASECAMP TO KALIHANI PASS AND BACK





A long day to our highest point on this trek awaits. The landscape begins to change as forests and meadows give way to rocky terrain with patches of snow. The stretch to reach the top of Kalihani pass (4800 m) is steep and long. After celebrating atop the pass and taking in the views, we make our back down to base camp to spend the remainder of the evening and night.



### KALIHANI BASE CAMP TO RIYALI



4 hours



We start our return journey today and initially follow the same trail we used while coming up till we get to Riyali. We cross the same streams and descend down the same slopes we climbed up on our way to basecamp. We should make quick work of this day's walk and make the most of our time at the wonderful campsite that awaits us.



## RIYALI TO RANI SUI LAKE



2900 m

Today our route diverts away from the one we took on our way up and we turn towards an open stepped camp on a slope below Rani Sui. Following lunch we make the short hike to the lake and back to camp.



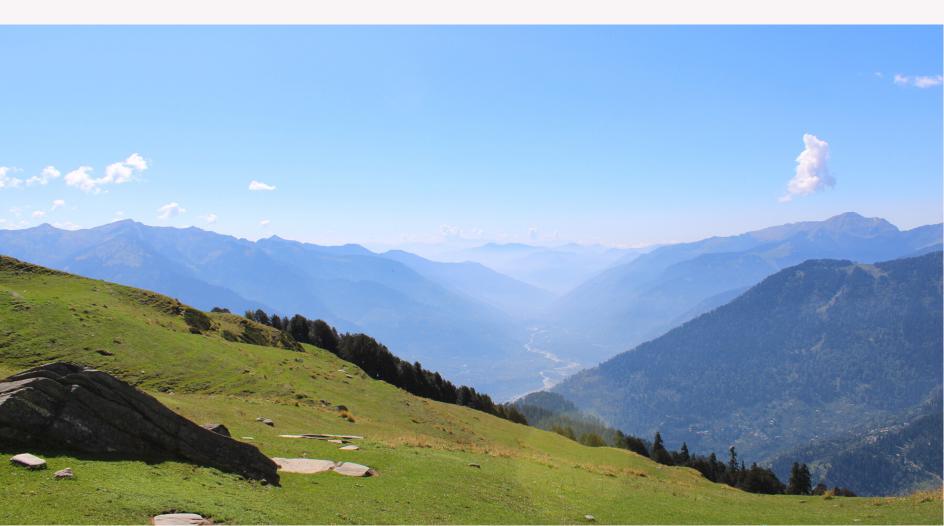
The last day of the trek, we will make our way to the closest village connected by road to this region to finish the trek. From here we will make our way back to the creature comforts that await us.

## RANI SUI TO SHEGLI



5 hours





#### INCLUSIONS

- Qualified Team lead / guide.
- Accommodation, 8 nights.
- Transportation.
- All meals. Lunch on day 1 to Breakfast on day 9.
- Porterage of personal luggage.
- Permits and fee.
- First Aid back up.
- Camping gear and safety equipment.

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

- Taxes.
- Insurance.
- Gratuity and tips.
- Extra drinks & alcoholic beverages.
- Single room supplement.
- Additional excursions outside the itinerary.
- Costs of unforeseen natural causes.
- Anything not in the inclusions.

INR 65,000/- Per Person + 5% GST

Group size: 6 to 10 People













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