

Mountain Adventure & Paidal to Quedal trek

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Location: Mukteshwar forestland

Camp Purple Mukteshwar

Duration: 4 night 5 days

Total trek distance: 20 kms

Date: 18th-22th May 2026



The Place:

Fifty kilometers from Nainital, perched on Mukteshwar ridge, surrounded by apple and peach orchards is a camp inspired by a colour that blends perfectly with nature. Watching the sunset (or rise) over Himalayan peaks, the distant graded mountains and the morning mist will all help explain why we couldn't have given it any other name. Mukteshwar (7290Ft) is one of the highest ridges in the middle Himalayas, hence it serves as a great vantage point for panoramic views of the snow-covered mountains (including Nanda Devi - one of the highest Indian peaks) Mukteshwar literally means 'Abode of Shiva' and has a Shiva temple at the highest hill on the ridge.

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Day 1

Reach for lunch at camp.

Settle in the tents.

Bariyadhunga exploration & sunset walk. Acclimatization walk in the Mukteshwar region through forest and village, a beautiful place to observe the sunset.

A picnic snacks at sunset site.

Come back to camp late evening.

Bonfire

Dinner

Day 2

Early morning bird watching trail in small groups.

Morning tea/ Breakfast

Adventure action: Early morning walk to “Choli ki Jali”, one of the most known sites in Kumaon for rock climbing.

Rappelling

Rock climbing

Picnic Breakfast at rock climbing site.

Complete the adventure actions

Walk back to the camp

Lunch

Action at camp: Archery, Rope puzzle game, Basketball match

Evening Tea, Snacks

Bonfire – Mafia game

Dinner

Day 3

Sunrise hike - Early morning sun rise hike to the hill top view the sun rise.

Come back to camp.

Breakfast

Trek orientation

Early lunch at the campsite.

Managher – Rata Forest (7km)

Half way will go by cab. trek starts from Managher road head around (6km). Trek goes through dense oak, rhododendron and silver fir forest.

Reach at Rata village.

Set-up the camp site in the dance forest next to a small water stream.

Evening tea snacks at the site.

Collect firewood.

Dinner.

Night Navigation/ Star observation.

Day 4

Rata forest – Quedal Stream (8km)

Morning tea/ breakfast.

Pack up the site - trek starts through the silver fir forest, following the stream. Enroute picnic lunch and continue trek to the camping site.

Fun in the Magic pool - Splash in the magic pool.

Walk back to the camping site.

Setup your campsite.

Evening tea snacks at the site.

Bonfire followed by dinner.

Jungle stories.

Day 5

Breakfast

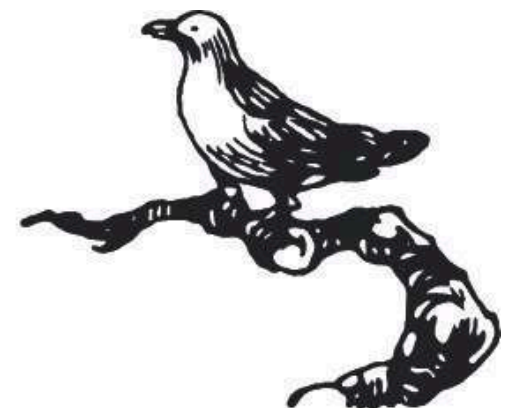
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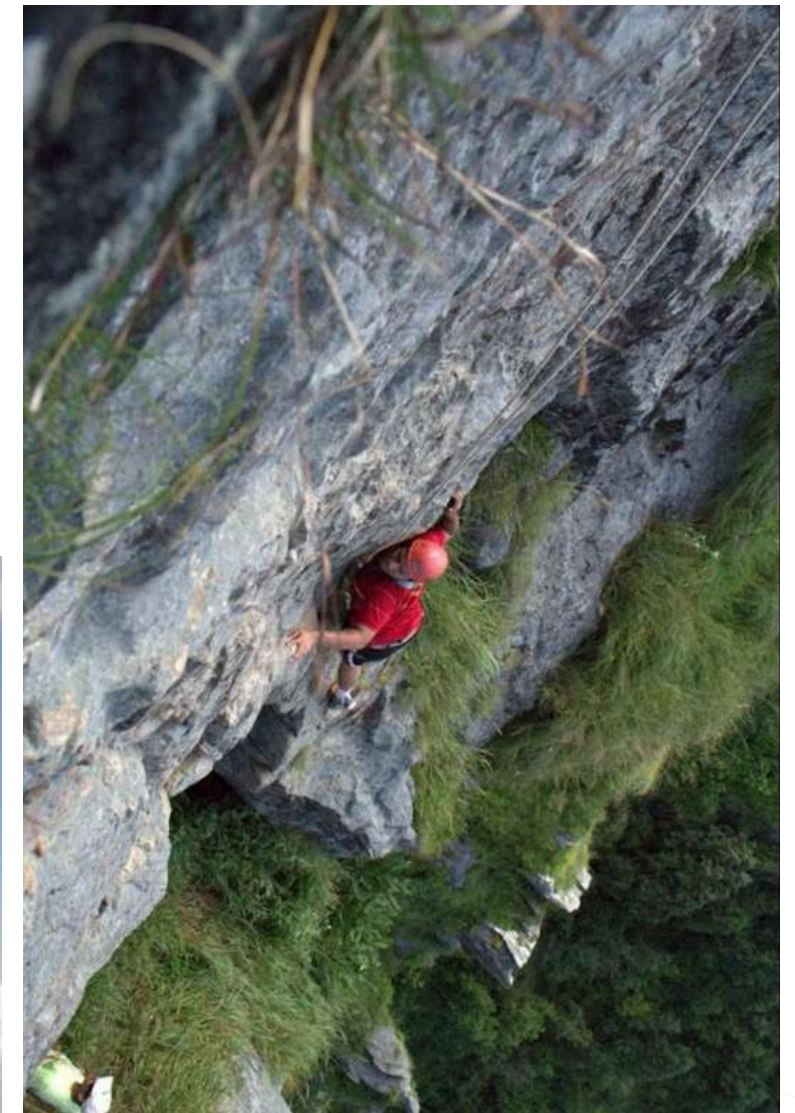
Hike up to the roadhead.(5 kms)

Start your return journey

Enroute lunch.

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