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Birding & Photography Tour in Kumaon Uttarakhand

A birding tour through
the hot spots of Kumaon

Welcome to the slow life...
may be for a few days only...

A walk through the jungle.

Sharpened senses and heightened spirits,
observations and learning the signs of
the nature along with wonders of the
unfolding scenarios, are all part of the
slow life of a bird enthusiast.

The jungles and country side of Kumaon is
long known for the rich flora & fauna of
the Himalayan landscape.

Kumaon reveals itself as we explore the
much-celebrated regions of it, focusing
on the varied avian life.

Days - 5 nights 6 days

Season - October - March

Location - Sattal, Chafi,

Ranikhet, Pangot, Corbett, Syat



Itinerary

Day 1

Arrival at Sattal Birding Camp Suriyagoan

An introductory session, lets meet our bird guide, with his endless bird stories, a short trail in the surrounding area.

Connect with bird calls.

Chafi stream trail; a home for the riverine & piscivores birds.

A performance of focus and patience by Crested kingfisher and tawny fish owl can be the highlight for the day.

Overnight at Sattal.

Day 2

Morning drive to Syamkhet, explore the tea garden, look out for owl on the drooping branches of Oak trees.

Swim in the Garudtal. Picnic lunch near the lake.

Trail to Subhasdhara waterfall. Relaxation session at 'Sattal bird studio' look for evening dip of mix hunting flock before the roost.

Overnight at Sattal

Day 3

A beautiful drive to Ranikhet

Birding session at Ranikhet, look for Cheer pheasant, Koklass pheasant, Chukar Partridge in the slopes of golf ground at Ranikhet, explore the Choabatiya garden.

Drive to Pangot

A short evening birding session at Pangot.

Overnight at Pangot homestay.

Day 4

Explore woodland birds, as well as open air birds glide, the Himalayan woodpecker, Himalayan Griffon, khalij pheasant, Maroon Oriole can be the highlight, visit the old forest bungalow at Kilbarry & Vinayak village farmlands.

Late evening transfer to Camp Syat Corbett

Day 5

Let's mix hunting flock to lead for morning session at Ranikota, an altitudinal migration can be observed during the trail.

Open jeep ride to Garjia (Corbett national park), explore the Shivalik foothills, follow the Kosi River, a corridor for jungle life. Also visit the Corbett Museum at Dhangadi, look out for other wild creatures on your journey back.

Night walk; open all senses in the forest's darkness and enjoy the hooting of one of the majestic Indian owls and the red eyes of Nightjar. Night at Machaan

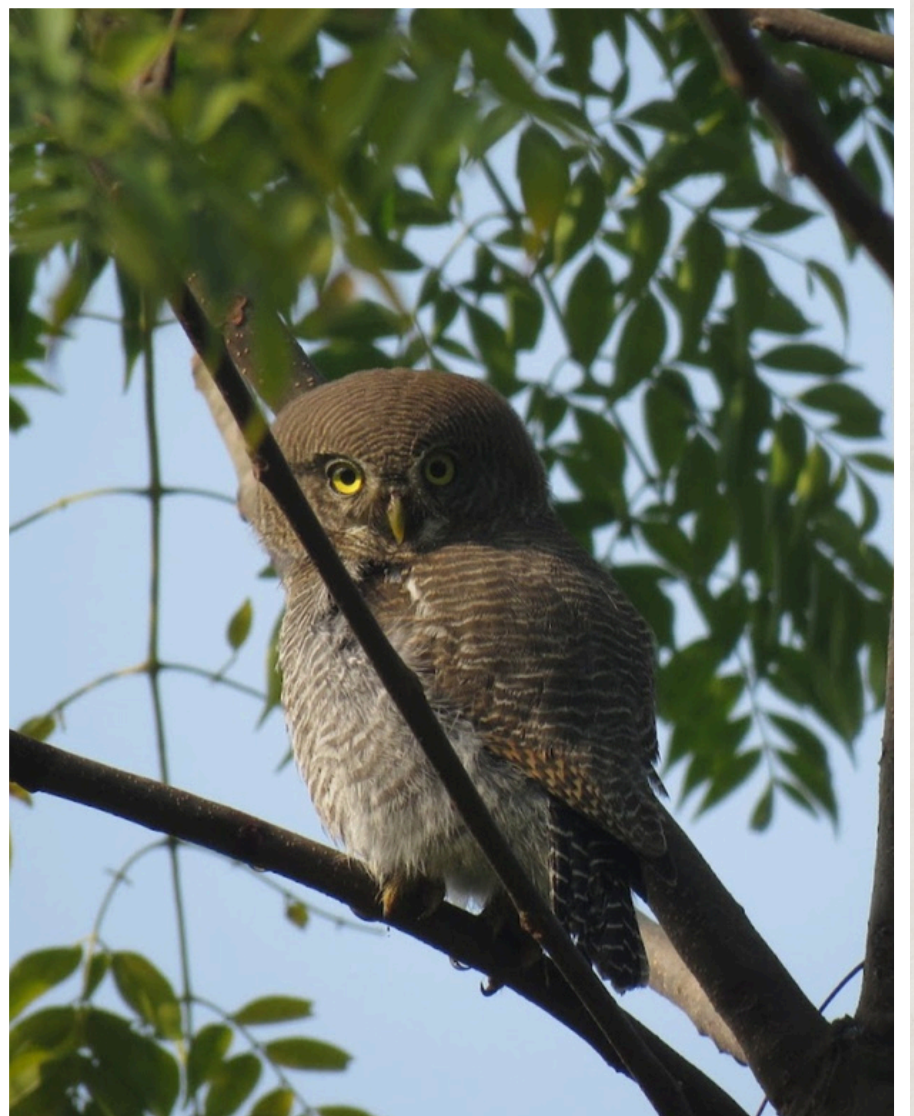
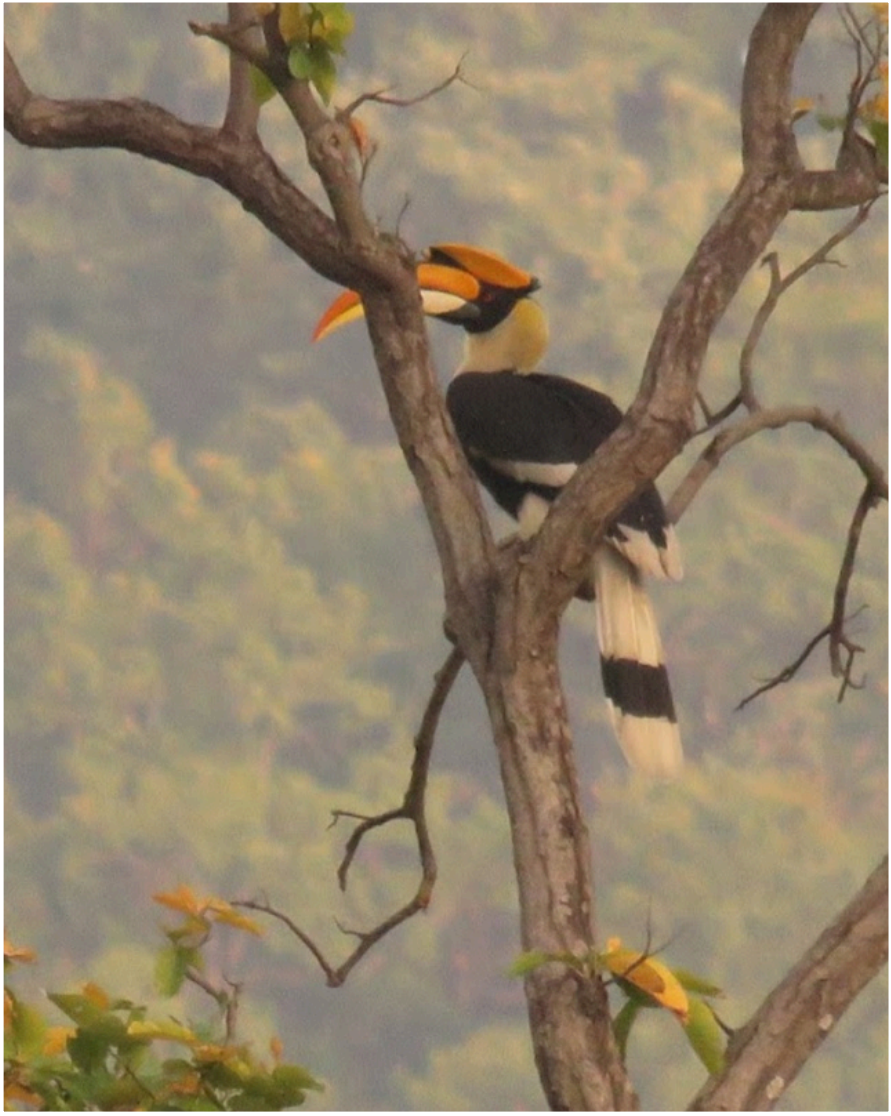
Day 6

Experience the synergy between forest, Himalayan villages, and birdlife. Let Sunbirds, Leafbirds, and Munias guide you to the glistening Baur River. Observe the birds in the water and splash like one as well... picnic lunch near a river pool.

Departure after Lunch

Picture Gallery









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Cost: Rs. 20000/- per person + Guide fee: Rs.4000/ day

(group size of 4 – 5)

+5% GST

Includes:

Facilitation of the programme as per itinerary

Accommodation in alpine tents /campsite/ Homestay

Vegetarian/ Non vegetarian meals

Entry fee

All meals during the program

Does not Include:

Personal expenses

Road Transport

Insurance of any kind

***Transfers can be arranged on request at actuals.**

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