

## KYRGYZSTAN (7 days - 6 nights)

### Day 1: Bishkek – Ala Archa – Bishkek

Your guide will pick you up at Manas International Airport and accompany you to the capital city of Kyrgyzstan, just a 30-minute drive from the airport. In the morning we will visit Ala Archa gorge. It is a Natural Park. At the Soviet Time only V.I.P. people had permission to go for a walk here. The Ala Archa gorge is on a spur of the Tien Shan mountain range. It is just 45 km from Bishkek. You can have a short hiking tour to see a panoramic view of the gorge. Afterwards we return to Bishkek. The second half of the day is dedicated to a guided tour of Bishkek. It includes visiting Pobeda Square (Victory Square), Duboviy Park (Oak Park), Central Ala-Too Square, Old Square, National Philharmonic, and many others places of interest. This overnight will be in a hotel.



### Day 2: Bishkek – Burana – Chon Kemin

Today you will be transferred to Chon Kemin gorge. On route to the gorge you will visit Burana Tower (an 11th century minaret) and an open air museum of Balbals (stone warriors). After an interesting excursion and climbing on the top of the tower is transfer to Chon Kemin gorge. In the afternoon we will have 3 hours of horse riding. Your route will go high in the mountains and you will even ride horses through a mountain forest. On the top you will see the panorama view of the gorge. The night will be in a guesthouse.



### Day 3: Chon Kemin – Issyk Kul lake northern shore – Karakol

Today you will drive to the celestial Issyk Kul Lake, the second largest alpine lake in the world (1608 m above sea level). The lake is called "the pearl of Central Asia". For more than 1 500 years local people considered the lake to be a sacred one. You can come up to the lake and to see mountains all around it. Today you will drive along the whole northern shore and arrive to Karakol town. Also we will visit today a place with ancient stone patterns – petroglyphs. In Karakol we will visit the Dungan mosque. It was built in Chinese style without using a single nail. It will be followed by the visit of an old wooden Orthodox Church. Night is in a guesthouse.



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### Day 4: Karakol – Jety Oguz – Issyk Kul southern shore – Kochkor

Today we will drive to Jety Oguz gorge. It's famous for its red rocks formations that have a name Seven Bulls – Jety Oguz. Also you will see there the Broken Heart Mountain. If you want it is possible to go on a top of a mountain (20 minutes) to see a panorama view of the gorge. Then we continue our trip, breaking in Bokonbaeva village, where we will meet a local eagle-hunter. He hunts hares and foxes with the help of eagles (a traditional way of nomadic hunting). Night is in a guesthouse.



### Day 5: Kochkor – Son Kul

In the morning we start our drive to the second largest lake in Kyrgyzstan – Son Kul Lake. This lake is surrounded by mountains and it is the highest alpine lake in Kyrgyzstan, situated at an altitude of 3013 meters above sea level. Kyrgyz nomads started to come to this wonderful area with their families for rest and relaxation. Herders of the Naryn region come to the lake to use it as a pastureland. After our arrival, you will be free to explore and enjoy the virgin nature of the lake and its surroundings. Overnight is in nomadic collapsible dwellings - yurts. They are made of a wooden skeleton, covered with felt coverings.





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### Day 6: Son Kul – 33 parrots Pass – Kochkor – Bishkek

After meeting with locals, we will drive to the capital of Kyrgyzstan – Bishkek city. The road to the city goes through 33 parrots pass (3 133 m). In Kochkor village you will spend some time with a family that will show you the way our national felt carpets are produced. Also you will visit a small handicraft museum there. They have many examples of silver decorations, coats made of wolves, horse saddle decorations, carpets and more. Afterwards you will be transferred to the capital of Kyrgyzstan – Bishkek city. Night is in a hotel.



### Day 7: Bishkek – Airport

In the morning is transfer to airport.





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### Transport:

02-03 pax – Toyota Sequoia

04-10 pax – Mercedes Sprinter



### 3\* hotels,

#### Price per person:

02 pax – 1 596 \$

04 pax – 924 \$

06 pax – 696 \$

08 pax – 588 \$

10 pax – 522 \$

Single – 135 \$

Early check-in – 45 \$

Single early check-in – 75 \$

### 4\* hotels,

#### Price per person:

02 pax – 1 608 \$

04 pax – 936 \$

06 pax – 708 \$

08 pax – 600 \$

10 pax – 534 \$

Single – 135 \$

Early check-in – 66 \$

Single early check-in – 110 \$

Half board – 110 \$

Full board – 220 \$

To be 2 people in 1 yurt (now 4 in 1) – 20 \$

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### **Service includes:**

- Transport
- Accommodation:
  - Bishkek – “Discovery” Hotel 3\* / “Plaza” Hotel 4\*
  - Chon Kemin – “Jekshen” Guesthouse
  - Karakol – “Green Yard” Boutique hotel
  - Kochkor – “Mira” Guesthouse
  - Son Kul – “Nomad’s Dream” yurt camp (4 pax in 1)
- English speaking guide
- Entrances to all museums
- Horse riding in Chon Kemin
- Mineral water during the tour

### **Service does not include:**

- Full board
- Single rooms
- Early check-in
- Travel insurance
- Visa and visa support

**Season:** 10 June – 20 September. If other dates – we can make a program without Son Kul.