

COUNTRY(S)  
RUSSIA - SIBERIA

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## 7D6N SUMMER IN BAIKAL

## TOUR HIGHLIGHTS



- Circum Baikal Railway
- Chersky Rock
- Nerpinarium
- Cape Burhan
- Khoboy Cape
- Golden Horde Park

### FIXED DEPARTURE DATES

23/06/2020 • 14/07/2020 • 04/08/2020

### ITINERARY

#### DAY 01 ARRIVAL IN IRKUTSK

Meal  
-/L/-

Meet and greet at the Irkutsk International Airport upon arrival. The tour begins with **Irkutsk City Tour**, sightseeing the centuries-old Siberian merchant center! This journey through centuries will take you to the remains of the fortress Irkutsk & Spasskaya Church; the house where Decembrists, Russian noble rebels lived in exile, a beautiful gingerbread-like 19th-century building of the History Museum and further, to the memorial grave of Alexander Kolchak, the legendary general of the Russian Civil War. Overnight in Irkutsk.

*Recommended Flight : MH 788 KUL/BKK 1215-1325 ; S7 6332 BKK/IKT 1635-2355*

#### DAY 02 IRKUTSK > CIRCUM BAIKAL RAILWAY > LISTVYANKA

Meal  
B/L/D

After breakfast, enjoy a full day tour along the **Circum-Baikal Railway** which is known as one of the world's most beautiful and sophisticated railroad. You will see century-old stations, bridges, tunnels, magnificent stone galleries & the stunning views of Baikal from its southeastern shore! Evening, transfer to Listvyanka. Overnight in Listvyanka.

#### DAY 03 LISTVYANKA

Meal  
B/L/-

Morning, visit to **Baikal Museum** to discover diversity of the Lake Baikal's flora and fauna species. Then, take a cable car up to **Chersky Rock**, located on the height of 728 meters above the sea level & enjoy a beautiful view of Lake Baikal, Listvyanka, the source of Angara River, Hamar-Daban, the legendary Shamanka Stone and even the train, passing through the old railway. Noon, visit to **Nerpinarium** & get fascinated by Baikal Nerpa Seal's ability to play football, jump, count, play with the rings and sing. Before dinner, proceed for a **Listvyanka City Tour**, one of the busiest tourist spots in the whole Siberia. Overnight in Listvyanka.

#### DAY 04 LISTVYANKA > OLKHON ISLAND

Meal  
B/-/D

The tour continues with visit to **Taltsy Museum**, a unique wooden architecture & open air museum by both Russians and Siberian native tribes. Proceed to **Olkhon Island** (The Tourist Base) for check in. Free time for lunch. Then, take a walking tour to **Cape Burhan** to sightsee the main attraction of the island, the place of shamanic power: Shaman-Rock, one of the nine holy shrines of Asia. Overnight in Olkhon Island.



**DAY 05 | OLKHON ISLAND**

**Meal  
B/L/D**

Spend a full day exploring Olkhon, pay a visit to **Khoboy Cape**, one of the most powerful places of the island. According to a Buryat legend, gods presented the first shaman with a gift of spiritual power at Khoboy. Since then, it's been a tradition for shamans to conduct their mysterious rituals here. Overnight in Olkhon Island.



**DAY 06 | OLKHON ISLAND > IRKUTSK**

**Meal  
B/-/-**

Morning, check out from hotel & tour to the **Golden Horde Park** which preserves the Buryat ethnic group's way of life. You will enjoy a spectacular folk show with dancing, singing, contests and games. A real shaman will help you develop a spiritual connection with Siberian nature. Noon, return to Irkutsk City (5 hrs journey). Overnight in Irkutsk.



**DAY 07 | IRKUTSK > DEPARTURE**

**Meal  
B/-/-**

After breakfast, free & easy at own leisure time before transfer to airport for flight departure. End of service.

*Recommended Flight : S7 6331 IKT/BKK 1010-1530 ; MH 775 BKK/KUL 1840-2200*

**INCLUSION**

- 6 Nights hotel accommodation
- Return airport transfer
- Half board meals as per itinerary (6B,4L,3D)
- English speaking Guide
- Sit-In-Coach (SIC) Tour
- Sightseeing, entrance fees, activities & transport services as per itinerary
- Travel Insurance
- Russia Visa

**EXCLUSION**

- International air ticket
- Beverages not included during meals
- Additional/ Special meals
- Personal expenses
- Other charges in the hotel for additional services
- Tipping for Driver and Guide

**REMARKS**

- Each booking is valid 45 days before the departure date. Last departure booking valid until **15 JUN 2020**.
- Minimum 2 to go.
- Tour itinerary sequence may be different, subject to any necessary changes in accordance to local requirements.
- Price quoted is subject to change without prior notice.
- GATS terms & conditions apply.