

Autumn Trail ⁱⁿ _{the} **HINDUKUSH**

15-22 OCTOBER | PAKISTAN



Explore Pakistan Like Never Before

**Ride across spectacular landscapes,
imposing mountains, fierce rivers &
wonderfully charming remote villages**

Join if you're interested in:

- **Exploring like a local**
- **Spending three thrilling & unique riding days atop a polo pony**
- **Soaking in the culture & beauty of the Hindukush Mountains**
- **Stargazing like never before, 100s of km away from city lights**
- **Playing a match of freestyle polo!**
- **Meals served around a campfire**

Your Unforgettable Horse Safari

- Rustic luxury with every attention-to-detail taken care of for you
- Hosts include former Pakistan Polo Team captain & Chitrali princess
- Menus curated by a celebrity chef
- Sunset happy hours
- Massage therapist travels along



Arrive to Islamabad

DAY 1

- A member of our team will meet you at the airport
- Overnight at 108 Hotel



Travel to Chitral

DAY 2

- Breakfast at hotel
- Early morning departure in SUVs, lunch & sightseeing enroute (9 hour drive)
- 5pm arrive to Hindukush Heights Hotel
- Welcome drinks by the pool, dinner



Travel to Mastuj

DAY 3

- Breakfast
- Scenic trip along Mastuj River (4h drive)
- Lunch of local Chitrali cuisine midway under apricot and mulberry trees
- Check-in to wooden cabin at Mastuj Fort
- Relax & enjoy tea around the orchard
- Bonfire, Chitrali 'Shtuk' (join in dancing!)
- Happy hour & dinner in the orchard





Ride to Booni Camp

DAY 4 | **5-6 hours in the saddle**

- Breakfast
- Meet & choose your equine companion for the next 3 days
- Ride to lunch, en route at a local home
- Settle into your room at a hotel at Booni
- Happy hour around a campfire
- Dinner at the Hotel



Ride to Nogram Camp

DAY 5 | **5-6 hours in the saddle**

- Ride through picturesque valleys
- Visit quaint mountain villages, meet friends & riders in local communities
- Gallop through Qāqlasht, an expansive 13km mountain-top plateau with 360° views of snow-capped mountains
- Picnic lunch served atop Qāqlasht
- Arrive to your new glampsite
- Enjoy conversation, happy hour & dinner







Last Ride of the Trip

DAY 6 | **5-6 hours in the saddle**

- Ride towards Lone
- Lunch will be enroute
- Watch freestyle polo (join in if you wish!)
- Return your horse, drive to Chitral
- Check back in to Hindukush Heights
- Happy hour & dinner at the hotel

Rest Day to Feed Your Soul

DAY 7

- Morning hike for the early risers
- Relax & read around the property
- Visit the river to view a markhor herd grazing at the Tushi Game Reserve
- Breakfast, lunch, farewell happy hour & dinner at the hotel







Return to Islamabad

DAY 8

- Breakfast
- 10am depart for Islamabad airport
- Lunch enroute
- 7pm arrival at Islamabad airport

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YOUR TRIP

Details



Your Hosts

◆ Zainab Ulmulk

Co-founder, horse safari pioneer in Pakistan,
Princess of the Royal Family of Chitral

◆ Shah Qubilai Alam

Co-founder of Hindukush Holidays, former
Pakistan National Polo Team captain

◆ Shah Changez “Chang” Alam

Polo player, studied hotel management &
tourism at prestigious Les Roches Marbella



Your 8-Day Adventure

HERE'S WHAT'S INCLUDED

- Horse
- Expert guide
- Breakfast + all meals & happy hours mentioned in itinerary
- Neck, shoulder & foot massages on tap
- Accommodations
- Transportation during trip in SUVs
- Personal pickup & drop-off to airport



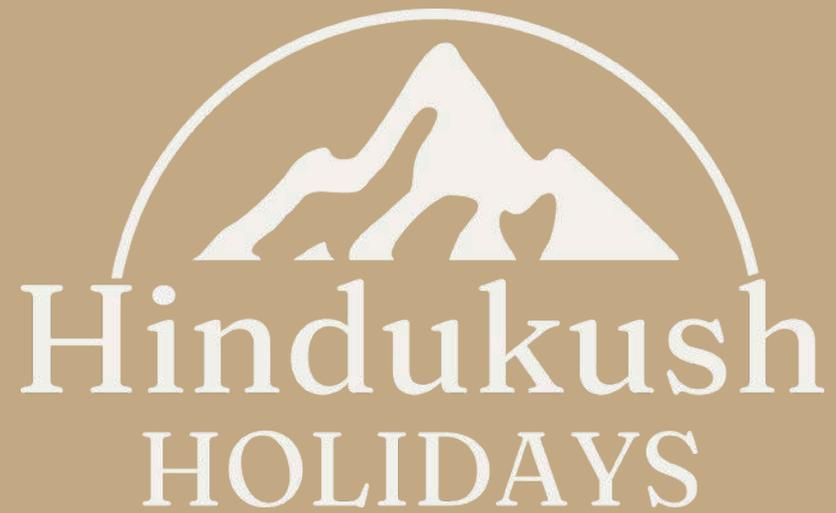
A Few Details

- Horses are polo ponies, hired from local players who reside and play in the same mountains where you'll ride
- Maximum 8 riders
- Minimum age to join is 14
- Weight limit for the polo ponies is 90kg (198lbs)
- Non-riders may join (ask for price)

What's Not Included

- Mandatory travel insurance
- Full body massage treatments (recommend pre-booking)
- Extra snacks & drinks
- Laundry service (available only in Chitral)
- Gratuities (optional but appreciated)





We curate bespoke group tours,
adventure holidays, pony treks,
yoga retreats and visits to local
festivals in the Hindukush region
of Northern Pakistan.

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