



Introduction

Greetings from Cox & Kings India! We hope that the following will provide some inspiration when planning future events in India. We are delighted to work with destinations Unlimited as their preferred DMC for the Indian Subcontinent and look forward to hearing from you.

Maharaja Welcome in Jaipur

UPON ARRIVAL AT THE HOTEL

Feel like a king as you are accorded with a Maharaja Welcome - the welcome given to a victorious Rajput warrior returning from battle. Marvel at the richly caparisoned elephants and camels, colourful maidens shower the path with rose petals and beautiful ladies perform the traditional Indian welcome with garlands and colourful 'rangoli' (floral designs made with coloured rice) on the floor. Relax with a welcome drink as the music of 'shehnai' plays in the background.

Elephant Polo in Jaipur

DURATION - 01 HOUR

In the land of Maharajas & Princes, Palaces & Forts, the game of Elephant Polo was one of the ultimate Royal experiences. As in yesteryears, the arrival of the guests is accompanied by the Royal Military Bass band and the beating of 'Nagadas' [huge Indian drums]. Horses and camels add to the royal welcome, before the start of the game. You will have the option to watch or alternatively participate in an exhibition game of Elephant Polo. Guests are divided into two teams of three each. To add to the ambience, the players wear distinctively coloured turbans that identify the teams. Each 'chukkar' [round] lasts for approximately 10 to 15 minutes.

Tug-of-War with an Elephant - It is called the gentle beast but has no match in terms of strength! Are you ready to go up against an Elephant in a tug-of-war? Elephants are extremely stubborn when it comes to push and pull and also very fond of competition. There is 20 of you and 01 only Elephant - unfair you say? Test your mettle and enjoy this exhilarating event.

Maharajas' Express

A TRAIN LIKE NO OTHER EXPERIENCE LIKE NO OTHER

India conjures myriad images of an imperial past: stately Maharajas clad in gold and silk brocade, stunning architecture, colourful culture and feverish festive spirit. Imagine a train that literally redefines luxury on rails. A train that takes you back in time, while transporting you to the farthest corners of a magical land. Step into the Maharajas' Express and you're sure to enjoy each and every moment of your journey - whether you are onboard the train or off it. Each journey aboard the Maharajas' Express will reveal to you the lifestyles led by Maharajas.

The extensive itineraries let you explore every land a Maharaja has either braced or ruled himself. And you won't be treated any lesser than a Maharaja yourself. To give you a glimpse of how rich these itineraries are, how does a game of Polo on elephant back sound? Or a scrumptious breakfast with champagne on the gardens overlooking the Taj Mahal? So, get ready to take in the brilliance of India by embarking on luxurious voyage.



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