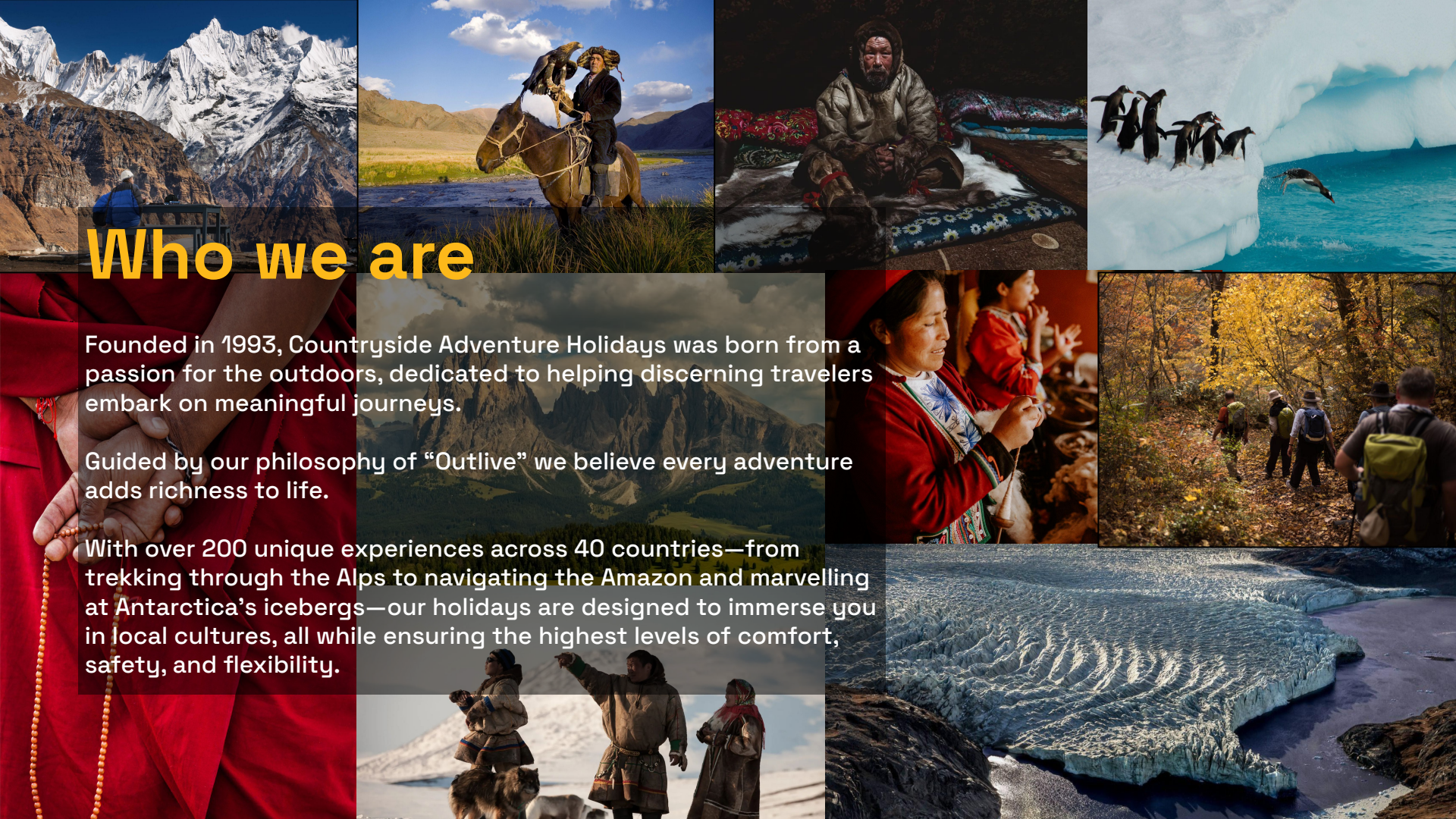


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Mongolian Antiquity

Road Journey /Asia
30 August-10 September 2026



Who we are

Founded in 1993, Countryside Adventure Holidays was born from a passion for the outdoors, dedicated to helping discerning travelers embark on meaningful journeys.

Guided by our philosophy of “Outlive” we believe every adventure adds richness to life.

With over 200 unique experiences across 40 countries—from trekking through the Alps to navigating the Amazon and marvelling at Antarctica’s icebergs—our holidays are designed to immerse you in local cultures, all while ensuring the highest levels of comfort, safety, and flexibility.

About

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Mongolia is famous for being the homeland of Genghis Khan, his mighty Mongol Empire and nomadic people whose lives are not changed in many ways from the days of the Mongolian Empire. Embark on a captivating journey through Mongolia, where you'll have a chance to connect with authentic nomadic families and explore the mesmerizing Gobi Desert.

Enjoy traditional folklore concerts, nomadic shows, and visits to historic sites like Karakorum city ruins, Erdenezuu Monastery and Zayiin Gegeen Monastery. Marvel at the Flaming Cliffs, encounter Przewalski horses, and indulge in unique lodges.

Experience the best of Mongolia's culture, nature, and heritage on this unforgettable adventure.

Join us on this extraordinary adventure through Mongolia, where you'll discover the beauty of its landscapes, the warmth of its people, and the richness of its cultural heritage. Get ready for an immersive journey that will leave you with memories to treasure for a lifetime.

Brief Itinerary

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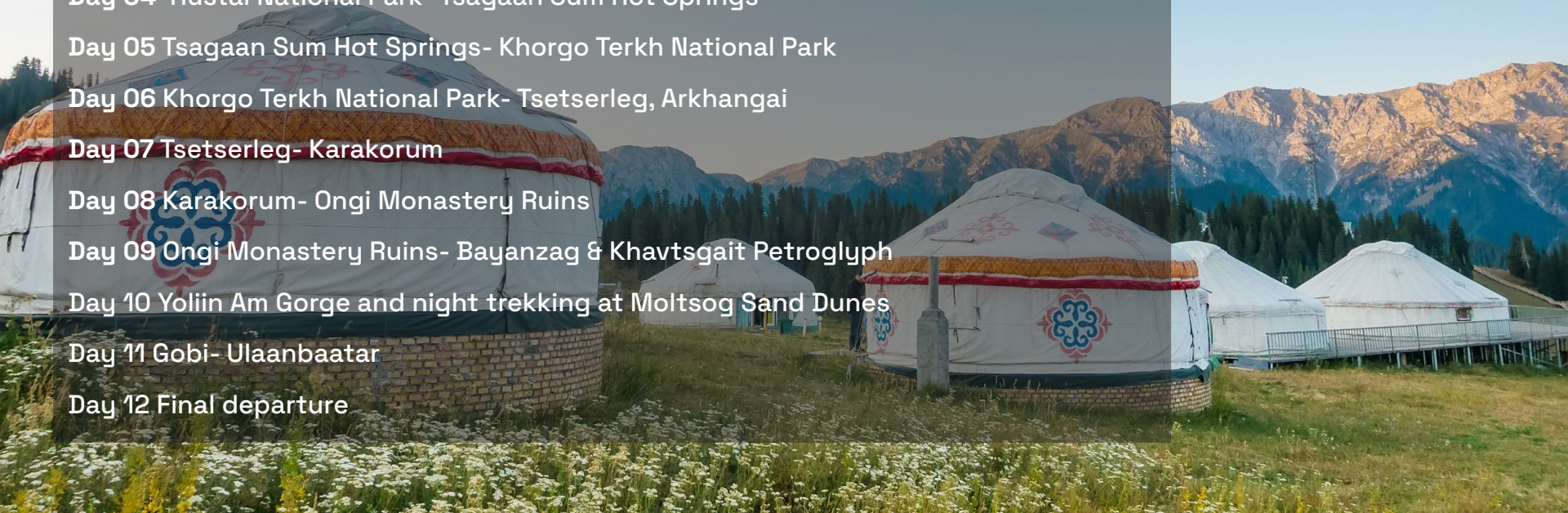
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Day 11 Gobi- Ulaanbaatar

Day 12 Final departure



Trip Overview

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- Conquer the Gobi Desert's endless sands and the boundless Steppe, where raw, untamed landscapes dare you to explore their secrets under vast, unforgiving skies.
- Unearth the past at Khavtsgait Petroglyphs, a Bronze Age gallery etched by ancient hands, and stand in awe at the Flaming Cliffs, where dinosaur fossils whisper of a prehistoric world. Witness the Przewalski's horses, the last wild spirits galloping free in their ancestral domain.
- Embark on a heart-pounding night trek across the Moltsoog Sand Dunes, where the starry Mongolian sky ignites your sense of wonder and the desert's silence challenges your courage.
- Walk the sacred ruins of Karakorum, the lost capital of Genghis Khan's empire, and step into the hallowed Erdene Zuu Monastery, where history's pulse still beats in ancient stones.

Stay in 4 star hotels and Ger Camps.

10 Breakfasts, 09 Lunches and 09 dinner Incl

Starting: USD 3900
Single Supp: On request
Min. group size - 10 pax

**Pricing is based on 1 USD = INR 91.50 and is subject to change. Exchange rate on day of booking will be applicable*

Detailed Itinerary

Day 01 Arrival in Ulaanbaatar

Arrive in Ulaanbaatar Mongolia meet your local team at the airport and transfer to the hotel for check in. The rest of the day is free on your own for independent exploration or simply rest at your hotel.

Day 02 City sightseeing Ulaanbaatar

The city tour of Ulaanbaatar takes you to some of the principal sites of this city of Ulaanbaatar. You will visit the National History Museum, Chinggis Square (main square) and Gandan Monastery. Lunch at the local restaurant. In the afternoon, we will have an excursion to the Giant Genghis Statue complex located in Tsonjin Boldog. Return to Ulaanbaatar in the evening, free time for dinner.

Day 03 Ulaanbaatar- Mongol Nomadic Show- Hustai National Park

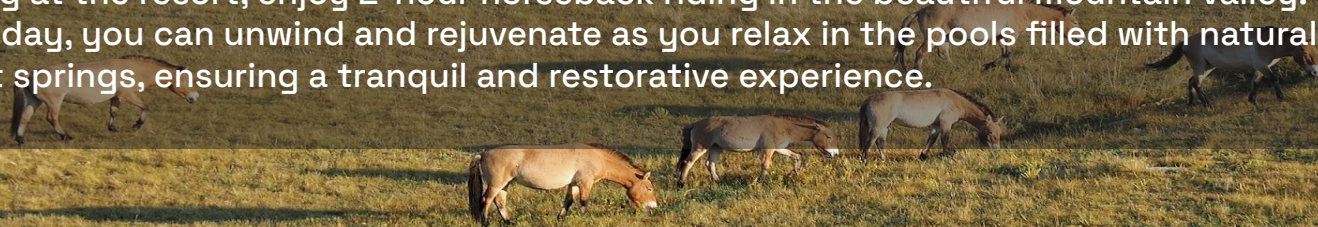
After breakfast, we will head to the Mongol Nomadic Camp for a captivating 'nomadic show' that highlights the customs of traditional Mongolian nomads, including their seasonal moves, milking livestock, and dairy product production.

After the show, we'll have lunch at the GER camp and start our journey towards Hustai National Park, a sanctuary for the endangered Takhi wild horses. Upon reaching Hustai camp, check in at our traditional Mongolian gers.

Next, our exploration begins at the information center and conference room, where we will watch a brief introductory documentary about Hustai National Park. Following this informative session, we will embark on an excursion into the park itself, providing us with the opportunity to observe the last wild horse species, the Przewalski horse, also known as the Takhi, as they roam freely in their natural habitat.

Day 04 Hustai National Park- Tsagaan Sum Hot Springs

Today's journey spans through scenic steppes of Central Mongolia with a photo stop by Elsen Tasarkhai dunes, 2 separate dunes namely Tarna and Ikh Mongol nestled along picturesque Khugnu Khaan Mountain. We will break our journey at GER Complex, a roadside restaurant. Next, continue for 2 hours until we arrive at our resort nestled by the soothing hot springs. After settling at the resort, enjoy 2-hour horseback riding in the beautiful mountain valley. Later in the day, you can unwind and rejuvenate as you relax in the pools filled with natural curative hot springs, ensuring a tranquil and restorative experience.



Day 5 Tsagaan Sum Hot Springs- Khorgo Terkh National Park

Today's journey leads you into the volcanic landscape surrounding Lake Terkhiin Tsagaan, often referred to as the 'Great White Lake.' This tranquil lake rests serenely amidst towering hills, its waters exceptionally clear and bordered by expansive sandy beaches. The road meanders along the lake's shore, passing by shamanic stacks of black lava before veering briefly inland toward the Khorgo Volcano. Khorgo, reaching an elevation of around 10,000 feet, is now dormant but continues to hold deep significance for the local nomadic communities. A brief hike takes you to the crater's rim, where you'll encounter red-stained rock walls descending into a profound chasm encircled by sacred Ovoo mounds. As you gaze back towards Lake Terkhiin Tsagaan, a stunning vista unfolds through a small hill pass, offering a splendid view of the lake and its surroundings.

Day 6 Khorgo Terkh National Park- Tsetserleg, Arkhangai

Our day begins with the checkout from our camp as we set out for Tsetserleg town. Along the way, we'll pause for a lunch break by the picturesque Tamir River valley, indulging in a delightful meal at the ger camp. We visit to the historic Taikhar rock, adorned with over 150 inscriptions in various languages, including Turkic, Uyghur, Mongolian, Tibetan, Manchu, and Chinese. You'll even have the opportunity to try yak riding in this scenic area. Afterwards, we continue our journey to the center of Arkhangai province, Tsetserleg town. This settlement has more than 300 years history since Zayiin Gegeen Monastery was first established in 1680. Upon arrival in Tsetserleg, check in at our hotel. Next, we visit Zayiin Gegeen Monastery currently serving as an Arkhangai Museum. Afterwards, we will visit the town Bazaar, where residents in town and nomads come and get their supplies. Dinner at the local restaurant.



Day 7 Tsetserleg- Karakorum

Following a hearty breakfast, we set out on a journey to the ancient capital of Karakorum, nestled within the historically significant Orkhon Valley, designated as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. En route, we'll make a stop at a nomadic family's dwelling, affording you the chance to connect with the locals and gain insight into their unique way of life. As the day progresses, we'll arrive in Karakorum and check in at our camp. In Karakorum, we'll delve into the rich history of the region with a visit to the Erdenezuu Monastery, the first Buddhist Monastery in the central Mongolia that was founded in 16th century and Museum of Karakorum, providing a comprehensive introduction to Central Mongolia and its storied past. Our overnight accommodations await at a comfortable ger camp, ensuring a restful night's stay.



Day 8 Karakorum- Ongi Monastery Ruins

This morning, our journey leads us through the vast Gobi steppes as we head north towards the Ongi Monastery ruins, situated by the Ongi River. These remarkable ruins have a rich history dating back to the 18th century, and we'll have the opportunity to explore them. Upon arrival in the afternoon, we'll transfer to a cozy ger camp where you'll be treated to full-board accommodation. Additionally, for those interested, there's the option to enjoy a relaxing sauna at the ger camp, with the facility accommodating up to 4 people at the same time. A comfortable and memorable overnight stay at the ger camp awaits.



Day 9 Ongi Monastery Ruins- Bayanzag & Khavtsgait Petroglyph

Today, we will travel further south towards Gobi Desert through Ongi steppe. Our next stop is the world- famous dinosaur site namely Flaming Cliffs, where the first ever dinosaur eggs were discovered back in 1920s. Upon arrival, we'll visit the information center, which features informative exhibits and a brief documentary to enhance your understanding of the area. Then, immerse yourself in the wilderness and explore the unique natural formations as you hike along a designated trail. Lunch at nearby ger camp restaurant. Our afternoon journey takes us to the Khavtsgait Petroglyph, nestled within the Dund Saikhan Mountain. Here, we embark on a trek to the mountain, where a captivating natural gallery of rock paintings from the Bronze Age awaits. As the day draws to a close, we will return to our camp in the evening, where a delicious dinner awaits.

Day 10 Yoliin Am Gorge and night trekking at Moltsog Sand Dunes

After breakfast, we travel on a road through the stunning Gobi Gurvan Saikhan, the easternmost end of the Altai Mountains. Here, we'll relish the opportunity for a hiking adventure in the breathtaking Yoliin Am Gorge (5kms/2hrs), situated within the Gurvan Saikhan National Park. If luck is on our side, we may even have the chance to spot some local wildlife. Our exploration will also take us to the local natural museum in the area before we return to our lodge. Lunch back at the lodge and free afternoon for independent activities. After dinner, we will travel to Moltsog sand dunes and enjoy 1 hour trekking on and around dunes under the starry sky.



Day 11 Gobi- Ulaanbaatar

Today, you will be transferred to Gobi airport and catch a flight to Ulaanbaatar. Transfer from Chinggis Khaan airport to hotel in downtown upon arrival. After hotel check in and refresh, you will have some time for an optional souvenir and cashmere shopping in the afternoon. Enjoy traditional folklore concert by the magical Tumen Ekh ensemble in the evening. Farewell dinner. Overnight at the hotel – 4* Hotel.

Day 12 Departure from Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia

Check out from the hotel and transfer to the airport.



Inclusions

✓ Accommodation & Food:

04 nights on Twin/double sharing at 4-star hotel in Ulaanbaatar and Tsetserleg.

05 nights on Twin/double sharing at good tourist camps with en-suite ger

02 nights on Twin/double share at good tourist camps with standard ger (shared bathroom)

0.5 L x 3 bottled water per day.

11 Breakfasts, 10 Lunches & 10 Dinners

✓ Travel:

Private transfers (County bus+ Experienced driver in the city area) 6 tourists in a van

Airport transfers

Ulaanbaatar to Gobi flight + Tax (10kg luggage+5kg carry on free)

✓ Sightseeing:

Nomadic show at Mongol Nomadic camp

02-hour Horse riding fee in Tsagaan Sum Hot Springs

✓ Others:

01 English speaking Local guide to accompany on trip.

01 Countryside tour leader, Mumbai to Mumbai.

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Exclusions

- ✗ GST & TCS as applicable
- ✗ International flights to & from Mongolia
- ✗ Passport and visa fees
- ✗ Vehicle is not at disposal
- ✗ Tips to hotel staff, drivers, guides
- ✗ Emergency Helicopter Charter for Evacuation
- ✗ Any expenses of personal nature such as additional mineral water, laundry, liquor, soft drinks, private transfers etc
- ✗ Any kind of insurance, such as travel, accident, theft, medical, evacuation, etc.
- ✗ Any extra costs incurred due to extension/change of the itinerary, because of natural calamities, flight delays, roadblocks, vehicle breakdown, etc. factors beyond the control of "Countryside Adventure Holidays Pvt. Ltd." and its associates.
- ✗ Items not specified in the above in "Cost Includes"

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