





## Pindari & Kafni Glacier Trek

Location Kumaon Himalaya, Uttarakhand

Area Bageshwar Grade of trek Moderate

**Co-ordinates** 30°14'57"N 80°4'21"E

Max. Altitude 3900 m

Season mid May - September

Duration 10 days



The most easily accessible glacier in the Kumaon region, the Pindari Glacier has a beauty of its own. Situated between the snow-capped Nanda Devi and Nanda Kot Mountains, Pindari is a big and steep glacier measuring 3km in length and 0.25km in breadth. River Pindar originates from this Glacier and flows down to confluence into the river Alaknanda. The trekking route to the glacier traverses along the southern wilderness of the Nanda Devi Sanctuary offering some beautiful views of peaks like Panwali Dwar (6683m) and Maiktoli (6803m). A trek to the Pindari Glacier is a "soft adventure" experience and well within the capacity of any trekker who is amply rewarded by the magnificence and grandeur of the towering Himalayas.

## Trek Itinerary

Day 00: Overnight train from Delhi to Kathgodam

Day 01: KATHGODAM - travel to SONG-LOHARKHET (1750 m),6-7 hrs. Our jeep is ready to take us further deep into mountains. Overnight at Rest house.

Day 2: LOHARKHET - DHAKURI (2680 M) 11kms

It is an 11 km trek today that takes you down into the depths of the valley and then a fair climb to Dhakuri. Overnight is tents.

Day 3: DHAKURI - KHATI (2210 M) 8 kms

Trek to Khati, the largest village on this route and is on the banks of the Pindar Ganga. Overnight in Tents / Village huts.

Day 4: KHATI - DWALI (2575 M) 11kms (5-6hrs)

The trek with the roar of the Pindar Ganga not too far off. Waterfalls and

log bridges to be crossed. Overnight in tents.

Day 5: DWALI - PHURKIA (3206 M) 5kms

Trek takes you to Phurkia. The barren icy peaks seem to be your only companions for the day. Overnight in tent.

Day 6: PHURKIA - PINDARI GLACIER (3900 M)-7kms

Touch zero point from where the Pindari glacier can be viewed in all its magnificence. Return to Phurkia.

Day 7: PURKHIA - DWALI

It's time to go back and the 5 km trek will take about 3 hrs. Overnight in tents .

Day 8: DWALI - KHATI

Today's 11 km trek will take 4-5 hrs. Exploring Khati is a good idea as it has some beautiful sights to offer. Overnight in tents..

Day 9: KHATI - DHAKURI

The trips coming to an end. 8 km of trek (3-4 hrs).

Day 10: DHAKURI - LOHARKHET- SONG

Trek all the way to Song today 13 km, The trek has come to an end.

Day 11: SONG to Kathgodam - TRAVEL BY JEEP.

We reach early morning at DELHI.



## **Program Highlights**

Camp & Jungle craft
Navigation skills
Expedition planning
Team building
Eco-sensitivity
Community Service
Mountain Eco-System