



# SAPUTARA

## Turbo Trekkerz

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## ABOUT THE TREKKING



- Saputara hills are situated in the district of Dang. It is a part of the Sahyadri Range of mountains and the highest point is on the altitude of 1081 M from mean sea level.
- This unique Hiking is being organised by Turbo Trekkerz OUR SITE & is not a tour but an adventure and nature education Hike, hence the activities like Trekking, Rock Climbing, Rappelling and River Crossing are compulsory here.
- Accommodation are preferred in the tents at nearby Hiking grounds and the training is given under a strict atmosphere and discipline is must here. In addition of these activities, bird watching, sky observation, direction and route finding are also undertaken for basic information of the participants. So moreover, this Hiking Saputara trekking & Adventure Hike 3 includes adventure activities, site seeing & adventurous stay at Saputara and nearby places.

## ABOUT SAPUTARA HILL STATION



- One of the few hill stations in Gujarat, Saputara is situated in the heart of Dangs district. Perched on the second highest plateau of the Sahyadri range, it literally means the 'abode of serpents'. The hill station also houses one of the longest ropeways in India, known as the “Pushpak Ropeway”.
- Saputara is a hill station located in the Dangs, the least developed of Gujarat’s districts. Overlooking a lush green valley, this unpretentious destination is a good place to unwind, go trekking or take leisurely hill walks. Blessed with exhilarating natural beauty, the town has verdant forests, gorgeous waterfalls and a plethora of lush gardens. It has a special mythological significance, for it was one of the abodes of Lord Rama during his 14-year exile in the thick forests of this hill station. The hamlet has a unique deity of a serpent on the banks of the River Sarpaganga is worshipped by the locals and is a splendid site.



- Saputara is popular for the several gardens present here. Rose Garden, as the name suggests, is a spectacular garden with many variety of Roses. Step Garden is a garden set up in steps. On the steps are laid beautiful plants and flower pots. Another garden is Lake Garden on the banks of Saputara Lake, which is an excellent picnic spot. All these gardens make Saputara a beautiful place.
- One another attractive place in Saputara, step garden has the unique feature of a garden set up in steps. Well laid out steps are adorned with beautiful plants, flower pots and in the midst of nice woods. There is a forest hut for the comfortable stay of the visitors, placed amidst the garden. The Garden is well maintained and offer many varieties of flowers and plants. Garden has open space for children to roam around. This is a nice place to spend the evenings away from town bustle and hustle.
- The hill resort of Saputara promises to refresh the tourists throughout the year with its cool weather. Saputara does not experience any extreme temperature variations and is an ideal getaway for the sun-scorched souls of the plains. The monsoon rains add to the magic of Saputara. Thus trip to the Saputara hills any time of the year. The best time is Monsoon & from middle of March to middle of November.





- After the very first rain of the season, the whole area comes out with full of greenery, waterfalls and other natural beauty. The city has been developed as a Hill Station by the government and is a hot favourite place of tourists all the way coming from Gujarat, Nashik and Bombay. The place is also famous for its rich tribal heritage and festivals. Many museums are here showing culture of the Dangs, the local tribe.
- Hatgad Fort is a historical monumental fort located just 5 km away from Saputara lake in Maharashtra state border. The fort holds a great significance to history of Maratha king Shivaji and is very popular among tourist visiting Saputara for trekking. The area around this fort has also become popular for various hotels and resorts developed here.

## ABOUT GIRA WATERFALLS



- Located approximately 3 km from Waghai, Gira waterfalls make for a breathtakingly picturesque view. These falls can only be witnessed after rains (around monsoon). Since, these falls are open for public, you can very well traverse by jeeps. The 30 m natural drop in the river Ambica river makes for an amazing videography.



## TREKKING IN SAPUTARA



- Turbo Trekkerz has set some very exciting trekking routes near to Saputara. The morning trek to Sunrise Point and Governor's Hill trek are the selected one's. The area is rich with diversified flora and gives spectacular views to trekkers.
- These trekking routes are very easy and good kick-start for beginners. As the motive of the OUR SITE is to project youth in proper adventure, the climb is planned in such a way, where the learning can take place with the feeling breeze blowing from the Western Ghats.

## SCHEDULE/ITINERARY

- ❖ The participants are requested to reach L D College of Engineering Hostel Canteen by 10:00 PM in late night, the Hike will depart on the previous night of the Hikedate.

Day 1: Arrival & Sightseeing	
06:00 AM	Arrival at Gira Waterfall
08:00 AM	Breakfast & Departure for Saputara
11:30 AM	Arrival at Saputara Hikesite
12:00 PM	Briefing and Tent Allotment
01:00 Pm	Lunch
02:30 PM	Sightseeing: Rose Garden, Step Garden & Sunset Point
08:00 PM	Dinner & Hikefire

The night halt and accommodation are set as per the weather conditions.



## Day 2: Trekking & Adventure Activities

06:00 AM	Trek to Sunrise Point
08:00 AM	Breakfast & Departure for Rock Climbing, Rappelling
12:30 PM	Lunch
02:30 PM	River Crossing, Team Games
08:30 PM	Dinner & Hikefire

The night halt and accommodation are set as per the weather conditions.

## Day 3: Departure for Ahmedabad

12:00 PM	Free time in Morning & Departure for Ahmedabad
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## PARTICIPATION FEES

### The fees structure :-

Type	Fees	Days/Nights	Age Group
Ahemadabad to Ahemadabad	Rs. 4999/-	3 Days 2 Nights	From age 12 to 40

### **fees includes The :**

- Simple Food (Gujarati, Jain & Swaminarayan food available).
- Accommodation (adventure accommodation in tents/hall).
- Activities: Trekking, Adventure Activities, Team games, Hikefire and others.
- Volunteers/Instructors, First Aid support.
- Travel, as per the above table, Forest entry fees.

### **Cancellation :**

On receipt of an application for cancellation, cancellation will be granted by the Travel Manager. The cancellation charges will be as under on the total Hike fees.

Cancellation Duration	Refund Amount
More than 35 days	90%
Between 21 to 30 days	60%
Between 11 to 20 days	30%
Between 0 to 10 days	10%

**\* All the facilities and services mentioned above are clearly subject to weather conditions and all other unforeseen situations/factors. No person/OUR SITE will be responsible for any loss of the luggage or valuables carried by the trekker.**

## HOW TO REGISTER?

**Visit website for the updated list of Hikes.**

One can apply by both the online and offline modes.

**Apply Online:** Please visit <http://www.turbotrekkerz.com/> for online application.

**Apply Offline:** Visit the office and register yourself.

For more information and registration, call on 7600246542 or write to [info@turbotrekkerz.com](mailto:info@turbotrekkerz.com)



## HOW TO ORGANIZE A SPECIAL TOUR?

Special Hikes can be organized by sending a request application on the mail ID [info@turbotrekkerz.com](mailto:info@turbotrekkerz.com). More details Contact on 8487868595. The fees structure would be same for the group of the fixed strength. Minimum of 24 participants are needed to organize a special Hike.

## THINGS TO BE CARRIED

Participants are advised to carry the below mentioned things along with them personally. The OUR SITE will not be responsible to provide if not carried.

1. Bedding Material (Sleeping Bag/Blanket/Chattai)
2. 2 pair Full sleeves shirts/T-Shirts, full pants/treks/ trousers (Half pants/Shorts are not allowed on treks/activities)
3. Woolen sweater, Woolen cap, Raincoat/Umbrella (as per season)
4. Sports Shoes with a good rubber sole & Socks, sleepers
5. Cap, Sun glasses
6. Torch, Candles, Match Box
7. 2 Water Bottles
8. Plastic Carry bags & Sanitary Materials
9. Mug / Glass and Spoon

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