<u>06 Night/07 Days – Pune – Lonavala – Mahabaleshwar - pune</u>

Day 01 Arrival - Pune

Overnight at Pune

Meet and greet on arrival and transferred into the hotel. Pune gets its name from Punya Nagari or the city of virtuous deeds. Rest of the day at leisure. Overnight stay at hotel.

Day 02 Pune

Overnight Pune

After breakfast and proceed to visit Kasturba Gandhi Smriti Mandir- Aga khan palace, shree Dagduseth ganpati Temple, Saras Bagh, Raja kelkar Museum, University of Film & Television Institute. Over night at Hotel.

Day 03 Pune – Mahabaleshwar (130 kms – 3 hrs drive)

Overnight Mahabaleshwar

After breakfast check out hotel and proceed to Mahabaleshwar (130 kms/3 hrs) check in to the hotel. Thereafter you can go for half day tour includes a tour to Mahabaleshwar temple. The temple in its present state, is surrounded by 5 feet high stone wall. The main temple has two apartments, the inner room, which is the God chamber and the outer room which is the central hall. The temple is dedicating to Lord Shiva and enshrines a lingam. The Mahabaleshwar is named after the presiding deity of this temple, Lord Mahabali, which is also why it is considered a major landmark of Mahabaleshwar.

Day 04 Mahabaleshwar – Panchgani

Overnight Mahabaleshwar

After breakfast and proceed to panchgani day trip, cascading waterfalls, such as the Lingmala waterfall (6km), Dhobi waterfall (3km) and Chinamans waterfall (2.5km). There is also the Venna Lake, which is 2.5 km long and has boating facilities. Close to the lake are strawberry stalls and people can even go for little horse riding. Wilson point is the highest point of Mahabaleshwar and has three observation towers, which offer a splendid view especially of the sunrise. Tourist also loves to visit the Elphinstone Point, Babington Point, Kates Point and Arthurs Point. Later we drive to Panchgani, is situated 19km away from Mahabaleshwar. At panchgani, you can visit the various viewpoints such as the, the Sidney point, Parsi point and the Graves Point. Tapola, also known as mini Kashmir, is 25kms from Mahabaleshwar. It has a big lake with small islands and there tourists can take a boat and visit the various islands. Back to Mahabaleshwar. Overnight stay at hotel.

Day 05 Mahabaleshwar – Lonavala (200 kms – 3 ½ hrs drive)

Overnight at Ionavala

After breakfast check out hotel and proceed to Lonavala .Enroute you see the Carla & Bhaja Caves are a group of 18 rock-cut caves. You will also see a group of 14 stupas - five inside and nine outside the caves. Located near the Lonavala hill

station. In the evening you arrive at Lonavala, check in to the hotel and stay overnight.

Day 06 Lonavala – Khandala

Overnight at Lonavala

After breakfast in the morning, You spend the morning exploring the scenic beauty of Lonavala hill station. You can see tourist hotspots like Ryewood Park, Christian Cemetery, Bushy dam, Dukes Nose and other places. Lonavala is a beautiful and cool hill station that houses the mesmerizing waterfalls will within its precincts. Khandala neighbors' Lonavala. Although is comparatively small, it is equally blessed with natural beauty and bounty. Deep valley on one side and high hills on the other side divide Khandala and Lonavala. Overnight stay at hotel.

Day 07 Lonavala – Pune (80 kms - 1 ½ hrs drive)

After breakfast checkout hotel and proceed to Pune airport for departure. End of the services.