



WILDLIFE & NATURAL HISTORY TOURS

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## **Mukurthi Fishing Hut**

### **When**

TBA

### **Costs**

INR 12500 (USD 315) per-person (Ex-Coimbatore, for 4 persons traveling)

### **Facilities**

Accommodation: In a simple (no electricity) forest cabin

Food: Simple variety of vegetarian options with eggs (optional)

Transport: Road transfers in A/C vehicles (type dependent on group size)

Difficulty level: Moderate to difficult, for hikes in mountainous, uneven terrain

### **For Whom**

Bird and Wildlife enthusiasts/photographers; naturalists

### **Highlights**

Mukurthi National Park's montane shola-grasslands are among the most beautiful landscapes in south India. The mist shrouded western and southwestern aspects of the park drops down, often dramatically, into the rainforests of Kerala. Look for Nilgiri Tahr, endemic birds and much other wildlife here, including rare sightings of the Tiger.

*More Details to follow soon*

### **FYI and Guidelines**

1. Weather: Expect sunny, cool days with chances of pre-monsoon evening showers. The sun can be quite sharp, considering the height, so please bring along sunblock and hat. Nights at will be coldish, with temperatures hovering in the low teens (Celsius). Please bring warm clothing as appropriate and a rain coat. We recommend that you wear earthy-colored



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cotton clothing for walks during the day. Full pants are highly recommended for better protection against snake-bites and scratches from thorny undergrowth.

2. Since we will explore the location on foot and in mountainous terrain, we recommend you wear comfortable walking/trekking shoes for the trip.
3. Please bring your binoculars along - you will appreciate the sights of the forests much more with binoculars on hand. We will have a pair or two to share amongst us, but it is recommended that you carry your own.
4. Please bring essential medication with you, since the local outlets will not always carry what you are looking for. Do check with your doctor on medication and medical safety if you have any medical condition.

### **Terms and Conditions**

1. Costs are calculated based on minimum 4 persons traveling. We can work out a costing for smaller groups, once we have details from you. Maximum group size for this tour is 4.
2. Tour costs are per person based on a sharing (dependent on group size) basis ex-Cochin and is all inclusive (transport, accommodation, food, personnel and all taxes and fees). Personnel includes a naturalist/tour leader and resource persons from the local community. Please check with us on specific items to make sure if it is included in the published tour costs.
3. Bookings are confirmed only upon full payment of the tour cost and at least 15 days in advance from the proposed departure date
4. We reserve the right to cancel the tour at anytime due to unforeseen circumstances. We will refund the entire booking amount under these circumstances.
5.
  - a. We accept demand drafts in Indian Rupees and online credit card payments in US Dollars/GBP through Paypal.
  - b. Customers can also transfer funds electronically into our bank accounts (details provided on request) - our preferred mode of payment.
  - c. Indian customers can also use a credit card to pay online through Paypal, but please be aware that you will be charged an additional currency conversion fee for the same.
  - d. Demand drafts/cheques are payable to "Ficus Wildlife and Natural History Tours" located in Chennai.
6. In case you want to cancel your booking:
  - a. A 90% refund if cancellation requested more than 30 days before the proposed date of departure
  - b. A 15% refund if cancellation requested less than 15 days from the proposed date of departure.



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### **Disclaimer and Emergency Contact**

Participants should be aware of unlikely, but potential risks involved during wildlife tours and general travel. This may include, among other things, injuries or fatalities associated with general travel, snake bites, field activities and encounters with wildlife. We require that all tour participants sign this disclaimer that acknowledges the risks associated during our conducted tours and relieves us of any liabilities arising out of the same. This also acknowledges that you have read and abide by the terms and conditions mentioned in the document.

Name of participant:

Age:

Emergency contact person:

Relationship:

Tel no:

Email:

Signature and Date: