



DISCOVER & EXPERIENCE

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RAILWAY ROYALE



HERITAGE PALACE ON WHEELS

Rajasthan is a magnificent land featuring numerous kingdoms, majestic forts, palaces, diverse cultures, varied landscapes and vibrant colors that showcase the heritage of our country and keep the essence intact.

Experience the land of regal splendor with Heritage Palace on Wheels, the epitome of royal life made accessible. The Heritage Palace on Wheels is the regal delight where every moment is woven together into an everlasting and immemorial experience to be felt and cherished forever. The makers of the Heritage Palace on Wheels have rekindled the charm of luxury with utmost consideration of your comfort and modern amenities to cater its best service to you at the **Heritage Palace on Wheels**.

The intriguing sagas of forts and palaces and the adventurous escapades to the wilds keep you engaged while you witness the luxuries on the train in a surreal royal fashion. The effort is to serve you a delightful experience with magnificent interiors, sumptuous meals, exuberant wines and personalized service by the '*Khidmatgars*' (personal attendants), to go big with the royal feel!

The luxurious Heritage Palace on Wheels take you through a four day exploration of the Golden Triangle, beginning from New Delhi towards the amazing landscape to keep your imagination and the reality parallel



over the next four days. Your royal journey begins from Delhi and takes you through culturally rich destinations like Jaipur, Sawai Madhopur and Agra.

Most enjoyable journeys are short lived but long remembered. This journey comes to an end at Delhi, where it began and you would surely feel the difference in your perspective of looking at the cities. This captivating journey is onset to bring exciting stories to your memoirs and a reflective happiness to share forward.

The Heritage Palace on Wheels is one of the world's most exciting rail journeys, as the train provides the best facilities on board to make the travelers feel special every single day of the tour. Prior concentration is put in taking care of dining experience, accommodation, sight-seeing and responsible shopping. There is nothing for the traveler to do but submerge in the history of the land, soak in the colors and experience the royal life of Maharajas.

The train offers facilities such as deluxe accommodations, laundry services, safe cabins, mail box, etc. The train offers business centre, board room, fitness centre and has a library which offers a variety of books.

➤ TRAIN OF THOUGHT ➤ Did You Know?

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Indian Railway runs about
14,300 trains daily

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Set up in 1977, the Rail Museum
in Delhi is the largest in Asia

③

Indian Railway has about
7,172 railway stations

The train offers two itineraries:

Itinerary 1

The first itinerary being offered is a nod towards the original and is called the 'Golden Triangle'. It will take you on a 3-day sojourn through some of the most prominent cities of India and will cover the **Delhi - Jaipur - Sawai Madhopur - Agra - Delhi** route.



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Itinerary 2

The second itinerary is the great facilitator as it takes you on a 4-day expedition to a number of offbeat places that include Churu, Bikaner and Dholpur, besides Agra, Delhi, and Jaipur. In Churu, the itinerary will also include a bus ride to the unexplored Shekhawati region, which will be followed by a visit to the Tal Chappar and Ramgarh. These new itineraries are bliss if you love short trips, and traveling on the Heritage Palace on Wheels offers a regal experience in itself. The new luxury train is slated for just another 2 years of service, so plan on getting on board as soon as you can! Heritage Palace on Wheels will start operations again from September 2018.



OFF THE TRACK - BIKANER

EXPERIENCE BLISSFUL BIKANER

The origins of Bikaner can be traced back to 1488 when a Rathore prince, Rao Bikaji, founded the kingdom. Legend has it that Bikaji, one of Rao Jodhaji's five sons, left his father's Durbar in annoyance after an insensitive remark from him. Bikaji travelled far and when he came upon the wilderness called Jangladesh, he decided to set up his own kingdom and transformed it into an impressive city, now known as Bikaner. The city is famous for its sights at Junagarh fort, Lallgarh Palace, Kote Gate, Gajner Palace, Karni Mata Temple and Bhandasar Jain Temple. Popular for its food varieties, this city offers the much loved Bikaneri Bhujia, Aloo Bhujia, Sattus, Dal Bati Churma, Gatte ki Sabzi, and soft Rasgullas among other things. It is a paradise in disguise for travelers that come in its shelter, as they experience the belongingness and love from the city and its people.



RAIL TOURISM NEWS

WANT TO TRAVEL ON PALACE ON WHEELS? PACK YOUR BAGS AS LUXURY TRAINS' TARIFF TO BE SLASHED BY 50 PERCENT

Often wanted to travel like royalty on uber-luxury trains and explore illuminating destinations in India, but the exorbitant tariffs stopped you? Well, it is time to book your tickets and pack your bags. A report in The Pioneer has suggested that the Centre has taken a decision to cut the tariff by almost 50 percent on popular trains like Palace on Wheels, the Golden Chariot, Maharaja Express, Deccan Odyssey and Royal Orient.

Source: Times Now News

WANT TO BOOK RAILWAY COACHES FOR MARRIAGE PARTY, RELIGIOUS TOUR? BOOK ONLINE THROUGH IRCTC

Need coaches for a marriage party or a religious tour? Now, it can be done online, according to instructions issued by the railway board. According to a circular by the Railway Board, booking of special trains, coaches, saloons on full tariff rate (FTR) shall now be booked through a "single window booking system" of the Indian Railway Tourism and Catering Corporation (IRCTC).

Source: Times Now News

JAIPUR: TOURISTS TAKE A HOLI RIDE ON PALACE ON WHEELS



It was a trip to remember for the tourists who boarded Palace on Wheels during Holi. The 47 tourists were greeted with a warm welcome in Jaipur on Thursday that saw pre-Holi festivities while on dhulandi, they played holi with colors amid set up thick with culture of Rajasthan in Ranthambore.

Source: DNA India

BEYOND THE JOURNEY

FESTIVALS/EVENTS ON WHEELS

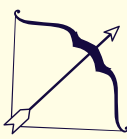
The festivals have a unique way to make a simple day special, and these days could be made more special if you do something extraordinary on such events, and then reminisce about them forever. Isn't it true that every special memory comes from doing something extraordinary? Then, join this journey and make fun memories for years to come.



Diwali – The festival of lights has the power to illuminate lives. While people start planning for the event in advance, and find ways to make the day special. Palace on Wheels provides you a great journey wherein you could enjoy the festivities to the optimum core!



Holi – Have an appetite for sumptuous meals, beautiful landscape and colorful experience? Think of getting all this in a train journey with the ambiance personalized with the festivity! Join Palace of Wheels on the festival of Holi and experience rejuvenating journey.



Dussehra – Palace on Wheels offers an exuberant journey on the festival of Dussehra to take you to different platforms and scenic views. Come on board for a mesmerizing journey.



New Year – What's better than doing something new on the New Year day? Enjoy the exuberant journey of Indian Panorama and rejoice in the majestic views with the Maharajas' Express by traveling royally.



Christmas – Relish a Christmas special journey with Deccan Odyssey and celebrate the big day with amazing views and enthralling experience.

TRAVELERS SAY

A ROYAL EXPERIENCE

“The level of service was outstanding. The tours were varied and each day was very interesting and enjoyable. It was a fantastic experience.”
- **Bernadette Thomlinson, London**

“The attention to detail, attentiveness & friendliness of the staff, the quality of drivers and guides were excellent.”
- **Fletcher, UK**

“It was an extremely luxurious way to travel - the red carpets, luxurious cabins and courteous staff. A very memorable and enjoyable trip Thank you!”
- **Dolorosa & David Margulis, USA**

“The entire journey was and will be an unforgettable experience. If I were a poet, I would pen down this entire fabulous experience in beautiful poetry”
- **Judith Moorthy, Australia**

TRAIN UPDATES

- The refurbishment has been started on Palace on Wheels.
- The Tariff for Palace on Wheels, Deccan Odyssey, Maharajas Express will remain same for the season 2018-19
- The Maharajas Express has also introduced INR Tariff for all nationalities with an option to make payment either in INR or US\$ for the season 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20
- The Golden Chariot has increased the tariff by 20% for the season 2018-19
- The Golden Chariot has also changed the tariff from US\$ to INR. Now the INR tariff is available for both Indian National as well as Foreign National
- Maharajas' Express has revised the programs for season 2019-20. In 2019-20 Indian Splendour, Heritage of India and Indian Panorama will run on 6 nights 7 days journey instead of 7 nights 8 days journey.



TRAIN YOUR BRAIN

Find 5 differences



Answers: 1. Minar of Tajmahal, 2. Red turban, 3. Lantern in the hand, 4. Locomotive grill, 5. Smoke from the top

WHY WRJ?

NO ONE DOES RAIL JOURNEYS LIKE US!

Worldwide Rail Journeys (WRJ) has a comprehensive 15 years of experience and has been dealing exclusively in luxury and heritage rail journeys. The level is unmatched and unparalleled by any other in the industry. The luxury trains offer personalized services, 24x7 customer support, readily available information and updates, unbeatable deals, price guarantee, authentic booking confirmation and excellent flexibility. The trains redefine luxury and comfort and recreate the lifestyle of the bygone princely era. To top it all, the professional and caring attitude will make you feel no less than a king!



FESTIVAL DEPARTURES

PALACE ON WHEELS

17th October 2018 (Dussehra Spl.), 7th November 2018 (Diwali Spl.),
26th December 2018 (New Year Spl.), 20th March 2019 (Holi Spl.)

DECCAN ODYSSEY

22nd December 2018 (Christmas Special)

MAHARAJAS' EXPRESS

29th December 2018 - Indian Panorama (New Year Special)

GOLDEN CHARIOT

18th October 2019 (Mysore Dussehra Special)

OFFERS

THE GOLDEN CHARIOT DOUBLE CABIN OFFER

Book a double cabin and your companion gets 50% Off on twin sharing basis and single cabin will get 10% discount.

THE DECCAN ODYSSEY EARLY BIRD COMPANION FREE OFFER

Book a Journey before 31st Mar 2018 & your companion travels complimentary! with Maharashtra Splendour
(Mumbai to Mumbai) Tour on following dates:

2018	2019
29 th September 3 rd November 24 th November 22 nd December	19 th January 16 th March 27 th April

THE MAHARAJAS' EXPRESS COMPANION PAY 50% OFFER*

Pay for one and your companion pays 50% only
*Applicable for all Nationalities | Offer valid till the date of departure and is subject to availability of cabins.

Southern Sojourn 15 th September 2018	Southern Jewels 22 nd September 2018
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AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS



National Tourism Award
From Ministry of Tourism
Government of India-Inbound
Tour Operator/Travel Agent category-VI



Best Rail Tour Operator
India Tourism Awards held at
Jaipur on 8th December, 2015



Entrepreneur of the Year
Manish Saini, Director, WRJ
Travel Services 2016



Travel & Tourism
Business of the Year
Small Business Awards 2017
held in New Delhi

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