



इंडियन रेलवे केटरिंग एंड टूरिज्म कॉर्पोरेशन लिमिटेड

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Press Release

IRCTC's Buddhist Tourist Train Chugs Again On The Footsteps of Lord Buddha

- *Special Tour Package on IRCTC Buddhist Special Tourist Train which has completed its Crystal Anniversary being in operation for 15 years.*
- *IRCTC's Buddhist Tourist Train will resume its operation with its first upcoming departure on 25th February, 2023.*
- *IRCTC presents this special all inclusive Buddhist Circuit Tour of 7 Nights / 8 Days from Delhi Safdarjung.*
- *Important destinations associated with the life of Lord Buddha such as Bodhgaya, Nalanda (Rajgir), Varanasi (Sarnath), Lumbini, Kushinagar and Sravasti are covered.*
- *The AC I coaches, besides being cozy and spacious cabins and coupes, have been fitted with in-room amenities like individual lockers for tourists.*
- *IRCTC is offering this special tour on its exquisite fully air-conditioned deluxe tourist train comprising of 12 state-of-the-art ergonomically designed brand new LHB coaches equipped with modern amenities and facilities*

New Delhi 20.12.2022: IRCTC, the professional tourism and hospitality arm of Indian Railways operates the largest fleet of tourist trains across the country and is the largest mass rail tourism operator in India.

The company has established a place for itself in the religious tourism market by operating tourist train packages for tourists of different belief and faith. One such feather in the crown of IRCTC is its Buddhist Special Tourist Train which has completed its Crystal Anniversary being in operation for 15 years.

IRCTC's Buddhist Tourist Train will resume its operation with its first upcoming departure on 25th February, 2023 for the season. The operations were suspended due to the pandemic which affected the domestic and in-bound tourism.

IRCTC presents this special all inclusive Buddhist Circuit Tour of 7 Nights / 8 Days from Delhi Safdarjung covering the various important destinations associated with the life of Lord Buddha such as Bodhgaya, Nalanda (Rajgir), Varanasi (Sarnath), Lumbini, Kushinagar and Sravasti while the tour ends with a visit to World famous Taj Mahal also one of the seven wonders of the world.



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IRCTC is offering this special tour on its exquisite fully air-conditioned deluxe tourist train comprising of 12 state-of-the-art ergonomically designed brand new LHB coaches equipped with modern amenities and facilities. The passengers have an option of travelling on specially designed AC-I coaches or AC-II coaches as per their choice.

The AC I coaches, besides being cozy and spacious cabins and coupes, have been fitted with in-room amenities like individual lockers for tourists. The train also has spacious AC-II Tier coaches which have been modified to have only spacious and comfortable cabins. Besides, the train has 2 aesthetically designed dining cars with capacity of passengers each to dine together. The train has a fully equipped kitchen car which serves an array of specialty international and local cuisines for the on-board guests. The 7 Nights/8 Days package starting from Rs 90,300/- per person on twin sharing basis.

For more details of the train and the special all inclusive tour, one can visit www.irctcbuddhisttrain.com or call 8287930574 / 8287930031 or write email to buddhisttrain@irctc.com. The tour package is available for booking on first come first serve basis.
