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Press Release

IRCTC will conduct “Char Dham Yatra” in New Normal

State of Art Deluxe AC Tourist Train with 1st AC & 2nd AC accommodation, will start from Delhi on 18th Sept 2021 for 16 days all inclusive tour.

CHAR DHAM: Badrinath, Jagannath Puri, Rameshwaram & Dwarkadhish.

Features -

- The entire train is air conditioned. (AC Coach), Second AC (2nd AC) and First AC (1st AC) facility
- The entire coach is well equipped and well equipped with amenities, home comfort and safety inside the train
- Two state-of-the-art kitchens inside the train, pure and nutritious food of international standard
- Library full of informative books, clean toilets and bathrooms equipped with shower facilities, state-of-the-art foot massage machines
- Equipped with CCTV cameras in view of security in the entire train, security forces are stationed to protect every coach.
- A distance of 8500 km will be covered in 16 days, minimum travel package is only Rs 78585 / -
- Fully equipped staff coach, clean and healthy co-workers
- Booking restricted to around 120 tourists against a total capacity of 156, at least the first dose of COVID-19 vaccination is mandatory
- IRCTC will also provide a safety kit to all tourists carrying face masks, hand gloves and sanitizers
- Temperature checks of all tourists and staff, frequent train sanitization at halt stations etc. and other precautions will be ensured



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It is a dream of every devotee to visit **Char Dhams** i.e. **Badrinath, Jagannath Puri, Rameshwaram and Dwarkadhish**, once in his life time. After great popularity and success of "Shri Ramayana Yatra" train operated on Ramayana circuit, IRCTC Ltd. has now launched another very popular pilgrimage circuit "**Chardham Yatra**" by "**Dekho Apna Desh**" Deluxe AC Tourist Train. This 16 days tour will start from **Delhi Safdarjung Railway Station** on **18th September 2021** and cover the visit of **Badrinath** including Mana Village (near China border), Narsingha Temple (Joshimath), Rishikesh, **Jagannath Puri** including Golden beach of Puri, Konark Sun Temple, Chandrabhaga beach, **Rameshwaram** including Dhanushkodi, **Dwarkadhish** including Nageshwar Jyotirlinga, Shivrajpur beach and Bet Dwarka. Guests will be travelling roughly **8500 Kms** in this tour.

The State of Art Deluxe AC Tourist Train has a host of astounding features including **two fine dining restaurants**, a **modern kitchen**, **shower cubicles** in coaches, sensor based washroom functions, foot massager. The fully air-conditioned train provides **two types of accommodation** viz. **1st AC** and **2nd AC**. The train has enhanced security features of **CCTV cameras** and **Security Guards** for each coach.

IRCTC has launched this special tourist train in line with the Government of India initiative "**Dekho Apna Desh**" to promote domestic tourism, at a very competitive price starting from **Rs. 78,585/-** per person. Package Price covers Train Journey in AC classes, Accommodation in Deluxe Hotels, All meals (VEG ONLY), all transfer & sight-seeing in AC Vehicles (except hilly



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areas), Travel Insurance and services of IRCTC Tour Managers etc. All necessary health precautions measures will be taken care by providing safe and healthy travel during the tour. **Government/PSU employees** can avail **LTC facility** on this tour as per eligibility based on the guidelines issued by the Ministry of Finance, Govt. of India.

To ensure the safety measures post COVID 19 in this deluxe tourist train, provision has been made and booking is restricted to around 120 tourists against the total capacity of 156 tourists. Also, at least **first dose of COVID-19 Vaccination is mandatory** for Guests of **age group 18 or above**. Beside this, IRCTC will also provide a safety kit to all tourists having face mask, hand gloves and sanitizer. Temperature check of all tourists and staff, frequent train sanitization at halt stations etc and other precautions will be ensured. Staff shall be screened thoroughly and kitchen & restaurants shall be sanitized after every meal service.

For more details one can visit IRCTC website: <https://www.irctctourism.com> and booking is available online, on first come first serve basis on the web portal. For more information, one can contact on **Mobile no. 8287930202, 8287930299, 8287930157.**
