

Indian Railway Catering & Tourism Corporation Ltd. (A Govt. of India Navratna Enterprise)

Introduces....

"Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Circuit"

By Bharat Gaurav Tourist Train

IRCTC Ltd proposes to operate "Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Circuit" a specially curated tour to showcase the glorious history and the grand heritage of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj in a 5 days journey by Bharat Gaurav Tourist Train.



<u>Highlights:</u>

Tour Name: "Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Circuit"

Tour Date: 09.06.2025

Duration: 05 Days (Train is terminating in the early morning of the 6th Day)

Tour Itinerary: Mumbai - Raigarh Fort - Pune - Shivneri Fort - Bhimashankar Jyotirlinga - Pratapgarh Fort - Kolhapur - Panhala Fort - Mumbai

Train Itinerary: Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Terminus (CSMT) - Mangaon - Pune - Satara - Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj Terminus Kolhapur - Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Terminus (CSMT).

Boarding/De-boarding stations: Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Terminal (CSMT), Dadar, Thane.

Tour Price	(Per Person on	double/tri	ple occupancy):
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Category	Tariff (Inclusive of GST)
Economy (SL)	Rs. 13,155/-
Comfort (3AC)	Rs. 19,840/-
Superior (2AC)	Rs. 27,365/-

Note: Passenger booked as Single will have to share the occupancy with other passenger on sharing basis.

Destinations and Visits covered (Associated with the life of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj):

- **Raigad Fort** where Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj's Rajyabhishek (Coronation) took place and was also his capital of Maratha Kingdom.
- Pune-
 - Lal Mahal: The childhood residence of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj.
 - **Kasba Ganpati:** Deity of Pune, 1st honored Ganapati & installed by Rajmata Jijau and Ch. Shivaji Maharaj.
 - **Shivsrushti:** showcasing the legacy of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj.
- **Pratapgarh Fort** This Fort was built by Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj. The major fight between Ch. Shivaji Maharaj and Afzal Khan took place here on the 10th of November 1659. The Famous Temple of Tulja Bhavani has also been built here by Ch. Shivaji Maharaj.
- **Panhala Fort-** also called as the 'Fort of Snakes' since it is zigzag in shape. The Fort is associated with the life history of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj & Shambhaji Maharaj. It is remembered for the heroic valour shown by Baji Prabhu Deshpande, the commander of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj during the fight in capturing the Fort.

Additional Pilgrimage Sites included in the itinerary:

- Bhimashankar- Jyotirlinga Temple.
- **Kolhapur-** Mahalakshmi Temple: an important Hindu temple dedicated to Goddess Mahalakshmi, who is worshipped by locals as Ambabai

Package Inclusions:

- Train journey by Bharat Gaurav Tourist Train in respective classes.
- Night stay, Wash & Change and Transport will be provided as under –

Category	Economy (SL)	Comfort (AC III)	Superior (AC II)
Night Stay	Non-AC Hotels on Double/Triple sharing	AC Budget Hotels on	AC rooms in superior
		Double/Triple	hotels matching 3 star on
		sharing	Double/Triple sharing
Wash &	Multi Share in Non-AC	Double/Triple	AC rooms in superior
		sharing AC Hotel	hotels matching 3 star on
Change	Hotel Room	Room	Double/Triple sharing
Transportation	Non-AC Transport	AC Transport	AC Transport

- Onboard Train Meals (Vegetarian only).
- Off Board Meals (Vegetarian only) in good quality Restaurant/Hotels/Banquets/ Packed Meals.
- All Transfers and Sightseeing by Buses.
- Travel Insurance for the Passengers.
- Ropeway charges at Raigarh Fort, Entry Charges of the Monuments mentioned in the Tour Itinerary.
- Entry Charge of Shivsrushti at Pune.
- Security on Train.
- All Applicable Taxes.

Package exclusions:

- Adventure activities, Boating etc.
- Meals are prefixed and a Choice of Menu is not available.
- Any Room Service will be chargeable.
- Cost of any Sightseeing which is not included in the itinerary.
- All Kind of Tips to Drivers, Waiters, Guides, Representative, Fuel Surcharge, etc.
- Any Expenses of Personal Nature such as Laundry Expenses, Mineral Water, Food and Drinks not in the regular menus provided by IRCTC.

Day	Destination	Particulars
		• Board in Bharat Gaurav Tourist Train at Chhatrapati Shivaji
		Maharaj Terminus (CSMT) at Mumbai.
		• Departure of Train to Mangaon (Konkan Railways) at 0630 hrs.
	Mumbai (CSMT)- Mangaon– Raigarh– Pune	• Tourist boarding enroute at Dadar & Thane.
		• Breakfast onboard & arrival Mangaon Rly Station at 1030 hrs.
Day 1		 Proceed to Raigad by Bus (30 kms/ 1 hrs).
09.06.25		• Lunch at Suitable Place.
(Monday)		• Visit of Raigad Fort (Coronation Place of Ch. Shivaji Maharaj).
		• Later return back to Mangaon at 1700 hrs & board the train.
		• Departure by train to Pune at 1800 hrs.
		• Dinner On-board. Arrival at Pune at 2200 hrs.
		• Transfer to Hotels and Overnight Stay at Pune.
Day 2	Pune	Post breakfast visit Lal Mahal and Kasba Ganapati.
		• Lunch at suitable place.
10.06.25		Post lunch visit Shivsrushti.
(Tuesday)		• Dinner at suitable place.
		• Overnight stay at Pune.
		• Early morning Tea service and proceed to Shivneri Fort at 0600 hrs by
		Bus (95 kms/2hrs). Packed Breakfast will be provided.
		• Visit Shivneri Fort (Birthplace of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj).
Day 3	Pune-	• Lunch at suitable place.
11.06.25	Shivneri-	• Later proceed to Bhimashankar (70 kms/1 hr & 30 Mins).
(Wednesday)	Bhimashankar- Pune	• Visit Bhimashankar Jyotirlinga Temple.
		• Later return back to Pune (120 Kms/ 04 Hrs).
		• Dinner at suitable place.
		• Overnight stay at Pune.
	Pune- Satara– Pratapgarh- CST Kolhapur	• Board in Tourist train at Pune and depart to Satara at 0700 hrs.
		• Breakfast onboard & arrival Satara Railway Station at 1000 hrs.
		 Proceed to Pratapgarh Fort by Bus (80 kms/ 2 hrs).
		• Lunch at suitable place.
Day 4		• Sightseeing of Pratapgarh Fort .
12.06.25		• Later return back to Satara. Dinner at suitable place and board the
(Thursday)		train by 2230 Hrs.
		• Departure by train to Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj Terminus
		Kolhapur Railway Station at 2330 hrs.
		• Overnight Train Journey.

Day 5 13.06.25 (Friday)	CST Kolhapur– Mumbai (CSMT)	 Arrival Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj Terminus Kolhapur Railway Station at 0500 hrs. Transfer to Hotel for Wash N Change. Breakfast at suitable place. Visit Mahalakshmi Temple at Kolhapur. Lunch at suitable place. Post Lunch proceed to visit Panhala Fort by Bus (25 kms/30 Min). Sightseeing of Panhala Fort. Later return back to Kolhapur & board the train. Departure by train to Mumbai (CSMT) at 2000 hrs. Dinner onboard & Overnight train journey. 	
Day 6 14.06.25 (Saturday)	Mumbai (CSMT)		
