

TREKS & ADVENTURE TOURS

Papua New Guinea has a vast range of trekking and adventures on offer. These ranges from soft to moderate to very hard depending on the physical fitness and "spirit of adventure" one has to encounter. Our un-spoilt rainforests, rivers, mountainous regions and incredible scenery have made Papua New Guinea a country with popular option for both amateur and professional bushwalkers, trekkers, rock climbers, cave explorers and mountaineers. There are options to suit everyone, ranging from short tour around local villages to weeks of rafting and trekking with tour operators like Country Tours.

CTL 001 - MT WILHELM CLIMB

The highest peak of Papua New Guinea is mount Wilhelm standing at 4509 m above sea level. It's located in the heart of the highlands region in Chimbu Province and has rugged peaks with well-formed trails leading to the summit. The ascent crosses diverse and beautiful terrain with open grassland on the slopes and rocks predominant in the higher levels. It is not a technical mountain nor does it need ropes or high altitude mountain gear required, but it requires a level of fitness. Mt Wilhelm can be climbed all year round except try to avoid the rainy periods, as it can be slippery to climb.

Day 1 (---): Port Moresby/Mt Hagen Arrive Port Moresby, meet/greet and assist to connecting flight to Mt Hagen, arrive and transfer to the hotel. Overnight: Highlander Hotel

Day 2 (-LD): Mt Hagen / Kegsugl Depart Mt Hagen by 4WD vehicle and drive to Kegsugl traveling passing through the populous Chimbu Province with beautiful sceneries of roadside villages, gorges and limestone clips. Arrive Kegsugl and time permitting brief walks around the nearby villages and trout farm. Overnight: Betty's Lodge.

Day 3 (BLD): Kegsugl / Piunde Lakes – Base Camp Hike/trek up to the Piunde Lakes passing

through Alpine grassland and moss rainforest. Balance of the day visit around the natural environment with its beautiful lakes of Piunde and Yaundo. Overnight: Base Camp

Day 4 (BLD): Lake Piunde / Summit/ Lake Piunde – Base Camp Very early hike to the summit of Mt Wilhelm with panoramic views as far as the coastal regions such as Madang and Sepik Provinces, Eastern and Western Highlands Provinces. Return to base camp for lunch and dinner. Overnight: Base Camp.

DAY 5 (BL-): Lake Piunde / Kegsugl / Goroka Early trek back to Kegsugl where you get on 4WD vehicle and drive to Goroka. Again traveling through the populous Chimbu Provinces and onto Daulo Pass at 2478 m and descend into the Asaro Valley. Finally you arrive Goroka town. Overnight: Bird of Paradise Hotel.

DAY 6 (---): Goroka / Port Moresby Transfer to the airport and fly to Port Moresby, arrive and transfer/assist to connecting international departure flight.

END OF COUNTRY TOURS ARRANGEMENTS

Land cost:

1 pax: @ US\$2,480.00 per person on twin share basis 2 pax: @ US\$1,841.00 per person on twin share basis 3 pax: @ US\$1,430.00 per person on twin share basis 4 pax: @ US\$1,326.00 per person on twin share basis 5-8 pax: @ US\$1,249.00 per person on twin share basis 9-14 pax: @ US\$1,138.00 per person on twin share basis

Single Supplement: @ US\$281.00 per single occupancy throughout

Land cost includes: accommodation on twin share basis, tours/transfers, guides, porters at Mt

Wilhelm portion, meals as specified above as B=Breakfast, L=Lunch, D=Dinner and government tax.

Land cost does NOT include: domestic and international flights, any other meals not specified above, entry visa fees, airport departure tax, beverages and services of personal nature such as phone/fax bills, laundry services etc.

Domestic flight details: You need to book and ticket following Air Niugini (PX) flights in conjunction to your international arrival and departure flights in order to take advantage of discounts available on air if purchased overseas. These flights are:

Day 1 PX182 Port Moresby / Mt Hagen (POM/HGU) Day 7 PX963 Goroka / Port Moresby (GKA/POM)

Further bookings or information required please contact us as we would be more than willing to assist you.

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