

**SRI LANKA**

**Kandalama / Kandy / Nuwara Eliya & Colombo  
6 NIGHTS / 7 DAYS**



Day 1 - Arrival, meet greet and proceed to Kandalama via Pinnawala. The Pinnawela Elephant Orphanage, established in 1975, commenced with seven orphans. Today some of these orphans enjoy the fortune of seeing their grandchildren born in the same location. The original objective of establishing the orphanage inclined more towards tourism, but is soon became a conservation and educational centre. With the help of local and foreign elephant experts, Pinnawela started a scientific captive-breeding programme for elephants. The free movement of the herd enhanced the chances for respective individuals of both sexes to get together and mate. The nearby river played a dominant role in this

regard, and in 1984, the first baby of Pinnawela was born. The success story of Pinnawela has drawn the attention of scientists from all over the world. A considerable number of books and research articles on Pinnawela have been published in several languages. The members of the Pinnawela herd have been filmed, videoed and photographed thousands of times by professionals. On completion proceed to hotel. Overnight stay at Heritage Kandalama / Amaya Lake

Day 2 - After breakfast Optional excursion to Sigiriya. Climb the 5th century Sigiriya rock fortress which is a world heritage site, built by King Kashyapa (477-495 AD). The 'Lion Rock' is a citadel of unusual beauty rising 200 metres from the scrub jungle. The rock was the innermost stronghold of the 70 hectare fortified town. A moat, rampart, and extensive gardens including the renowned water gardens ring the base of the rock. Visit the world-renowned frescoes of the 'Heavenly Maidens' of Sigiriya, which are in a sheltered pocket of the rock approached by a spiral stairway. These frescoes are painted in earth pigments on plaster. Overnight stay at Heritage Kandalama / Amaya Lake.

DAY 03 - After breakfast proceed to Kandy enroute visiting a spice garden in Matale to see different spices for which Sri Lanka is famous for. Here, clients could see different spices and how some of these spices are grown and processed. Witness a Cookery demonstration. Check in at Earls Regency / Amaya Hills. Afternoon at leisure. Overnight stay at Earls Regency / Amaya Hills.

Day 04 - After breakfast proceed to Peradeniya Botanical Gardens. This Botanical Garden was first built as a pleasure garden by a Sinhala king and was expanded by the British. It is 147 acres in extent and provides an amazing variety of trees, plants and flowers. On completion do a city tour of Kandy. Kandy was the last capital of the Sri Lankan kings which is a World Heritage Site. The name "Kandy" conjures visions of splendour and magnificence. Many of the legends, traditions and folklore are still lovingly kept alive. Drive around the Kandy Lake built by the last Sinhala king, Sri Wickrama Rajasinghe in 1798. Visit the Kandy town and Bazaar, the arts and crafts centre, a gem museum and a lapidary. Also visit the Temple of the Tooth Relic in Kandy. Thereafter witness a Cultural show. Overnight stay at Earls Regency / Amaya Hills.



DAY 05 - After breakfast proceed to Nuwara Eliya enroute visiting a tea plantation and a tea factory, where the best tea in the world is produced. Here you could observe all about the process of manufacturing tea. You can also see how tea is graded. Taste a cup of pure Ceylon tea in the factory. Thereafter continue to Nuwara Eliya, because of its invigorating mountain climate and scenery, is Sri Lanka s most popular hill resort. Nuwara Eliya is also the heart of Sri Lanka s tea country producing a significant share of the world best tea. Sri Lanka s highest mountain Pidurutalagala (8282 feet) is located here. Nuwara-Eliya also has one of the finest 18 hole golf courses in South Asia. Overnight stay at Tea Factory Hotel.



DAY 06 - After breakfast proceed to Colombo via Kitulgala. The Kelani River (the broadest river in Sri Lanka) flowing through Kitulgala was the main location where the Oscar winning movie "Bridge on the River Kwai" was filmed. On the hill above this town, a prehistoric cave was recently discovered containing large middens of shells from some unknown civilization. On arrival check in to Colombo Hilton/ Cinnamon Lake Side.

Afternoon do a city tour of Colombo, like many capital cities in developing countries is fast changing its face. Almost overnight, skyscrapers arise from where old buildings once stood. Yet in some parts, the old world charm is retained. For example, there is a 100-year-old clock tower and several British built colonial buildings. Other places of interest are the Pettah bazaar - where one can shop for bargain, a Hindu and a Buddhist temple, residential areas where you find the stately homes of the affluent, the Colombo museum, the Bandaranaike Memorial International Conference Hall (BMICH)- an outright gift to Sri Lanka from the People's Republic of China, and the Dutch Museum. Overnight stay at Colombo Hilton/ Cinnamon Lake Side

DAY 07 : After breakfast transfer to airport in time for departure

DELUXE PACKAGE (Standard rooms) - HERITANCE KANDALAMA/ EARLS REGENCY/ TEA FACTORY / COLOMBO HILTON

Price per person starting from BHD244

Compulsory Supplement for Cricket World Cup '11 at Colombo Hotel (18/02 - 03/04/2011) Double BHD19 Per person, Per day

Compulsory Supplement for Cricket World Cup '11 at Earl's Regency Hotel (06/03 - 12/03/2011) BHD30 Per room, Per night

Compulsory Supplement for Cricket World Cup '11 at Amaya Hills (06/03 - 12/03/2011) BHD10 Per room, Per night

SUPERIOR PACKAGE (Standard rooms) - AMAYA LAKE/ AMAYA HILLS/ TEA FACTORY/ CINNAMON LAKE SIDE

Price per person starting from BHD199

Peak period supplement at Amaya Hills, 01/03/11 – 31/03/11 - BHD6 Per room, Per night

Peak period supplement at Amaya Lake, 01/03/11 – 31/03/11 - BHD6 Per room, Per night

## SUPPLEMENTS FOR ENTRANCE FEES

Pinnawela Elephant Orphanage	BHD	10	Per person
Peradeniya Botanical Gardens	BHD	3	Per person
Kandy Temple	BHD	6	Per person
Cultural Show	BHD	2	Per person
Sigiriya Rock Fortress	BHD	12	Per person

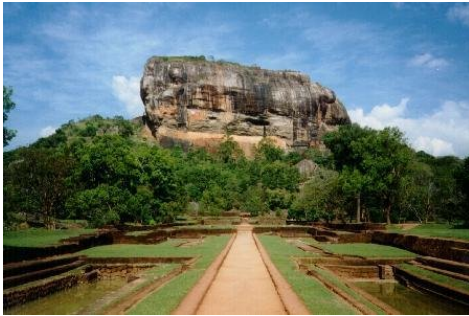
### The above prices include :

- Accommodation in standard room on bed & breakfast basis for 6 nights from breakfast on day 2 to breakfast on day 7 at hotels specified or of similar standard.
- Transportation by air-conditioned vehicle as per the itinerary.
- Cost of English Speaking Chauffeur Guide.

### Above prices does not include :

- Video and Camera permits.
- Lunch and dinner throughout the tour.
- Entrance fees to the sites specified above.
- Expenses of personal nature.
- Excursion
- Airfare and airline taxes
- Visa fees and travel insurance
- Any other services not specified above.

Costs and confirmations are subject to availability at the time of booking.  
Terms and conditions apply.



Sigiriya Rock Fortress



Nuwara Eliya



Colombo



Cultural Show - Kandy