SAFARIWALE · WILDLIFE & PHOTOGRAPHY EXPEDITIONS

Brown Bear Expedition

A bespoke tracking & photography journey through the wild Himalayan habitat of the Himalayan Brown Bear

01 – 04 **APRIL 2027** • 3 NIGHTS / 4 DAYS • EX–SRINAGAR

PER PERSON COST

₹ 30,000/–

The Expedition at a Glance

Everything you need to know before you set out into bear country.

DURATION	DATES	DEPARTURE	FOCUS	PER PERSON
4 Days / 3 Nights	**01–04 Apr 2027**	**Ex–Srinagar**	**Bear Tracking & Photography**	**₹ 30,000/–**

This expedition is designed for photographers and wildlife enthusiasts seeking close, responsible encounters with the elusive Himalayan Brown Bear in its natural high-altitude habitat. Guests are based at a comfortable expedition hotel and accompanied on every outing by expert local naturalists and trackers, travelling in specialised vehicles built for the terrain.

Each day is structured around the bears' natural activity patterns — with tracking sessions timed for the early morning and late afternoon light, leaving the midday hours free to rest and review the day's photographs.

- Guided by expert naturalists and experienced local trackers
- Twice-daily tracking sessions in dedicated wilderness habitat
- Specialised vehicles suited to Himalayan terrain
- Comfortable base accommodation with all meals included
- Seamless Srinagar airport pickup and drop
- Optional extension: onward transfer to Leh available on request

Your Itinerary

Four days, twice-daily tracking sessions, one unforgettable pursuit.

01
01 April

Srinagar → Brown Bear Expedition Base

- Arrival at Srinagar Airport around 7:00 AM, with private pickup and transfer to the expedition base.
- Arrive in time for lunch at the hotel, followed by rest and a full briefing on tracking protocols and photography guidelines.
- Afternoon Brown Bear Tracking Session with expert naturalists and trackers, using specialised tracking vehicles.
- Return to the hotel by evening for dinner and overnight stay.

MEALS · Lunch & Dinner

02
02 April

Full-Day Brown Bear Expedition

- Early breakfast, followed by a morning Brown Bear Tracking Session in the designated wilderness habitat.
- Return to the hotel for lunch and a restful midday break.
- Afternoon/evening tracking session focused on locating bears and observing their natural behaviour.
- Return to the hotel after sunset for dinner and overnight stay.

MEALS · Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

Continued Itinerary

03
03 April

Full-Day Brown Bear Expedition

- Early breakfast, followed by a morning Brown Bear Tracking Session with the naturalist team.
- Return to the hotel for lunch and rest.
- Afternoon/evening tracking session for further sightings and photographic opportunities.
- Return to the hotel for dinner and overnight stay.

MEALS · Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

04
04 April

Final Bear Session → Departure to Srinagar

- Early breakfast, followed by the final morning Brown Bear Tracking Session.
- Return to the hotel for check-out formalities.
- Depart for Srinagar after the morning session, arriving by around 5:00 PM.

MEALS · Breakfast

A NOTE ON TIMING

Please plan your flight to reach Srinagar around 7:00 AM on 01 April 2027. Guests arriving earlier are welcome to travel to Srinagar on 31 March and stay overnight at their own arrangement.

What's Included

A fully supported expedition, from touchdown to take-off.

EXPEDITION INCLUDES

- ✔ 3 nights accommodation at the expedition base
- ✔ All meals, from Day 1 lunch to Day 4 breakfast
- ✔ Morning & evening Brown Bear tracking sessions
- ✔ Expert naturalist & local tracker support
- ✔ Specialised tracking vehicles
- ✔ Srinagar Airport pickup & drop
- ✔ Wilderness & wildlife photography opportunities

OPTIONAL ADD-ON

An onward transfer to Leh can be arranged at an additional cost — simply let us know and we will tailor it into your plan.

ARRIVAL WINDOW

Flights should land in Srinagar by ~7:00 AM on 01 April 2027. An earlier overnight in Srinagar on 31 March can be arranged at your own cost if needed.

We look forward to welcoming you into bear country.

For bookings and queries, reach out to the Safariwale team.