

Mardi Himal Trek

Duration: 9 Days Days

Max Altitude: 4,200 m

Destination: Nepal

Trip Grade: Easy

Best Season: Autumn, Spring

Trip Highlights

Mardi Himal Trek Facts

- Trip Duration: 9 days
- Walking duration: 5 days
- Lowest altitude: Pokhara (800m)
- Highest altitude: Mardi Base Camp height 4500 meters
- Starting/ Ending Point: Pokhara
- Difficulty: Easy to Moderate
- Permit: ACAP and TIMS card
- Accommodation: Tea house (local guest house)
- Mardi Himal Trek cost range: \$650
- Group size: 1 to 30
- Walking hours: 6-7 hours/ per day
- Mardi Himal trek distance: 64 km

Mardi Base Camp Trek Highlights

- Exciting Panorama of over dozens of mountain peaks including Mardi Himal Peak, Annapurna, and Dhaulagiri which is among the world's tallest mountain vistas
- Sunrise before the mountains at the Mardi Upper Viewpoint.
- Begins with an exciting sightseeing around Kathmandu and a scenic drive to Pokhara
- Pokhara visit including boating in Phewa Lake and dinner at the lakeside
- Encounter many waterfalls and rivers that are hidden within the sub-tropical forest of the Mardi Himal Trek map

- Witness the rich bio-diversity of the Annapurna Conservation area while spotting the rear flora and fauna
- Comfortable stay and great food in the newly build tea houses along the trail
- Avoid the crowd of Annapurna Base Camp Trek in the peak season and enjoy the solitude of nature all by yourself.

Trip Overview

Looking for an exciting yet easy and shorter trek in the Annapurna region? Then, this Mardi Himal trek is just the perfect trekking route for you. Mardi Himal Trek is an emerging destination in the Annapurna region of Nepal, gaining popularity among trekkers seeking shorter and easier treks. [Mardi Himal](#) (5587m) is situated just east of the [Annapurna Base Camp](#) and is known as the hidden treasure of the Annapurna Region – the ‘Unseen Jewel’ –making it perfect for those who want to avoid the crowds and experience trekking on the beaten off the path. If you are seeking a budget adventure, Mardi Himal Base Camp awaits you.

This moderately difficult Mardi Base Camp trek is an adventure that covers amazing landscapes, dense forests, and stunning snow-capped peaks. Known as the Mardi Himal Base Camp trek, this hike passes through the heavily forested area and wilderness of the mountains. Starting at Kande, the landscape of the Mardi Himal Trek Map changes into the high Rocky Mountains as you pass via the forests filled with rhododendrons, pines, juniper, bamboo, and oaks. The forest is all green and fresh until Low Camp. Beyond that, as you approach the high camp, you can see the alpine grassland being dominant. From high camp, we climb to the Mardi Viewpoint and then to the Mardi Base Camp before walking down to Phedi.

Throughout the trek, you witness the stunning views of some of the most famous mountains and mountain ranges in the world, such as the Annapurna range, Dhaulagiri (8167m), Manaslu mountain range, [Mount Machhapuchhre](#) (6988m), Mt. Hiunchuli (6441m) and of course Mardi Himal Peak (5587m) will accompany you. This Mardi Himal trail also gives our travelers the chance to experience the unique tradition and culture of Nepal, as we come across several villages like Siding, Lwang, and Ghale land, as well as terraced farms and sacred rivers.

My Everest Trip makes sure that you stay safe and comfortable whilst trekking in Nepal – with our highly experienced Mardi Himal trek guides always available to help. Or if you would like to know more about what it’s like to take this trip, you can check out our [Mardi Himal trek blog](#) below.

Detailed Itinerary

Day 1: Arrival in Kathmandu

- Altitude: 1400m

MyEveryTrip Mardi Himal Trek starts as soon as you land at the airport in **Kathmandu**. You will find our driver waiting with a car right outside the airport gate so that you can easily drive to your hotel in Thamel. In the evening we have an explanatory session for Mardi Trek and a welcome dinner planned for our guests. Before that, you can engage yourself in personal activity. If we have enough time you can also go sightseeing around Kathmandu. Our guide will also help you with some remaining shopping and get your bags ready for Mardi Himal Trekking.

Day 2: Drive to Pokhara

- Altitude: 800m
- Duration: 8 hours/ 25-mins

Pokhara, a beautiful city of lakes lying in the west of Kathmandu at about 200 km away, is the starting point of our Mardi Himal Trekking. We drive from **Kathmandu to Pokhara** in a tourist bus or fly from Kathmandu Airport to Pokhara airport. Driving along the Trishuli highway with the site of the lush green forest takes about 8 hours. Or, you can choose to fly directly into Pokhara. This is about 25 minutes of a flight accompanied by the views of the Mountains.

If we reach **Pokhara** early, we shall stop around Phewa for boating. We can also join the evening prayer (Arati) in Phewa and then enjoy the charm of the Lakeside and get lost in the nightlife of Pokhara.

Day 3: Drive to Kande and trek to Forest Camp

- Altitude: 4500 meters
- Duration: 7 hours walk

After breakfast on the bank of Phewa Lake, we hop in a private car that drives us from Pokhara to Kande via Hemja. Kande, a small settlement of 10 to 15 houses is where we start the Mardi Himal Trek on foot. From Kande, we walk on a path leading us to the Australian base camp. After this challenging part, we stop for an exciting lunch at the Australian base camp or Deurali. From Deurali, the trail is rather relaxing as we walk via the thick forest. They are a few uphill and downhill walk before we reach forest camp for the night. Forest camp has about ten tea houses where we can get good food and comfortable sleep.

Day 4: Trek to Low Camp

- Altitude: 2540 m
- Duration: 3 to 4 hours

After the long day of the walk to the forest camp, the 4th day of the Mardi

Himal Base Camp trek is rather relaxing and fun. We enjoy a leisure-ish breakfast at forest camp and then start walking. After half an hour, we stop at a viewpoint for the mountain Panorama. Now as we walk upwards in the forest, the Mardi Himal trail is not marked well. So, make sure that you listen to your guide carefully. We reach Low camp at about 1 p.m. Although many trekkers prefer to head towards Low Camp on the same day, we let our acclimatize. MyEverestTrip Mardi Himal Trek Itinerary is quite relaxing.

Day 5: Trek to High Camp

- Altitude: 3580 m
- Duration: 4 hours

Since the walking duration from Low Camp to High camp of Mardi Himal Peak is only about 4 to 5 hours, we start the walk quite late in the morning. After breakfast at low camp, we start walking uphill. The forest has now changed into different kinds of landscapes with small glasses all around. On a newly made stone path, we climb beyond the middle camp and see the amazing mountain views before us. From about 2 to 3 pm, we find ourselves resting in one of the most beautiful hotels available at High Camp. It's amazing that locals have built such a comfortable hotel even in the rough landscape of mountains at high camp.

Day 6: Trek to Mardi Base Camp/ viewpoint and back

- Altitude: 3580 m
- Duration: 5 hours

Today is the most challenging day of your Mardi Himal Base Camp trek. We wake up at around 3:30 or 4:00 a.m. to climb up to the Mardi upper viewpoint before sunrise. If you manage to climb the tough hill from high camp to the Mardi viewpoint with the help of a flashlight, you will be at the viewpoint before Sunrise. The views of entire mountain vistas turning Golden in the morning are the most amazing sight of **Annapurna**, Fishtail, and Mardi during the trek.

From the upper viewpoint, we can either walk to the Base Camp or return back to the high camp. Walk to base camp is about 3 hours from the viewpoint and the views of the mountains are not that clear, so many trekkers prefer to skip it. However, we suggest that you climbed up to the base camp and then walk back to the high camp in the daytime. You might want to carry some food in your handbag as there are no restaurants beyond high camp. As you return back to the high camp we have our lunch and the rest of our snacks. We will start to return only tomorrow.

Day 7: Trek to Phedi and Drive to Pokhara

- Altitude: 800 meters
- Duration: 5 hours walk and 2-hour drive

Keep your knees strong as you have a long walking day today. We walk all the way from high camp to low camp and then start walking towards Phedi. The Mardi Himal

trail leading to Phedi is quite steep and you need to be very careful about the falling rocks. After 4 to 5 hours of the walk, we finally cross Modi Khola and reach Phedi. At Phedi, a private Jeep will be waiting for us. The Jeep shall drive us to Pokhara in less than two hours. Plus, in the evening, you will find yourself enjoying the vibrant streets of Lakeside once again.

Day 8: Drive to Kathmandu

- Duration: 8 hours ride

As the journey approaches the end, our plan for the 8th day of the Mardi Base Camp trek is to drive back to Kathmandu. After breakfast at our hotel in Pokhara, we hop into the tourist bus that shall drive along the Prithvi highway. Witnessing the awesome Trishuli River and the lush soft tropical forest, we reach Pokhara to Kathmandu by evening. Even then, you shall have some time for shopping and roaming up around Thamel. In the evening, we shall all gather for short interaction and a farewell dinner.

Day 9: Departure

Today, you fly back to your respective country, it's your final morning in Nepal. Inform us about your flight schedule so that we can send you a car to the airport. We wish you a safe journey home and probably we will meet again.

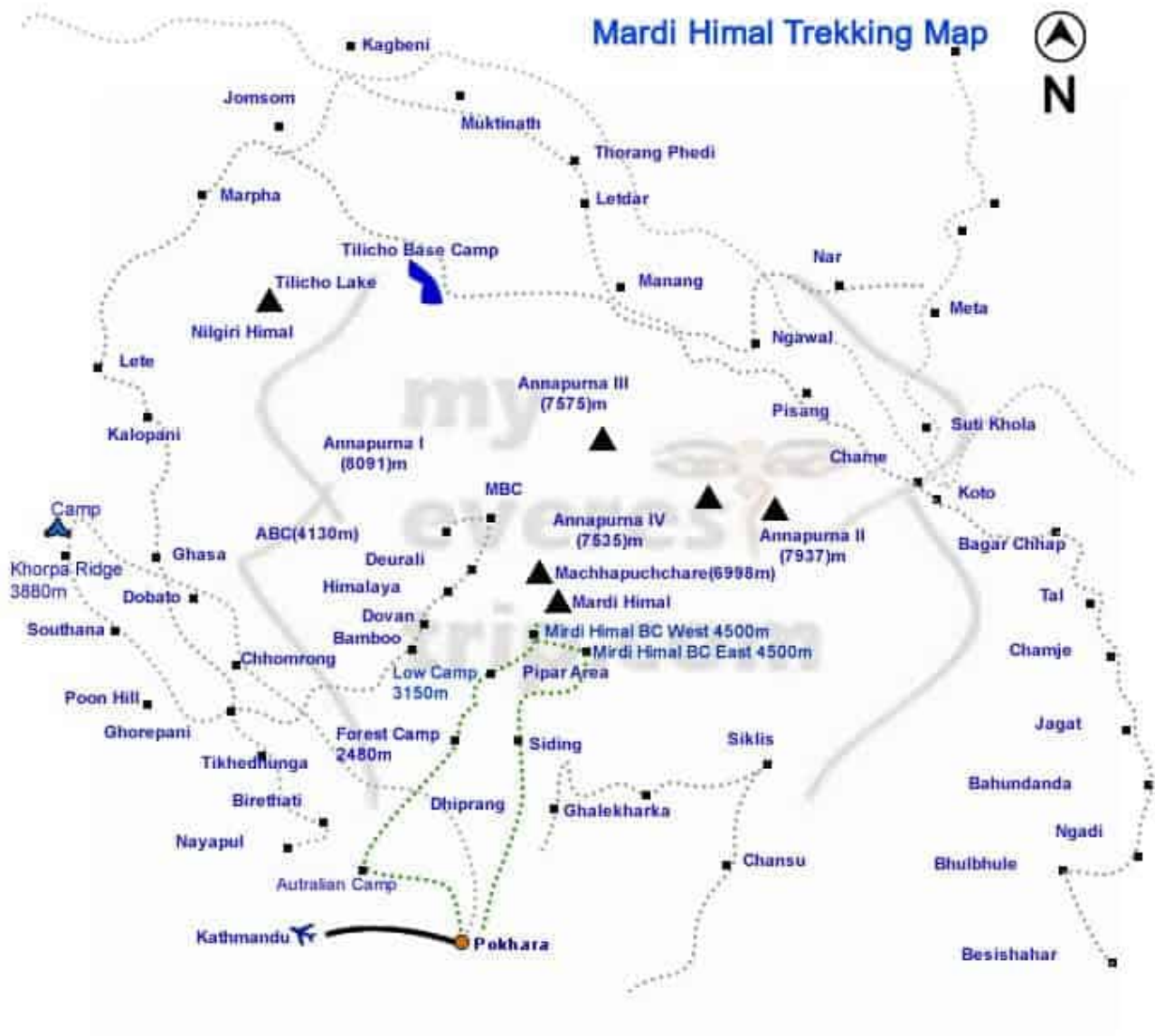
What's included

- Airport/hotel pick up and drop off by private car
- At least two nights 3-star hotel in Kathmandu and Pokhara Bed and Breakfast plan
- Meals on full board (breakfast, lunch, and dinner) in the whole trekking
- Trekking map
- An experienced Government license holder guide
- Trekking porter/Sherpa who will carry your bags during the trekking
- Insurance, salary, equipment, transportation, local tax for guide and porter
- Group medical supplies (first aid kit will be available)
- All necessary paper works and national park entry permits
- Travel and rescue arrangement
- TIMS (Trekking Information Management System)
- All government taxes and tourist service charge

What's not included

- Meals in Kathmandu before and after trekking.
- Your travel insurance (Rescue)
- Nepal entry visa fee.
- Tips for trekking staff and driver
- Drinks (hot, cold, and alcoholic)
- Personal shopping and laundry etc
- Personal trekking equipment

Trip Map



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