

Naga Traditional New Year Festival 2009 (Lahae)

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As usual, there comes a new year festival in Naga Land in Myanmar. Although the program is same and pricy to follow it, we do have some fans.

12 Jan 2009

Chartered flight leaves Yangon at 6:30 Am. Stopover in Mandalay and to Khanti airport. Upon arrival, transfer by truck for ferry awaited on Chindwin River. On the other side of the river lies Sinthei village. Proceed by 4 x 4 off road pickups to Lahae enjoying the panoramic Naga Mountains. Lunch-box is served on pleasant Namsalain Stream. O/N in Lahae in Naga indigenous huts and dinner.

13 Jan 2009

After breakfast, observe villages and around on your own arrangement either by a car or on foot. Lunch boxes can be ordered in advance at the reception. An informative video featured on Naga is entertained after dinner. O/N in Lahae.

14 Jan 2009

Today, 'Pole Erection Ceremony' takes place from 9-11 Am. All guests are invited, of course. Lingering into the evening on the festival ground. O/N in Lahae.

15 Jan 2009

Opening Ceremony of Naga New Year at 8:30 Am just after your breakfast. You have your own seat on the ground to participate. Take pleasure 6:30-10:00 Pm near the bonfire entertained by Naga traditional dances enjoying their traditional food and wine. Free up yourself on the occasion. O/N in Lahae.

16 Jan 2009

Goodbye Lahae at 5:00 Am. Lunch box is served at Khamti. Fly back to Yangon via Mandalay. *End of service.*

Tour cost: USD 1350 per pax

Guide: K 600000

Transport: Chartered flight, 4 x 4 off road pickup, shuttle boat

Accommodation: Naga Traditional House

Meal: American Breakfast, Buffet Lunch and Dinner.

Deluxe transportation can be arranged Sinthe-Lahae-Sinthe round trip with extra charges. USD 750 per head.