BAIKALNATURE

Abramtsevo Artists Hike — Detailed description

Trip Length: Group: 6-12 Departure: Fixed Period: December - January

Trip overview

What about leaving the bustling city for a few days?

If you wish to enjoy walking in the countryside while learning more about Russian folk art, if you would like to discover places where Ilya Repinn, Gogol and Turgenev got inspired and you feel that you should awake the artist who sleeps in you, come and join us !

This getaway offers you the opportunity to mix Culture and Nature, Art and Walk.

You will leave Moscow in the evening, heading to Abramtsevo, where a car will drive you to your hotel.

The second day will be dedicated to the discovery of Abramtsevo Estate, artists colony where Russian folk art grew up in the 19th century. In the afternoon, we will hike in the beautiful nature surrounding the estate.

On the third day, we will head to Zhostovo, reknown center of Russian painted and varnished trays. A morning hike followed by the visit of the beautiful collection of painted trays will give you good inspiration to paint your own Russian tray!

Highlights

- Discover the charming Abramtsevo Estate, former center of Russian folk art
- Enjoy the beautiful nature and picturesque landscapes while hiking in Abramtsevo and Zhostovo surroundings
- A unique chance to create your own Russian folk tray in Zhostovo

Tour type

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Difficulty

Moderately Easy - 1-3 hours of physical activity daily

Comfort

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Program

Day 1 — -

Day 2 — -

Day 3 — -

Departures

New departures available soon

Note

What's included

Уникальный внутренний номер документа: 1077558

Price includes

- English-speaking guide
- Russian-spaking guide
- Accommodation as per itinerary
- Transport a per itinerary
- Visa invitation and registration of passports (for foreign citizens, if necessary)
- Letter of invitation
- Railway tickets

Price does not include

- Meals as per itinerary
- Personal expenses and tips
- Visa fees and travel insurance
- Optional activities

Recommended checklist

underwear, socks (several pairs)
pants, long sleeve jacket/tracksuit
sleeping bag
winter (down) jacket and warm pants (windproof and waterproof) / winter suit
thermal underwear
fleece jacket/sweater with collar
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Meals

In the canteen at the inns, fresh local products.
If you are a vegetarian or have any particular preferences, please let us know, so we could adapt the menu.

Visa

You need a tourist visa to travel to Russia. It can be issued for a maximum period of 30 days. Your passport has to be valid for at least six months after the expiry date of your visa and to have at least two blank pages.

BaikalNature offers visa support and has created "BaikalNature letter of invitation" package. If you buy a BaikalNature tour, this package is absolutely free; when you buy any other BaikalNature service, you will have to pay for this package.
For questions regarding obtaining an electronic visa, please contact your tour manager.

Money

The Russian currency is ruble. The cost of travel and other services is always fixed in rubles. Please note that cards from foreign banks do not work in Russia at the moment. Tourists can obtain a bank card from a Russian bank in advance or travel with cash. If you have euros or dollars with you, exchange offices will allow you to change them easily in the cities. It is also worth noting that the exchange rate at airports is usually not the most favorable. It is better to exchange in big cities (you can check the current exchange rate online). Important! Only new banknotes without defects or any traces are accepted for exchange.

Tipping

All persons who compose the BaikalNature travel team (guides, drivers, cooks, etc.) are paid a decent wage for their services and do not expect any tips from you. So you have no obligation to leave anything. If you really want to express your satisfaction by leaving a gratuity, and if it is in foreign currency, be aware that torn or glued coins and banknotes cannot be exchanged. Anyway, thank you for your tips, left at your discretion in envelopes.

Health

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No compulsory vaccination.
It is advisable to keep the following vaccines valid:

- diphtheria,
- tetanus,
- Polio.

Tick-borne encephalitis is present in areas of forest, taiga where ticks are the carriers of encephalitis between May and July. As of August, they are no longer carrying the virus. If you do not get vaccinated, you should follow the basic precautions, including:

- protective clothes
- use of repellents
- daily check of the skin.

It is also possible to take out special insurance covering the analysis of the insect and vaccines.

Legal Mentions

Professional Guarantees: BaikalNature LLC (ООО "БайкалНейче"), United Federal Register of Tour Operators number: RTO 009402. Financial Guarantee: "Gaide insurance company" JSC (АО "Страховая компания Гайде"). Insurance contract N 4875/2422-49 from August 6, 2024. Amount of coverage: 500 000 RUB. Legal and actual address: BaikalNature LLC, 55 Dekabrskikh Sobyti Str., office 204.1 664007 Irkutsk Russia

Travel Insurance

In addition to your personal insurance, you have an opportunity to purchase local insurance. Please, do not hesitate to ask us about our services.

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