

1) Ata Beyit memorial complex + Ala Archa national park



Itinerary: Bishkek – Ata Beyit Memorial Complex – Ala Archa Gorge – Bishkek.

Difficulty level: Easy to Moderate

Starts at : 09:00 (approx.)

Finishes at : 16:00 (approx.)

Duration: 7 hrs.

Drive to the Ata Beyit Memorial Complex dedicated for the victims of Stalin’s Repressions, where your touring guide will tell interesting chronology of Kyrgyz Government and outstanding people in it. The Ata- Beyit Memorial Complex is also dedicated to the victims of Revolt against Tsarist Empire in 1916, and victims of 2010 Revolution. Further drive to Ala-Archa National Park.

The park was created in 1976 and occupies about 2,200 hectares just 45km from the capital. Ala-Archa National Park was created to protect the fragrant multicolored *archa*-- juniper, which grows abundantly in the gorge. Ala-Archa is translated from Kyrgyz language as “ motley (or bright) juniper”, and once you have hiked in the gorge with its velvet green slopes, stony mountain rivers and towering peaks, you will understand why. Along the way you can stop for a nice picnic in a shady grove of larch and pine trees. This beautiful area offers opportunities for everyone from weekend picnickers to mountain climbers. Only about an hour outside the capital of Bishkek, the valley is high in the crest of the Kyrgyz Ala-Too and contains several majestic peaks including 4380 m Dvurogaya, 4860 m Korona, 4700 m Baylyanbaish, and the highest in the Kyrgyz Ala-Too, 5875 m Semenov-Tian-Shansky. Leave Bishkek for the Ala-Archa National Park. Return to Bishkek late afternoon.

Price is \$ 50 per person (in the group from 3 persons).

What is included:

- Hotel Pick-up & drop-off
- Entrance fees as per itinerary
- Vehicle
- Guiding
- Lunch box

2) Burana Tower + Issyk-Ata hot springs



Itinerary: Bishkek – Burana Tower – Hot Springs in Issyk-Ata Gorge – Bishkek.

Difficulty level: Easy

Starts at: 09:00 (approx.)

Finishes at: 18:00 (approx.)

Duration: 8-9 hrs.

In the morning at 9 o'clock leave Bishkek for Tokmok town(60km away), where we will visit ancient ruins of Balasagyn city(9-12cent of BC), located on Great Silk Road and spend 1 hour looking around stone figurines named Balbal, climbing to Burana Tower. Balasagyn was a city in the Chuy region during the Karakhanid Khanate. Excavations have revealed that the double walls of the settlement enclosed 30 sq km, including a fortress, many workshops, bazaars, a bathhouse, and a plot of arable land. Water brought by a large pipe from a neighboring canyon. As the Karakhanid rule was shaken by Mongol invasions, Balasagyn began a slow decline, eventually becoming a ghost town in the 15th century. After Burana visit welcome to the local house. Tasty lunch will be prepared by local farmer. After lunch drive to Issyk-Ata Gorge, about 30 km, approximately 1 hours drive. You may do a short hiking to the waterfall. And there is a good opportunity to take a warm bath with the warm thermal water at the "Issyk-Ata" Health Resort. On the stone wall you may see the drawing of the Buddha. Return to Bishkek late afternoon along the mountain road, 70 km, 1,5 hours.

Price is \$ 75 per person (in the group from 3 persons)

What is included:

- Hotel Pick-up & drop-off
- Entrance fees as per itinerary
- Vehicle

- Guiding
- Lunch

3) Bishkek city tour + Osh bazaar



Itinerary: City center and Osh Bazaar.

Difficulty level: Easy

Starts at: 09:00 / 14.00 (approx.)

Finishes at: 14:00 / 19.00 (approx.)

Duration: 5 hrs.

City tour in Bishkek with visiting the following buildings: Victory Square, Tsum Center, Opera and Ballet Building, Oak Park, Erkindik Boulevard, Open Air Art Gallery, Central Square Ala-Too, monument to Chingiz Aitmatov, Old Square, monument to Lenin, Panfilov Park, White House, Monument to Revolution, Philharmonic Hall Building, Monument to Manas, and the famous oriental Osh bazaar.

Price is \$ 35 per person (in the group from 3 persons)

What is included:

- Hotel Pick-up & drop-off
- Vehicle

- Guiding

Not included:

- Meals
- Entrance fees to museums