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## GOLF In ALMATY & BAKU

### HIGHLIGHTS

Zhailjau Golf/ Nurtau Golf/ Dreamland Golf/ Old City / Nizami Street / shopping / Bibi-Heybat Mosque / Private transportation / English speaking guides / daily meals / Visa

#### DAY 01

#### WELCOME TO ALMATY | KOK TOBE NIGHT TOUR

15:50 Hrs

Welcome to Almaty!! After clearing custom & immigration procedures followed by baggage collection, you will be met by our English speaking office staff in the arrivals hall.

16:50 Hrs

Our team will escort the group to their vehicle. Proceed to your hotel. Upon arrival at the hotel group will check-in to their respective rooms.

20:00 Hrs

Enjoy dinner at Indian restaurant.

21:30 Hrs

#### VISIT TO KOK TOBE HILL

KokTobe is the highest point in the city of Almaty standing on a 1100 m hill at the south-east edge of the city. It is worth a visit to KokTobe because of its panoramic view of the city from all directions. To reach the KokTobe hill, one should take a cable car ride which starts near Hotel Kazakhstan and goes over some of the oldest parts of Almaty and the magnificent fruit growing gardens. Once you reach the KokTobe hill, you would see the famous 372 m high TV Tower which is visible from far and offers great views of the mountains and the city plus many attractions at the top including many restaurants serving cuisines from across the globe.

DAY 02		TEE-OFF AT "ZHAILJAU"	
07:00 – 10:00 Hrs		Breakfast at the hotel.	
10:00 Hrs		<p>Proceed to Tee-Off at the "<b>Zhailjau</b>" 18 hole golf course. Zhailjau was designed by the late Arnold Palmer and is one of two courses in Almaty. The course is typical parkland with quite some change in elevation, large greens and many water hazards. The views of the snow-capped peaks of the Tian Shan mountains are truly spectacular.</p>	
14:00 Hrs		Lunch at Indian restaurant.	
18:00 Hrs		Return to the hotel for relaxation & free time.	
20:00 Hrs		Enjoy dinner at Indian restaurant.	

DAY 03		TEE-OFF AT "NURTAU"	
07:00 – 10:00 Hrs		Breakfast at the hotel.	
10:00 Hrs		<p>Proceed to Tee-Off at the "<b>Nurtau</b>" 18 holes golf course. The construction of Golf Club "Interlyuks" began in 1995 and in 1996 it opened as a 9-hole golf course. Being very popular, in 2003, it was expanded to an 18-hole course and renamed the Nurtau Golf Club.</p>	
14:00 Hrs		Lunch at Indian restaurant.	
15:00 Hrs		<p><b>PANFILOV PARK &amp; ZENKOV CATHEDRAL</b></p> <p>Its Almaty's most popular strolling and picnic places for people of all ages. The Park is named and dedicated to the Panfilov Heroes who were 28 soliders of an Almaty Infantry. Their memories are etched at the fearsome war memorial east of the Zenkov Cathedral which depict soliders from all 15 soviet republics on the map of USSR. The Park is lush green area and it's a good place to sit, rest, relax and see the bustling sights of the city.</p> <p>'<b>ZenkovCathedral</b>',is one of the most beautiful, magnificent and architectural monument of the city of Almaty with the height of 56 meters and is located in the green Panfilov Park of Almaty. A. Zenkov had supervised the construction of this cathedral in the early 19th century and legend goes that it was built without a single nail. But unfortunately, it's not true. Although the design is remarkably unique but it's because of the advanced technological expertise of that time. They used the construction concept of Semi ruche which meant using of reinforced concrete, timber preservation and ventilation.</p>	
20:00 Hrs		Enjoy dinner at Indian restaurant.	

DAY 04 GOOD BYE ALMATY   WELCOME BAKU!	
07:00 – 10:00 Hrs	Breakfast at the hotel.
13:10 Hrs	It's time to say good-bye to this beautiful city. Our driver will pick you up from the hotel and transfer you to the airport for your flight home or to an onward destination.
14:50 Hrs	You will be greeted by our team at the arrival hall. Transfer to hotel.
15:30 Hrs	Our team will escort the group to their vehicle. Proceed to your hotel. Upon arrival at the hotel group will check-in to their respective rooms.
18:00 Hrs	Return to the hotel for relaxation & free time.
21:00 Hrs	Enjoy dinner at Indian restaurant.

DAY 05 TEA OFF – DREAMLAND GOLF CLUB	
06:00 – 10:00 Hrs	Breakfast at the hotel.
09:00 Hrs	<p>Proceed to Tee-Off at the “<b>Dreamland Golf Club</b>” 1 Round - 8 holes golf course.</p> <p>Dreamland Golf Club is Baku's first and only golf course designed by famous American architect Cynthia Dye, from the leading architect firm Dye Designs. An 18-hole masterpiece, it provides a premium tournament golf experience with a refreshing Mediterranean feel in the Caucasus, for both exhilaration and enjoyment whatever your level of golf. Tapered fairways and well-bunkered greens provide challenges for experienced golfers, while the level landscaping gives beginners long-range views, which assist in directing their play. Located close to the Caspian Sea, prevailing winds provide unique and varied conditions, challenging new and experienced golfers each time they step on the course. Fantastic Full Year around Golf Academy gives a chance to try golf for kids and adults. Golf Tournaments allow people visiting Baku to play one and only Baku Golf Club and enjoy company of other golfers who enjoy discovering Azerbaijan</p>
14:00 Hrs	Lunch at Indian restaurant.
16:00 Hrs	<p><b>TOUR OF ICHERI SHEHER (OLD CITY)</b>  A city within the city. Icheri Sheher is the oldest residential area in Baku. It was declared a historical and cultural reserve in 1977, and was included in the UNESCO World Heritage List in 2000. By visiting Old City you may observe both how people live today and lived centuries ago in this area. The history of Old City goes to Bronze age. Mosques, Hamams, Karvansarays, Divans, Palaces and of course symbol of Baku - Maiden tower will welcome you during your trip here.</p>
18:00 Hrs	<p><b>NIZAMI STREET: A place full of enjoyment</b>  One of the hottest points of Baku is Nizami street, which hosts myriad of shops of worldwide brands, restaurants, cafes and coffee shops. The name comes from the huge number of shopping and entertainment facilities that are located here.</p> <p>Besides the shopping and entertainment facilities, Nizami street is famous for its buildings. The buildings located here are small and demonstrate architecture of 19th century. Another remarkable feature of the street is its lights. Nizami Street looks much brighter at night rather</p>

than in the daytime. Lots of lights are constructed on the buildings, which makes the building look even more beautiful at night. What's more, chandeliers that connect the buildings create a spectacular view of the city lights.

Nizami Street is famous for its restaurants as well. Here you can find traditional, Asian and European cuisine, as well as many famous brands such as Hard Rock Baku, Mc Donald's, KFC, and Entrée and so on. Popular coffee shops like Starbucks, Gloria Jeans, Coffee Shop Company are also located here. Additionally, most of the pubs in Baku is located in either Nizami Street (Targoviy) or just a few minutes far from it.

**20:00 Hrs** Enjoy dinner at Indian restaurant.

## **DAY 06** **TEA OFF – DREAMLAND GOLF CLUB**

**06:00 – 10:00 Hrs** Breakfast at the hotel.

**09:00 Hrs** Proceed to Tee-Off at the “**Dreamland Golf Club**” 1 Round - 18 holes golf course.

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**14:00 Hrs** **LUNCH AT INDIAN RESTAURANT**

**16:00 Hrs** **SHOPPING AT GENJLIK!**

With its grand central atrium and equally impressive external facades, Azerbaijan's largest shopping mall seamlessly blends form with function to deliver a premier shopping experience in a building that can be described as nothing less than a trophy property. Gross Internal Area 120,000 SM.

**20:00 Hrs** **DINNER AT INDIAN RESTAURANT**

## **DAY 07** **RETURN HOME**

**06:00 – 09:30 Hrs** Breakfast at the hotel.

**10:00 Hrs** **CHECK-OUT FORMALITIES.**

**10:15 Hrs** **BIBI-HEYBAT MOSQUE**

Our experienced and friendly guide will pick you up at your hotel. Get an early start to take in Azerbaijan's capital, Baku. Begin touring with a visit to the beautiful Bibi-Heybat Mosque, originally constructed in the 13th century in honour of the sister of Imam Ali. Today, it sits near one of Azerbaijan's first oil fields, which grew during the first oil boom in the late 19th and early 20th centuries.

**13:00 Hrs** **LUNCH AT INDIAN RESTAURANT**

**14:00 Hrs**

**TRANSFER TO THE AIRPORT**

It's time to say good bye! Your driver & vehicle will transfer you to the airport for your flight.