

AMAN-I-KHAS

Festive Itinerary 2025



We are delighted to welcome you and your family to Aman-i-Khás this festive season.

On the edge of Ranthambhore National Park, against the beautiful backdrop of the Aravalli Hills, our camp eagerly awaits your return from daily game drives and cultural excursions with a festive schedule of events specially curated to enhance your stay.

We wish you a memorable festive season and a very happy New Year.

Your Aman-i-Khás Family.



GIVING BACK

Aman properties around the world are an integral part of the communities in which they are set, providing unique insight into the lives and needs of each community. At this time of year, when reflection and counting our blessings go hand in hand with reaching out to those less fortunate, we are pleased to be able to share our local initiatives.

Black Clay Potters

Black clay pottery is famous in the region. To promote this craft, we offer tiles made by local artisans as turndown gifts for our guests. Our kitchen team dedicate themselves to training the artisans to make much-loved crockery items, developing a new avenue for their business.

Local Farmers

Aman-i-Khás works in close coordination with farmers in the local community to ensure that vegetable and herb supplies are sourced locally, encouraging the growers to adopt organic methods of farming.

Government Schools

Aman-i-Khás is proud to announce its partnership with local government schools and NGOs to support the education and wellbeing of students. Through our efforts, we have provided groceries, uniforms, school bags, stationery supplies, books and a water cooler to ensure access to drinking water.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Dussehra

02 OCTOBER

FESTIVE

ORGANIC FARM, 19:00

Dussehra marks the triumph of Lord Ram over Ravana, the demon king of Lanka who had abducted Ram's wife, Sita. With the support of his brother Lakshman, his devoted follower Hanuman, and an army of monkeys, Ram fought a ten-day battle to defeat Ravana and rescue Sita.

Join us at our camp farm as we honour this festival with the 'Ravan Dahan' ritual — the symbolic burning of Ravana's effigy, signifying the victory of good over evil.

Diwali: The Festival of Lights

21 OCTOBER

FESTIVE

THE LAWN, 18:30

Diwali spans five days, with the pivotal celebrations taking place on 21 October 2025. Families gather to worship Goddess Lakshmi, the Goddess of wealth, seeking spiritual cleansing and blessings.

At Aman-i-Khás, Diwali comes to life with the warm glow of hundreds of handmade diyas, symbolising the light of good prevailing over darkness. These house-crafted lamps welcome Goddess Lakshmi, dispelling negativity.

Join us for a puja ceremony on our lawn and afterwards, enjoy traditional sweets and a special festive menu.

Nature Walk

17 DECEMBER

WELLNESS

AMAN-I-KHÁS SURROUNDINGS, 08:00

Connect with the resort-embracing jungle, listen to the surrounding soundscape and foster a mindful bond with the natural world on this guided walk.

Bangle Making

17 DECEMBER

CULTURAL

KRIYA STUDIO, 11:00-15:00

Ram Babu and his Lakhera Tribe family craft traditional, multi-coloured lac bangles over fire using tree sap gum. During the festive period, guests are invited to witness their exquisite craftwork on-site and purchase their beautiful wares.



SPECIAL EVENTS

Christmas Cake Mixing

18 DECEMBER

FESTIVE
DINING TENT, 11:00

Observed around the world, the ritual of Christmas cake mixing is said to be a harbinger of good tidings and togetherness. We invite you to take part in this delightful tradition at our camp, accompanied by the soulful sounds of the ravanahatha – an ancient stringed instrument.

Nature Walk

19 DECEMBER

WELLNESS
AMAN-I-KHÁS SURROUNDINGS, 08:00

Connect with the resort-embracing jungle, listen to the surrounding soundscape and foster a mindful bond with the natural world on this guided walk.

Christmas Tree Decoration

22 DECEMBER

FESTIVE
COURTYARD, 15:00

Come together with our Aman-i-Khás family to decorate the Christmas tree and join our camp masala chai tea party, where carol singing gets festive proceedings in full swing.

A Talk About Marwari Horses

23 DECEMBER

CULTURAL
LAKESIDE, 15:00

Known for their loyalty and endurance in battle, Marwari horses are a proud symbol of Rajasthan's equestrian legacy. Learn about these noble companions with Mr. Vikram Singh Chauhan, founder of Maa Ashapura Farm, who has been active in the hospitality industry for over 15 years, and is an avid traveller, adventurer and nature lover.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Henna Art

24 DECEMBER

CULTURAL

THE LAWN, 11:00-13:00

Henna is a cherished part of Indian celebrations. We invite you to experience this beautiful custom with our artist, who will create a natural paste of dried henna leaf powder and lemon juice to use as 'ink', applying it to the skin in intricate patterns. These temporary designs fade after about a week.

Christmas Eve Dinner

24 DECEMBER

FESTIVE

19:30

Celebrate under the stars as our chefs present the 'Khas Khana', a special dinner served by your personal Batman. An ensemble of musicians fills the air with melodies from unique locally crafted instruments.

Christmas Day: Mass

25 DECEMBER

FESTIVE

NORTH INDIA CHURCH, 08:00

Just a 30-minute drive from camp, you will reach a Britishera Church, located in the middle of the town. Join the locals for their festive service, including Mass and carol singing.

Christmas Day: Picnic Barbecue Lunch

25 DECEMBER

CULINARY

LAWN, 12:00

Join us for a sun-dappled Christmas Day picnic lunch with delicious barbecued fare, Rajasthani folk music and dancing surrounded by the untamed wilderness.

Goat Milking

26 DECEMBER

FAMILY

VEGETABLE FARM, 16:00

Children and adults alike will enjoy making friends and milking our in-house goats, learning to use their fresh milk to prepare delicious Indian masala chai.



SPECIAL EVENTS

Cosmic Safari

27 DECEMBER

CULTURAL

VEGETABLE FARM, 19:30

Join us for a one-hour stargazing experience with an eight-inch Dobsonian telescope. Our experienced guide will provide insights into the celestial wonders above and answer your astronomical questions.

Nature Walk

28 DECEMBER

WELLNESS

AMAN-I-KHÁS SURROUNDINGS, 08:00

Connect with the resort-embracing jungle, listen to the surrounding soundscape and foster a mindful bond with the natural world on this guided walk.

Archery

28 DECEMBER

FAMILY

KRIYA STUDIO, 16:00

Hone your accuracy with this archery session – the perfect way to bring the family together in festive, friendly competition.

Block Printing

29 DECEMBER

CULTURAL

DASTKAR, 11:00

Learn the centuries-old art of Indian block printing with the skilled local artisans from Dastkar, located near Aman-i-Khás. Founded in collaboration with the Ranthambhore Foundation in 1981, this not-for-profit NGO supports traditional craftspeople in India.

New Year's Eve

31 DECEMBER

DINING

TERRACE, 19:30

Join us for an enchanting evening of celebration, culture and camaraderie. Sip festive cocktails, gather round the bonfire and enjoy traditional Rajasthani cultural performances under starlit skies, before savouring a traditional Khas Khan dinner to end 2025 on a high.

USD 200 plus taxes per adult | USD 75 plus taxes per child



SPECIAL EVENTS

New Year's Day: Picnic Barbecue Lunch

1 JANUARY

DINING

LAWN, 12:00

Join us for a sun-dappled New Year's picnic with delicious barbecued fare, Rajasthani folk music and dancing surrounded by the untamed wilderness.

New Year's Day: Wildlife Talk

1 JANUARY

CULTURAL

FIREPLACE, 19:00

Meet Mr Daulat Singh, a former forest officer and renowned tiger expert, who shares his wild tales and rescue mission stories around the fireplace.

Cosmic Safari Stargazing

2 JANUARY

CULTURAL

VEGETABLE FARM, 19:30

Join us for a one-hour stargazing experience with an eight-inch Dobsonian telescope. Our experienced guide will provide insights into the celestial wonders above and answer your astronomical questions.





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