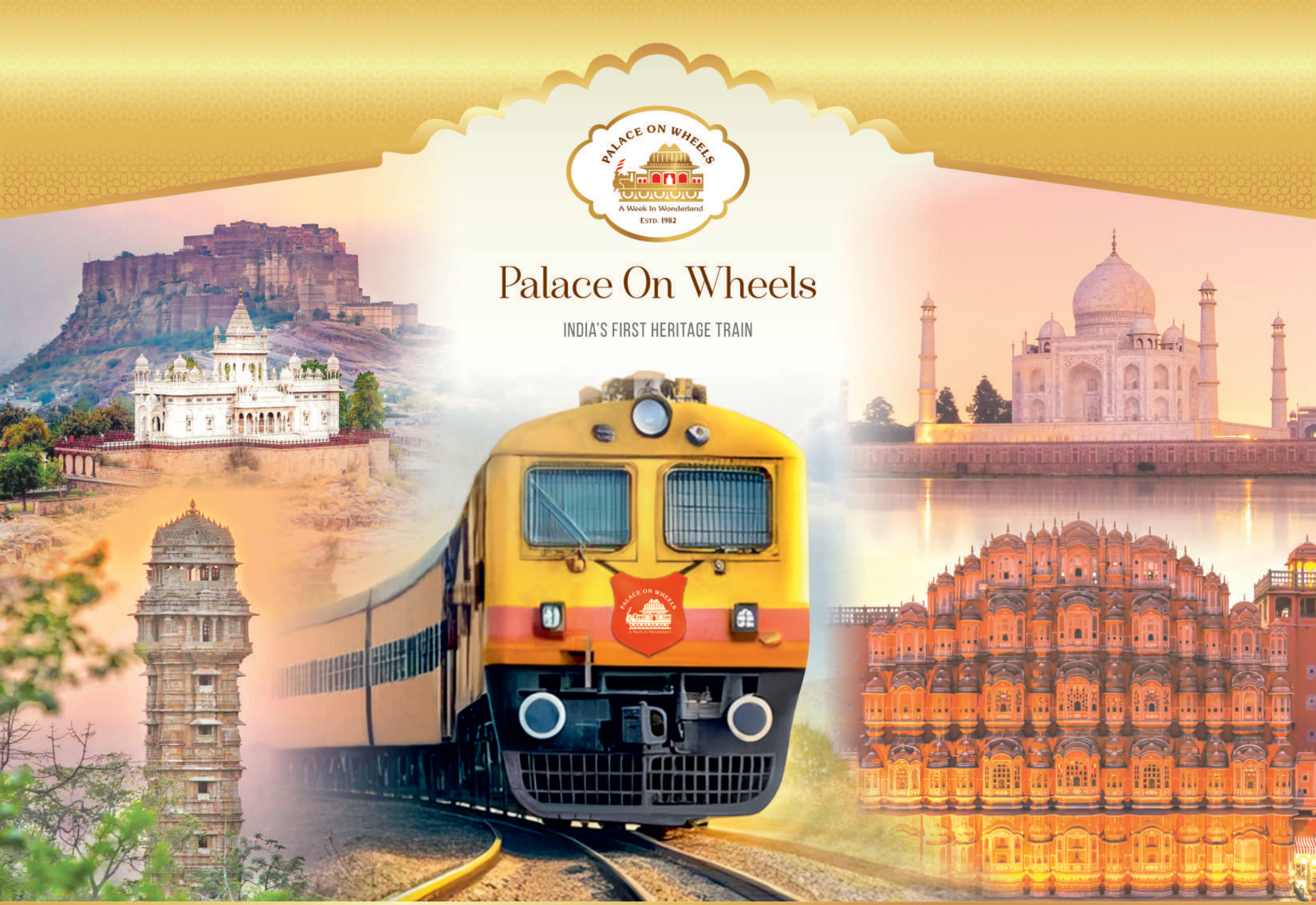


Palace On Wheels

INDIA'S FIRST HERITAGE TRAIN

An unforgettable luxurious journey through the heart of India



PALACE ON WHEELS

A Week In Wonderland

ESTD. 1982

The Palace on Wheels gives you the extraordinary opportunity to visit 7 out of the 9 - UNESCO World Heritage Sites in Rajasthan, along with a special trip to 1 of the 7 Wonders of the World — the Taj Mahal.

Traveling aboard this luxury train immerses you in the grandeur and heritage of India's most treasured landmarks.



This year, the

Palace On Wheels

Ranked as the 'Numero Uno' the best luxury train trip in the world by Conde Nast Traveller
(with a footprint of more than 1 Billion consumers)

The royal heritage of Rajasthan has been the discerning traveller's for years, and it has an enchanting past. Lavishly designed cabins, mirror royal chambers, and curated gourmet delights. Beyond luxury, it's a heartfelt embrace of Indian hospitality, ensuring each guest feels esteemed. Every moment aboard resonates with a blend of heritage and a warm welcome.


MAHARAJA RESTAURAN
PALACE ON WHEELS

26 January, 1982

The Palace on Wheels, India's premier luxury and heritage train, was introduced in 26th January, 1982 as a collaborative initiative between Indian Railways and the Rajasthan Tourism Development Corporation (RTDC). In just a few years, it has grown to be recognized globally, establishing itself as one of the finest luxury train experiences in the world.

Inspired by the royal legacy of its carriages — once the personal coaches of the noble rulers of Rajputana, Baroda, and the Nizam of Hyderabad — the Palace on Wheels transports travelers into the opulence of a bygone era. This train blends the timeless grandeur of royalty with the comforts of modern luxury, catering to both business and leisure travelers seeking an extraordinary experience.

Guests are treated to lavish cabins, exquisite service, and a dining experience that brings together fine cuisine with the natural essence of Indian hospitality - "Atithi Devo Bhava" - "अतिथि देवो भव:"

It is our mission to offer guests

enchanting journeys

that encapsulate the very essence of India offering unforgettable

royal and magical stays.

There is something so romantic about a train journey that even the most intrepid traveller finds himself getting carried away by the sense of adventure accompanying most train journeys. There are many wonderful long train journeys, of course, all of them touched with a mystique of romance and excitement, but a journey par excellence is a trip on board the Palace on Wheels.


BREAKFAST MENU
Choice of Juices /Cornetti
Choice of Cereals
Choice of Fresh Fruits
Breakfast Rolls
Preserves
Eggs to Order
Ham, Bacon, Sausages
Hot Food
Tea/Coffee




PALACE ON WHEELS




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Savour culinary delights

The rich culinary repertoire at the Palace on Wheels seduces the palate with everything from the royal kitchens to traditional Indian to contemporary fine dining

at

" Sheesh Mahal Restaurant "

and

" Swarn Mahal Restaurant "

offers a Rajasthani ambiance, serving a delightful mix of

Continental, Chinese, Indian, and Rajasthani cuisines.

Sheesh Mahal Restaurant



Swarn Mahal Restaurant



CABINS AND SUITES



SUPER DELUXE CABIN



SUITE CABIN



DELUXE CABIN

LOUNGE AREA





BAR - SWARN MAHAL



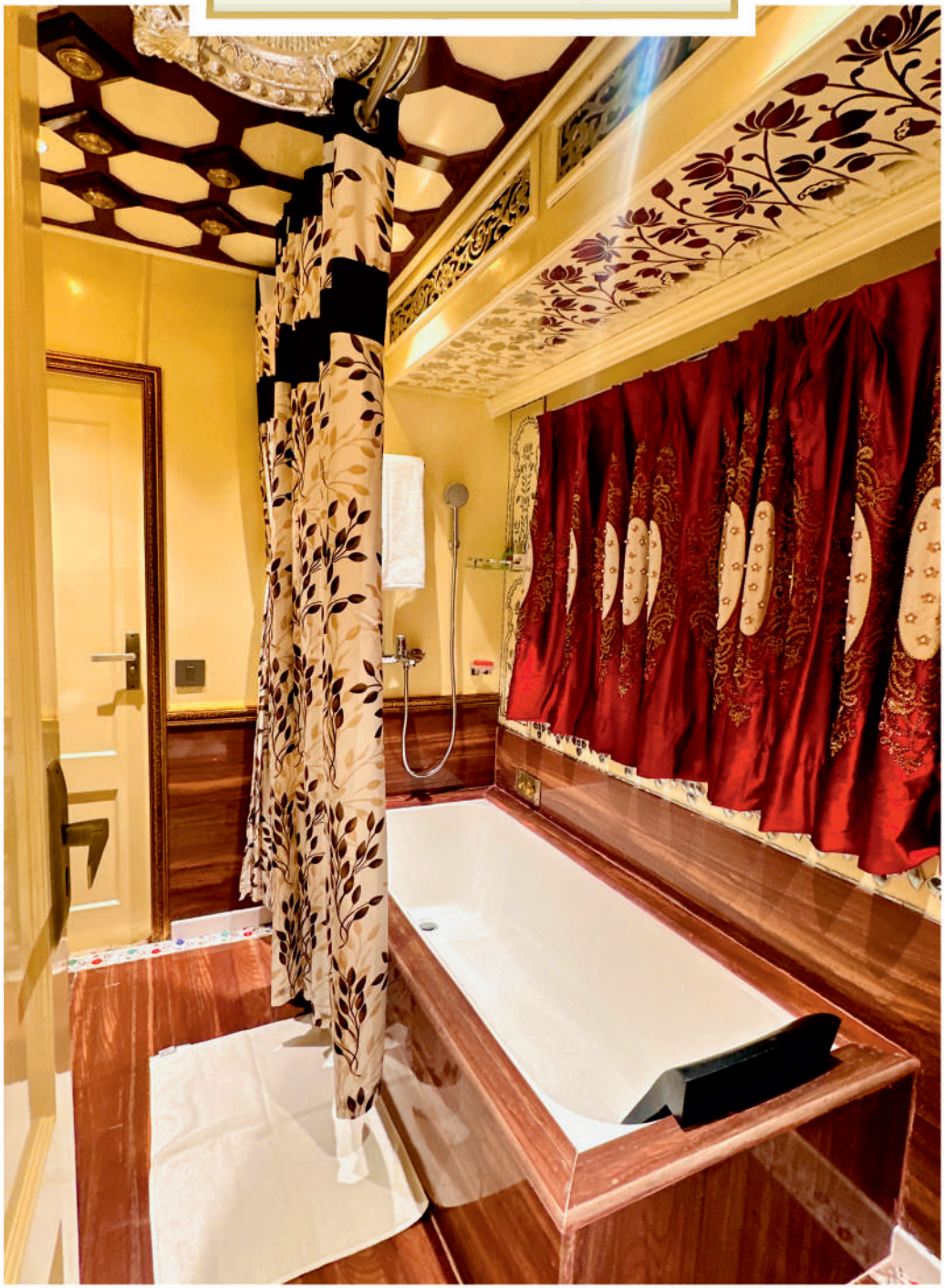
BAR - SHEESH MAHAL

PRESIDENTIAL SUITE





PRESIDENTIAL SUITE



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A majestic journey that reflects regal elegance,

taking you on a voyage through history and heritage.



Day 1

New Delhi

The magical tour begins in the evening with a ceremonial welcome aboard the Palace on Wheels at Safdarjung Station in New Delhi.

Guests are greeted with garlands, a traditional tilak, the melodious sounds of Shehnai, and a welcome drink.

You'll be introduced to your fellow travelers; feel free to explore this magnificent palace on wheels and familiarize yourself with its various facilities. Relax with a drink at the bar. Dinner will be served onboard in the two exquisite restaurants.





ALBERT HALL MUSEUM



HAWA MAHAL



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JANTAR MANTAR



CITY PALACE

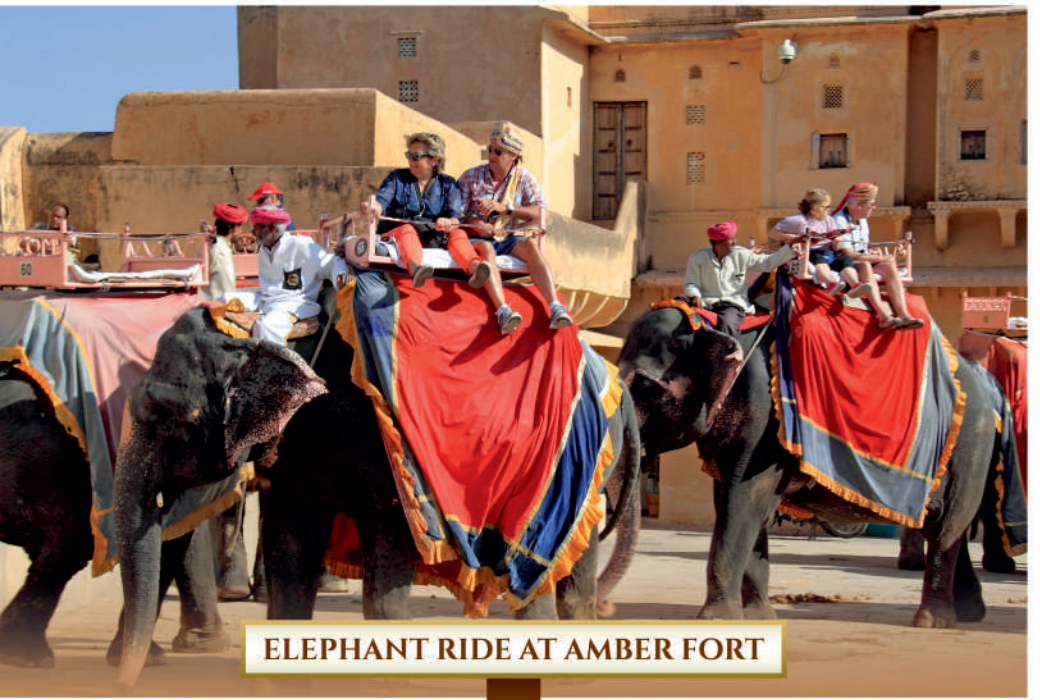
Day 2

Jaipur

The Pink City

Your journey begins at the **Albert Hall Museum**, showcasing the rich cultural heritage of Rajasthan. Next, witness the iconic facade of the **Hawa Mahal**, followed by the precise astronomical instruments at '**Jantar Mantar**' (one of the amazing 'UNESCO' World Heritage Sites in Rajasthan). The tour proceeds to the **City Palace**, once home to the erstwhile rulers, now a meticulously maintained museum blending Rajput and Mughal architecture.

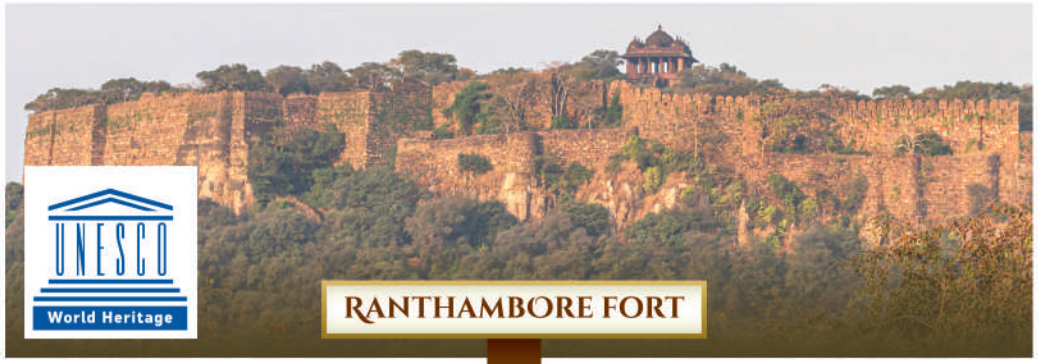
Enjoy an elephant ride up to the magnificent '**Amber Fort**' (one of the most remarkable World Heritage Site in Rajasthan), experiencing the splendid architectural fusion firsthand. There's ample time for shopping in this city, known as a shopper's paradise. Dinner is onboard as the Palace on Wheels prepares for its next destination.



ELEPHANT RIDE AT AMBER FORT



AMBER FORT



RANTHAMBORE FORT





RANTHAMBORE NATIONAL PARK

Day 3

Ranthambore - Sawai Madhopur

The Land of Tigers

Ranthambore National Park is spread over an area of 392 sq. km., comprised of dry deciduous forest sprawling over an undulating terrain of **Aravali** and **Vindhyachal** Ranges. The park is one of the finest Tiger Reserves in the country under the project Tiger. The majestic predators, assured of protection, roam freely during the daytime and can be seen sometimes from close quarters. Besides this, a large number of other wild animals and pretty birds can be spotted during the visit. Another interesting monument here is the 1000-year-old - **'Ranthambore Fort'** (one of the 'UNESCO' World Heritage Sites in Rajasthan) which is of great historical importance to be viewed from a distance. Breakfast and Lunch are on board Palace on Wheels.





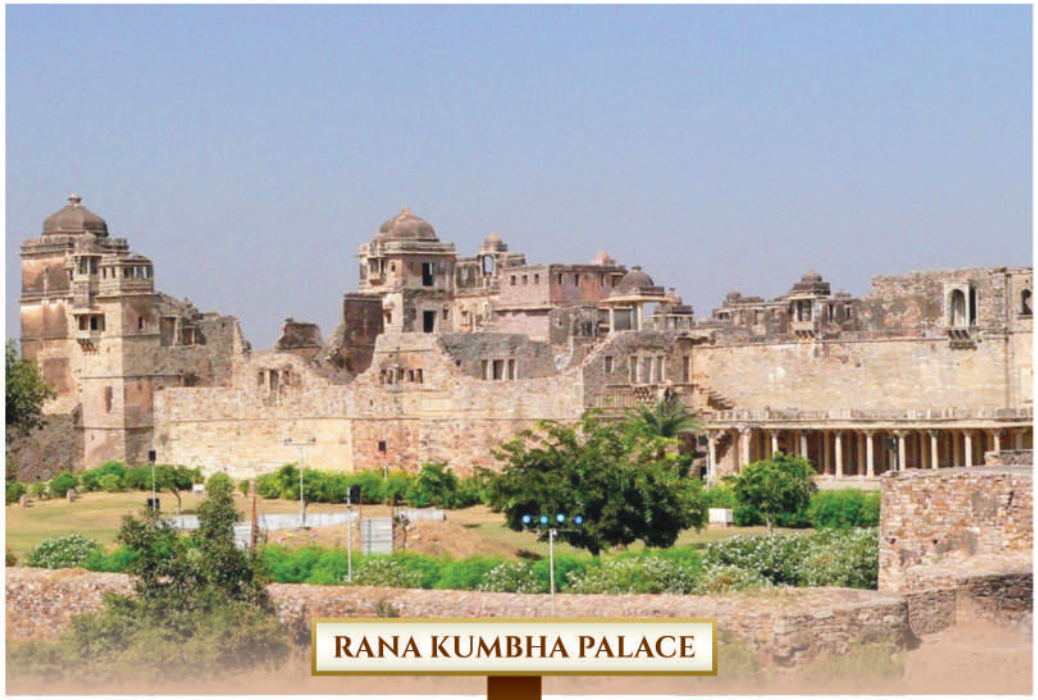

UNESCO
World Heritage
CHITTORGARH FORT

Day 3

Chittorgarh

The Symbol of Sacrifice and Bravery

'Chittorgarh Fort' (one of the 'UNESCO' most famous World Heritage Sites in Rajasthan) was built by various rulers during the 5th to 8th century period, this fort covers an area of 680 acres. The fort is accessible through seven gates. Important places here are Rana Kumbha Palace, Padamini's Palace, Vijay Stambh, and various temples and kunds. Witness the breathtaking sunset that adds to the fort's grandeur. Enjoy the light and sound show at the fort, followed by dinner onboard.



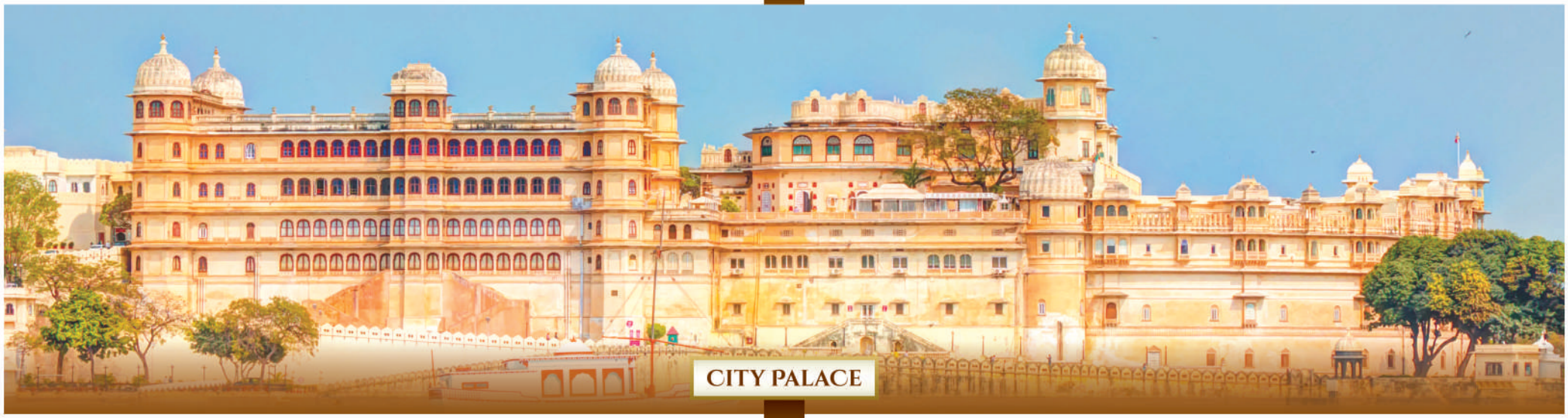
RANA KUMBHA PALACE



RANI PADMINI PALACE



JAG MANDIR PALACE



CITY PALACE

Day 4

Udaipur

The City of Lakes and Palaces

Udaipur is also known as the **City of Lakes**. Maharana Udai Singh founded this new kingdom after he moved here from Chittorgarh. Start the day with a good breakfast. Lunch is at a 5-star Hotel where you can enjoy a view of the beautiful Lake. Site-seeing will include **City Palace** visit to the famed Crystal Gallery where you can see a collection of the most amazing crystal objects that are on display. Enjoy a boat ride before you head back to the train.



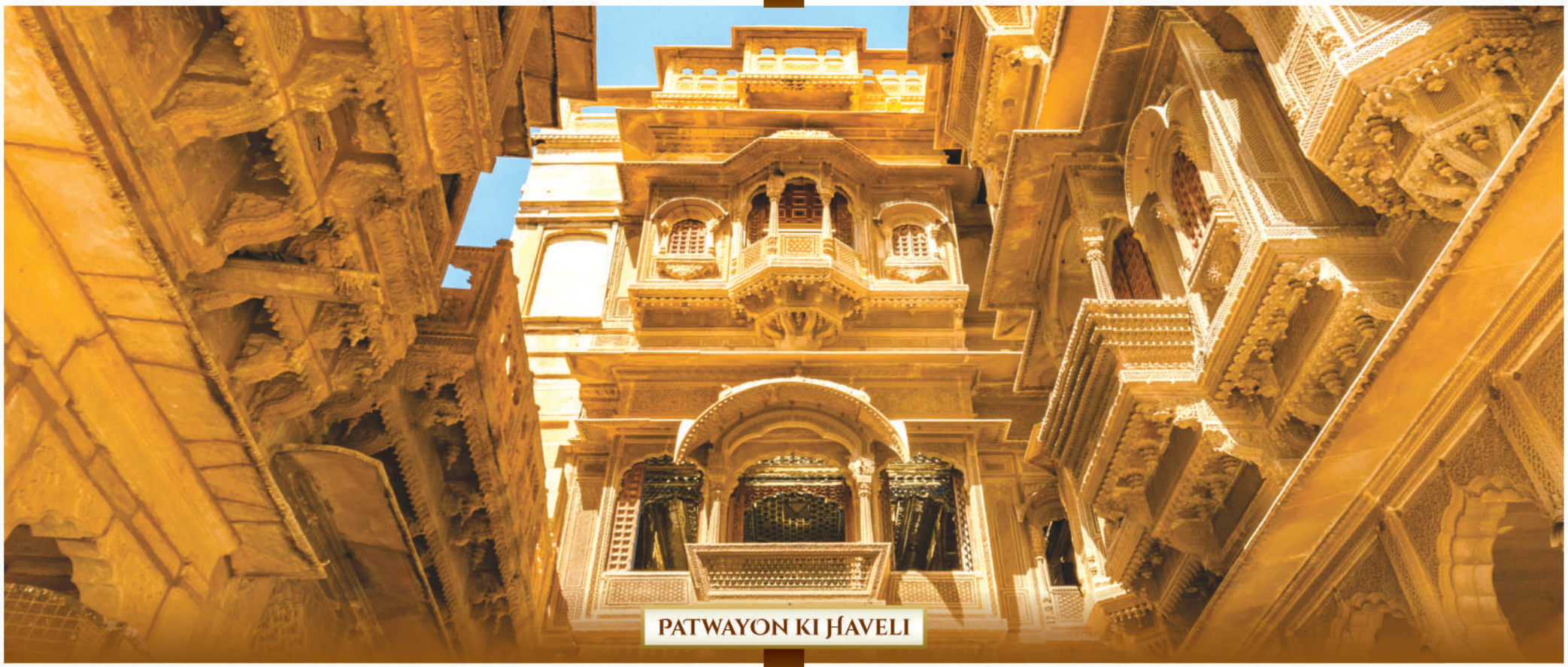
CRYSTAL GALLERY



LAKE PICHOLA



JAISALMER FORT



PATWAYON KI HAVELI

Day 5

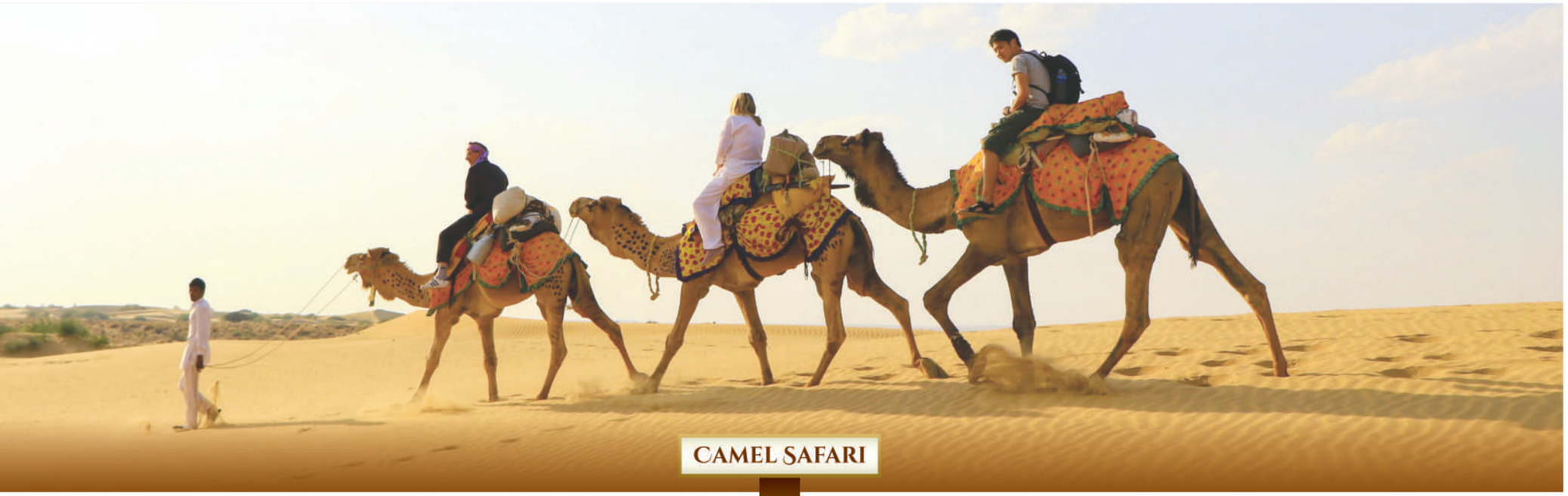
Jaisalmer

The Jewel of the Desert

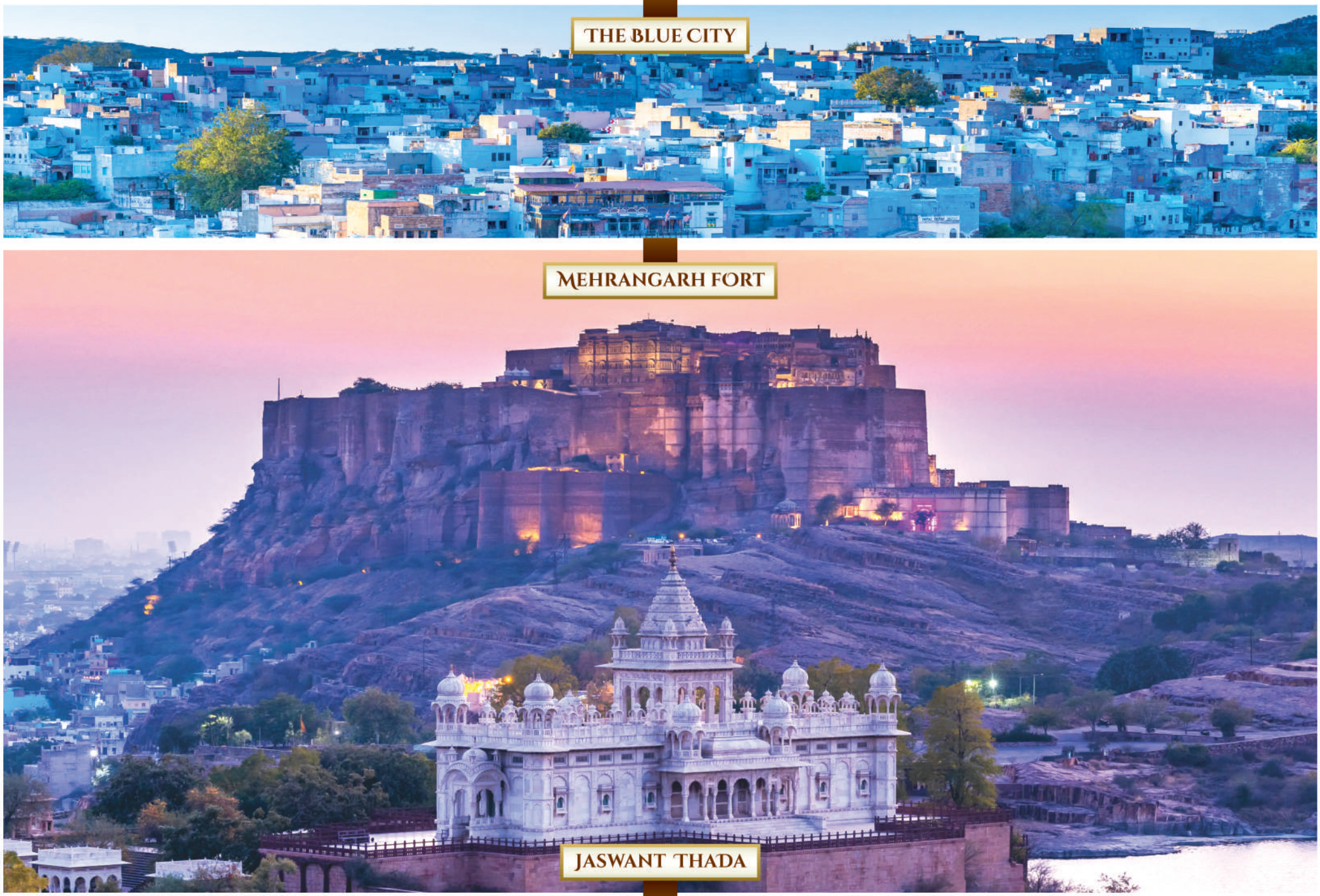
In the heart of the Thar Desert lies Jaisalmer, a city founded by Rawal Jaisal in AD 1156, renowned for its stunning **'Jaisalmer Fort'**, also known as Sonar Quila (one of the 'UNESCO' most impressive World Heritage Sites in Rajasthan). This golden fort, made of yellow sandstone, is a living monuments,UNESCO World Heritage Site and a living monument where locals still reside.

Start your day with a sumptuous breakfast aboard the Palace on Wheels, enjoying a variety of freshly prepared delicacies in a serene atmosphere.

As you explore Jaisalmer, marvel at the intricately carved havelis before enjoying a delicious lunch onboard Palace On Wheels. Afterward, experience an exciting camel ride on the sweeping dunes of Sam, followed by a captivating cultural performance and a campfire dinner at a 5-star hotel, where the enchanting desert charm will leave you spellbound.



CAMEL SAFARI


THE BLUE CITY
MEHRANGARH FORT
JASWANT THADA

Day 6

Jodhpur

The Sun City

Early the next morning, the Palace on Wheels arrives in the sun-city Jodhpur. Jodhpur was established in AD 1459. It is a land of majestic and mystic glory. A panoramic view of the city gives it a unique charm as it appears to have been painted in soft blue shades - like a painter's masterstroke. A visit to the **Mehrangarh Fort** will leave you awe-struck, this majestic fort has an excellent museum and still preserves a vast array of artifacts.

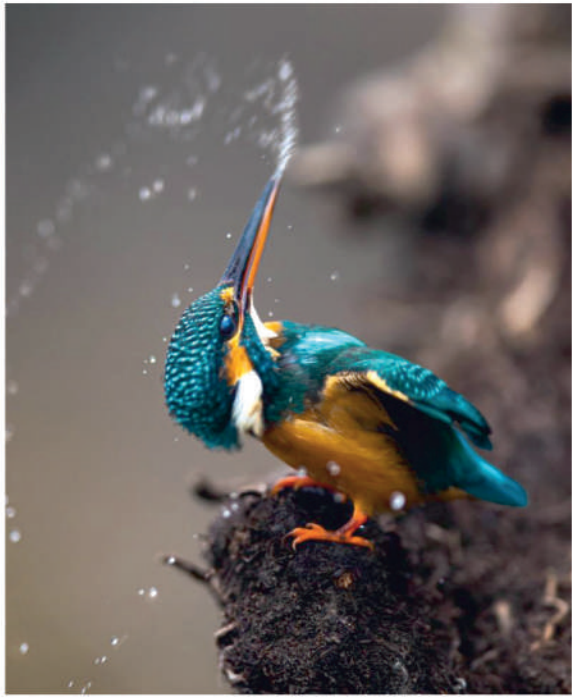
See the country's only palace built in the 20th century - a fine specimen of Rajput architecture viz the lavish **Umaid Bhawan Palace**. The mesmerizing royal charm will linger on as you leave Jodhpur, after lunch at the palace hotel.



UMAID BHAWAN PALACE







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KEOLADEV BIRD SANCTUARY

Day 7

Bharatpur

Lively Bird Sanctuary

Early the next morning, the Palace on Wheels arrives in Bharatpur, the capital of the erstwhile ruler, Maharaja Suraj Mal. Start your day with a visit to one of the finest bird sanctuaries in the world, the famous '**Keoladeo Ghana National Park**' (one of the 'UNESCO' most visited World Heritage Sites in Rajasthan). It is the nesting place of Egrets, Siberian Cranes, migratory Waterfowl, and other species of birds - over 400 species, many of them migrants that come from as distant as Siberia and China. After that, visit the **Lohagarh Fort**, surrounded by water on all four sides, and enjoy breakfast inside the **Mahal Khaas Palace** itself.



LOHAGARH FORT



MAHAL KHAAS PALACE

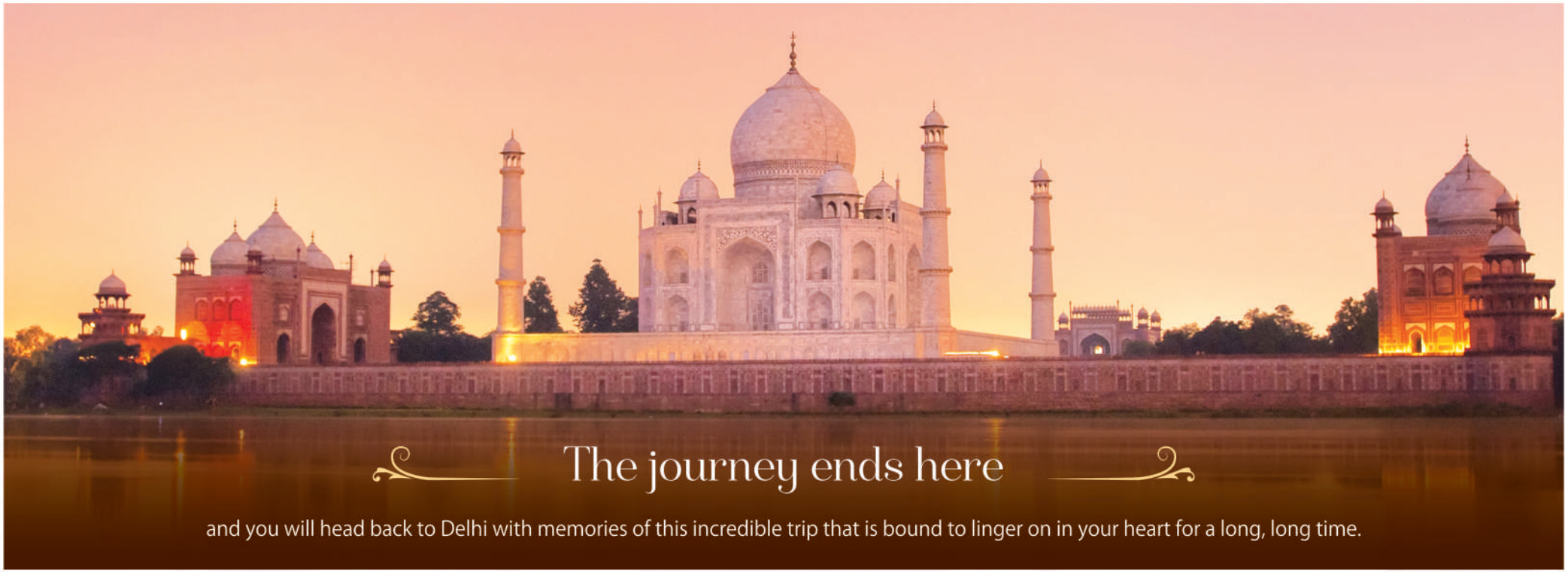

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TAJ MAHAL

Day 7

Agra

Taj Mahal - a famous monument of eternal love

The **Taj Mahal** (one of the 'UNESCO' most visited World Heritage Sites in India and 1 out of 7 wonders in the world), a marble mausoleum built in memory of his beloved Empress by Mughal Emperor Shah Jahan, is the greatest gesture of love known to mankind and is breathtakingly beautiful. Lunch at a 5-star hotel. After lunch enjoy some shopping in this beautiful city. Dinner on board.



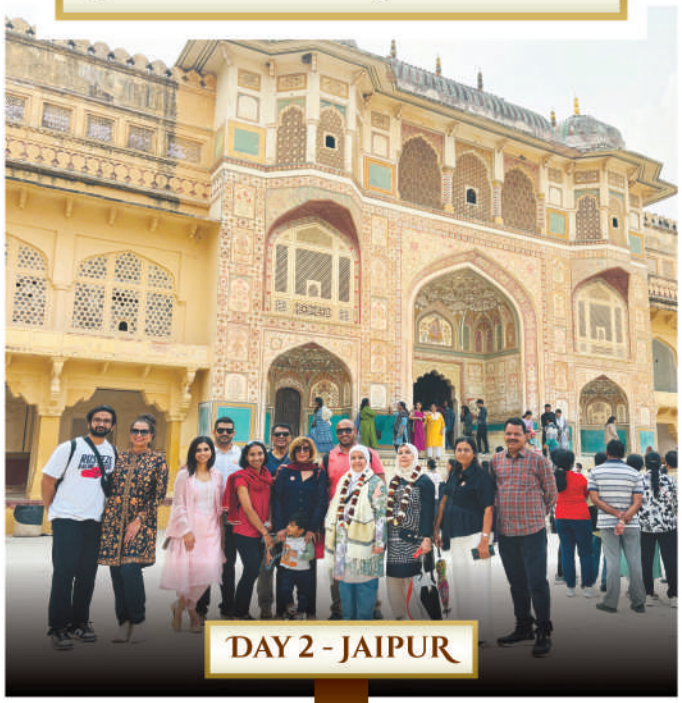
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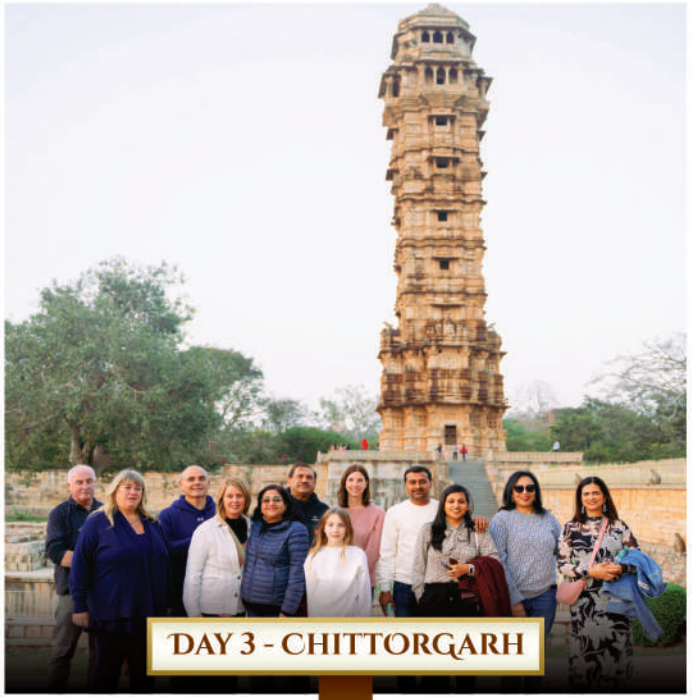
and you will head back to Delhi with memories of this incredible trip that is bound to linger on in your heart for a long, long time.

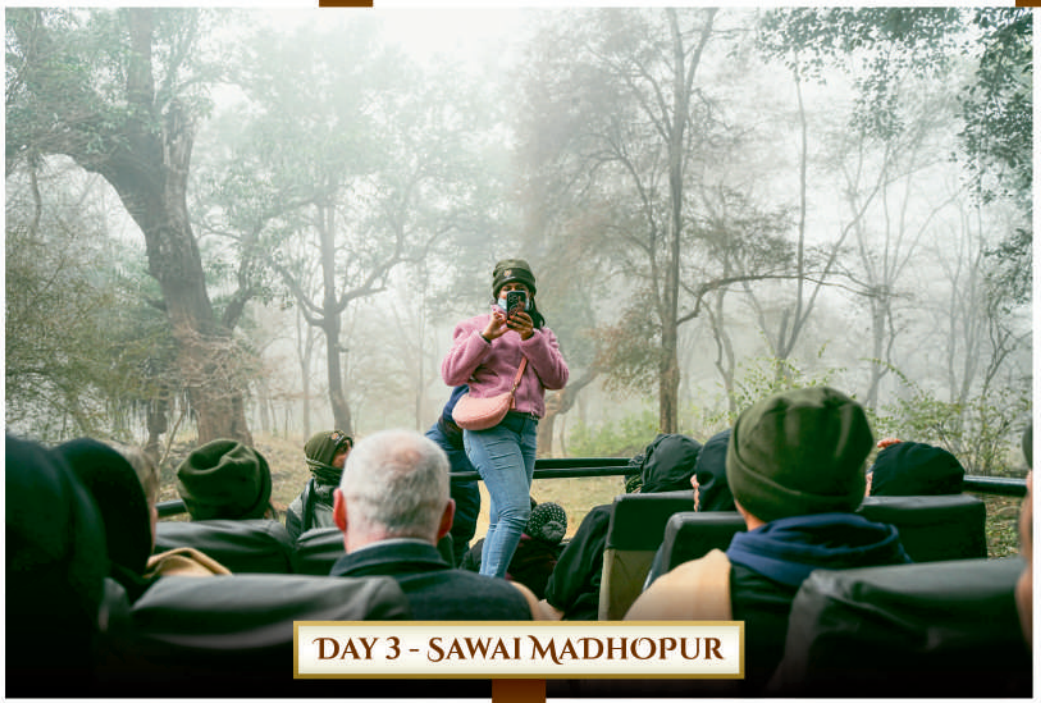
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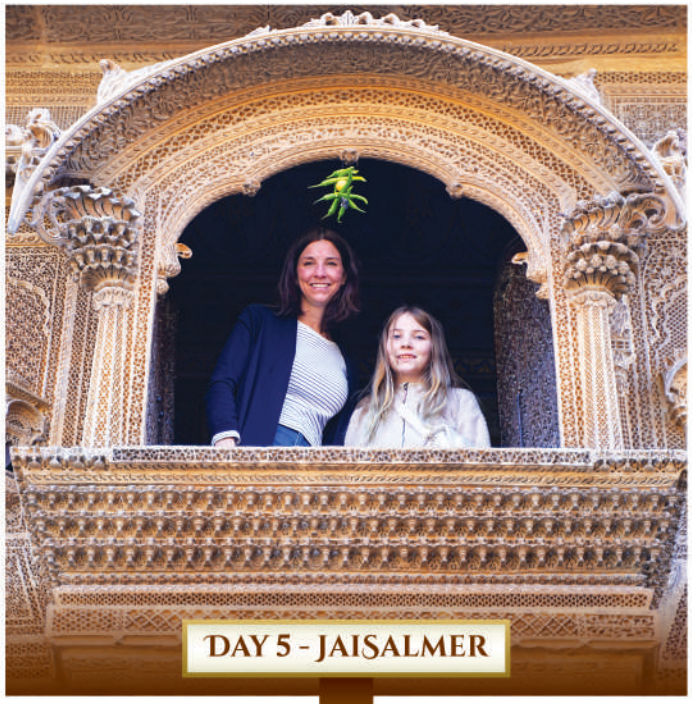

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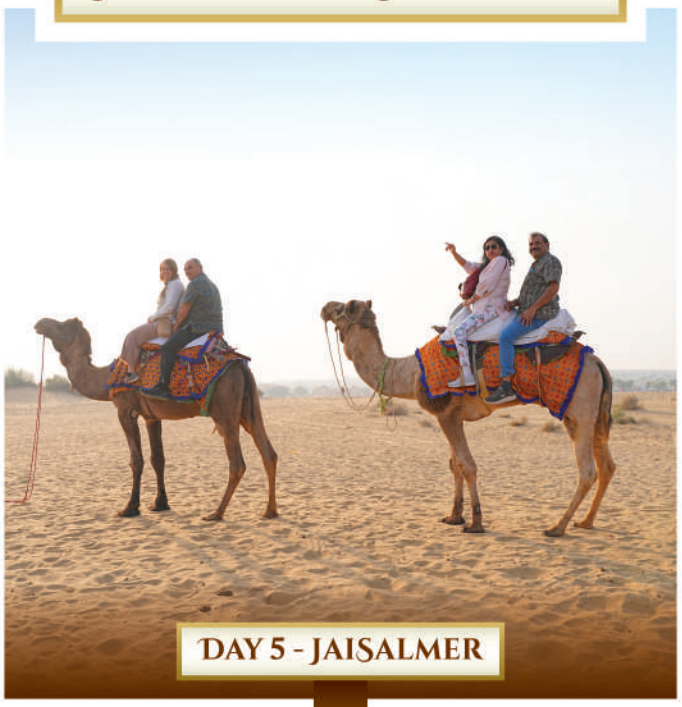

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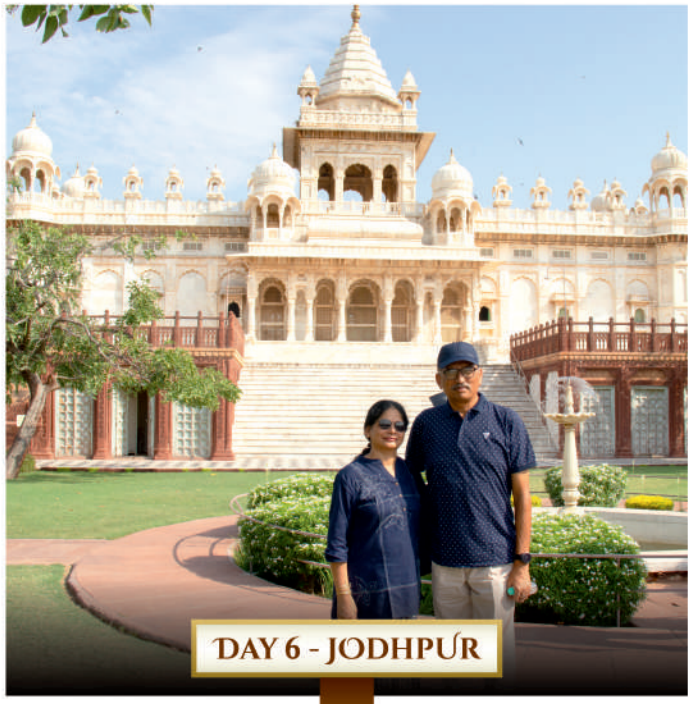
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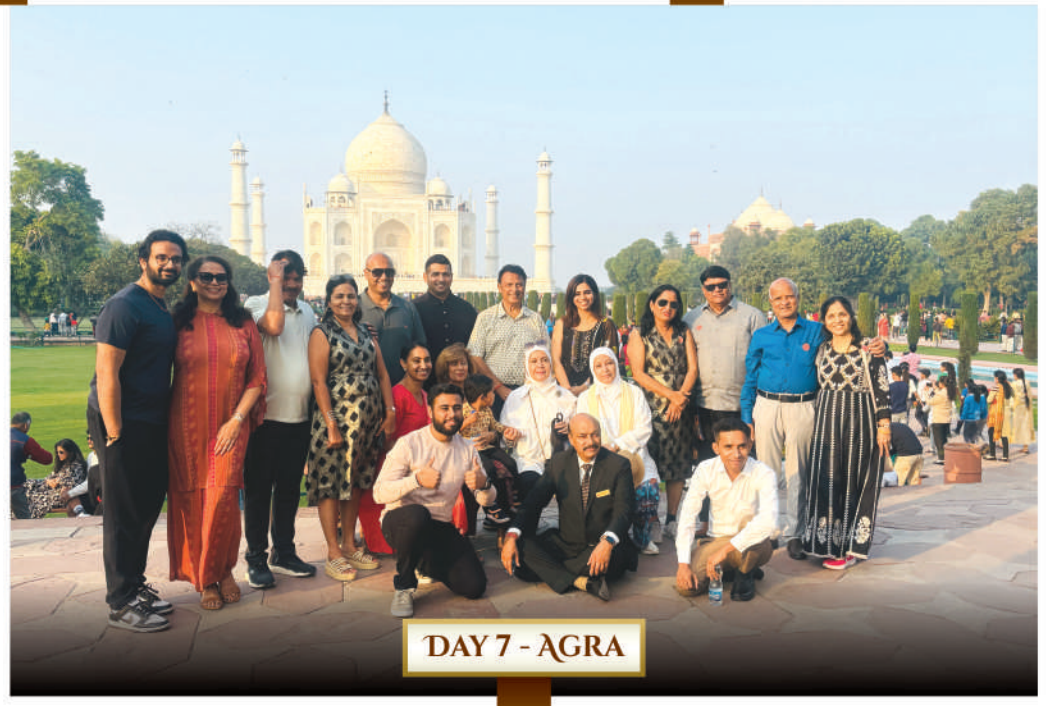
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DAY 6 - JODHPUR



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DAY 7 - AGRA



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