Batumi, Gonio, Borjgalo and Makhuntseti Cultural & Sightseeing Tours

Overview

GONIO - BORJGALO - MAKHUNTSETI

Starts from: BATUMI

Available: every day except Monday

Type: Private Full day trip

Total Driving Distance: 106 km

Duration: 6 hours

We run this private tour upon request and provide pick up service from your **Batumi** hotel.

Tour includes visits of two outdoor museums in **Batumi** vicinity: **Gonio** archaeological site and Ethnographic handicraft museum **Borjgalo**. Outdoor lunch near **Makhuntseti Waterfall** will be served in **Keda**.

Sunny weather is essential.

Have a great day!

Tour details

- Code: GH-47
- Starts from: Batumi
- Max. Group Size: 15 Adults
- Duration: Full Day

Prices

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Sights to Visit

- Gonio Fortress
- Gonio Museum-Reserve
- Ethnographic Museum
- Makhuntseti Waterfall
- Adjara
- Keda

Itinerary

Batumi -Gonio-Borjgalo-Makhuntseti

Recommended is 09:45 to start the tour, but time could be arranged at your convenience.

Drive to the west, **Gonio-Apsaros Fortress** – this is a 10-minute drive from **Batumi** city to the direction of Georgian-Turkish border **Sarpi.** The first evidence of the Bronze Period and the first data of ancient Georgian state formation were found inside the Roman fort, an archaeological site dating back to the 1st c. AD. According to the legend, the grave of St. Matthias – one of 12 apostles is located in this place. This well-defended Roman fort during the **Colchis Kingdom** came under Byzantine rule in 2nd c. The excursion will take about 30 minutes.

Continue the tour to the **Chorokhi Valley** and visit private **Ethnographic Museum Borjgalo**. The museum presents an ordinary lifestyle of the locals during the past 100 years mostly with wooden artifacts made by the owner himself. Kemal Turmanidze is an artist and founder of this charming museum, who will host you during the tour.

Continue the way to **Adjara** mountains, **Keda** municipality, well known for its beautiful nature, springs and waterfalls. One of the must-see attractions here is M**akhuntseti Waterfall.** On the way see Acharistskali hydroplane, citrus, tea and tobacco plantations.

Stop for lunch in local restaurant **Keda** Wineland or **Adjarian Wine House**.

*Optional: Rafting, Zip-line and wine tasting is available nearby on Makhuntseti river.

After lunch drive back to **Batumi** hotel.

We wish you a pleasant stay in Batumi and hope to lead you on Georgia’s roads again!

Inclusions

Included

Transport:

- Private transport

Staff:

- Private professional guide
- Private professional driver

Entertainment and more:

- 1 x Lunch
- 1 x bottle of mineral water per person per day
- Entry tickets
- Excursions according to the program
- All taxes

Excluded

- Alkoholische Getränke

More Info

Additional Info

Don't forget to take comfortable walking shoes, a raincoat, and sunglasses.

***Optional services:**

- Wine tasting in Keda Wineland or Adjarian Wine House: 12 $ per person
- Makhuntseti Rafting on the river Adjaristskali: 18 $ per person (Difficulty: Medium Total distance: 6 km)
- Batumi airport private pick up transfer: 31 $
- Discounted individual transfer rate for the double way Batumi airport: 55 $

To arrange airport transfers and additional hotel overnights, contact us **info[at]georgianholidays.com**

1 person from the group will be FREE of charge if 10 and more adults are traveling together

Cancellation Policy

Cancellation is free of charge prior 2 days of the starting day.

- The booking deposit 15 $ is non-refundable.

If Tourist cancels the booked tour for some reasons not depending on Tour Operator, the following sums are kept back as a fine:

- 50% of the total cost of tourist product in case of tour cancellation 48 hours or less prior to the tour;
- 100% of the total cost of the tourist product due to the Tourist's failure to appear.

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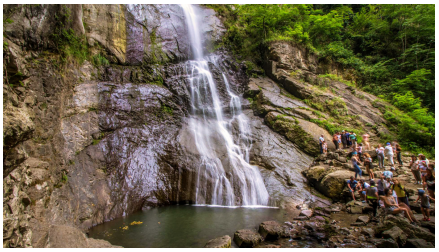
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