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TOURISM COUNCIL OF BHUTAN



Festival Dates 2013

Festival Name	Location	District	Start Date	Duration (Days)	Festival Type
Punakha Drubchhen	Punakha Dzong	Punakha	15 th Feb	5	Religious
Punakha Tshechu	Punakha Dzong	Punakha	20 th Feb	3	Religious
Takin Festival	Damji	Gasa	21 st Feb	3	Community
Nomad Festival	Nangsephel	Bumthang	22 nd Feb	3	Community
Chhorten Kora	Chorten Kora	Trashiyangtse	25 th Feb	15	Religious
Gomphukora	Gom Kora Lhakhang	Trashigang	20 th Mar	3	Religious
Paro Tshechu	Rinpung Dzong	Paro	23 rd Mar	5	Religious
Chhukha Tshechu	Chhukha Dzong	Chhukha	25 th Mar	3	Religious
Ura Yakchoe	Ura Lhakhang	Bumthang	21 st Apr	5	Religious
Rhododendron Festival	Lamperi Botanical Garden	Thimphu	10 th May	3	Festival
Nimalung Tshechu	Nimalung Dratshang, Chummi	Bumthang	16 th June	3	Religious
Kurjey Tshechu	Kurjey Lhakhang, Choekhor	Bumthang	18 th June	1	Religious
Haa Summer Festival	Haa	Haa	6 th July	2	Community
Masutaki Mushroom Festival	Ura	Bumthang	24 th Aug	2	Community
Tour of the Dragon	Bumthang to Thimphu	Bumthang/Thimphu	7 th Sept	1	Cycling
Thimphu Drubchhen	Tashichho Dzong	Thimphu	9 th Sept	5	Religious
Wangdue Tshechu	Wangdi Dzong	Wangduephodrang	12 th Sept	3	Religious
Tamshing Phala Chhoepa	Tamshing Lhakhang, Choekhor	Bumthang	13 th Sept	3	Religious
Thimphu Tshechu	Tashichho Dzong	Thimphu	14 th Sept	3	Religious
Thangbi Mani	Tangbi Lhakhang, Choekor	Bumthang	18 th Sept	3	Religious
Jambay Lhakhang Drup	Jambay Lhakhang, Choekhor	Bumthang	18 th Oct	5	Religious
Prakhar Duchhoed	Prakar Lhakhang, Chummi	Bumthang	19 th Oct	3	Religious
Mongar Tshechu	Mongar Dzong	Mongar	9 th Nov	4	Religious
Pemagatshel Tshechu	Pemagatshel Dzong	Pemagatshel	9 th Nov	4	Religious
Trashigang Tshechu	Trashigang Dzong	Trashigang	10 th Nov	3	Religious
Black Necked Crane Festival	Gangtey	Wangduephodrang	11 th Nov	1	Festival
Nalakar Tshechu	Nga Lhakhang, Choekhor	Bumthang	17 th Nov	3	Religious

Religious festival dates are tentative, please confirm with your tour operator prior to booking your holiday.