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TOURISM COUNCIL OF BHUTAN



**FESTIVAL DATES
2014**

Festival Name	Location	District	Start Date	Duration (Days)	Festival Type
Takin Festival	Damji	Gasa	21 st Feb	1	Community
Nomad Festival	Nangsephel	Bumthang	22 nd Feb	3	Community
Punakha Drubchhen	Punakha Dzong	Punakha	6 th Mar	5	Religious
Punakha Tshechu	Punakha Dzong	Punakha	11 th Mar	3	Religious
Chhorten Kora	Chorten Kora	Trashiyangtse	16 th Mar	15	Religious
Gomphukora	Gom Kora Lhakhang	Trashiyangtse	7 th Apr	3	Religious
Paro Tshechu	Rinpung Dzong	Paro	11 th Apr	5	Religious
Chhukha Tshechu	Chhukha Dzong	Chhukha	13 th Apr	3	Religious
Ura Yakchoe	Ura Lhakhang	Bumthang	10 th May	5	Religious
Rhododendro Festival	Lamperi Botanical Garden	Thimphu	10 th May	3	Community
Nimalung Tshechu	Nimalung Dratshang, Chummi	Bumthang	5 th Jun	3	Religious
Kurjey Tshechu	Kurjey Lhakhang, Choekhor	Bumthang	7 th Jun	7	Religious
Haa Summer Festival	Haa	Haa	5 th July	3	Community
Masutaki Festival	Ura	Bumthang	16 th Aug	3	Community
Tour of the Dragon	Bumthang to Thimphu	Bumthang/Thimphu	6 th Sep	1	Cycling
Thimphu Drubchhen	Tashichho Dzong	Thimphu	28 th Sep	5	Religious
Wangdue Tshechu	Tencholing Army Ground	Wangduephodrang	1 st Oct	3	Religious
Tamshing Phala Chhoepa	Tamshing Lhakhang, Choekhor	Bumthang	2 nd Oct	3	Religious
Thimphu Tshechu	Tashichho Dzong	Thimphu	3 rd Oct	3	Religious
Gasa Tshechu	Gasa Dzong	Gasa	3 rd Oct	3	Religious
Thangbi Mani	Tangbi Lhakhang, Choekhor	Bumthang	7 th Oct	3	Religious
Jambay Lhakhang Drup	Jambay Lhakhang, Choekhor	Bumthang	6 th Nov	5	Religious
Prakhar Duchhoed	Prakar Lhakhang, Chummi	Bumthang	7 th Nov	3	Religious
Black Necked Crane Festival	Gangtey	Wangduephodrang	11 th Nov	1	Festival
Pemagatshel Tshechu	Pemagatshel Dzong	Pemagatshel	15 th Nov	3	Religious
Mongar Tshechu	Mongar Dzong	Mongar	28 th Nov	4	Religious
Trashigang Tshechu	Trashigang Dzong	Trashigang	29 th Nov	4	Religious
Nalakar Tshechu	Nga Lhakhang, Choekhor	Bumthang	6 th Dec	3	Religious
Druk Wangyel Tshechu	Dochula,	Thimphu	13 th Dec	1	Festival
Trongsa Tshechu	Trongsa Dzong	Trongsa	30 th Dec	3	Religious
Lhuntse Tshechu	Lhuentse Dzong	Lhuntse	30 th Dec	3	Religious

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