

SATURDAY, 31 MARCH 2018

(Subject to change)

- 6:30 AM Breakfast
- 7:30 AM Start journey to Punakha
- 8:30 AM Reach Dochula and visit Druk Wangyel Lhakhang
Serving of tea and snacks
- 9:00 AM Travel from Dochula to Punakha
- 10:30 AM Reach Punakha
Offering of ceremonial scarf to His Eminence Dorji Lopen (Vajra Acharya)
at Punakha Dzong
Serving of suja (butter tea) and desi (sweetened rice)
Welcome address by His Eminence Vajra Acharya
Recitation of the Seven-verse prayer to Guru Rinpoche
Dance of bzhengs zhig pad mo'i 'cham (invocation dance of the Lotus
Born)
- 11:30 AM Guided pilgrimage of Punakha Dzong by Khenpo Karma Lhendrup
- 1:00 PM Hosting of lunch by Zhung Dratshang
- 2:00 PM Nine meditational methods for calming of mind, led by His Eminence
Leytshog Lopen, at Zomlingthang
- 4:00 PM Serving of tea and snacks
- 4:30 PM Return from Punakha to Thimphu
- 5:00 PM Guided pilgrimage of Chimi Lhakhang, the Fertility Temple founded by
Choeje Drukpa Kunley in 1499
- 7:00 PM Dinner at the respective hotels