

ATALI GANGA
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THE 50 BEST NEW
HOTELS IN THE
WORLD IN 2013

AMAZING RIVERSIDE
RESORT AROUND
RISHIKESH YOU
MUST VISIT AT
LEAST ONCE:
INDIA TODAY

A COMFORTABLE ADVENTURE SAYS NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC TRAVELLER







## Live in the Lap of Nature with Atali Ganga

Thirty kilometres north of Rishikesh is possibly north India's most exciting active holiday destination. Located near Atali Dogi overlooking the valley of the Upper Ganges, guests can expect a fun filled weekend. Choose to go mountain biking, wall climbing, abseil, hike, camp, inflatable and hard shell kayak, raft, or just lounge in our pool after taking on the rapids. Sip sundowners after a long day outdoors, and dine under the stars.

#### **USP of Atali**

The USP of ATALI is our High Ropes Course, Altitude @ Atali, one of the fastest growing outdoor and team building activities across the globe. It will challenge you, inspire you, and at times, humble you!

Surrounded by reserved forest and with over 200 trees spread over the location, we offer a chic charm amidst its rustic and rugged ambience. The 3 acre property houses twenty two well appointed, comfortable, air-conditioned cottages with breathtaking view of the Ganges valley and the mighty Himalayas. All cottages offer ample room for privacy with a personal deck and are equipped with state-of-the-art amenities.

#### India's First & Only Activotel

Atali Ganga offers an array of interesting outdoor activities for adventure enthusiasts of all ages. The activities range from rafting, wall climbing, mountain biking, hiking, astronomy, yoga, kayaking, world-class high-ropes course or even camping out for a night within the property. The activities are conducted by our Activity Officers with a separate outdoor schedule for kids while using world-class equipments. The resort also boasts of an alfresco swimming pool overlooking the valley and indoor play area for kids with a collection of board games and books

#### **Run by Aquaterra Adventures**

Atali Ganga is owned by Aquaterra Adventures, one of India's leading adventure travel companies, recognised by the Govt. of India, and voted twice on National Geographic Best Adventure Travel Companies 2008-09

Our brand of smart hospitality and safe adventure is unrivalled

## **TripAdvisor Awards**

Atali Ganga has won the TripAdvisor Travellers' Choice Award for the last 5 years in a row for Top 10 Hill Station Hotels & Top 25 Small Hotels In India and has been crowned in the 2018 Hall of Fame status with over 675 reviews on the TripAdvisor website

# Best Responsible Tourism Property

Atali Ganga won the joint silver
Award in the Best Responsible
Tourism Property category at the
first Indian Responsible Tourism
Summit and Awards conducted by
Outlook Traveller

#### **Best New Hotels**

Atali Ganga, India's first Activotel has been listed by **Conde Nast Traveller** among the 50 Best New Hotels In the World in 2012

## What We Offer?

## River Rafting

We offer you the complete whitewater wilderness experience on the Ganga. It turns out paddling through rapids is not scary at all and surprisingly fun – there's something to be said for the childish adrenalin rush you get out of it says the Wall Street Journal about the River Rafting Experience we offer.

## **Mountain Biking**

Would you like riding a bike amidst the peaceful surroundings of nature even if it's a little bumpy and involves off-road biking? Let the level of adrenaline rush pump up as you live your ultimate dream of paddling through the Himalayan Mountains.

## Kayaking

If kayaking has caught your eye and interest, and now you want to learn how to negotiate rapids and how to surf those waves and holes. Let the Aquaterra Adventure Kayak School show you the ropes, from paddling in a straight line, to negotiating Class 1 & 2 Rapids, to taking the plunge into the tongue of a Class 3 or 4 Rapid.

## Inflatable Kayaking

A smashing new dimension to the whitewater experience, guide your own inflatable kayak through the rapids of the Ganga River. In an Inflatable Kayak every rapid is a challenge! The kayaks that we use are quick, maneuverable and very stable if paddled with an aggressive spirit. We use top of the line kayaks & accessories to ensure a safe and adventurous trip.



#### **Perfect for Families**

Global trends indicate vacationers are moving more towards outdoor and open spaces, instead of traditional 4-walled hotel holidays. This is where we come in. The pace of the holiday is for you to choose, and Atali is here to stay.

Our comfortable 22 cottages include 3 deluxe cottages, and offer tranquillity, as well as privacy. Kids love it for the number of options - the outdoors, the pool, the climbing wall, the kayaking, the High Ropes Course (4 feet +) and river rafting on the Ganga.

With your group of friends, you ould be hard pressed to find so uch to do, on any other holiday. nd, you can be cool doing this with our kids too. Or, appreciate the metime you gain while they are kept usy.

#### What We Offer?

#### **Off Sites & Team Meets**

Atali has become popular with team offsites, conferences and events. It offers an exclusive location, quick access, and plenty of options.

Our 44 - seater (theatre) conference room with its tensile roof, is one of the unique features of the design element at Atali. Plus, safe activities conducted by our Activity Officers. We offer customised team building and conference getaways, ask us for references

## White Water Café

The Café offers glimpses of India's wild rivers, off thundering rapids and artefacts from India's hidden corners. One can sample mouth watering Indian and Continental cuisines at our 60 seater White Water Café, with options of both indoor and outdoor dining. Mutton Rogan Josh, kurkuri bhindi and cannelloni are favourite amongst our guests and of course our desserts kheer, banoffee pie and brownies.

## **School Programs**

A unique setting to engage students (9 years or older) with the outdoors through a series of activities and help them realise their true potential. We even offer wall climbing, hiking, astronomy, yoga or even camping out for a night within the property.

## High Ropes Course

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## No 1 Hotel in Rishikesh Tourism Area

We have consistently been ranked as the **Best Hotel in Rishikesh** by Travellers on **TripAdvisor** ever since we opened in 2012.

## Best Adventure Companies on Earth

In 2008 and 2009, 2 years in a row, Aquaterra Adventures<sup>™</sup> made it to the list of the world's best adventure travel outfitters in the first Authoritative Rating of Adventure Tour Operators, selected in a global survey by National Geographic Society.

## **Fact Sheet**

No of Independent Cottages: 16
No of Deluxe Connected Units: 1
No of Deluxe Units not connected: 2
Triples: Yes (please put in a request at the time of booking)
Children: Yes
Twin Beds Convertible to Double: Yes

Distance between Cottages: 60-80 ft

## Frequently Asked Questions

#### Where is Atali, Ganga located?

We are spread over 3 acres of hillside overlooking the Ganga and surrounded by reserved forest, 30 kms from Rishikesh on the Badrinath road in Uttarakhand.

#### What exactly does Atali, Ganga offer?

We have 22 air-conditioned independent cottages including 3 family units, a cafe & restaurant, conference room, swimming pool, climbing wall and a high ropes course. We are an 'activotel' and offer holidays built around outdoor activities to keep you busy from all day. All our activities are conducted by qualified Activity Officers (AOs)

#### Is Atali, Ganga for my family or my team?

Atali Ganga is ideal for families, schools and organizations who want to experience the great Indian outdoors from the comfort of a resort setting. We are built on a hillside and all cottages involve a bit of a climb to reach. But we are sure this will add to your outdoor experience. We have no TVs in our rooms. But there is one in our lounge for big match days, movie screenings etc. Since we are surrounded by reserved forest, we discourage loud music, and appreciate if you do the same. Unplugged performances are welcome.

#### What about the Kids?

Kids with a sense of fun and adventure will love being here and we promise they will not want to go back. We offer structured and supervised outdoor activities for kids above 6, including climbing, hiking, kayaking, pool time, birding and astronomy. We also have tons of indoor games and books for kids of all ages. We do not offer structured activities for kids below 6 and they should be under the supervision of at least one parent at all times given the hilly terrain.

#### **Fact Sheet**

Air-conditioning: Yes

Room Fans: Yes

Swimming Pool: Yes

Indoor Showers: Yes

Nannies/Drivers Lodging: No

Spa: Yes (NEW)

Hairdryers: On Request

Sitting & Dining Area: Yes

Separate W.C: Yes

In Room Safe: Yes

Personal Bar: No

Pets: No

Telephone in Rooms: Yes

Room Service: No

Laundry: No

Suitable for Disabled Guests:

Power & Power Back Up: Yes

Internet Access: Yes

Childminding: No

Online & Offline Credit Card Payment: Yes

Climbing Wall: Yes

High Ropes Challenge: Yes

Rafting: Yes

Mountain Biking: On Request

Hiking: Yes

Yoga: On Request

Birding: Yes
Campfire: Yes

## Frequently Asked Questions

#### What do I need to carry?

- Warm Clothing (depending on time of year, see temperature chart below)
- Wind/rain proof jacket (see rainfall chart)
- Good strap-on sandals something which will last the trip. If you have a good pair of sandals, that will suffice. Or, spare sneakers/flip flops will be handy for camp.
- Socks and Shoes/Sneakers for hiking, biking & High Ropes Challenge
- Sun Shade/Hat
- Sunscreen/Sun block with SPF 70 and above
- Vaseline/Lip Salve
- Insect Repellent (July- September)
- Long trousers / long shirts / Tshirts etc.
- Quick drying shorts and Dry-Fit T shirts for river activity
- Swim suit for ladies and trunks for men
- Sunglasses with eyeglass retainers

#### Average Temperatures & Rainfall in and around Rishikesh







