



### **About Us**

# Action Challenge

We are Action Challenge, and we bring people together through challenge & adventure.

Since 1999 we've organised inspirational challenge events & adventures in the UK and Worldwide, for individuals to join, and for groups, companies & charities. Take on a challenge just for yourself, or link it to a special cause and fundraise – so far our events have raised over £90 million for charities. Now is the time to set new goals, to re-energise, and to get active!

We have over 40 UK & overseas challenge events that you can sign up to now – ranging from a meandering 25 km Thames Path walk, to conquering a mighty Himalayan peak. Take on an unforgettable group adventure and push yourself further! We welcome individuals, couples, or groups of friends & family – and you can self fund, or link your challenge with fundraising for a chosen charity.

Few experiences bring a group closer together than an outdoor adventure which challenges comfort zones, builds resilience & understanding, and forges respect & friendships. If you have a group, you can join one of our 40 or so scheduled events, or if you want something special – we can craft a bespoke itinerary or plan a unique challenge event to meet your objectives and get your team energised!





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# Why Choose Us?



#### 100% ATOL PROTECTION

We are 100% ATOL (Air Travel Organiser's Licence) bonded - ATOL number 6296. Offers full financial protection by the CAA (Civil Aviation Authority) for clients who have booked package trips, including flights.



## UK LEADERS & MEDICS

Every challenge is managed & led by one of our expert UK Qualified & trained Mountain Leaders, working alongside them will be a UK Medic whom has experience of expeditions & group challenges.

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## EXPERIENCED LOCAL TEAMS

Our hand picked local teams & crew know the routes like the back of the their hands! You will be fully supported by the experts - who will also teach you about the destination, people, culture & history!

#### **4** THE GROUP EXPERIENCE

Join as an individual, couple, or group of friends - we bring people together and create an atmosphere where each person is supported, motivated & encouraged through the trip. Sharing adventures together we have alot of fun!

### **5** TRAINING & SUPPORT

Once you've signed up to the challenge, you'll be supported by our teams with specifically designed training plans, a challenge app, an invite to join our Facebook group & options to join us on training walks & challenge briefing. By the time you are due to travel you'll be ready & raring to go!

#### **6** OUR ITINERARIES

OVER 20+ YEARS OF EXPERIENCE BRINGS
YOU THE BEST
ITINERARIES &
DESTINATIONS

#### **7** QUALITY ASSURED VALUE

We pride ourselves on selecting the best local teams, hotels (always 3\*+), restaurants & guides so you can experience the best each destination has to offer. A highlight will certainly be our final celebratory meals & party at a fantastic venue!

#### **8** OUR CLIENTS

We've taken teams from Harrods, Blackrock, HSBC and more to the summit of Kilimanjaro, and have also run events here in the UK for companies such as Tesco, British Gas and M&S. We've got over a decade of experience of working with organisations of every size. Our team of experts will work with you to ensure that your event is a success, achieving your goals and leaving a lasting impact.

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## Jordan & Petra Trek

#### TREK THROUGH DESERTS TO THE WONDERS OF PETRA

On this 8-day adventure we hike for 5 days through the vast desert landscape of Jordan. Each day of this challenge we pass gorges and ridgelines before settling into our Bedouin Camp each night beneath the stars. The trek takes us from desert wilderness right to the incredible sites of Little Petra and Petra, with their incredible carved sandstone temples and relics. Exploring these sites is an incredible end to our trek, but this Jordanian adventure has more in store. After the trek we head to the Dead Sea, the lowest point on Earth at minus 430 meters, for a mud bath or a relaxing float in its salty waters!

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#### **DAY 1 - ARRIVE IN JORDAN**

We depart London on our flight to for the Jordanian capital Amman. On arrival we transfer a couple of hours south to our hotel in Dana. Tonight we have a briefing on the challenge ahead and a welcome meal of Jordanian delicacies before relaxing after our long journey.

Meals: L,D Accom: Hotel

#### **DAY 2 - TREK DANA VILLAGE TO FEYNAN**

We trek from Dana at 1200m altitude, heading west into Dana valley dropping steeply at first before descending through the Dana Biosphere Reserve and the eco-lodge at Feynan. Today's walk takes you through one of most dramatic and diverse landscapes in the whole region.

Meals: B,L,D Accom: Camping

#### **DAY 3 - TREK TO FURON RAS AL FEID**

We leave Wadi Feynan and start on our trails towards Furon. As we pass the entrance to Wadi Ghweir you'll climb up through the mountains on a steep and challenging section of the trek, but extremely rewarding with stunning and wonderful views towards the fascinating Wadi Araba Desert. In the afternoon we reach the camp set up by our crew Bedouin crew.

Meals: B,L,D Accom: Camping

#### **DAY 4 - TREK TO GBOR WHEDAT**

After a good breakfast we follow a path of Bedouin shepherd trails contouring the Sharah Mountains. The terrain undulates as we experience astonishing views. An absolutely spectacular trekking day to our camp at Gbour Whedat.

Meals: B,L,D Accom: Camping







### **Itinerary**

## Jordan & Petra Trek

#### **DAY 5 - TREK TO LITTLE PETRA**

Today, we enjoy some of the most un-spoilt and stark terrain with views over the Petra Mountains. Our guides will give full explanations of the sites that we pass on our trek including Ba'ajah ruins, the Nabataeans wine and olive presses, water tanks, wells and the rock carved facades, all before arriving at our camp today close to Little Petra. This mini version of Petra is a real treat as we spend our time discovering the ruins with far fewer tourists than we will come across at the main Petra sites.

Meals: B,L,D Accom: Camping

#### **DAY 6 - TREK TO PETRA**

We trek on a relatively flat terrain to the 2000 year old city of Petra. Petra prospered for centuries with a population of about 25,000 at the height of its power. The Nabateans built Petra on a terrace pierced from east to west by Wadi Musa (Moses) one of the places where Moses struck a rock and 'water gushed forth'. We climb for an hour up the well-worn steps to the Monastery. Tonight we enjoy a celebratory meal to mark the end of an incredible challenge.

Meals: B,L,D Accom: Hotel

#### Day 7 - Dead Sea

Today we experience the last of the highlights of our time in Jordan. After breakfast we transfer 3hrs to our Hotel on the shores of the Dead Sea. Here at an altitude of minus 430m we find ourselves at the lowest place on earth. We have a free day to enjoy floating in the salt waters of the Dead Sea, having a mud bath spa session and generally relaxing and recuperating from the last tough five days trekking.

Meals: B Accom: Hotel

#### Day 8 - Depart Jordan

Transfer to the airport for our return flight home.

Meals: B

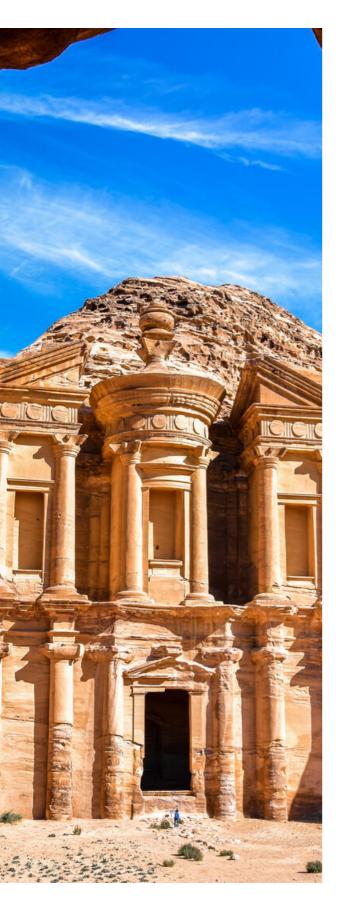






### **Trip information**

## **Jordan & Petra Trek**



#### **INCLUSIONS**

- . Fully supported 8 day group challenge
- . Action Challenge expedition leader
- . UK qualified medic
- . Full support team, including local guides
- . All accommodation, twin share hotels / camping
- . All meals with the group; including breakfast, lunch and dinner
- . National Park entrance fees
- . Day exploring Petra ended with a celebratory dinner and party
- . Pre event support including optional training weekends

#### **DATES & PRICES**

Visit website for available dates

#### **PAYMENT OPTIONS**

There are 2 'payment options' available when you sign up.

SELF FUNDING: Just like a standard holiday! You pay the initial registration deposit online, and then the final balance of the trip cost (+ any fuel surcharge imposed by the airline if booking a Flights Included package) – which is invoiced 12 weeks prior to departure.

CHARITY FUNDRAISING: Do it for a charity of your choice! Choose how much of the trip cost you want to cover yourself & fundraise at least twice the remaining balance. Your chosen charity pays us the final balance from this fundraising, with the rest being kept as a donation. Any airline imposed fuel surcharge will be invoiced to you if booking a Flights Included package – 12 weeks prior.

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