

INVOICE FOR OLLAMI

GOROKA HIGHLANDS CULTURAL SHOW– SEPTEMBER 2020

6-day/5-night tour

15th to 20th September 2021

Ollami - Roland Markó and Edina Zsoldos

Includes domestic flights, transfers, Asaro day trip, show passes, breakfasts and dinners on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, lunch on Friday.

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The Goroka Show tour is a 5-day/4-night program. From Port Moresby, fly into the Eastern Highlands to see the flamboyant and colourful people at the spectacular Goroka Cultural Show. Also known as the Goroka Highlands Festival, it is the largest Sing-Sing or tribal gathering of the year, with up to 130 groups dancing and singing for two days. With VIP passes you have privileged access to the tribes for photography in the morning, and then enjoy the atmosphere with tens of thousands of locals in the afternoons.



ITINERARY

Wednesday 15th September 2021 Transfer from Port Moresby airport to the Crown Hotel.

Thursday 16th September 2021

Breakfast, Transfer to the airport. Fly from Port Moresby to Goroka departing at 0805 AM, landing at 0920 AM. Transfer to accommodation. In the afternoon you are free to visit the McCarthy Museum and have a walk around town.

Friday 17th September 2021

A full day with the Asaro Mudmen. After a 30-minute ride along the Highlands Highway, you will arrive at their village. Here you will see three Mudmen performances, see the Masalai Skeleton men from Simbu province, enjoy a traditional “mumu” (earth oven) lunch, see how warriors cleanse themselves before battle, try your hand at archery, and see how their famous masks are made, as well as learning about their history.



Saturday 18th & Sunday 19th September 2021

Two full days spent at the Goroka Show - world famous for its colour, culture and vibrancy, the biggest Sing-Sing of the year, with up to 130 groups present. It is a truly spectacular event. The diversity of the coastal, lowland and highlands sing-sing groups at the show reflects the incredible diversity of the Papua New Guinea's landscape - an unforgettable experience. There is also a very interesting agricultural show and music festival in an adjacent field. A packed lunch is provided under a shaded area. As a VIP pass holder you also have access to the shaded, raised seating platform where the local dignitaries sit.

Monday 20th September 2021

Transfer to Goroka airport for your flight to Port Moresby

Flights included:

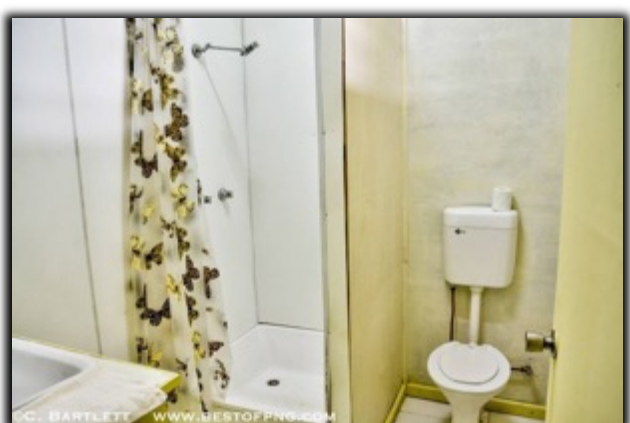
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Hotel accommodation:

Klerht Cove Motel was built in 2018 by a local doctor, and is a short walk (+/- 5 minutes) from the showgrounds in one direction and the main street with Goroka's only restaurants and bar in the other (+/- 6 minutes).

The 20 rooms are all air-conditioned with en-suite bathrooms with a shower. Each room has one double bed and one single bed.



BOOKING AND PAYMENT PROCEDURES

To secure space, a 50% non-refundable deposit per person is required to confirm the booking. Full payment is due by 12th June, 2021. We will confirm booking only on receipt of payment.

POLICY ON EXCHANGE OF SERVICES & SERVICES NOT TAKEN

Please note that Best of PNG is unable to refund any services which appear in the main itinerary, but are not taken. Please also note that Best of PNG is unable to exchange services which are not taken in the main itinerary for other services. Services must be taken on the day that they appear in the main itinerary, and cannot be transferred to a different day.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations received before 12th June 2021 will attract a 50% fee unless we find someone to take your place, in which case a \$200 cancellation fee will be deducted from your refund. For cancellation after 12th June, no refund can be given.

CLIENT INFORMATION

Upon receipt of deposits, you will be sent a confirmation packet and a PNG travel guide. We cannot stress enough the importance of reading this information prior to your arrival in Papua New Guinea. The guide has been designed to give you useful information to help you prepare for your adventure.

INSURANCE

Travel insurance is mandatory. We advise that you take out travel insurance to cover you in the event of inability to commence travel due to health reasons and medical insurance whilst abroad. You can get a quote here, though it works best on a computer and does not always work on mobile devices

<https://www.indigosafaris.com/travel-insurance.html>

VISAS

Visas on arrival are available at Port Moresby airport for passport holders from the EU, North America and some other nationalities. Contact us for the full list. The Visa fee of 100 PGK has been waived as of October 2013. Other nationalities must apply for their visa in advance.

MALARIA

Malaria is transmitted by a night biting mosquito. Insect avoidance measures should be followed throughout the trip. Medication for the prevention of malaria is crucial for the Papua New Guinea. Which drug is recommended depends on individual circumstances & needs to be discussed with an experienced travel physician. It is also vital to continue with the medication for the recommended interval on return to Australia. Upon return, any flu like illnesses should be investigated by a travel health specialist.

<http://www.fitfortravel.nhs.uk/destinations/australasia--pacific/papua-new-guinea/papua-new-guinea-malaria-map.aspx>

Major plasmodium species: *P. falciparum* (89%), *P. vivax* (11%)

Major anopheles species: *An. punctulatus*, *farauti*, *koliensis*

COMMUNICATIONS:

Digicel has decent coverage and a shop at the airport in the arrivals area. You can get a local SIM card and buy airtime. Airtime can be converted to data packages quite cheaply for smartphones and iPhones.