

INTREPID EXPANDS PRODUCT RANGE IN ASIA & PACIFIC

Intrepid Travel, a world leader in responsible travel, has launched its 2024 trip range, including debuting new itineraries in Asia & Pacific regions.

Trends include a focus on care for conservation. Wildlife tours have long been one of Intrepid's most popular ranges, with wildlife trip bookings increasing 60% from 2022 to 2023. Intrepid underwent an audit of the entire wildlife range to ensure that all trips directly support conservation efforts in destination.

New wildlife trips include <u>Sri Lanka Safari</u> (12 days, from €2,635pp) which explores the depths of Sri Lanka's forests and national parks, highlighting the country's rich biodiversity and wildlife. Travellers head out on multiple safaris in 4WDs through Wilpattu, Minneriya, Gal Oya, Kumana and Yala National Park.

Or, Komodo & Flores Adventure (9 days from €1,739pp) where travellers can look out for Komodo dragons and discover island life on a tour of Indonesia's less-touristed islands.

With the rise of K-pop and other Korean cultural trends, South Korea has become one of the world's hottest destinations. In 2024, Intrepid is doubling its South Korea offerings including, Premium South Korea (9 days from €4,125pp) which includes visits to Seoul, the cultural haven of Jeonju and finishing at the enchanting Jeju Island.

Other exciting new itineraries include <u>Nepal Expedition: Manaslu Circuit Trek</u> (16 days, from €1,680pp) This quieter, less-travelled route takes travellers through rhododendron forests, remote Buddhist monasteries and the shadow of the world's eight-highest mountain.

Or, <u>Best of Australia</u> (5 days from €1,530pp) where travellers walk through the awe-inspiring scenery of Ikara (Wilpena Pound) with a First Nations guide, wine and dine in the famed Barossa Valley, and learn about the importance of preserving and caring for land from a local First Nations elder at an organic winery south of Adelaide.

Prices include accommodation, ground transport, selected meals and activities, and the services of a local guide. International flights are extra.

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