

Complete Overview Sights & Activities

CHITLANG

Hiking

The hills of Chitlang offer one of the best hiking opportunities around Kathmandu. Instead of coming by car all the way, it is also possible to hike to Chitlang after the bus drive to Thankot Godam - about 3,5 hours hiking.

Goat Farm & Cheese Factory

Chitlang boasts Nepal's only goat cheese processing industry. Chitlang has the largest grazing ground (Bheda Farm) in the country and is the first village to produce goat-milk cheese (under French technical expertise).

Ashoka Stupa

The history of Chitlang VDC is believed to be related to this stupa, which itself holds the history of the visit by the great Indian Emperor Ashoka. The legend tells us that the name of the VDC 'Chitlang' has been derived from Newari 'Chaitya Lhown' meaning 'Chaitya' - made of stones.

Indra Sarovar

Indra Sarovar, the reservoir of the Kulekhani Hydropower Project, created by constructing a dam in a deep gorge between Kulekhani and Markhu VDCs to collect water from the local rivers and rivulets is an extraordinary model in power engineering. Indra Sarovar that spreads over an area of 7 sq. km is Asia's first man-made lake. It is also a popular spot for boating and fishery.

Bhaleswor Mahadev

Bhaleswor Mahadev is about 2 to 3 hours hike up the hill from where one can see the Himalayas of Nepal and Kathmandu Valley from the top.

Taukhel

Taukhel is a small Newari village. One can see the authentic lifestyle of Newari people.

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