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Fact Sheet

Resort Address

Rohet Garh
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Location

This 375 year old fortified desert home of the descendants of the Rathores lies on the banks of a small lake which teems with birdlife, just south of Jodhpur. The family still reside here and run the hotel which has been beautifully restored in traditional Rajput style. It is a rambling, low rise building with various wings surrounding grassy courtyards and a pretty garden. It is in the middle of the small village of Rohet and is surrounded by the scrublands of the Great Thar Desert.

Accessibility

By Air: To Jodhpur, from Delhi, Bombay, Jaipur, Udaipur, followed by a 45 minute car journey.

By Train: To Jodhpur, from Delhi, Bombay, Jaipur, Agra, Bikaner, Jaisalmer, followed by a 45 minute car journey.

By Road: An easy drive from Nimaj, Khimsar, Nagaur, Manwar, Osian, Narlai, Ghanerao, Deogarh. A longer drive from Jaisalmer, Bikaner, Pushkar, Roopangarh, Udaipur, Jaipur.

Transfers: The hotel is happy to arrange transfers (at extra cost) from either the airport or the railway station to / from the hotel.

Accommodation

Accommodation comprises 29 rooms and 6 suites. Of these, 15 are twin, 14 double and 2 single rooms. Certain rooms have views of the swimming pool, lake or horses. One room has a Lake View balcony and another has a Lake View terrace. The 6 suites are large and spacious.

All rooms are air-conditioned and have overhead fans, hairdryers, telephones, internet access and attached bathrooms. Tea and coffee making facilities are available in the suites. On account of the building not being purpose built, all rooms vary in shape, size and design. They are scattered around the building

and courtyards, mostly on the ground floor so there is easy access for wheelchairs throughout the property. All the rooms are well decorated, with great taste and with colourful block-printed fabrics and local furnishings. The majority are light and airy. There are rooms with easy access for wheelchairs. Hot water bottles are provided on particularly cold nights. Hot water is plentiful and provided by geyser. One bottle of complimentary mineral water per person per day is provided on request in the bedrooms.

Room 6 – 9 face over the swimming pool. Rooms 12, 21 – 27 have views of the lake. Room 31 is for horse lovers and faces the stable courtyard. Room 15 has a lake view terrace.

Breakfast is included in the daily room rate.

Dining

There is one lovely restaurant which overlooks the swimming pool and which serves Continental and Indian cuisine. The hotel offers a buffet service, table d’hote and a la carte dining. It is also possible to order snacks by the pool, on the lakeside rooftop terrace and room service is readily available.

Meal Times

Breakfast	07.00am to 09.30am
Lunch	12.00pm to 14.00pm
Dinner	19.30pm to 22.00pm

Children

The resort accepts children of all ages. Children may be accommodated in their parent’s bedroom for an extra charge. There is a baby-sitting service available, upon request.

Dress code

There is no official dress code. However, many find themselves changing into something a little tidier for dinner.

Check-in / out time

Midday. Extended check-out is subject to negotiation/availability.

Electricity

220 volts. The standard two round pin adaptors work.

Credit cards / currency

The resort accepts Amex, Visa and MasterCard. It does not accept payment in foreign currency (rupees only) and neither does it accept travellers cheques.

Mobile telephones

Mobile telephones do not work here.

When to go / Climate

Rajasthan has some major climactic fluctuations. During December, January and February, it can be cold in the mornings and evenings and warm clothes are necessary at these times. During the daytime it is lovely and warm and sunny. March and April are getting fairly hot and it begins to get very hot and humid in May and June and temperatures can rise to an intense and uncomfortable heat. The monsoon breaks in July and lasts until September. October and November are still warm but not

cold or wet. The best time to visit is from October to early April. It is generally a dry heat with very little humidity.

Opening and closing

The hotel remains open 365 days per year.

Pests

Due to the dry heat of Rajasthan, mosquitoes are not a major problem but they do tend to come out in the evenings and early mornings, throughout the year and particularly in the warmer months. The hotel provides mosquito coils and repellents in the rooms to combat this.

Hotel facilities

A 38 x 34 ft swimming pool
E-mail facilities for hotel residents (payable extra and on site)
Small conference hall
Pretty gardens
Table Tennis
Comfortable roof terrace for sunbathing
Pretty courtyard for parties
Rowing boats on the lake
Gym
Shop selling excellent bits and pieces and clothes
Bicycles
Yoga upon request
Massage Centre and Steam Room

Hotel services

Sightseeing excursions and onward travel arrangements can be arranged on site by contacting the hotel reception
Walks around the local village
Horse riding (excellent horses on site)
Weddings and parties can be arranged
Desert Picnics can be arranged
Jeep, camel and horse safaris into the desert and tribal areas

Possible excursions

Visits to the historic city of Jodhpur with its might fort and exceptional shopping opportunities
Visits to the gardens at Mandore
Visits to the temples at Osian
Visits to Kumbhalgarh Fort
Visits to the Jain Temples at Ranakpur
Bicycling and birdwatching trips
Polo and Golf in Jaipur
Cookery classes
2/3/5 day horse safari around Rohet
Camel rides

Average length of stay

Two or three nights. There is so much to see and do in the Jodhpur area that it is a good idea to allow enough time to explore the area and also enough time to switch off and just enjoy being there. There is no minimum stay requirement.

Payment / cancellation	<p>Pre-payment is not compulsory for confirmed, advanced reservations but non-refundable deposits are required at the time of booking.</p> <p>Cancellation charges apply for cancellations which fall within the 10 days prior to check-in.</p>
Reservations	<p>Reservations may be made by telephone to Mr Shyam Singh in Jodhpur (0091 291 2431161), by fax (0091 291 2649368), e-mail (rohet@datainfosys.net) or via the internet (www.rohet.com). Alternatively, write to: Rohet House, PWD Road, Jodhpur 342001, Rajasthan, India. There is no minimum stay requirement.</p> <p>Reservations may be made by telephone : 0091 291 243 1161, fax :0091 293 626 8931, email rohethouse@datatone.in or via the web :www.rohetgarh.com</p>
Packages	No special packages are available.
Seasonal surcharges	There are no supplements for high season / special holiday dates.
Government Taxes	Taxes apply on food and drink and on imported alcohol
Ownership	Thakur Manvendra Singh
Management	General Manager (Owner) Mr Sidharth Singh (The owning family reside here part time)