

KIT BAG

MORE IS LESS

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Got your basic gear in order? Now add these to your everyday kit

KNOXK-PACK BACKPACK

WHAT IS IT?

A really good backpack from Knox, the guys who also make excellent riding armour and kit

IS IT REALLY GOOD?

Well, there's not much you can expect from a backpack, but somehow Knox has managed to improvise on the simple concept and create a version so good, you'd seriously think twice before buying anything else. With a 25-litre capacity, and an internal liner in an interesting shade of red, you can lug a good amount of luggage around and, thanks to the well-reinforced spine, not feel a thing on your shoulders or back. It comes with a water repellent helmet bag that can be attached to the outside of the bag, and a spare visor cover – now that's really thoughtful! The bum-bag is detachable and can be used separately; it too comes with a waterproof reflective cover as standard, to save your prized belongings from the rain. Really, what more do you expect from a backpack?

HOW MUCH?

₹ 5,950 (including duties)

WHERE?

www.outdoortravelgear.com



TOUR THE HIMALAYAS WITH THE HIMALAYAN SHEPHERD

Dreamed of touring the Spiti valley on two wheels but were not confident enough to do it on your own? Well, now you can, and you have the guys at www.himalayanshepherd.co to thank for it. Three tour options are on offer – Lahaul-Spiti, Ladakh or the two combined. You can pick from

between a Royal Enfield and a selection of imported enduro motorcycles, and the length of the tour varies from between nine days to about three weeks, depending on what you choose. Still reading this? Why? Get on the internet already and plan your next holiday!



MOTOTECH STORM BALACLAVA

WHAT IS IT?

Like, really?

IS IT REALLY GOOD?

If it wasn't, it wouldn't be here. We've got one, and it's a huge help in this terribly hot summer. No more sweaty lids, no more looking like you've just stepped out of a sauna – the MotoTech Storm balaclava is a neat little piece of kit, and it's largely indispensable in Indian weather. Apart from the typical virtues of a balaclava, what's good about the Storm is its quality – the seams are well stitched together and it definitely won't be spontaneously shredding any time soon.

HOW MUCH?

₹ 240

WHERE?

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