



## Kazakh Eagle Hunters October-January



Falconry, one of the most dramatic and primal relationships between man and beast is alive and well in the remote mountains of western Mongolia. You'll follow Kazakh hunters with trained golden eagles, the largest and most powerful of raptors, as they hunt fox and rabbit from horseback. Meet the hunters, their families and their birds, follow them on the hunt and learn some of the skills involved in the capture, training and use of the eagles as hunters.



**Day 1:** Arrive in Ulaan Baatar (UB), the capital of Mongolia. Your guide and driver will meet you at the airport. UB is where modern constructions stand beside traditional dwellings and ancient monasteries. Conveniently located in downtown, your hotel is in walking distance of Sukhbaatar Square, museums, and shops. Enjoy a short city orientation tour before dinner. Overnight in hotel.



**Day 2:** Catch your flight to Ulgii. Our local guide and driver will meet you at the airport. Visit the local museum. Overnight at local motel.



**Day 3:** Early breakfast and start to drive and reach the eagle hunter's family. See the magnificent bird of hunting-golden eagle. Overnight with family.

**Days 4-7:** Altai Kazakh hunting with golden eagle The Mongolian Kazakhs use for hunting female eagles as far they are bigger mail ones and more aggressive. These eagles are trained to hunt foxes, wolves, rabbit and wild cat. Every day going side by side with eagle hunter to hunt mostly fox we learn and enjoy this unique customs of the Mongolian Kazakhs. We have the chance to visit some Kazakh families and feel the grade hospitalities.

**Day 8:** Drive back to Ulgii. Overnight in local motel.





**Day 9:** Return flight to UB. Start the city tour in UB with Zaisan Memorial, a prominent landmark looking over UB. Walk Sukhbaatar Square, named after the Mongolian National Hero of People's Revolution in 1921. The Parliament building, the Palace Royal Opera House and the main post office all surround Sukhbaatar Square. Overnight in hotel.



**Day 10:** A full day of guided sightseeing in UB. Visit Sukhbaatar Square and Zaisan Memorial. Zaisan Memorial is a landmark of UB built on the Bogd Khan Mountain, and is the best place to view the whole city. Farewell dinner. Overnight in hotel.

**Day 11:** Airport transfer for your return flight.