Dear Sir.

My name is Satish Pati and I am looking for possible sponsorships for my upcoming expeditions to K2 and Lhotse, which I will attempt to summit this summer.

I started my climbing career as a porter hauling clients goods up and down mountains, making pennies a day. My family is not from a traditional mountaineering or Sherpa ethnic group, but through hard work and perseverance, I have built my own trekking company-Nireka Adventures. Through Nireka Adventures, I work to employ and train local guides to provide them with job opportunities they would otherwise not have. Over the years, I have been lucky enough to climb some of the world's highest peaks, including Mt. Everest (8848m), Cho Oyu (8201m), Denali (6190m) and Mt. Kilimanjaro (5895m). What I am most proud of though is that my climbing has allowed me to be an active participant in humanitarian work. I organize building treks for villages in rural Nepal, fund school scholarships and have trained new mountain guides at the Khumbu Climbing Center with the Alex Lowe Foundation.

This year, I am planning on expanding my climbing experience by successfully summitting Lhotse (8485m) and K2 (8611). These mountains have always been personal goals of mine, and the success of climbing them will bolster Nireka Adventure's reputation as a highly sought after trekking company, furthering my ability to provide opportunities for those living in rural Nepal. I would like to ask you to become one of my sponsors for these upcoming climbs. As a sponsor, you will receive positive media attention from your association with Nireka Adventures. I will also be taking photos throughout both expeditions that can be tailored to include your branding, which I can then post on Nireka Adventures social media and website. You will also have free access to use these photos as you please.

I am looking to raise NPR 25,75,000 to complete these expeditions. This money will cover visas, flights, on the ground travelling expenses, and permits. If you are willing to contribute any amount to my overall total goal, please contact me at Satish Man Pati, mobile number 9841370928. If you have any questions about myself or the expeditions please do not hesitate to ask.

Sincere regards and thanks,

Satish Man Pati

## 2021 LHOTSE Expedition 8485M



### Date: 06 April to 28 May 2021

Lhotse stands at 8485 M, making it the fourth highest mountain in the world. It is situated at the border of Tibet and Nepal. Its long east-west crest is located immediately south of Mount Everest, and the South Col, a vertical ridge that never drops below 8,000m, connects the summits of the two mountains. Lhotse has three summits: Lhotse Main 8516m, Lhotse Shar 8383m, and Lhotse Middle or East 8413m. Sometimes mistakenly Lhotse has been identified as the south peak of the Everest massif. No serious attention was given to climbing Lhotse until Everest had finally been ascended. Lhotse first climbed in 1956 as an alternative route towards the summit of Everest.

Ernst Reiss and Fritz Luchsinger who were part of a Swiss expedition first climbed Main Lhotse in 1956. Sepp Mayerl and Rolf Walter first climbed Lhotse Shar on December 5, 1979, by taking the SE-ridge.

A deep scar, an icy gully known as the Lhotse Couloir, marks The West Face of Lhotse; the couloir is the crucial test to the Lhotse climb, mainly because of the climbing conditions of the couloir are affected by weather and seasonal snowfall. The route progresses through Khumbu icefall. Moving further, we will reach Camp 1 that exists at the top of Khumbu icefall that is surrounded by crevasses. From Camp 1, we will pass through lateral moraine to the west ridge that greets us with a close-up view of Lhotse. This place is perfect for Camp2. Leaving Camp2, we will reach near to Lhotse wall by crossing glacier and ice cliffs where we will set Camp3. Camp4 is located near to South Col. From Camp 4, we will proceed through steep rock sections to the summit.

## Itinerary: (Trek) Itinerary - 2021 Lhotse Expedition

Days	Itinerary	Remarks
1	Day 01: Arrival to Kathmandu & Transfer to the Hotel (1,400m)	Hotel : BB Plan
2	Day 02: Rest in Kathmandu, expedition briefing and Preparation	Hotel: B/ D
3	Day 03: Fly from Kathmandu – Lukla and trek to Phakding (2,800m)	Lodge: B/L/D
4	Day 04: Trek from Phakding to Namche Bazzar (3,440m)	Lodge: B/L/D
5	Day 05: Acclimatization at Namche Bazaar (rest day)	Lodge: B/L/D
6	Day 06: Trek from Namche Bazzar to Tyangboche Monastry (3,860m)	Lodge: B/L/D
7	Day 07: Trek from Tyangboche to Dingboche (4,243m)	Lodge: B/L/D
s	Day 08: Trek from Dingboche to Lobuche (4,930m)	Lodge: B/L/D
9	Day 09: Trek from Lobuche to Everest Base Camp (5,364m)	Tent: B/L/D
10- 50	Day 10 – Day 50: Climbing Period [Base Camp – Lhotse Summit (8,516m) – Base Camp]	Tent: Full Board Service
51	Day 51: Cleaning Up Base Camp	Tent: B/L/D
52	Day 52: Trek from Base Camp to Pheriche (4,371m)	Lodge: B/L/D
53	Day 53:Trek from Pheriche to Namche Bazaar	Lodge: B/L/D
54	Day 54: Trek from Namche Bazaar to Lukla	Lodge: B/L/D
55	Day 55: Fly from Lukla to Kathmandu & transfer to Hotel	Hotel: B/L
56	Day 56: Leisure day in Kathmandu City	Hotel: B

# 2021 K2 Expedition 8611



#### Overview:

Mount K2 8611 M is the second highest peak in the world and highest peak in Pakistan. Mount K2 is also known as CHOGORI, which is Balti language, means the king of mountains. K2 has variously been described as "awesome", "Killer" and "Savage" Mountain. This is because of massiveness of its size and unsuccessful attempts made on it by various expedition parties. K2 is rocky mountain upto 6000-M, beyond which it becomes an ocean of snow. K2, 8611-M is situated on the Pakistan China border in the mighty Karakorams. The traditional rout to its base camp goes from Skardu Baltistan, which is linked, with Islamabad by Karakoram Highway as well as by air. From Skardu the rout goes via Shigar-Dassu-Askole upto Concordia over the Baltoro Glacier.

#### Itinerary:

Days	Itinerary 2021	Remarks
1	June 15: Arrival in Islamabad & Transfer to the Hotel	Hotel: BB Plan
2	June 16: Rest day in Islamabad (585m)	Hotel: Breakfast
3	June 17: Fly from Islamabad to Skardu (2,228m)	Hotel: B/L/D
4	June 18: Rest Day in Skardu : Expedition briefing and preparation	Hotel: B/L/D
5	June 19: Drive from Skardu to Askole (2,600m): Camping	Tent:

		B/L/D
6	June 20: Trek from Askole to Jhola (3,185m) : Camping	Tent: B/L/D
7	June 21: Trek from Jhola to Paiyu (3,383m) : Camping	Tent: B/L/D
8	June 22 : Rest day in Paiyu : Camping	Tent: B/L/D
9	June 23 : Trek from Paiyu to Urdukas (4,130m) : Camping	Tent: B/L/D
10	June 24: Trek from Urdukas to Goro II (4,250m): Camping	Tent: B/L/D
11	June 25: Trek from Goro II to Broad Peak Basecamp (4,572m): Camping	Tent: B/L/D
12	June 26: Trek from Broad Peak Basecamp to K 2 Basecamp (5,150m): Camping	Tent: B/L/D
13 - 43	June 27 - July 27: Day 13 - Day 43: Climbing Period [Basecamp - Summit (8,611m) - Basecamp]	Full Board Service
44	July 28: Cleaning Up Basecamp: Preparation for descending back	Tent: B/L/D
45	July 29: Trek from Basecamp to Goro II: Camping	Tent: B/L/D
46	July 30: Trek from Goro II to Khuburtze : Camping	Tent: B/L/D
47	July 31: Trek from Khuburtze to Mundung : Camping	Tent: B/L/D
48	August 1: Trek from Mundung to Askole : Camping	Tent: B/L/D
49	August 2: Drive from Askole to Skardu	Hotel: B/L/D
50	August 3: Fly from Skardu to Islamabad & transfer to the Hotel	Hotel: Breakfast
51	August 4: Leisure day in Islamabad	Hotel: Breakfast
52	August 5: Transfer to the International Airport for final departure	Breakfast

## Some of my summit pictures:



Mt. Manasulu 8167m



Mt. Cho- Oyu 8201m



Mt. Everest 8848m, 2016



Mt. Denali 6217m USA



Mt. Acancugawa 7000m, Argentina



Mt. Kilimanjaro 5895m, Tanzania