Wadi Shab And Bimmah Sinkhole From Sur

Wadi Shab, Ghayl ash Shab, Ash Sharqiyah South Governorate, Oman

Wadi Shab and Bimmah Sinkhole Tour is an unforgettable private adventure from Sur combining canyon trekking, emerald pools, swimming, palm groves, mountain scenery, and the turquoise waters of Hawiyat Najm. This scenic Oman nature experience is ideal for travelers seeking adventure, relaxation, and two spectacular natural attractions in one comfortable journey.

Wadi Shab and Bimmah Sinkhole Tour – An Amazing Private Adventure

The **Wadi Shab and Bimmah Sinkhole Tour** is one of the best private tours from Sur for visitors who want hiking, swimming, canyon scenery, and coastal beauty in a single journey. The route connects the dramatic landscapes of Wadi Shab with the vivid blue-green water of Bimmah Sinkhole, creating a rewarding combination of activity and relaxation.

At Wadi Shab, guests can walk through a limestone canyon, pass traditional farming areas, admire green palm plantations, and swim in clear natural pools when conditions are suitable. At Bimmah Sinkhole, visitors can cool down beside the turquoise water, enjoy a gentle swim, and capture memorable photographs of one of Oman's most recognizable natural landmarks.

This private experience is suitable for couples, families with older children, friends, solo travelers, photographers, and small groups. Guests staying in Sur can discover two famous attractions without joining a crowded coach tour. Browse more Oman tours with Wadstars to combine this journey with other memorable experiences across the Sultanate.

Explore Wadi Shab on the Wadi Shab and Bimmah Sinkhole Tour

Wadi Shab is one of Oman's most celebrated outdoor destinations. The valley is known for towering limestone cliffs, rocky paths, freshwater pools, palm trees, and peaceful mountain surroundings. Every section of the trail reveals a different view, making the walk enjoyable for nature lovers, active travelers, and visitors interested in landscape photography.

The experience normally begins near the coastal village of Tiwi. After reaching the entrance, guests take a short local boat ride across the water to the starting point of the trail. The path continues deeper into the canyon through rocky terrain, traditional agricultural areas, narrow passages, and sections surrounded by high cliffs.

As the walk continues, natural pools appear between the rocks while green vegetation creates a beautiful contrast with the pale canyon walls. Guests who are comfortable in the water may swim in selected pools when weather, water levels, and safety conditions allow. The guide can adjust the route according to the group's physical ability and the time available.

Active visitors may continue farther into the valley, while travelers who prefer a gentler experience can enjoy the lower sections, stop for photographs, and relax beside the water. The **Wadi Shab and Bimmah Sinkhole Tour** remains flexible, allowing the group to enjoy the scenery without feeling rushed.

Important safety note: Parts of the Wadi Shab trail are rocky, uneven, and exposed to the sun. Wear suitable walking shoes, carry enough drinking water, and follow the guide's instructions. Swimming depends on weather conditions, water levels, and each guest's ability.

Visit Bimmah Sinkhole and Hawiyat Najm Park

After the Wadi Shab adventure, the journey continues to **Bimmah Sinkhole**, locally known as Hawiyat Najm. This famous natural attraction is admired for its bright turquoise water, limestone walls, and peaceful setting inside a landscaped public park.

A staircase leads down toward the water, making the main swimming area easy to reach. Visitors can cool down, enjoy a refreshing swim, take photographs, or simply sit beside the water and admire the striking natural colours. The contrast between the blue-green pool and pale rock gives Bimmah Sinkhole its distinctive appearance.

For additional destination information, read the official Experience Oman guide to Wadi Shab. This external link is DoFollow because it does not use a nofollow attribute.

Enjoy a Scenic Private Drive from Sur

The coastal road between Sur, Wadi Shab, and Bimmah Sinkhole is an enjoyable part of the experience. Along the route, travelers can see rugged mountains, fishing settlements, open landscapes, and occasional views of the Arabian Sea. The changing scenery creates opportunities for short photography stops when time and road conditions permit.

A private journey offers greater comfort and flexibility than a large group excursion. Guests can travel at a relaxed pace, spend more time at their preferred locations, and ask the guide questions about Omani culture, village life, geography, and the natural environment.

The **Wadi Shab and Bimmah Sinkhole Tour** is especially convenient for travelers based in Sur or passing through Oman's eastern coast. It combines two highly regarded attractions along one practical route, reducing unnecessary travel while still delivering a varied nature experience.

Who Should Book This Private Oman Nature Tour?

This tour is an excellent choice for nature lovers, active couples, groups of friends, families with older children, photographers, and travelers with limited time. It provides a satisfying mix of walking, sightseeing, swimming, and relaxation while maintaining the personal service of a private trip.

Guests should be comfortable walking on uneven ground. Anyone planning to swim should bring suitable swimwear, a towel, water-resistant footwear, sun protection, and a change of clothes. A waterproof bag is useful for protecting phones, cameras, passports, and other personal items near the water.

What to Bring for the Wadi Shab and Bimmah Sinkhole Tour

- Comfortable walking or trekking shoes.
- Swimwear, a towel, and a change of clothes.
- Sun hat, sunglasses, and sunscreen.
- Waterproof protection for valuables.
- Enough drinking water for the journey.
- Personal medication and any essential travel items.

Book the Wadi Shab and Bimmah Sinkhole Tour from Sur

Booking the **Wadi Shab and Bimmah Sinkhole Tour** is a rewarding way to discover Oman's natural beauty while staying in Sur. From the impressive canyon and emerald pools of Wadi Shab to the brilliant turquoise water of Bimmah Sinkhole, each destination offers a memorable view and a different outdoor atmosphere.

Travelers who enjoy hiking, swimming, photography, or peaceful natural scenery can experience some of the finest highlights on Oman's eastern coast in one journey. You can also explore more private Oman tours and plan additional adventures from Sur, Muscat, Nizwa, and other destinations.

Walk through the magnificent canyon of Wadi Shab, swim in clear natural pools, and relax beside the turquoise waters of Bimmah Sinkhole on a comfortable private tour from Sur.

Tour Facts

Group Size:
4

Language:
English

Duration:
7

Tour Type:
continuous

Tour Itinerary

08:00 AM : Tour Starts by Hotel Pickup in Sur

Experience two of Oman's most spectacular natural attractions on a private journey from Sur to **Wadi Shab and Bimmah Sinkhole**. Enjoy scenic coastal drives, an adventurous hike, refreshing natural pools, and unforgettable landscapes.

08:00 AM – Pickup from Your Location in Sur

Meet your friendly guide at your hotel or agreed pickup point in Sur. Travel comfortably in a private, air-

conditioned vehicle while enjoying beautiful views of Oman's coastline and mountains.

09:00 AM – Arrive at Wadi Shab

Upon arrival, take a short boat crossing to reach the entrance of the hiking trail. The boat ride takes approximately two minutes and costs **OMR 1 per person**, which is not included in the tour price.

09:15 AM – Guided Wadi Shab Hike

Begin your guided walk through Wadi Shab's dramatic canyon. Follow scenic paths surrounded by towering cliffs, palm trees, freshwater streams, and impressive rock formations.

The hike usually takes around **45–60 minutes each way**, depending on the group's pace and the number of photo stops.

10:15 AM – Swimming and Hidden Waterfall Cave

Reach the beautiful turquoise pools and enjoy time swimming, relaxing, and exploring the wadi.

Confident swimmers may continue through the natural pools to discover the famous hidden cave and waterfall, one of the most memorable highlights of Wadi Shab.

11:30 AM – Return Hike and Refreshment Break

Walk back through the canyon toward the boat crossing and parking area. After the hike, take a short break and refresh yourself with complimentary bottled water.

Optional snacks may be purchased during the journey when available.

12:15 PM – Drive to Bimmah Sinkhole

Continue your adventure with a scenic coastal drive to Bimmah Sinkhole. The journey takes approximately 40 minutes and offers beautiful views of Oman's eastern coastline.

12:55 PM – Explore Bimmah Sinkhole

Discover this spectacular limestone crater filled with clear blue-green water. Walk around the surrounding park, take memorable photographs, relax beside the water, or enjoy another refreshing swim.

01:45 PM – Return Journey to Sur

Relax in your private vehicle and enjoy the coastal scenery as you travel back to Sur. Your guide can also recommend local restaurants where you may enjoy lunch after the tour.

03:00 PM – Drop-Off in Sur

Arrive back at your hotel or agreed location in Sur. Your private Wadi Shab and Bimmah Sinkhole experience ends with wonderful memories, beautiful photographs, and a deeper appreciation of Oman's natural beauty.

Please note that all timings are approximate and may change depending on traffic, weather conditions, water levels, walking speed, and the time spent at each attraction.

Duration	Elevation Gain	Location
7 Hours	**100 Meter**	**Wadi Shab**