PONG DAM Maharana Pratap Sagar

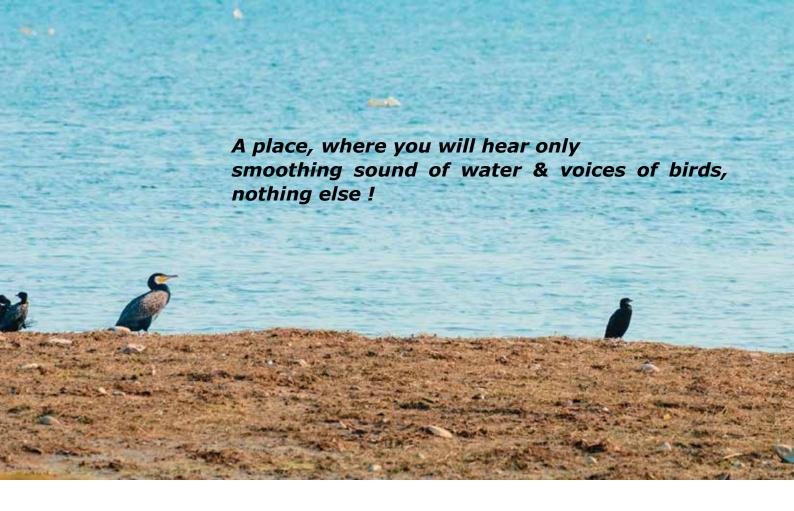


in Kangra, Himachal Pradesh



If you ever want peace with beautiful surroundings, then a Lake is the place for you. Lakes are peaceful, they're not loud like sea or ocean, but they will please to just sit there, delighting your eyes and meditation to rejuvenate from your busy routines.

That's where 'The Pong Eco Village' is located!



About The Pong, A Lake!

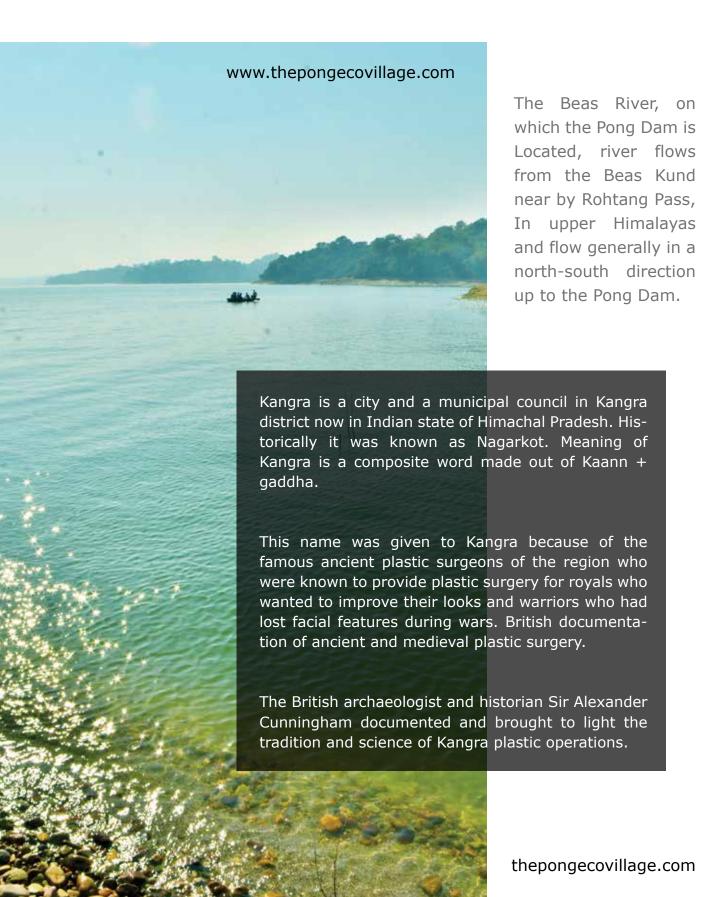
Pong Dam Lake in Kangra, Himachal Pradesh, India also known as Maharana Pratap Sagar. Pong Reservoir was created in 1975, by erection the highest Dam in India on the Beas River in the fen zone of the Siwalik Hills the Kangra district of the state of Himachal Pradesh.

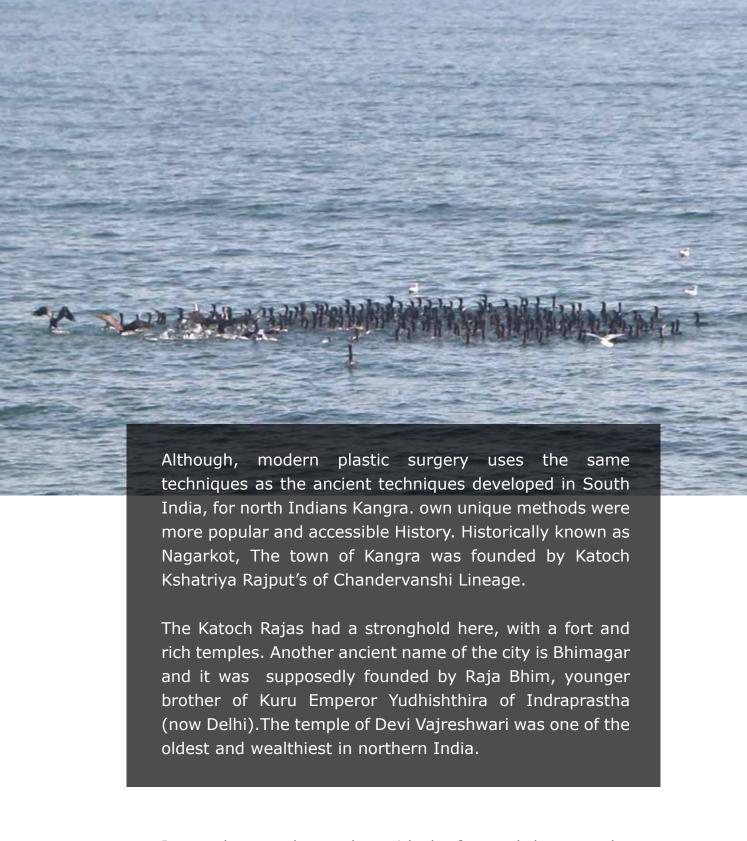


66 The lake is well known Wildlife & Bird sanctuary and one of the 26 international fen sites declared in India by Ramsar convention.

The Pong Dam named in the honors of Maharana Pratap. Pong Reservoir covers an area of 60,610 acres and fen area is 38,700 acres.

The Pong Dam is also known as Fishing reservoirs in the Himalayan foothills of the Himachal Pradesh.





It was destroyed, together with the fort and the town, by 1905 Kangra earthquake on the 4 April 1905, when 1339 lives were lost in this place alone, and about 20,000 elsewhere. In 1855 the headquarters of the district were removed to the cantonment of Dharmsala, which was established in 1849.



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Bathu Ki Ladi, at The Pong!

The Bathu Temples (Bathu ki ladi) are a bunch of temples in the Kangra District state of Himachal Pradesh India, These were Submerged in Pong Dam Reservoir. These temples are accessible only in months of May and June when the water level decreases.

This temples have so many history from the time of Mahabharat. Some claim that the temple was built by Pandavas.

