



Great Escape Concludes Successfully in Sakleshpur

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Participants tackle grueling off-roading trails aboard the Mahindra Thar 4X4 at the 164th edition of the Mahindra Great Escape in Sakleshpur



Mahindra Thar 4X4, the preferred off-roader

The number of participants at Mahindra's Great Escape off-roading events is witnessing an upward trend with more enthusiasts partaking each year. This year at the Sakleshpur Great Escape, over 80 competitors from Sakleshpur, Bengaluru and other neighbouring areas maneuvered their Mahindra Thar 4X4 SUVs through the challenging trails.

Trail Drive on day one

On day one, Mahindra Adventure officials conducted a non-competitive 'Trail Drive' around the mountainous and muddy terrain of Sakleshpur. This was done to make sure that participants are well acquainted with the trail while also giving them an opportunity to strategize for the following day's obstacles. On day two, competitors edged each other out in a fierce battle in the tough off-roading trails.

Winners of the 2019 Mahindra Great Escape

At the end of two grueling days of off-roading, Bopaiah K.M emerged victorious in the modified category. He's also the winner of the 2019 Off-roading Trophy that took place at Mahindra Adventure's Off-road Training Academy in Igatpuri a few weeks back. In the stock category, Sudin S Rai finished first while Sapna Gurukar won the ladies category. Sapna was also the winner of the ladies category at the 2019 Off-roading Trophy.

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Mahindra Adventure's popular "Great Escape" off-road experience event was held in the midst of dense forests of Kadumane Tea Estate, **Sakleshpur**, Karnataka. Find the below the photographs of Mahindra Thar trail and Thar's advent into Sakleshpur forests below.





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164th Mahindra Great Escape of Season 9 held under Mahindra Adventure umbrella brand



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The two-day event saw participation by vehicles like Thar 4x4 and Mahindra heritage vehicles. These Mahindra SUVs negotiated arduous terrains and en route, the convoy of vehicles passed through river beds and unexplored trails.

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A unique concept to showcase the tough and rugged DNA of Mahindra vehicles, Mahindra Adventure functions as an umbrella brand with a series of self-drive overland adventure expeditions organized under its banner. Mahindra Adventure was launched as an independent entity for all adventurous activities, in 2011, headed by Bijoy Kumar Y, Chief of Adventure Initiatives. He is a motoring enthusiast and the erstwhile editor of a popular motoring magazine.

The Mahindra Adventure calendar comprises a series of experiential marketing events throughout the year such as the popular off-roading event, the Great Escape, several Challenges (sporting events in keeping with the company's promise of providing adrenaline pumping challenges), Multi-Day Special Escapes, such as the Monastery Escape (10 days), TriNation Escape (10 days), One lap of Iran (9 days), Himalayan Spiti Escape (10 days), The Snow Escape (7 days) & the Summit – a drive to the Everest base camp (14 days).



Mahindra Adventure Off-road Training Academy at Igatpuri is 28-acre facility, India's first dedicated facility providing a one stop solution to learning everything about a Mahindra 4WD vehicle and how to use it to its full potential. Through this, we hope to leverage the brand's off-road heritage, showcase the vehicles abilities and give the participants the confidence to explore the limits of the vehicles. Custom-made Mahindra Thars equipped with radio sets are exclusively used as training vehicles at the facility.