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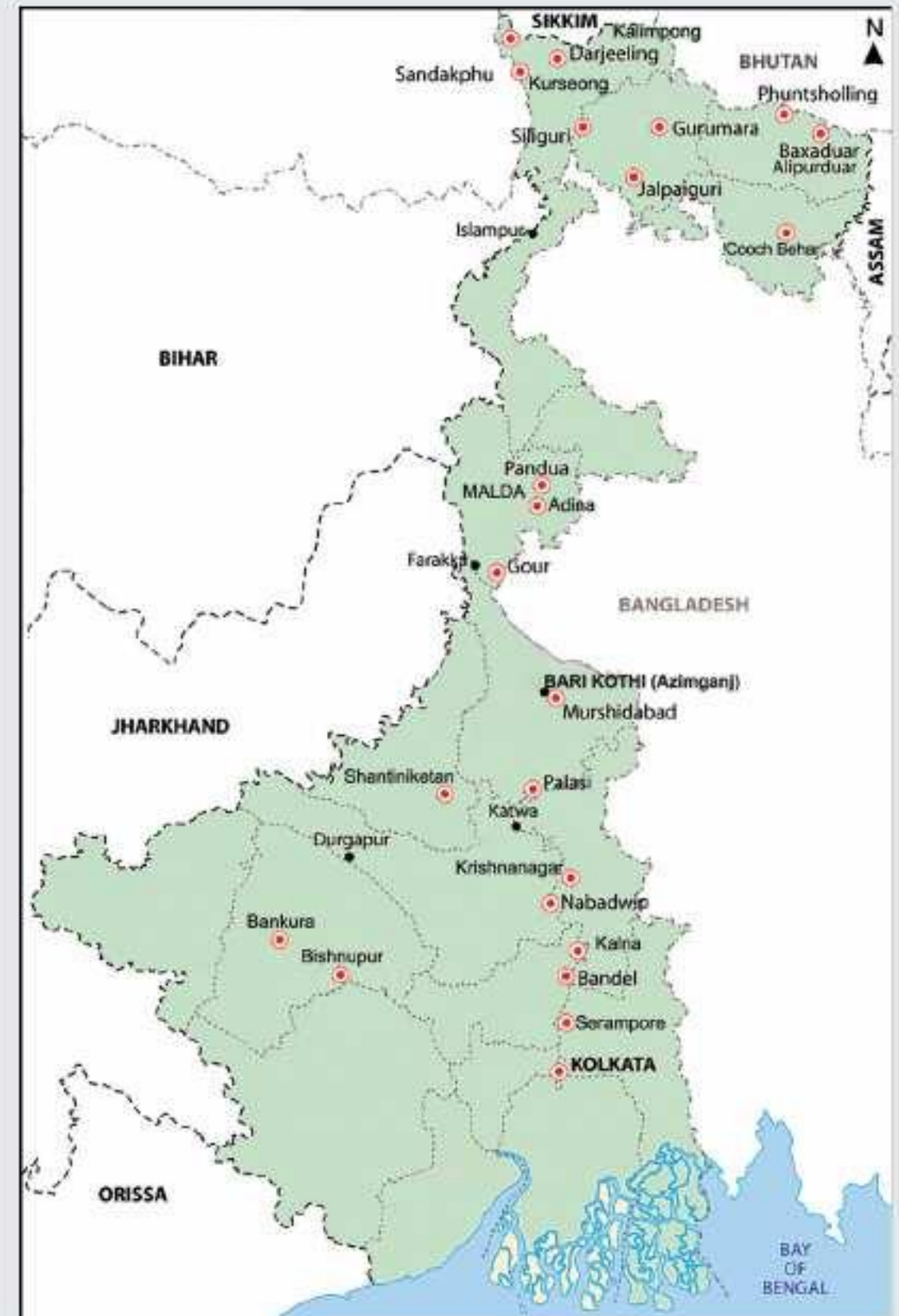
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THE BENGAL CIRCUIT

With sites of strategic and historical significance spread across the state, the Bengal Circuit provides an experience beyond sightseeing

- Kolkata
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- Murshidabad
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- Hooghly
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*A*t one point in time, Murshidabad contributed 5% of the GDP of the World only to be forgotten and now, remembered as the Unknown Wealth Capital of the World. Bari Kothi is an ambitious project nick named, Project Priceless, aiming to restore the sole of the erstwhile residence of Rai Bahadur Budh Sing Dudhoria. As a self-sustaining eco-system, Bari Kothi narrates the past, present and future of Murshidabad.

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Designed by Debanjan Guha

Murshidabad

THE FORGOTTEN CAPITAL OF BENGAL

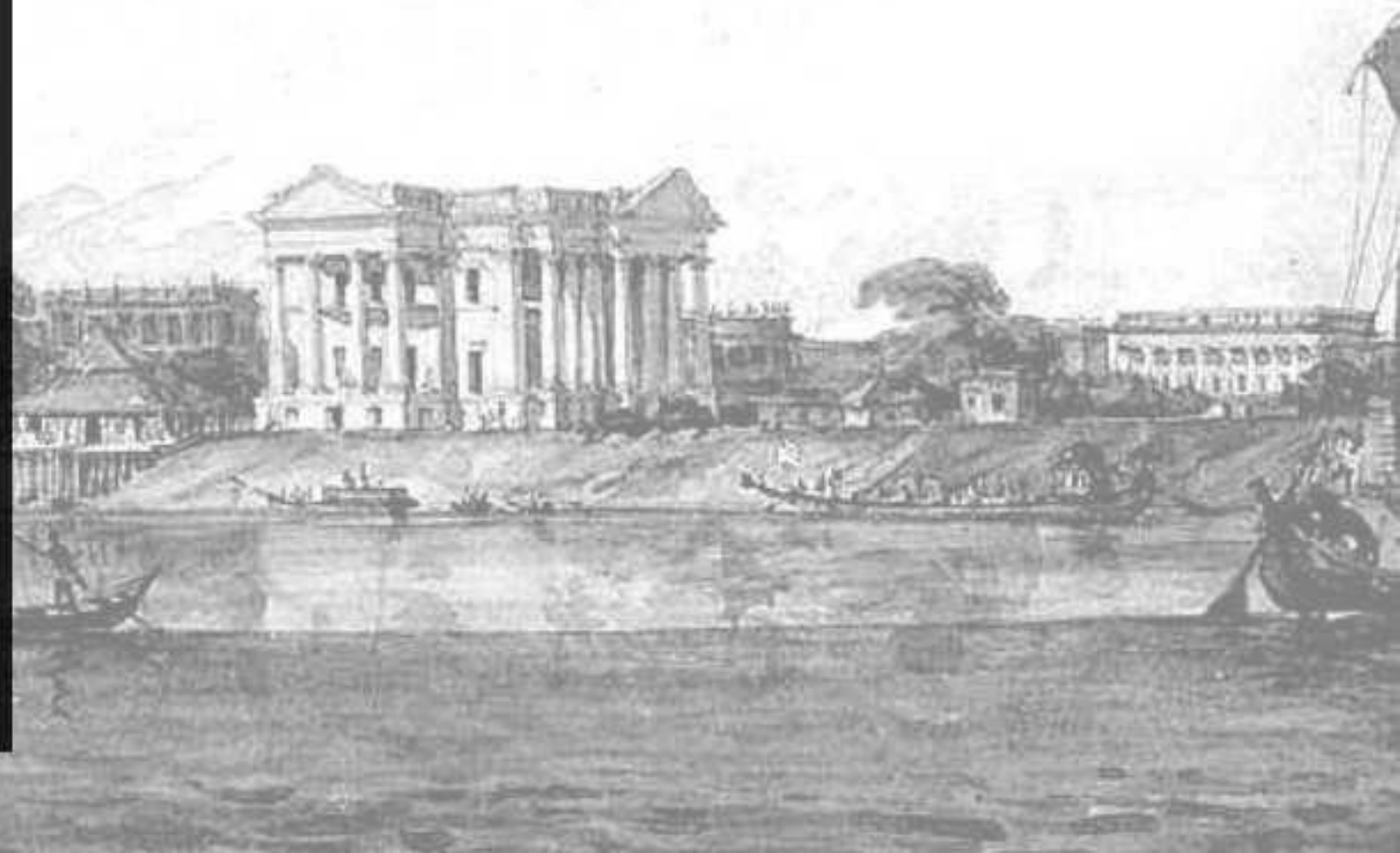


*M*URSHIDABAD, the last capital city of independent Bengal is situated on the banks of the Bhagirathi and is known for its rich culture and heritage.

The region has witnessed some of the most significant events of Indian history including the erstwhile Nawabs of Bengal to the Battle of Palassey. The wealth, opportunities and significance of the region in the 1700s attracted the wealthiest merchants from across India to migrate to Murshidabad. This led to Murshidabad witnessing a confluence of cultures and giving birth to its very own, unique culture of *mélange*. Having contributed over 5% of the GDP of the World at one point in history, it is lost in time, today.

MURSHIDABAD

The Forgotten Capital of Bengal



Sheherwali

THE COMMUNITY THAT ADOPTED DIFFERENT CULTURAL INFLUENCES TO
CREATE THEIR UNIQUE COMMUNITY

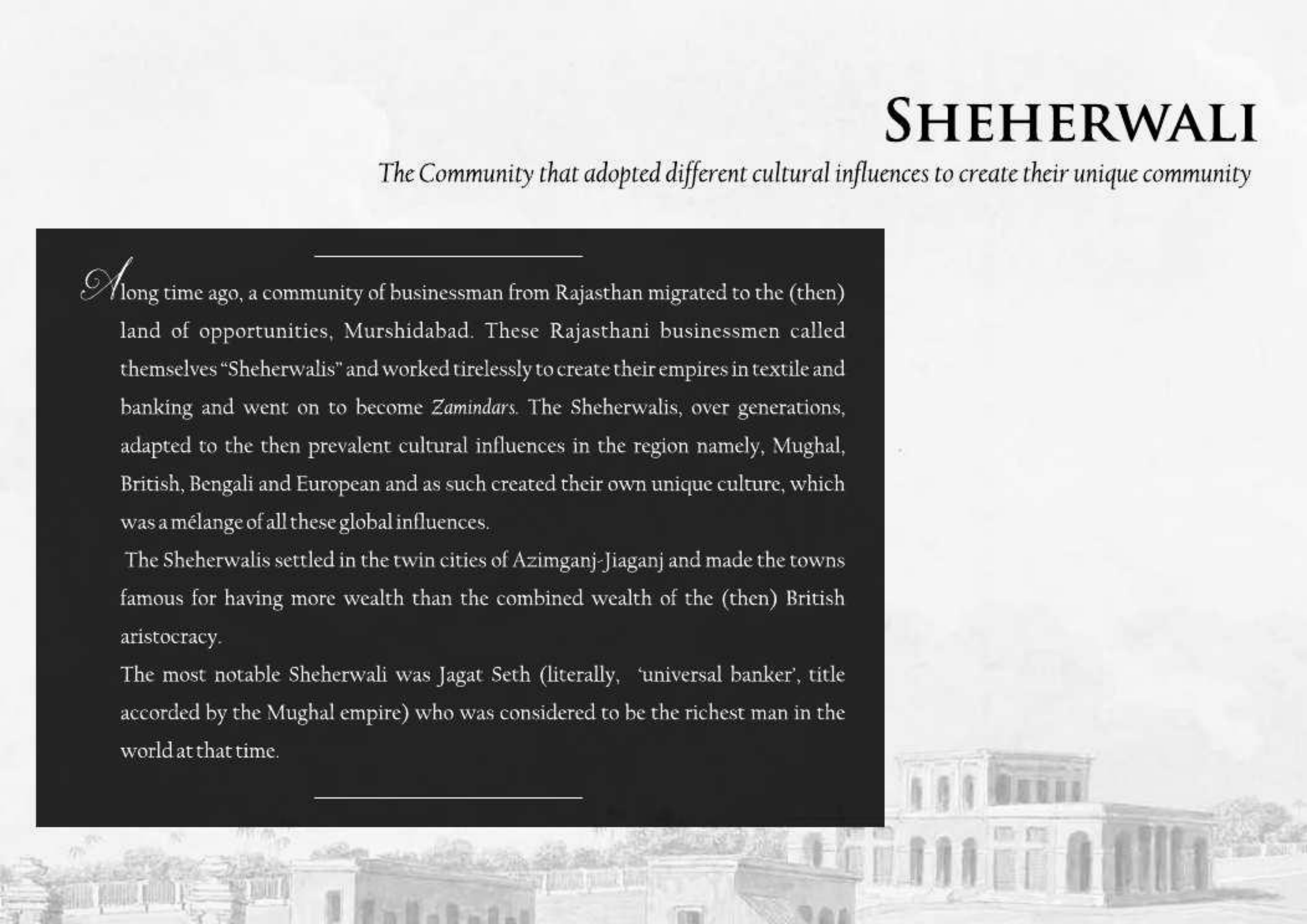
SHEHERWALI

The Community that adopted different cultural influences to create their unique community

*A*long time ago, a community of businessman from Rajasthan migrated to the (then) land of opportunities, Murshidabad. These Rajasthani businessmen called themselves “Sheherwalis” and worked tirelessly to create their empires in textile and banking and went on to become *Zamindars*. The Sheherwalis, over generations, adapted to the then prevalent cultural influences in the region namely, Mughal, British, Bengali and European and as such created their own unique culture, which was a *mélange* of all these global influences.

The Sheherwalis settled in the twin cities of Azimganj-Jiaganj and made the towns famous for having more wealth than the combined wealth of the (then) British aristocracy.

The most notable Sheherwali was Jagat Seth (literally, ‘universal banker’, title accorded by the Mughal empire) who was considered to be the richest man in the world at that time.





Murshidabad

The Downfall

ALL THE PALACES, TEMPLES AND MOSQUES WERE ABANDONED
AND LEFT IN RUINS

MURSHIDABAD THE DOWNFALL

All the Palaces, temples and mosques were abandoned and turned into ruins

But then the sun had to set in Murshidabad and after the infamous Battle of Plassey, the region of Murshidabad started losing its opulence and wealth. The capital of Bengal shifted from Murshidabad to Calcutta and so did the economy; eventually being entirely abandoned. Murshidabad now has various nicknames ranging from the 'Unknown Wealth Capital of the World' to the 'Forgotten Capital of Bengal'. Most of the Sheherwalis moved to Calcutta and abandoned their houses. The Palaces were locked down and the beautiful temples and mosques were abandoned and left in ruins.



*The Story
of
Restoration Begins*

BARI KOTHI BECOMES THE FIRST GRAND HERITAGE HOTEL OF EAST INDIA
TO BE RESTORED TO ITS FORMER GLORY!

THE STORY OF RESTORATION BEGINS

Bari Kothi becomes the First Palace to be restored to its former glory!



One of the Sheherwalis, the Dudhoria family under the stewardship of Babu Sudip Kumar Sing Dudhoria and his son, Babu Darshan Dudhoria took it upon themselves to restore their dilapidated 250-year old ancestral palace known as Bari Kothi.

THE STORY OF RESTORATION BEGINS

Bari Kothi becomes The First Grand Heritage Hotel of East India to be restored to its former glory!

The restoration was done by the acclaimed restoration specialist, Architect Samar Chandra from Canada over a period of 5 years. But it wasn't an easy task! "Given the poor state of affairs in the region, the lack of skilled masons, artisans, plumbers and engineers located near the site posed a problem. And since the family was also keen the local ecosystem, the project took a lot more time and painstaking effort in acquiring resources. From restoring beams made of teak wood to working on the vintage furniture, the restoration of Bari Kothi involved a lot of attention to detail, enough so Bari Kothi would last another century or more",

- said Dr. Samar Chandra.



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The end objective of the restoration was not to restore the building but to restore the soul of Bari Kothi. Hence, it was important to create a self-sustaining ecosystem for Bari Kothi, where Bari Kothi to sustain itself for another century. This vision gave birth to The First Grand Heritage Hotel of East India





FIRST GRAND HERITAGE HOTEL IN EAST INDIA



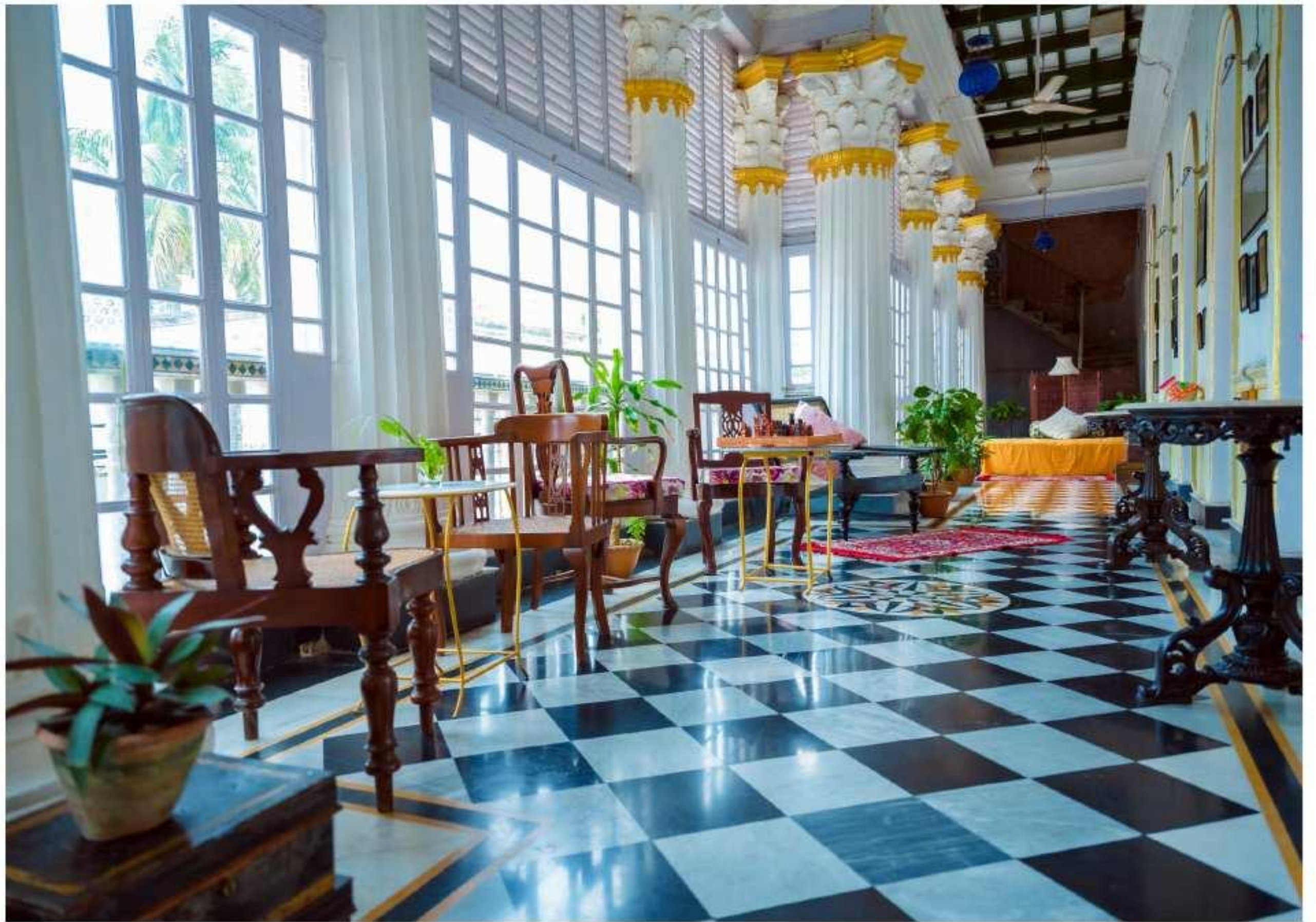
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Bari Kothi

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Inside
Bari Kothi

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The First Grand Heritage Hotel of East India

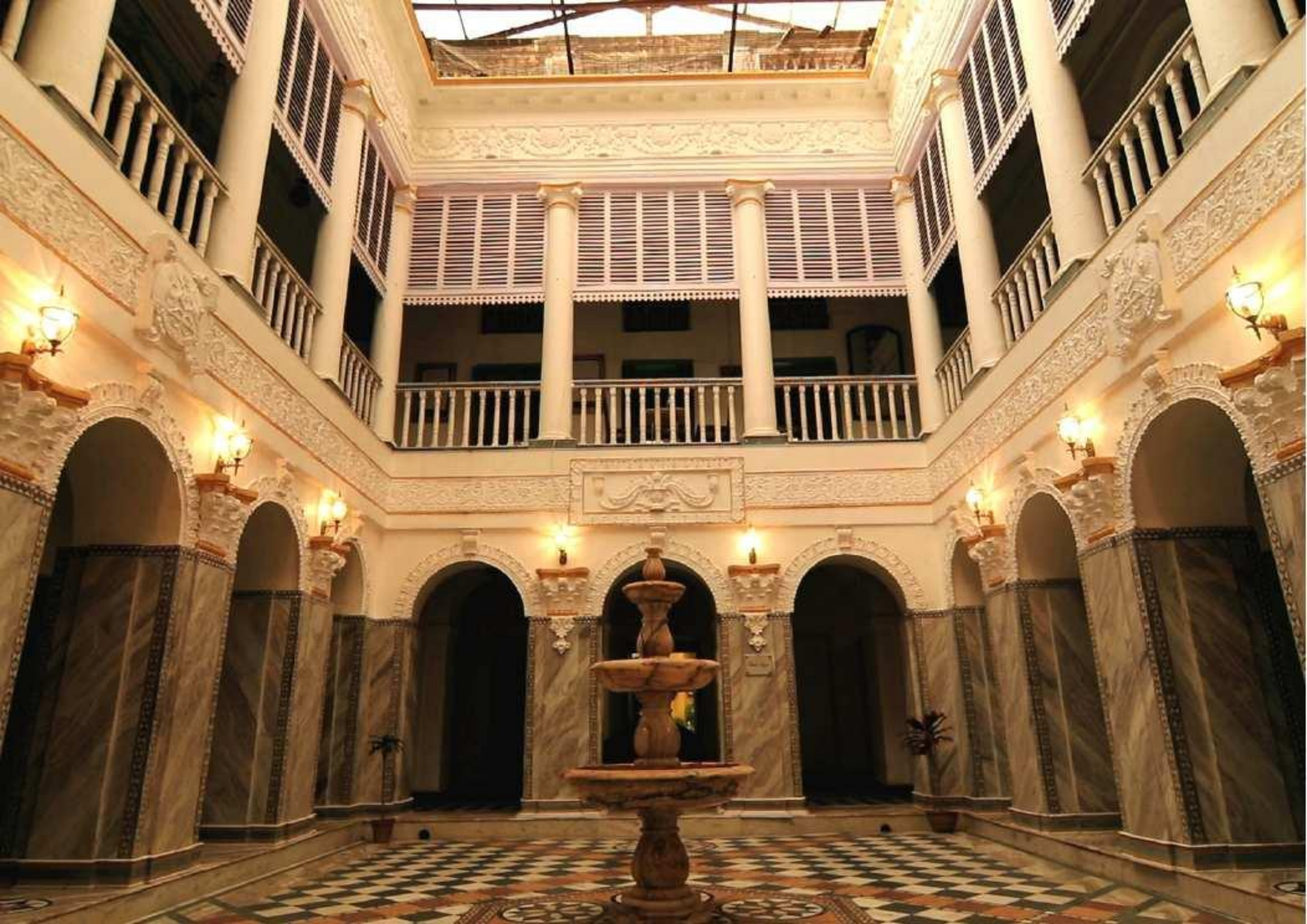
Bari Kothi allows its guests to explore the legendary stories of the past in its Library, Music Suite, Darbar Hall, Janana Chowk, Gaddi Ghar, Halwai Khana, Gulabi Chawara, Kahaani Ghar, Zareen Mahal amongst other unique areas.

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The First Grand Heritage Hotel of East India

Bada Aangan

The Bada Aangan of the House has its signature marble work on the floor and showcases the fusion of the Indian design with Roman and Greek influence from that era.



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Gaddi Ghar

Gaddi Ghar was the erstwhile working area of the Zamindars. It houses beautiful and unique Burma Teak pillars with intricate carvings which highlights the opulence of the Family and the region.



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Darbar Hall

The Darbar Hall is one of the most architecturally significant ball rooms across the region with hand painted tiles placed on the walls of the room, hand painted stained glass windows amongst others. The Hall was used to entertain Royal Guests of the family for the last 250 years.



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Namtala

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Accommodation

NOT JUST A SUITE - NIGHT STAYS ARE
AN EXPERIENCE & A STORY!

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Accommodation

Bari Kothi offers 15 suites divided across 3 categories, Heritage Suites, Royal Heritage Suites and Maharaja Heritage Suites. Across all the room categories, the furniture used are more than a century old with various artefacts. Every Suite comes with a Suite Experience Guide highlighting the story of the Suite, surroundings of the Suite, details of the furniture of the Suite and most importantly, how you could experience the Suite.



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Heritage Suite

Heritage rooms are our base category rooms beautifully done with traditional interiors & furnished with antique décor.



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Royal Heritage Suite

Opening to Sheesh Mahal views, our Royal heritage Suites are furnished with 250-year old antique furniture, high ceilings and rich fabrics.



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Maharaja Heritage Suite

Exuding an aura of the old world charm and elegance these suites are adorned with High-wood beamed ceilings, antiques, intricately carved archways and traditional furniture. Certain suites also feature a sunken bath.



Dining

BARI KOTHI OFFERS EXCLUSIVE SHEHERWALI & RURAL BENGAL
CUISINE ACROSS MULTIPLE DINING EXPERIENCES.



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Zareen Mahal

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Darbar Hall

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Breakfast By The Ganges

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Itineraries

TAILOR MADE ITINERARIES FINE TUNED FOR
EVERY GUEST BASIS THEIR INTERESTS

CUSTOMISED ITINERARY

We do not sell rooms, we create experiences

Heritage Itinerary

- Hazarduari Palace (Palace of thousand doors)- now, a museum showcasing the Nawab artefact collection
 - Imambara - a historic congregation hall built in 1847.
 - Jahankosha Canon - made in 1637, known as the 'destroyer of the world'.
 - House of Jagat Seth - known as the Greatest Banker in the world.
 - Nashipur Rajbati - Palace of Nashipur Royal Family.
 - Katra Mosque - built in 1723 & Footi Mosque, built in a day are famous sites to visit.
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We have been very spoilt! It has been the most impressive to see your hard work and dream coming true!

– Martin Atcherley (Germany)

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Textile Itinerary

- Visit to Tantipara (Weaver's Village) to experience Silk weaving and interaction with local weavers.
 - Visit to Islampore to experience Sericulture & weaving of 100% Pure Murshidabad Silk with local interaction.
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Bari Kothi make its promises, realities

– Henry Richmond (UK)

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Culture Itinerary

- Raibeshe Dance : genre of Indian folk martial dance; historically very popular in Bengal. Presently, practised mostly in Murshidabad.
 - Fakiri Music Performance : variant of Sufi and Qawali music.
 - Most popular Baul Performance of Murshidabad.
 - Interaction and engagement activities with the local community.
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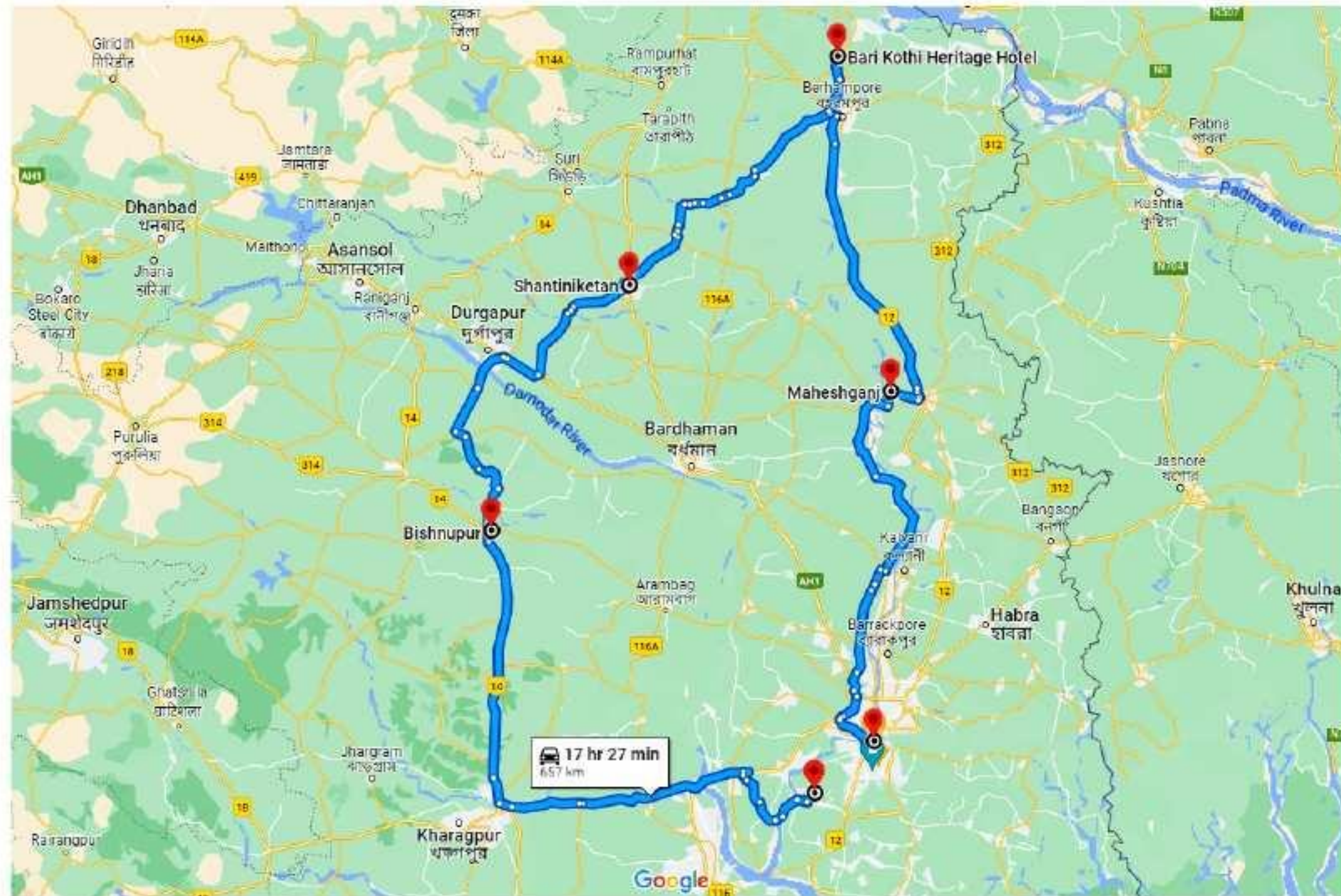


So delighted and honored to stay here. Thank you so much for this experience. So memorable in every way.

– Patti Phillips (U.S.A)

9 NIGHT 10 DAYS ITINERARY - ROUTE MAP

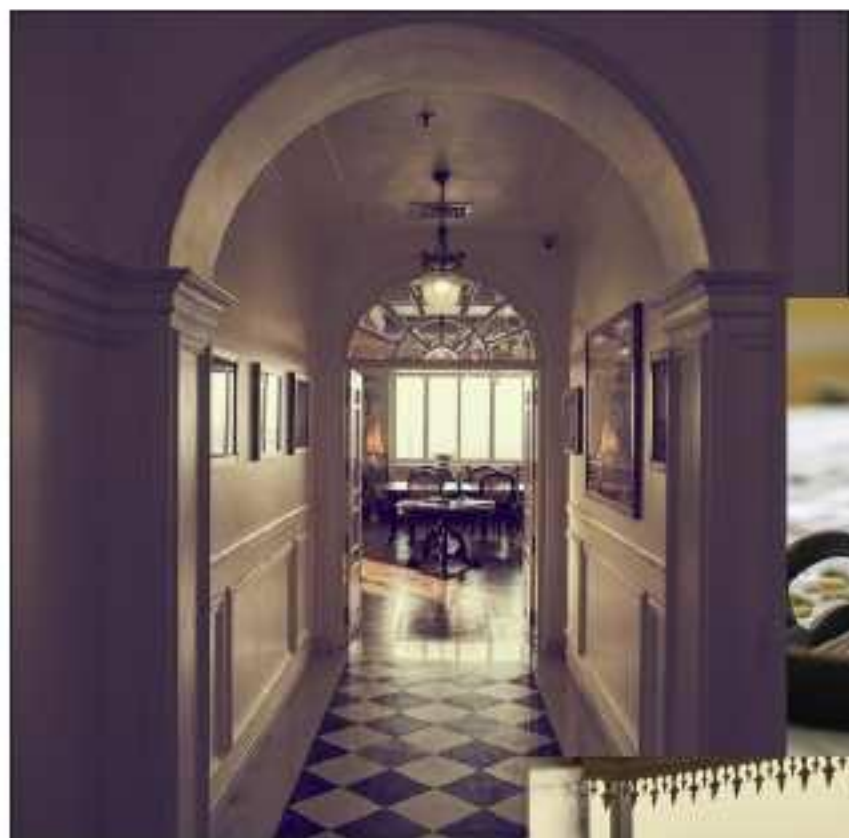
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Day 1

9 NIGHT 10 DAYS ITINERARY

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Check-in at Hotel

Breakfast in the Hotel

Heritage walk in Kolkata, visiting places like
Victoria Memorial, St. Paul's Cathedral, and

Howrah Bridge

Lunch at the Local Restaurant

Afternoon walk in Kolkata, visiting places like
Park Street and Kalighat Temple

Dinner in the Hotel



9 NIGHT 10 DAYS ITINERARY

Day 2

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Breakfast in the Hotel

Walk on the street of Kolkata

Lunch at a Local Restaurant

Visit to Dakshineswar Kali Temple and Belur Math

Dinner at the Hotel



Day 3

9 NIGHT 10 DAYS ITINERARY

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Early breakfast at Kolkata

Drive to Krishnanagar,

Enroute stops:

Serampore: A historic town on the banks of the Hooghly River, known for its Dutch and British colonial architecture

Bandel: Home to the famous Bandel Church, one of the oldest Christian churches in West Bengal

Chandannagar: A former French colony with well-preserved colonial buildings and a vibrant cultural scene

Kalna: Famous for its intricate terracotta temples, including the 108 Shiva temples complex and the Rajbari temple complex

Explore the Kalna terracotta temples



9 NIGHT 10 DAYS ITINERARY

Day 4

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Drive from Krishnanagar to Bari Kothi in Murshidabad, West Bengal.

Enjoy a 5-course Sheherwali Cuisine meal at Bari Kothi.

Experience tea on the banks of the Ganges River during sunset.

Enjoy a Bengali folk cultural program in the evening.

Indulge in a special Santhali Thali, which is Bengali tribal cuisine.



Day 5

9 NIGHT 10 DAYS ITINERARY

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Start the day with a Heritage Walk in Murshidabad.

Have breakfast by the Ganges River.

Visit Murshidabad for sightseeing, including Hazarduari Museum, Imambara, Katra Mosque, Kathgola Garden, Jagathseth House, and Footi Mosque.

Enjoy lunch on a boat with "Lunch on Ganges" experience.

Visit Tanti Para, a weavers' village, while sailing back.

In the evening, take a storytelling tour of the 250-year-old Bari Kothi.



9 NIGHT 10 DAYS ITINERARY

Day 6

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Start the day with a drive from Bari Kothi to Shantiniketan

Visit the various local sightseeing spots in Shantiniketan, such as:

Tagore's Ashram

Kala Bhavan

Sriniketan

Amar Kutir

Take part in cultural programs, such as:

Vishwa Bharati University cultural
events Local folk performances

Enjoy the local cuisine Overnight stay in Shantiniketan.



Day 7

9 NIGHT 10 DAYS ITINERARY

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Start early from Shantiniketan and drive towards another hotel in Kolkata

Enroute, visit local sightseeing spots in Bankura and Bishnupur

Explore the famous terracotta temples in Bishnupur

Enjoy the evening at the hotel

Have dinner and retire for the night



9 NIGHT 10 DAYS ITINERARY

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Day 8

Enjoy a lazy morning with a sumptuous breakfast in hotel.

Indulge in a relaxing spa session to rejuvenate your body and mind.

Have dinner at the restaurant and relish the authentic 'Zamindari Thali'.

Retire to your room for a comfortable night's sleep.



Day 9

9 NIGHT 10 DAYS ITINERARY

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Enjoy a breakfast by the pool.

Spend the day at leisure, exploring the resort's amenities, or simply lounging by the pool.

In the evening, you can opt for another spa session or indulge in some indoor/outdoor games.

Have dinner at the restaurant and unwind for the night.



Day 10

Check out after breakfast and bid adieu to the Hotel, feeling relaxed and rejuvenated.

ITINERARY FITMENT

A guide for clubbing your visit to Murshidabad with other popular itineraries

RURAL BENGAL

Kolkata-Bishnupur-Bankura-Shantiniketan-Murshidabad-Kolkata

COLONIAL INDIA TOUR

Kolkata-Chandannagar-Serampore-Murshidabad-Cossimbazar

SPIRITUAL TOUR

Kolkata-Shantipur-Tarapith-Murshidabad-Mayapur-Kolkata

STORY OF BENGAL TOUR

Kolkata-Murshidabad-Bawali-Kolkata

TEXTILE TOUR

Kolkata-Shantipur/Phulia-Mayapur-Azimganj-Shantineketan
Bishnupur-Kolkata

OTHER EXTENSIONS

Darjeeling

Varanasi

Odisha



Guest Experience

WE DO NOT SELL ROOMS, WE CREATE EXPERIENCES

GUEST EXPERIENCE

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Ms. Lipika Dudhuria, co-owner of Bari Kothi, who innovates guest experiences shares that “Bari Kothi aims to makes its guests explore and engage in Murshidabad basis their interest and that is the USP of our project. “All we do for our guests is to ensure that the experience is completely local. We like to hear the word ‘genuine’ and ‘authentic’ from our guests”, says Lipika.



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Sunset Experience

Sunset watching is considered romantic and calm but the experience enhances when you are waterside! At Bari Kothi, either leisurely stroll along the 100 feet long Ghat while sipping a cocktail and enjoying the soft pastel skies or go for a boat ride - laying on comfortable cushions and watching the sun dip in the river. Both being utterly Instagram-able!



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Tea on Ganges

Do you know the best way to fill the gap between lunch and dinner is a hot cup of tea served in our unique riverside seating! Bari Kothi offers its guests a selection of over 10 of the finest teas, and a delectable selection of traditional Sheherwali nibbles. The sound of flute in the background coupled with the visuals of hustle bustle of the local community in their everyday life just enhances the overall experience!



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Cultural Evening

West Bengal is an abode of culture and folk heritage and to understand the society and its people, one must witness unique cultural evenings hosted at Bari Kothi. Performances such as Baul & Fakiri music (minstrels' singing songs & poems about love and devotion), Raibeshe Dance (unique martial arts dance), etc. give a chance to the guests to mingle, converse, and enjoy music in a communal setting.



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Story Telling

In this world of technology and gadgets, what keep us connected to our roots are the age-old stories that were passed down from one generation to the other. Keeping this tradition of oral storytelling alive, Bari Kothi hosts a special session for our guests to connect with the intangible significance of the place, architecture and objects both emotionally and intellectually.



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Culinary

For food lovers, we host an exclusive culinary session. You begin with knowing the evolution of the cuisine and then start learning how to prepare some of the easiest Sheherwalis dishes. You also get a chance to take back home a secret tip or recipe from the family member!



Responsible Tourism

THE CORE VALUE OF BARI KOTHI

RESPONSIBLE TOURISM

The Core Value of Bari Kothi

“We are trying our best to get other hoteliers to visit the region and get a first-hand experience of the rich heritage and the tourism potential of Murshidabad, such that other palaces are adopted and converted to Heritage Hotels. Not only will we be able to preserve the Heritage but we will also be able to boost the local economy” says, Mr. Darshan Dudhuria.



RESPONSIBLE TOURISM

The Core Value of Bari Kothi

After 60 years of abandonment when it was finally decided to restore Bari Kothi - the ancestral palace of the Dudhorias, two things were very clear in our minds: i) Restoration shall be done in a sustainable manner and ii) Restoration should help in the development of our community. These two core values are the pillars that give substance to its dreams.



RESPONSIBLE TOURISM

The Core Value of Bari Kothi

To give more light on this, we first provided jobs to the ethnic group of Santhal Tribal women as waiters; Hindu men as laborers; and Muslim/Christian women as daily laborers. We further intend to offer various platforms such as – a teaching centre where the local artisans are taught to improve their skills and open up Stores where their handmade products such as sarees, stoles, handicrafts, etc. are promoted and made available to the rest of the world.



RESPONSIBLE TOURISM

The Core Value of Bari Kothi

“Being a unique social tool, we don’t sell rooms, we create experiences”. And the ones to benefit most from this wonderful arrangement are our guests, who get a first-hand experience of the local culture and stories.

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TRAVEL

Bari Kothi offers a slice of heritage hospitality and a dose of community spirit

Ensnared on around an acre of land and that has a story peeking out of every nook to tell its tale of 200 years and eight generations of the Dudhorias

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In the land of what was 18th Century Bengal's prosperous capital of Murshidabad, lies the beautifully restored boutique heritage hotel of Bari Kothi, which is ensnared on around an acre of land and that has a story peeking out of every nook to tell its tale of 200 years and eight generations of the Dudhorias. Located about six hours on road from Kolkata, Bari Kothi in Azimganj is also reachable by train, which is the mode that we opted for as it is quicker. An electric tuk-tuk ferried us to the property from Azimganj station through a delightful local bazaar and narrow gullies dotted with people and their goats — the preferred animal of domestication locally, we were told later. What awaited us was a traditional welcome by the female staff dressed in red-and-white saris and a brief introduction to the property.



Heritage of the Common Man

The facade of Bari Kothi Photo Credit: Courtesy Bari Kothi

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Darshan Dudhuria

May 22, 2020

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According to a notable British historian Robert Orme, Jagat Seth, a resident of Murshidabad (a district, 250 kms from Kolkata) was the richest man in the world in the early to mid-

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Completely vegetarian yet lavish Sheherwali cuisine of Murshidabad

The Sheherwali cuisine which evolved in Murshidabad is completely vegetarian—but it is as lavish as it gets

Amit Dixit

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First trip post Covid? Keep it slow!

Slow travel is evolving from a buzz word and a distant glittering goal to a necessity. This emerging trend has opened doors for various hoteliers who cater to the idea of slow travel in India.



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Take a historic walk with this 300-year-old heritage hotel in Murshidabad

This restored family house will give you a taste of the royal Sheherwali culture

By AD Staff

5 August 2018



The 300-year-old Bari Kothi, a luxury boutique heritage hotel in Auzangal, showcases Greek, Roman and French architecture.

Not many tourists might consider planning a trip to Murshidabad, a town in West Bengal, 200-odd kilometres north of Kolkata. Architecture lovers and culture aficionados from India and across the world flock west, to cities like [Jaipur](#), [Udaipur](#), [Agra](#), and [Bikaner](#) to take in the cultural, scenic and architectural wonders of the country. However, Murshidabad is a hidden gem, one with heritage structures that date back to Mughal and British eras. One such heritage house, built in the late 1700s, belongs to Rai Bahadur Budh Sing Dudhuria from the Dudhuria family. Bari Kothi, as it's called, literally translates to 'Palace of the Elder'. Take a tour of this luxury heritage boutique hotel.

AN EVERYDAY FEAST

Text and photos by Farzan Mazda



A typical Sheherwali thali with an assortment of vegetable dishes

I am seated in an 18th-century home in the city of Murshidabad in West Bengal. Hung from the high ceiling directly above the dining table, a multi-tiered Belgium glass chandelier lights up the spacious room while smaller chandeliers light up the rest of the room. The smooth flooring is paved with Italian marble; hand-painted tiles adorn the doors and walls. Called Bari Kothi, this opulent home-turned-heritage hotel belongs to Darshan Dudhuria, who is the seventh generation owner of the property. I join a group of diners who are here to experience a traditional meal from the Sheherwali community. Within a few minutes, all 14 seats of the dining table are taken and a flurry of servers walk in bearing an assortment of Sheherwali dishes.

The word Sheherwali means city dweller in Hindi. The epithet is believed to have originated in the 18th century. It refers to the Oswal Jain community of merchants and bankers who migrated from the state of Rajasthan and settled in Murshidabad in the 17th and 18th centuries. In *Sheherwali: Royal Vegetarian Cuisine of Murshidabad*, a book on the community and cuisine, author Pradip Chopra writes: "Invited by the Nawab of Bengal, these ambitious wealth creators yearned for the excitement, opportunities and fulfilment offered by the big and bustling city of Murshidabad, the seat of great power and the capital of undivided Bengal during the 17th and 18th centuries." The community flourished under the patronage of the Nawab of Bengal. As Chopra writes: "This Jain community proved indispensable in India's export trade, forming all important liaisons with European trading companies, providing financial and banking services for local/overseas trade, and thus amassed great fortunes and wealth."

HOW TO REACH US

Azimganj is located 220 kms north of Kolkata, West Bengal.

The best ways to get to Azimganj, Murshidabad are:

By Rail:

You can either catch Ganadevta Express from Howrah Station* which departs at 06:50hrs IST or Intercity Express* that departs at 15:15hrs, IST. There are more than 10 weekly trains that ply on this route*.

By Air:

The nearest International Airport from Murshidabad is Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose International Airport, Kolkata*.

By Road:

Approximately 6 Hour drive through the National and State highways*.

The best time to visit is between October to March*.





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