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through 5 New Travel Experiences.



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Introduction

If you find yourself caught in the hustle and bustle of routine life and sense that something essential is missing, you... are the one that we would like to invite on a journey to discover deep happiness and meaningful experiences that will leave a lasting impression on your life and soul. This remarkable journey is based on the '**Meaningful Travel**' concept.

This E-book offers 5 travel journey themes, each designed to provide a unique experience. The first theme, "**Memories of Famgether**," focuses on bringing the whole family together to participate in creative activities and enjoy a serene atmosphere, creating lasting memories. Next is the "**Rhythm of Nature**" which invites tourists to immerse themselves in the rhythm of nature, reconnecting with the joy and tranquility that nature brings to your soul. For food enthusiasts, the "**Slow Food Slow Life**" journey introduces a



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new perspective on local culinary art, where you can savor delicious dishes while contributing positively to the local community. If you seek challenge and personal growth, **"Unlock Your Limit"** asks you to step out of comfort zone, pushing the boundaries of your mental and physical strength, and creating an unforgettable once-in-a-lifetime experience. Lastly, the **"Wildlife & Nature Wonder"** journey invites you to explore the enchanted evergreen forest, where mystical encounters with the beauty of nature await.

All the journeys in this E-book adhere to **the BCG and Happy Model**, which incorporates innovation and creativity to elevate the standards of products and services. It emphasizes the idea of utilizing and circulating natural resources for maximum efficiency, ensuring that the local community and environment are protected under sustainable tourism practices.

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**A journey to discover new experiences
and to share moments of joy with family.**

Get together on a family excursion to the far northeast of Thailand to explore and experience the local wisdom. Relax amidst the nature and the beauty of the Mekong River and capture the most unforgettable and remarkable moment with your family.

DAY
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This journey in Thailand's far east begins with a boat cruise to experience the landscape of the Khong River and the first light. The boat will go through **Pak Bong**, the narrowest section of the Mekong River, which is only 56 meters wide. Meanwhile, tourists will see locals fishing and massive spectacular rain trees with prop roots that can withstand flooding.

Then, the family excursion continues to **Tohsang Cotton Village**, a charming village that still practices traditional cotton weaving. Locals plant cotton along the Mekong River

RECOMMENDED *Stay*

- The Goose Farm Stay & Café
- Bluemoon Riverside Resort
- Khong Chiam Orchid Riverside Resort
- Araya Resort Khongchiam Riverside
- Orchun Resort Rimkong



HIGHLIGHT *Activity*

Learn how to tie the fabric to make a pattern, dye it, and take it home as a souvenir.



and harvest it to produce cotton fabric. Tourists can try their hand at cotton yarn spinning and even touch the loom here. The highlight is the indigo tie-dye activity, which allows tourists to enjoy making tie-dye cloth and take this handcraft home with them.

In the evening, enjoy a picnic in the garden at **The River Café at Bi Colored River** and immerse yourself in the scenery of "the brown Mekong

MEMORIES OF FAMGETHER

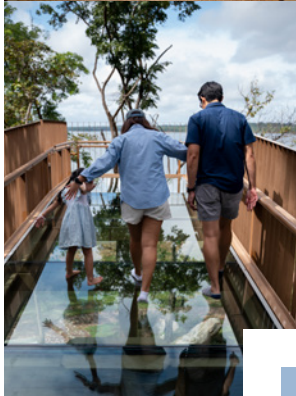


EXPLORE *Hints*

Pick organic ingredients right from the garden to make pizza, salad wraps, and blended juice for the whole family to enjoy.

and the indigo Mun," known as the confluence of two well-known rivers in Ubon Ratchathani, with the landscape of mountains on the Lao side. Enjoy a wonderful dinner and a drink while waiting for the magic hour, when the sunset occurs.

Spend the night at the **Tohsang Heritage Khongjiam Resort**. The resort concept is to leave the hectic behind and enjoy a slow and easy life surrounded by the wonderful Mekong River's beauty. The resort also has rooms with a warm atmosphere that are both small and large enough for a family. On the inside, room decorations are made by local artisans, particularly tie-dye cotton that is grown, dyed, and woven from 100% organic material.



DAY 2

After a full night's sleep, take the morning off at the **Skywalk at Sirindhorn Dam**. For those who are nervous, hold hands and take a step on the glass floor to experience the surrounding nature. See the world's largest hydro-floating solar hybrid generating





electricity from solar and hydroelectric energy inside the dam. There is also a botanic park, a fountain park, and a pavilion where tourists can relax.

The journey concludes at the delicious and delightful **Baangasuan Farm and Café**. This farm and café grow a variety of organic plants and allow tourists to pick their own to make a pizza, which they then bake in a charcoal oven to create a scrumptious dish. Also, tourists can stay full and stay healthy by creating their own salad wraps and blended vegetable juice. For children, this place also offers a porcelain doll painting activity.



TRIP PLANNER



1.30 hrs.

Getting There

From Bangkok, take a direct flight to Ubon Ratchathani for 1.30 hours. Then, tourists can rent a car or use the travel agent service to get around in Ubon Ratchathani.

Stay



The Goose Farm Stay & Café A simple and welcoming local hotel, only 18 kilometers from the Mekong River cruising pier.
☎ (+66) 65 459 4228

Bluemoon Riverside Resort A nice and shady resort beside the Mun River. The resort has a wide range of room options and is only 23 kilometers from Tohsang Cotton Village.
☎ (+66) 62 904 4441

Eat & Drink



Paelumkhong The restaurant serves delicious dishes cooked from a variety of freshwater fish with views of the Mekong River.
☎ (+66) 91 830 9168

Indochine Restaurant One of Ubon Ratchathani's most famous and remarkable Vietnamese restaurants, serving a large portion of food
☎ (+66) 45 254 126

Do & See



Tham Kuha Sawan Temple Pray to Luangpu Kam Khanning Chula Mani, hit the world's biggest gong, and take in a breathtaking view of the two-color rivers in another spot.
☎ (+66) 45 351 045

Sirindhorn Wararam Phu Prao Temple Visit the temple to see the holy and fascinating Buddhist art, with an element of Buddhist morals. At night, enjoy the lighting tree sculpture.
☎ (+66) 83 681 9884

Shop



Tong Neung Shop Visit the shop for white pork sausages and other tasty snacks and foods.
☎ (+66) 81 718 6445

Ban Pa-Ao Brass Handicraft Conservation Center Visit the center to purchase brassware made by locals using traditional methods.
☎ (+66) 81 548 4292



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Contact **At Ubon Travel**

☎ (+66) 88 595 4228

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Skywalk at Sirindhorn Dam

Spend a memorable moment with your family by walking hand in hand to explore nature in 360°. Enjoy the scenery of the dam and see the world's largest hydro-floating solar hybrid from the skywalk.

Tips to travel *memorably*

- See the world's largest and most eco-friendly hydro-floating solar hybrid.
- Take a photo in the new and trendy spot on the lawn beneath the skywalk.
- Reserve a room at the Sirindhorn Dam Guesthouse.

Where Sirindhorn Dam, Nikhom Sang Ton-eng Lam Dom Noi sub-district, Sirindhorn district, Ubon Ratchathani

When to go Every season, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Perfect for People who enjoy observing nature from a height and for people who wish to check in at every skywalk in Thailand.

Budget Free entrance

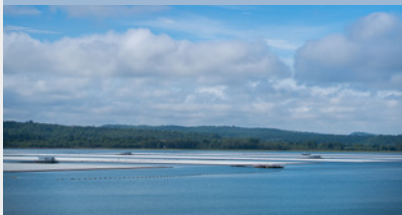
Contact Sirindhorn Dam Public Relation Department

☎ (+66) 45-366-081

Walk hand in hand on a 415-meter-long skywalk that connects with nature. The skywalk is constructed with a mirror floor and steel mesh, allowing tourists to see the ground and appreciate the surrounding nature and plants. From the skywalk, you can view Sirindhorn Dam (or Dom Noi Dam) in the distance. This embankment dam was developed for electricity generation and irrigation, and it also installed the world's largest hydro-floating solar hybrid, which generates electricity from solar and hydroelectric energy in an eco-friendly approach. There is also a botanic park, a fountain park, and a pavilion where tourists can relax.



Tourists can also visit the Sirindhorn Dam Viewpoint, which is about one kilometer away from the dam. The viewpoint offers a curved road view and a nice atmosphere. Tourists can also travel further to Pa Bho Yan Temple (Wat Koh) and Sirindhorn Wararam Phu Prao Temple (Wat Rueng Sang) to make a wish for a more prosperous future.



Tohsang Heritage Khongjiam Resort

Fill up your happiness and relax with your family as part of the resort concept of a slow and easy life. Unwind in the midst of wonderful nature, with views of the Mekong River and mountains.



Tips to travel *memorably*

- Relax into the slow and easy life concept with your family.
- Participate in creative activities available at the resort.

Where Tohsang Heritage Khongjiam Resort, Baan Huay Mak Tai, Khong Chiam sub-district, Khong Chiam district, Ubun Ratchathani

When to go Every season

Perfect for People who are looking for a special place to relax with family and are close to the city center.

Budget Starts at 2,299+ THB (seasonal rates may apply).

Contact Tohsang Heritage Khongjiam Resort

☎ (+66) 81 860 5905

f Tohsangheritagekhongjiam

Happiness can be found near the Mekong River. Enjoy the view of the Mekong River, which forms a natural border between Thailand and Laos, as well as the mountains of Laos, which are visible from the comfortable room. The room also has full facilities and is outfitted with simple and minimal wooden furniture and tie-dye clothing from local artisans. This is a great location for a family vacation or leisure trip. Tourists can have a picnic beside the Mekong River while waiting for sunset or participate in workshops relating to cotton.



For families who prefer to spend time together, this resort also has Superior Twin or Executive King Suites with connected doors that can accommodate 4-5 people.



Tohsang Cotton Village

Visit a small village along the Mekong River that still preserves cotton farming and traditional cotton weaving. This village also serves as a learning center for travelers to experience and participate in cotton-related local wisdom.

Tips to travel *memorably*

- Have fun learning about the cotton journey or making your own tie-dye cloth.
- Try yarn spinning or cotton weaving on a small loom.

Where Tohsang Cotton Village, Khong Chiam sub-district, Khong Chiam district, Ubun Ratchathani

When to go Every season, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Perfect for People who are looking for a family activity and want to inherit local wisdom.

Budget The cotton journey activity costs 300 THB per person, while the indigo tie-dye activity costs 550 THB per person.

Contact Tohsang Cotton Village

☎ (+66) 45 210 324

f TohsangCottonVillage

The must-do activity at this cotton village is "cotton journey," where tourists may learn about the cotton journey before becoming the fabric. This activity demonstrates the cotton journey from the cotton plant along the Mekong River to ginning, fluffing, yarn spinning (traditional cotton spinning), and dyeing the cotton with the Mekong indigo plant, a natural and native plant. Tourists can also weave cotton in a two-color pattern inspired by the two-color rivers of Ubun Ratchathani or participate in an indigo tie-dye activity to make a tie-dye scarf, shirt, or bag. This remarkable handmade item can be taken home to be used.



Aside from learning about the cotton journey and seeing the lifestyle and relationship between locals and the Mekong River, tourists can try their hand at yarn spinning, cotton weaving with a small loom, or making tie-dye fabric as a souvenir.

The River Café at Bi Colored River

Enjoy a picnic in the garden with your family. Immerse yourself in the joy and lovely atmosphere while taking in the view of the two-color rivers and sunset.



Tips to travel *memorably*

- See Ubon Ratchathani's renowned two-color rivers.
- Picnic in the garden at dawn and watch the sunset.

Where The River Café at Bi Colored River, Baan Huay Mak Tai, Khong Chiam sub-district, Khong Chiam district, Ubon Ratchathani

When to go Every season. The café is open daily from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Perfect for People looking for a relaxed atmosphere and a unique view to spend time and create meaningful moments with family.

Budget 990THB for a picnic in the garden set

Contact The River Café at Bi Colored River

☎ (+66) 81 860 5905

📌 [TheRiverCafeAtBiColoredRiver](#)

Let the time slowly pass and immerse yourself in the ambience of the wooden café that connects to the surrounding trees. Tourists can choose to sit on a stylish bar deck or lay on beach chairs while resting their eyes on the two-colored rivers and the landscape of mountains on the Lao side. For those who come with their family, the café also offers a picnic in the garden set with a mat and pillows on the lawn for family to engage, share stories, enjoy the breeze of the wind, and see the golden light of the sunset together.



Ubon Ratchathani's famous and spectacular two-color rivers are the confluence of two major rivers, the brown Mekong and the indigo Mun. Tourists can rent kayaks to see the sand on islands in the Mekong River in addition to enjoying the view from the deck.



Mekong Nomad Organic Farm

Visit a seed farm that promotes organic farming. The farm emphasizes safe farming and soil preservation, with the philosophy that "good food starts with great seeds from our local community."

Tips to travel *memorably*

- Discover how to harvest seeds.
- Learn how to grow plants using organic farming methods that are soil-friendly.

Where Mekong Nomad Organic Farm, Nakhon Phanom sub-district, Si Muang Mai district, Ubong Ratchathani

When to go During the harvest season (November to March) and please contact the farm to make an arrangement. Outside of harvest season, please contact the farm to find out what activities are available.

Perfect for People interested in farming during harvest season and looking for an interesting place to spend time with family.

Budget Free of charge. Tourists can help the farm by purchasing seeds or food.

Contact Mekong Nomad Organic Farm

☎ (+66) 81 072 2714

f mekongnomadfarm

In modern agriculture, many farmers grow crops primarily for harvest and sale, often opting to discard the original seeds after each growing season. When the next growing season arrives, they purchase new seeds, which frequently include genetically modified varieties. Mekong Nomad Organic Farm has taken on the essential task of preserving original seeds by cultivating plants of various ages and ensuring that these plants can produce their own seeds. This farm grows over 20 different lettuce varieties for salads, as well as fruits, vegetables, and a wide range of flowers. Tourists who visit this farm will learn about seed harvesting, organic farm cultivation, egg collection, cow feeding, and related English vocabulary. A fun and educational experience for all family members of all ages.



This farm is committed to organic farming without the use of any chemical compounds, and the plants are cultivated on Northeastern soil to prepare them to withstand the heat and dry climate. This helps local farmers obtain proper seeds for the next crop and ensures food security for the region.



Baangasuan Farm and Café

Have fun while filling yourself up. Make your own pizza using organic herbs that you can pick yourself. Also, enjoy the deliciousness of cherry tomato 'ubon sweet' species, which could win over tomato haters.



Tips to travel *memorably*

- Gather your family and create some delicious pizza.
- Visit and learn how to cultivate chemical-free plants using the organic farming approach.

Where Baangasuan Farm and Café, Tat sub-district, Warin Chamrap district, Ubon Ratchathani

When to go Friday to Monday, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Perfect for Those looking for creative activities to do with their families on weekends in a friendly place like their own backyard.

Budget Starts from 100+ THB

Contact Baangasuan Farm and Café

☎ (+66) 89 689 9275

🌐 baangasuanfarm

This is one of the tourist destinations in Ubon Ratchathani for family gatherings. This café provides a cooking activity in which organic plants grown in the backyard garden are used as ingredients. The highlight activity is preparing your own pizza using fresh pizza dough and homemade tomato pizza sauces. Then, tourists can bake their own pizza in the charcoal oven, which creates a delightful aroma. Apart from pizza, the café serves salad wraps, papaya salad, and blended vegetable juice that tourists can make together. For children, there are a variety of porcelain dolls available for painting.



This café is not only a place that offers joy and comfort to families, but it is also an agricultural community-based tourism enterprise. After joining the "Ginsabajai" project, this enterprise focuses on processing agricultural products within FDA standards and allowing customers to meet the farmers.

The Goose Farm Stay & Cafe

Pack your belongings and prepare to unwind in a new atmosphere. Spend a night at a homestay inside a farm and discover the simplicity and friendliness of local Northeastern style.



Tips to travel memorably

- Invite your family to unwind in a different environment and participate in a 'farmstay' activity.
- Experience a local Northeastern-style dinner where all the people sitting around circle around together.

Where The Goose Farm Stay & Café, Ban Na Alon, Phalan sub-district, Na Tan district, Ubun Ratchathani

When to go Every season

Perfect for People who want to bring their families to experience a different way of life and share the meaningful moments.

Budget Starts at 800 THB per room, including breakfast (seasonal rates may apply).

Contact The Goose Farm Stay & Cafe

☎ (+66) 65 459 4228

f Goosefarmstay

Relax in a medium-sized wood and concrete homestay that was built simply and decorated with local objects. The house has only three guest rooms and a veranda on the back of the house where tourists may sit and enjoy the view of the farm and marsh. The rooms are available as a single room or as a whole house for those who want to stay with their families. This place also allows visitors to experience the 'farmstay lifestyle' by feeding goose, duck, cow, and buffalo. In the afternoon, add to the excitement by biking to Chomdao Beach, which is only 10 minutes away, and then returning to the homestay for a Northeastern-style dinner.



Beside the rooms at the homestay, this place has a unique and stylish café. The signature menu for coffee lovers is 'bamboo drip coffee', which also represents Northeastern character by converting a Thai sticky rice steamer to use as a coffee filter.

Sirindhorn Wararam Phu Prao Temple

Pray to the principal Buddha image for good fortune, see the lighting tree sculpture, and explore the valuable Buddhist art made from faith and Buddhist morals.

Tips to travel *memorably*

- Pray to the principal Buddha image inside the main hall and walk hand in hand to see the lighting sculpture.
- Use the flashlight to illuminate the art on the floor, then turn it off. This will help bring out the more beautiful illumination.

Where Sirindhorn Wararam Phu Prao Temple, Chong Mek sub-district, Sirindhorn district, Ubon Ratchathani

When to go Every season. For an illuminating tree, please visit between 6 to 8 p.m.

Perfect for People who want to take a family to pray for good fortune, and visit the illuminating tree, which is a landmark in Ubon Ratchathani.

Budget Free of charge

Contact Sirindhorn Wararam Phu Prao Temple

☎ (+66) 83 681 9884

f watphuprao

Experience the magical scene that corresponds to the Thai proverb "ten people telling you about something doesn't compare to seeing it with your own eyes." When the sun sets and the night becomes dark, the mosaic installed with fluorescent tubes that absorb solar energy during the day will illuminate in brilliant green, illustrating the exquisite Pink Shower tree among the darkness. The scene is even more stunning on a moonless night with a clear sky since the stars emerge as a background. This place is ideal for visiting in the evening to see the Buddhist art in the main hall, see the art of Lotus Sutra belief, and pray to the main Buddha image, which glows wonderfully with the Sacred Fig Tree sculpture on the back.



According to the belief, Sirindhorn Wararam Phu Prao Temple is located up on the mountain to resemble Mount Meru, an important location in Buddhist Jataka tales. As a result, this temple is a perfect spot to enjoy a beautiful landscape, including views of the Mekong River, reservoir, Chong Mek Border, and some parts of Laos.





Bluemoon Riverside Resort

Relax in a quiet and modern resort that replicates Northeastern style and connect with the local environment. This allows families to spend quality time together and build lovely memories.

Tips to travel *memorably*

- Invite your family to Ubon Ratchathani and relax in the resort's nice atmosphere.
- Dine at Chom Mun Restaurant, a riverside restaurant that serves delicious Thai cuisine.

Where Bluemoon Riverside Resort, Sai Moon sub-district, Phibun Mangsahan district, Ubon Ratchathani

When to go Every season

Perfect for People looking for a hotel with a lovely and distinctive atmosphere near the river at a reasonable price.

Budget Starts at 1,500+ THB (seasonal rates may apply).

Contact Bluemoon Riverside Resort

☎ (+66) 62 904 4441

One of the joys of traveling is checking into a resort with a comforting atmosphere that allows full relaxation. Bluemoon Riverside Resort is a private and modern resort nearby the Mun River that features greenery, a view of trees, and a relaxing space to connect with nature breezes. The rooms range from Compact Container, Cozy Container, Modern Cottage, Garden Cottage, and Family room, which can accommodate up to ten people. The hotel has full amenities, including an outdoor saltwater pool in the common area.



Bluemoon Riverside Resort offers tourists convenience and a pleasant atmosphere. The resort also operates on an eco-friendly principle. Guests who are traveling with pets are welcome to bring along any animals they consider to be members of their family without incurring any additional fees.

Na Tan Camping

Embark on a journey of happiness as you engage in activities and enjoy moments of relaxation with your family in the embrace of nature, all while being surrounded by the magical Mekong River—a beloved and cherished river among the Northeastern people.



Tips to travel *memorably*

- Choose to stay in a twin house or a big tent for a family to spend time together.
- Get fun with boat cruising activities and gather around for a delightful barbecue or shabu dinner.

Where Na Tan Camping, Na Tan sub-district, Na Tan district, Ubon Ratchathani

When to go Every season

Perfect for People seeking a lovely resort by the river, offering family-friendly activities.

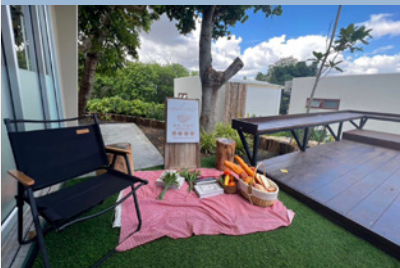
Budget Tents with futons begin at 600 THB, while a room in a box-shaped house, including 1 set of barbecue or shabu and 1 hour of kayak sailing, starts at 2,000 THB (seasonal rates may apply).

Contact Na Tan Camping


☎ (+66) 98 115 2152

f NaTanCamping

Experience relaxation and joy with family at Na Tan Camping, where tourists can choose between a comfortable room inside the box-shaped house or a camping experience amidst nature nearby Mekong River. Each option caters to families, providing ample space and thoughtful designs. The resort offers a variety of activities that encourage bonding and quality time together. Tourists can embark on a delightful cruise along the Mekong River, taking in the scenic views of Laos. As the golden hour descends, you can indulge in a delicious dinner with the choice of shabu or barbecue. For an evening of warmth and storytelling, gather around the bonfire under the starry sky, where you can share tales and laughter with your family.



Inside Na Tan Camping, there is a stylish café with beautiful design and graphic art on the wall that illustrates tourist attractions in Na Tan and the surrounding districts. Additionally, you'll find a quaint red house shop that exudes vintage charm and offers a variety of unique goods and products.



The Memory Café Pha Tam & Kaeng Pitsamai Riverside

Create lasting memories during your family trip at a stylish café, where you can enjoy the serene view of the Mekong River while enjoying drinks and indulging in homemade bakery treats.

Tips to travel *memorably*

- Enjoy sipping drinks inside the restaurant or grab a stylish canned beverage to take with you on the go.
- Arrive early in the morning to witness the mesmerizing sunrise emerge from the mountain range while immerse yourself in a nice atmosphere.

Where The Memory Café, Huay Pai sub-district, Khong Chiam district, Ubon Ratchathani

When to go The café opens every day from 7.30 a.m. to 17.30 p.m.

Perfect for People seeking a café atmosphere with captivating nature views to relax with family.

Budget Prices range from 100-250 THB

Contact The Memory Cafe

☎ (+66) 87 249 3173

f [PhaTaemKaengPhisMayRiWexrSid](#)

Create meaningful and cherished memories with your family in this delightful café, surrounded by a pleasant atmosphere. Take a view of the large sand island and other naturally formed islands in the Mekong River, set against a backdrop of lush mountains. Indulge in the café's signature drinks, which are crafted with unique fruit flavors. For example, the Green Day features coffee with the pleasant aroma of green apple, while the Es-Matoom combines the taste of Beal with the sweetness of palm sugar. As for the bakery, treat yourself to banoffee tarts that combine chocolate tart with banana and cream, and coconut croissants infused with a fragrant candle scent.



The Memory Café is an interesting destination in Ubon Ratchathani where families can come together and capture the beauty of the Mekong River, which changes through the seasons.







Rhythm
OF NATURE



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Feel the sensation of happiness and peace return to your body and soul.

Take an excursion to this serene land surrounded by vibrant nature. Discover natural resources such as hills, forests, rivers, mineral hot springs, and hot clay. The journey also includes many creative activities to bring happiness and peace to all tourists' bodies and souls.



DAY
1

Start the journey at **Plai-Poo Hot Spring** to witness the wonderful nature where hot and cold water meet. Relax in the hot spring to relieve fatigue while enjoying the sound of water flowing, the beauty of the hills, and the mist. Tourists can also boil the eggs for 12–15 minutes in the hot spring and taste a medium-boiled egg heated by thermal energy.

Nature is calling to the next stop at **Sangnae Canal or Little Amazon**. Take a canoe through the old banyan forest, where prop roots rise above the river and aerial roots interact with a variety of plant species. During the tour, you may see sleeping mangrove snakes prepared to hunt at night, as well as monkeys, insects that are

SIGHTSEEING *Hints*

Take a canoe through a 100-year-old banyan forest. Explore the intrigue of plants and rare animals.



RECOMMENDED *Stay*

- Kapong Garden Resort
- Rarin Thara Resort
- Ao Luek Panoramic Resort
- Borsaeen Villa
- Le Erawan Phang Nga Hotel



rarely seen elsewhere, and hornbills, which are considered a symbol of an intact ecosystem.

Continue the day at **Hug Kapong Café**, which serves beverages and homemade bread. The signature menu item is caramel banana cake with the sweetness of "Look Chok Sugar" (Arenga Palm Sugar), a local plant species in Phang Nga. The café also serves seasonal fresh fruits such as rambutan, mangosteen, and durian

RHYTHM OF NATURE



HIGHLIGHT *Activity*

Relax with a mud spa made from natural thermal hot clay from the Khlong Marui Fault.



(Sarika species), which bore fruit in the café's entrance. All tourists can taste, buy, and take home.

Then, check in at **Ao Luek Panoramic Resort** and plunge yourself into nature's embrace. While sipping a glass of wine in the bathtub, take in the panoramic view of Phang Nga Bay from the Deluxe Seaview Bathtub room. Those who prefer swimming will enjoy the outdoor infinity pool with a background of many colors of sunset sky and flocks of birds flying back to the nest.



EXPLORE *Hints*

Weave SAORI cloth in your own unique style, pattern, and color to create the one and only work of art.

which offers natural hot salt water, hot sand, and hot clay. Highlight of this program is the mud spa with the pure and mineral hot clay, which helps in body and skin relaxation. Then, drinking a cup of hot Indian Marsh Fleabane tea with a local snack while savoring the amazing view of the sky, river, and mangrove forest. Before getting back, taste fresh oysters straight from the net. The fresh oysters are served with side dishes and other local menus from **Ban Khok Krai**

DAY
2

Rise and shine for the next early morning longtail boat voyage to the one and only **Triple Hot Spa at Ban Khok Krai**,





community such as stir fried rice noodle and spicy salad with vegetables.

Having lunch at **Kubkhaomae**, a restaurant with the slogan "tastes like it was made by mom". The restaurant cooks exquisite southern cuisine using local ingredients and organic vegetables grown in their own garden, such as Southern Chilli Curry with Pork Soft Ribs, Sweet and Sour Fish and Thai Blueberry Soup, Hairy-fruited Eggplant Chilli Paste, and some others seasonal menu.

Before going home, attend an art therapy session at **the SAORI Training Center**, where all tourists can choose a color of silk to create their own unique pattern. The center also offers a handbag-making session in which tourists create their own handcrafted bag from SAORI weaving cloth and bring it back home to use.



TRIP PLANNER



1.30 hrs.

Getting There

From Bangkok, take a direct flight to Phuket International Airport for 1.30 hours. Then, rent a car or use a travel agent's service to get around Phang Nga.

Stay



Kapong Garden Resort

A hotel with a garden view and a beautiful morning mist. It is only 15 kilometers from Plai-Poo Hot Spring.

☎ (+66) 7649 9666

Borsaen Villa A hillside villa in the province of Phang Nga. It is 16 kilometers from the Ban Khok Krai local community.

☎ (+66) 7641 8888

Eat & Drink



Pan Thong Dim Sum

Sip the old-style coffee and enjoy fresh-steamed dim sum and the breakfast menu in a cozy local neighborhood.

☎ (+66) 84 188 8876

Krua Bai Toey Restaurant

Taste the delicious local cuisine that was awarded a Michelin Plate for the fourth year in a row.

☎ (+66) 81 719 3689

Do & See



Wan Suk Market Visit the market to buy local community products and handcrafted items made by Phang Nga Provincial Prison inmates. The market also provides information on the Khok Nong Na agriculture model.

☎ (+66) 76 481 456

Takua Pa Walking Street

Explore Chino-European style buildings and taste the local Phang Nga food every Sunday, starting at 3 p.m.

☎ (+66) 95 932 9462

Shop



Jeh Nong Shop Shop for souvenir such as several types of chili paste, dried southern curry paste, and Phang Nga snacks.

☎ (+66) 95 423 2624

Khunmaeju Shop Local delicacy from Phuket, where tourists may get southern chili paste and a variety of snacks.

☎ (+66) 89 652 1805



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Travel to Phang Nga on a unique and affordable budget. We can accommodate both small and large groups.

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Plai-Poo Hot Spring

Experience the wonder of nature at the very place where hot and cold streams serenely meet. Immerse your body, make Onsen eggs yourself, and be mesmerized by the famous mountain scenery and foggy town of Kapong.

Nature is like the elixir of life. Come see for yourself at Plai-Poo Hot Spring. This pure mineral Onsen, naturally emerged from the convergence of hot and cold streams, holds varying degrees of heat at different spots. At an appropriate one, you can use its hot water to boil eggs of chicken, duck, and partridge, all available at local shops near the entrance. Immerse them for twelve to fifteen minutes and get medium-boiled eggs for your pleasure. You can also immerse your feet or your whole body to let the water relieve symptoms such as beriberi, rheumatoid arthritis, and paralysis, while enjoying the natural surroundings.



Tips to travel *mindfully*

- Arrive early in the morning to experience the fog of Kapong.
- Close your eyes, relax in the water, and listen to the sound of nature.
- Enjoy the distinctive taste of eggs boiled by thermal energy.

Where Plai-Poo Hot Spring, Thana sub-district, Kapong district, Phang Nga

When to go Every season (For the famous fog of Kapong, early morning arrival is highly suggested.)

Perfect for People that are looking for pure mineral Onsen in natural surroundings

Budget Free entrance

Contact Plai-Poo Hot Spring

☎ (+66) 76-499-131

Listen to the symphony of nature, water flowing, birds singing. Open up your senses and let them work together in harmony. Calm your eyes with evergreen forest sight, inhale the scent of the drifting fog, enjoy the taste of eggs boiled by underground heat, and embrace the wonderful mixture of hot and cold water.

The Moken Eco Village

Recharge your energy and enjoy an eco-friendly holiday on Koh Phra Thong. Absorb the beauty of cajeput forest under the golden light of the sun and be enthralled by many other wonders within the island's ecosystems.

Tips to travel *mindfully*

- Stay at least three days and two nights to fully explore the beautiful nature and drink it all in.
- The cajeput forest in the middle of the island is a must see.
- Nighttime sightseeing and animal watching is also a must.

Where The Moken Eco Village, Koh Phra Thong sub-district, Khura Buri district, Phang Nga

When to go Every season

Perfect for Escaping everyday life to recharge your energy to the fullest

Budget Starting from 1,900+ THB (seasonal rates may apply)

Contact The Moken Eco Village

☎ (+66) 81-895-6186

f PhrathongIsland

A worthy retreat away from social media, news, and all that jazz. Take in the pristine beauty and fill yourself up with positive energy provided abundantly by nature. Stay in a bungalow powered by solar panels with no internet access. Explore the healthy ecosystems. Visit the heart of the islands vastly occupied by cajeput trees on a local “E-taek” tractor. Paddle a kayak down the blue canal to admire the rich mangrove forests. Take a boat trip to nearby islands and snorkel through crystal clear water full of colorful tropical fish, corals, and sea fans. Enjoy a variety of tasty dishes cooked from fresh sea materials brought right to the resort by local fishermen, various homegrown vegetables, and smashing homemade shrimp paste.

Nighttime activities on Koh Phra Thong include sightseeing and animal watching. You may be able to find a samba deer strolling and hear a chicken-like sound, which is the clashing sound of some particular crabs' front legs. Named Pu Kai, or chicken crab, this endangered species is mutually preserved by the locals.



SAORI Training Center

Listen to the sound from your heart and relate it in the form of a pattern in SAORI weaving, a freestyle craftwork everybody can create independently and make it the one and only masterpiece in the world!

Tips to travel *mindfully*

- Have a try in designing your own SAORI weaving pattern.
- Get a charge out of various beautiful products on display at the Center.

Where SAORI Training Center, Tha Muang sub-district, Takua Pa district, Phang Nga

When to go 8.30 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Closed on Sunday)

Perfect for People willing to participate in Art Therapy and be proud of the self-created piece of work

Budget Free entrance

Contact SAORI Training Center

☎ (+66) 89-144-5296

📌 saorifortsunamithailand



Get to be proud of your own unique work in a workshop of SAORI weaving, a Japanese art inspired by Zen, which implies that every single thing has its individual dignity. No experience needed since there are no rules in this weaving method. Every participant can choose any type and also any color of fabric to freely design their own weaving pattern and in the end get a creation that will not be compared to any other. There will also be an activity to make a bag from SAORI cloth, another handmade piece of art to be used and kept as a personal delight for a long time.



After the tsunami disaster in 2004, the Maya Gotami foundation brought to Thailand the SAORI hand-weaving technique and used it as a therapy to ease the pain of the victims. The act later developed into a community enterprise producing a variety of quality products to be sold in leading stores and exported to several countries.

Sangnae Canal or Little Amazon

Close your eyes, breathe, and listen to the sound of the forest while taking a boat trip along a canal under the shelter of branches that spread out to form a tunnel. Explore astonishing ecosystems including a hundred years old banyan trees, snakes and rare birds.

Tips to travel *mindfully*

- Bring along your hats and sunglasses for the trip outside the tunnel.
- Binoculars for animal watching will also be needed.

Where Sangnae Canal or Little Amazon, Bang Nai Si sub-district, Takua Pa district, Phang Nga

When to go Every season (water level checking in advance suggested)

Perfect for Nature explorer looking forward to delve into the ecosystems within the old banyan forest

Budget Canoe price (with paddler): 500 THB (one or two tourists)

Contact Sangnae Canal or Little Amazon

☎ (+66) 87-280-7009

f TK.Amazon

Follow the call of the wild by taking canoe trip along Sangnae, a canal that flows from Khao Bang Tao past this old banyan forest down to Takua Pa River. Awaiting you is a captivating biological diversity. Large banyan trees with aerial roots dominate both sides. Along with other plants, they form a haven for a variety of animals; crouching mangrove snakes waiting to hunt at night, little monkeys hopping on the branches, reptiles, rare insects, etc. And, with a little luck, cross your fingers for the appearance of hornbills, a symbol of an intact ecosystem.



With fascinating nature and boat route that give a feeling of an otherworldly adventure, Sangnae Canal is called Phang Nga's Little Amazon. Tourists are likely to find familiar spots due to its being the location for a number of movies.





Triple Hot Spa, Ban Khok Krai

Wake up early and take a boat trip to an Unseen Thailand attraction. Featuring hot salt water, hot sand, and hot mud, this hot spa is unique for using natural resources and operating outdoor with the immensely beautiful Phang Nga as its perfect backdrop.

Tips to travel *mindfully*

The hot mud beach looks best during waning gibbous period of the month.

Where Triple Hot Spa, Ban Khok Krai, Tambon Marui sub-district, Tub Pud district, Phang Nga

When to go Early in the morning on low water days (waning crescent period), Advance booking required.

Perfect for People that are aiming to experience the only triple hot spa in Thailand or to relieve some symptoms.

Budget 1,250 THB each for a group with at least four members (500 THB more each for a group with less than four members)

Contact Ban Khok Krai local community

☎ (+66) 87-886-0465 (community chairman)

📍 ท่องเที่ยวชุมชนบ้านโคกไทร พังงา

Admire the beauty of the sun rising over the mountain's rim with its light dancing on the water while traveling to the beach where underground heat is brought up for using through Khlong Marui Fault Zone. Definitely one of a kind in Thailand. First, warm up by tapping your feet in hot mud pool and walking on hot sand beach. Second, wash in hot stream to open the pores on your skin. Third and the highlight, apply hot mud to your body. The mud, brought up from one meter underground, is in fine texture and full of minerals. Waiting for it to dry, you can relax with nice Indian Marsh Fleabane tea while enjoying the comforting scenery of the sky, the water, and the mangrove forest nearby.



Triple hot spa is an interesting touring destination worth checking out for the purpose of body relaxing and improving skin health. Time to visit is early in the morning on low water days (waning gibbous period) or only about ten days a month.

Ao Luek Panoramic Resort

Escape the hustle and bustle of city life to the embrace of nature. Savour the laid-back ambience. Breathe some fresh air and have a nice look at the magnificent Phang Nga Bay in panorama.



Tips to travel *mindfully*

- Deluxe Seaview Bathtub Room is recommended for viewing Phang Nga Bay in panorama privately.
- You can choose where you want to go out to see from the touring programs available.

Where Ao Luek Panoramic Resort, Laem Sak sub-district, Ao Luek district, Krabi

When to go Every Season

Perfect for People who seek for a quiet corner to lay back and fully absorb the beauty of Phang Nga Bay

Budget Starting from 1,900+ Baht (seasonal rates may apply)

Contact Ao Luek Panoramic Resort

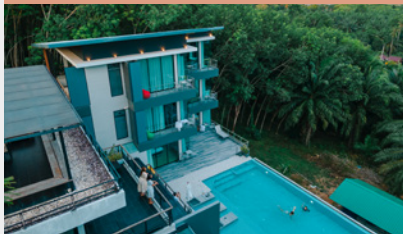
☎ (+66) 65-348-9794

f AoluekPanoramic

Relax and enjoy the world-renowned scenery of Phang Nga Bay, complete with big sky, deep clear emerald sea, and rich mangrove forests. Whether while lying back sipping a glass of wine privately in Deluxe Seaview Bathtub Room or swimming in the outdoor infinity pool, you will be able to absorb the romantic hours perfectly handed by nature. Apart from the evening when the sun paints the sky in different shades of colors, in the early morning you will be greeted by the lingering scent of fog and nice cold air from the night.



Definitely the resort designed for customers wanting to lie down and listen to the sound of nature. Apart from the rooms differently decorated in modern style with perfect facilities, a variety of touring programs focusing on nearby natural surroundings are also available for tourists to choose.



Baan Hin Rom Community Enterprise

Rest your eyes with the view of mangrove forest and stunning Khao Samet Nangshee, taste dishes cooked from fresh seafood ingredients, take a boat trip to explore islands and caves in



Tips to travel *mindfully*

- Take a boat trip to explore the famous caves and exotic mountains in Phang Nga Bay.
- Stay at a community homestay to wake up early to see the sunrise and the morning sea of fog along with experiencing the locals' way of life.

Where Baan Hin Rom Community, Klong Khian sub-district, Takua Thung district, Phang Nga

When to go Every Season

Perfect for People wishing to admire the beauty of natural resources in Phang Nga and learn about the locals' way of life.

Budget Tourist cruise, 2,500 THB/cruise (Capacity: 10 seats)

Contact Baan Hin Rom Community Enterprise

☎ (+66) 80-707-0416

f Hinrom12345

Lose yourself in the embrace of nature within a community surrounded by mangrove forests and symbolized by the view of Khao Samet Nangshee. You can contact the community for a boat trip to the forests, sea cage farming sites, and several natural attractions such as caves and limestone cliffs in Phang Nga Bay, Khao Maju, Tham Lod, Khao Tapu, Khao Phing Kan, Koh Panyee, etc. Not far from Baan Hin Rom Pier, you can get to see a new Unseen Thailand attraction, Hin Rom Separated Sea, a natural phenomenon when silt, sand, and various shells are blown together during the hide tide to form a beach road to Koh Nui, which can be seen when the tide is low.



Baan Hin Rom Community Enterprise also offers homestay accommodation for tourists who want to spend their rest close to nature and wake up to see the sunrise and the morning sea of fog. Deeply experience the villagers' way of life along with tasting delicious seafood made from fresh ingredients.

Hug Kapong Café

Kapong Café does not only have good coffee! But its homemade bakery that combines secret ingredients "Look Chok Sugar" or Arenga Palm Sugar, Phang-nga's must-buy product, is also terrific. The prime time to visit is during the fruit season.

Tipo travel *mindfully*

- Taste the signature menu that its sweetness is from "Look Chok Sugar", Phang Nga's local sugar from local palm.
- Taste and buy fresh fruit from the farm during the fruit season.

Where Hug Kapong Café, Kapong sub-district, Kapong district, Phang Nga

When to go Every day, 7.30-18.00

Perfect for People who look for a unique café. Emphasize the minimalistic atmosphere amidst the nature.

Budget Starts from less than 100 THB.

Contact Hug Kapong Café

☎ (+66) 91-824-4997

f hugkapong



A minimalist gable-roofed cottage house that is not secretly hidden among the fertile land of Kapong. Suitable for stopping by to chill and enjoy the atmosphere of the green garden and mountain view while sipping tasty drinks and fresh bakery made by the café. Its specialty lies in the use of "Look Chok Sugar" or Arenga Palm Sugar, which is a product made from Phang Nga local palms. If traveling in late May-July, you will find an army of fruit, welcoming tourists with rambutans, mangosteens and local durian (Sarika species) those are prolific right from the entrance. Tourists can inform the café for tasting and buying the fruit fresh from their trees.



The must-try menus when visiting here are caramelized banana cake and whole-wheat riceberry bread that has unique sweetness of Arenga Palm Sugar. Besides, you may also find champada cakes, sticky rice, Ko Sui dessert, and other local desserts that also make it in a rotational special menu.



Ruea Khud Rae Restaurant (Mine Dredge)

Enjoy tasty southern dishes while taking in the scenery and greenery of the palm farm at this restaurant-cafe that takes the inspiration in its design from a "mine dredge".

Tipo travel *mindfully*

- Relish the flavor of southern food made from local ingredients and curry pastes cooked by the restaurant.
- Relax and rest your eyes on the greenery and neatness of the palm farm.

Where Ruea Khud Rae Restaurant, Thai Mueang sub-district, Thai Mueang district, Phang Nga

When to go The restaurant opens from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. (closes every Tuesday).

Perfect for People who would like to experience the intense flavor of southern Thai food and learn about the history of Phang Nga.

Budget Around 100-1,000 THB

Contact Ruea Khud Rae Restaurant

☎ (+66) 96 636 3388

f cafeandbistro

Feel the retro that recounts the wealthy era of Phang Nga as the heart of tin mining in Thailand through an industrial design inspired by a "mine dredge", a machine that was crucial in the past. But aside from the retro vibe, this place also stands out for its local dishes, which is cooked from local ingredients, together with all the curry pastes that the restaurant has prepared. Recommended menus are stir-fried shrimp with kapi (shrimp paste), Ho Mok (steamed curry), Moo Hong (southern stewed pork), sour soup with sea mullets, coconut milk soup, fresh shrimp with miang (local vegetable), etc. You can choose to sit and dine in the air-conditioned room or in the zone outside, which is full of shades that allow you to see the view of surrounding palm farm.



Tourists are welcomed at "Ruea Khud Rae", relaxing in a cafe-style vibe, sipping fresh, aromatic coffee or cold drinks that the cafe serves in stylish cans. There are also special seasonal menus such as light mango smoothie with chili and salt to choose from.



Krua Bai Toey

A legendary restaurant in Takua Pa that has been opening for more than 30 years, offering delicious flavors from specially selected ingredients. Guaranteed by 4 consecutive Michelin Stars!

Tipo travel *mindfully*

- Try southern dishes prepared from high-quality ingredients and through secret cooking techniques.
- Wrap up the meal with a special classic grass jelly dessert.

Where Krua Bai Toey, Bang Nai Si sub-district, Takua Pa district, Phang Nga

When to go The restaurant opens from 11 a.m. – 9 p.m. (closed every 15th–16th of the month)

Perfect for Southern Thai food enthusiasts or Michelin Star restaurant hunters

Budget Around 100-1,000 THB

Contact Krua Bai Toey

☎ (+66) 81 719 3689

f kruabaitoey

From the look of the menus, the names may suggest typical southern Thai food, but Krua Bai Toey is fully attentive when it comes to their kitchen. Focusing on selecting only high-quality ingredients and applying unique cooking techniques. This makes each dish served look and taste standing out from other restaurants, even in this land of golden axe. The signature dish that the restaurant proudly presents is stir fried shrimps with kapi (shrimp paste) and sator beans, which uses full grown sator beans stir-fried with bouncy shrimps and high-grade kapi. Stir-fried pork with that is crispy on the outside and soft on the inside, perfectly paired with seafood sauce, is also another must-try. Not to mention there are yellow curry, Ching Chang fish and mango chili paste, stir-fried miang with eggs, and many more.



With more than 30 years of experience and detailed ingredient selection and meticulous cooking standard, Krua Bai Toey has been awarded the Michelin Star for 4 consecutive years (from 2019–2022). It is also the restaurant that locals frequently visit and recommend.

A hand holding a smartphone displaying a food photo, with a kitchen scene in the background. The phone screen shows a bowl of purple food, possibly a salad or dessert. The background is a kitchen with a wooden table, a pink pot, and a plate of green salad.

Slow FOOD
SLOW *Life*



Slow FOOD SLOW Life



Savor the nutrient and flavorful food created from a range of ingredients that express local identity.

A journey to find local identity and a simple way of life through the art of cooking, which provides not only flavor but also nutrition. All tourists will be delighted after tasting three significant flavors made from famous local ingredients from Phetchaburi and Samut Songkhram.



RECOMMENDED *Stay*

- Bann Pan Suk Phetchaburirom
- I Tara Resort & Spa
- Damnernpawa Resort
- Nabaantung Amphawa

DAY 1

Immerse yourself in the essence of travel with the story of the first of three flavors at **Suan Manao Ho Lung Siri, or Lung Siri Bengal Currant Garden.**

This garden grows 40 Rai of of Bengal currant, which are high in Vitamin C and antioxidants. Bengal currants are also used to create menus for food and beverages served in the café, such as sparkling coffee, crêpe cake, jelly, yogurt, and many others. There is also jam, chili paste, cider, tea (from fruit, leaves, and flowers), and more.



Bring joy to this trip with the menu from local wisdom at **Bann Bang Plub community.** Visiting the Ridge Fruit Farm, which grows Khaoyai Pomelo, coconut, lychee, and other fruits. Finding a signature menu and food produced with local ingredients. Participate in a sugar simmering workshop using traditional techniques. Before leaving, all tourists can shop for seasonal fruits and other products manufactured from agricultural products grown within the community, such as lotion

HIGHLIGHT *Activity*

Taste the saltiness of sea salt flakes and experience traditional salt farming with Phetchaburi locals.



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infused with pomelo essential oil, coconut nectar cider, or lychee honey.

The excursion continues to Phetchaburi, the province that produces finesse salt flakes in Thailand, for another significant flavor. Visit **Yunggleua Ban Laem**, a stylish restaurant that was renovated from the old salt granary. All tourists can enjoy meals made with local ingredients while watching the endless salt pan. The restaurant serves menu items like Fried Chicken with Salt Flakes, Fried Seablite Spicy Salad, Steamed Crab Rice, Thai Fried Fish Cakes with Rice Noodles, and many more. This place also offers palm sugar soda and palm sugar coffee for refreshments.

In the evening, check into **The Life Garden Boutique Farmstay**



EXPLORE *Hints*

Taste the Southern Thai Curry with Top Part of the Toddy Palm Fruit and Top Part of the Toddy Palm Fruit Spicy Salad—the iconic food made from local ingredients in Phetchaburi.



and unwind in an earthy-tone villa equipped with all amenities and surrounded by the relaxing green shades of an organic herb farm. The hotel's distinguishing feature is its introduction of herbs into food, drinks, and lifestyle. Dinner is served at the Chef's Table style, while breakfast is served in bed. Signature menu items are Spicy Rice Salad with Herb and Khao Chae, or Rice Soaked in Iced Water, that are made in Phetchaburi style.

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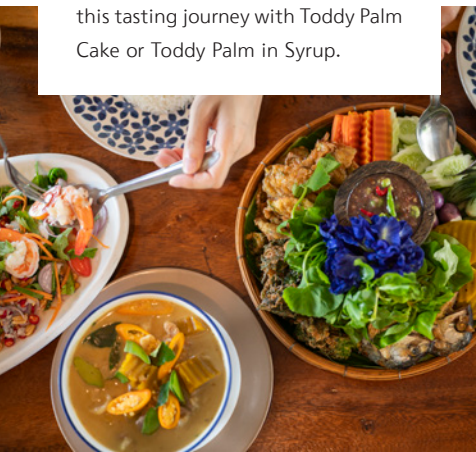
Take a day to experience the sense of salt by learning about the salt farmer's way of life and the production of pure sea flakes. Then, visit **Kanghuntong Salt Spa** to receive healthy skin recommendations from Phetchaburian as well as to enjoy the spa message for body relaxation and





skin revitalization to revitalize and brighten the skin that has been affected by air pollution. The spa uses a high-quality product consisting of pure sea flakes that are rich in minerals and Thai herbs.

The day in Phetchaburi, a city of gastronomy awarded by UNESCO, is not over yet. Before going home, stop by **Tanote Restaurant** to taste the Southern Thai Curry with Top Part of the Toddy Palm Fruit and Grilled Pork, Top Part of the Toddy Palm Fruit Spicy Salad, and other chef-created meals using local ingredients. Don't miss the signature dish, Coconut Milk Curry with Pickled Bamboo Shoots, which is a traditional Phetchaburi cuisine derived from local food preservation wisdom. Then, finish this tasting journey with Toddy Palm Cake or Toddy Palm in Syrup.



TRIP PLANNER



2 hrs.

From Bangkok, take a 2-hour ride to Samut Songkhram (by private car).

Getting There

Stay



Baan Punsuk Phetchaburirom Escape the hustle and bustle of everyday life in a simple homestay. It is about 16 kilometers from the Kanghunlong Salt Spa.
☎ (+66) 87 446 6466

Damernpawa Resort Relax in the midst of wonderful nature and explore the Amphawa way of life. It is 8 kilometers from Suan Manao Ho Lung Siri, or Lung Siri Bengal Currant Garden.
☎ (+66) 93 919 9218

Eat & Drink



Run Juan Jai Local Cuisine Restaurant Try a fusion dish from the traditional Thai menu. The meal is cooked with seasonal ingredients from Phetchaburi only.
☎ (+66) 90 980 0115

Coco&cof Refresh yourself with beverages made from fresh coconut juice straight from the backyard garden.
☎ (+66) 86 688 9701

Do & See



Amphawa Floating Market Visit the riverside community's market. Enjoy the local food and take a boat cruise to see fireflies at night.
☎ (+66) 83 433 5613

Lung Thanom Sugar Palm Plantation Visit the sugar palm garden, refresh yourself with fresh palm juice, and learn about Phetchaburi's local wisdom about sugar palms.
☎ (+66) 87 800 7716

Shop



Lhung Snake Shop Shop the Thai traditional desserts from Phetchaburi, including the iconic Thai custard cake and a selection of famous Thai sweet egg yolk desserts.
☎ (+66) 89 796 5052

Mae-Lek Coconut Roll Shop for a fresh or crispy Coconut Roll with authentic sugar palm sweetness.
☎ (+66) 90 974 5764

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The Life Garden Boutique Farmstay

Relax in style at a boutique farmstay in the heart of an organic herb garden. Immerse yourself in the nature, breathe in the fresh air and get to know the many benefits of herbs, which are processed into food and beverages.



Phetchaburi



Tip to travel *leisurely*

- Relax and enrich the background knowledge on Thai herbs and their benefits.
- Collect eggs in the coop and bring them for breakfast at the farmstay.

Where The Life Garden Boutique Farmstay, Hat Chaosamran sub-district, Muang district, Phetchaburi

When to go Every season

Perfect for Perfect for Customers looking for unique stay or having an interest in Thai herbs.

Budget Start at 2,500+ THB (Seasonal rates may apply)

Contact The Life Garden Boutique Farmstay

☎ (+66) 88 994 2563

📘 thelifegarden.th

A special experience of relaxation in a boutique farmstay that offers 10 villas and a saltwater pool. Hidden in harmony with an organic herb garden with the concept of Wellness Tourism, various ornamental and culinary herbs are grown here. If you see any herbs and would like to find out more about them, you can ask the staff who are delighted to walk you through. Within an area of more than 30 rai, there is also a well-verse agricultural area, including fish ponds, rice fields, vegetable plots, chicken coops, earthworm farms, etc. Not to mention the breakfast highlight being an intriguing Breakfast in Bed; a set of herbal salad with mixed rice and a set of “Khao Chae”, Phetchaburi's signature, where its specialty lies in toddy palm in sweet coconut milk.



In addition to being a wellness retreat with amazing mood & tone, this place also offers farmstay activities that lift visitors' hearts as visitors get to enjoy feeding goats, ducks, geese and fish, or collect fresh and warm eggs from the coop, for example.



Run Juan Jai Local Cuisine

Fulfill the joy of traveling and experience the value of food through the story of “Phetchaburi Local Ingredients” at a semi-chef table style restaurant that cooks and serves tasty food from the back kitchen.

Tip to travel *leisurely*

- Experience the value of food through “Phetchaburi Local Ingredients”
- Taste all flavors of food from seasonal local ingredients of Phetchaburi.

Where Run Juan Jai Local Cuisine, Tha Yang sub-district, Tha Yang district, Phetchaburi

When to go Tuesday-Thursday for a la carte menus and Friday-Sunday for Chef Table (seasonal) courses.

Perfect for Customers looking for distinctive story and taste of local food.

Budget 990 THB per Chef Table course, price excluded beverage. Limited to 4-5 customer per course (1-day advanced booking is required)

Contact Run Juan Jai Local Cuisine

☎ (+66) 90 980 0115

f runjuanlocalcuisine

Experience Phetchaburi in an unbeknownst aspect through Chef Peugeot's culinary skills. He original Thai cuisines and combines local ingredients with seasonal ones that are abundant in Phetchaburi, create interesting menus such as Khao Hom Beef, spicy sweet squid salad with palm sugar, thief salad, Gaeng Lok curry (a variation of traditional Thai curry), toddy palm curry with fried fish jerky, chili curry with crispy beef, etc. The sweetness of Phetchaburi's palm sugars, the sourness of Tha Yang limes, the spiciness of Nong Ya Plong's spice, topped with the saltiness from the authentic sea salt can be found in every dish. It is not too far-fetched to say this restaurant is packed with Phetchaburi flavor in every single detail.



The beverages are, in no way, pale in comparison to the food. The highlight goes to Nam Run Juan, a mixture of dahlia, ginger and honey juice. Another option is pineapple coffee that uses freshly squeezed pineapple juice contrasting with aromatic espresso brewed from Thai farmers' coffee beans.



Yunggleua Ban Laem

Taste delicious food that combines the unique salty taste of Phetchaburi in a seafood café-restaurant converted from a salt barn with sweeping views of the salt fields before your eyes.

Tip to travel *leisurely*

- Tasting menus created from local ingredients combined with the salty taste of Phetchaburi's salt flakes.
- Watch the traditional salt farming process of Laem villagers.

Where Yunggleua Ban Laem, Baan Laem sub-district, Baan Laem district, Phetchaburi

When to go Every season, from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed on Wednesday.

Perfect for People looking for unique taste of salt flakes, which is considered to be one of Phetchaburi's local food representatives.

Budget Beverages start at 50+ THB

Contact Yunggleua Ban Laem

☎ (+66) 89 614 2882

f yunggleuabanlaem



Try a variety of delicious dishes that showcase the identity and charm of local ingredients, from Cha Kram (seabite leaves) spicy salad, razor clam fried rice, crab-crumbed rice, fried fish cake with rice flour noodle, fried chicken with salt flakes, to special menus or designated menus that depend on ingredients of the day. Sipping palm sugar soda or palm sugar coffee amidst a simple, local atmosphere of a salt barn turned seafood restaurant and café while admiring the panoramic view of the salt fields. A wooden windmill and a wooden bridge stretching out offer a walkway and a learning passage about the traditional method of salt farming, which has been Baan Laem villagers' main occupation for hundreds of years.

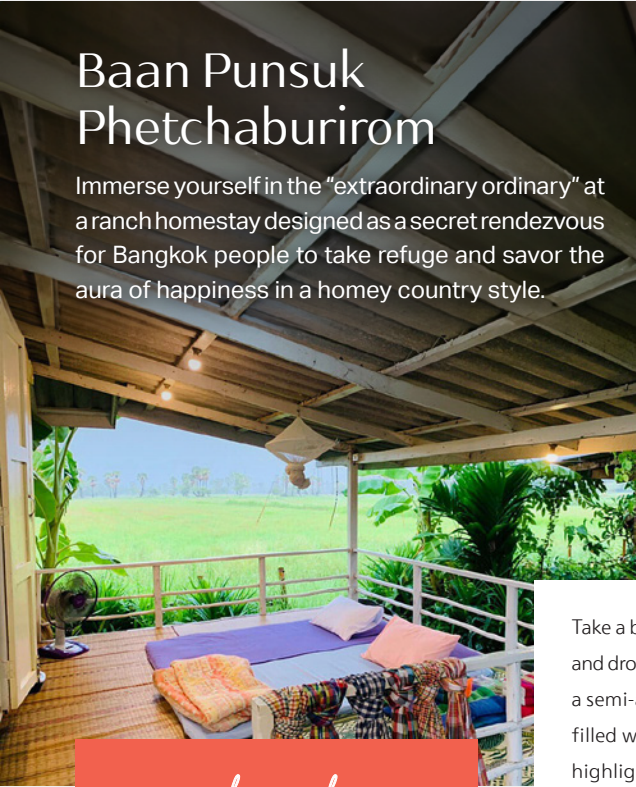


After finishing the meal, if one is still hooked onto the unique salty and sweet taste, 100% authentic salt flakes are on sales here to buy and bring it back at home kitchen. Mixing it with tamarind paste for body scrub is also a nice alternative.



Baan Punsuk Phetchaburirom

Immerse yourself in the “extraordinary ordinary” at a ranch homestay designed as a secret rendezvous for Bangkok people to take refuge and savor the aura of happiness in a homey country style.



Tip to travel *leisurely*

- Transform into ranch youngsters to match the atmosphere.
- Gather ingredients from the farm to cook for delicious simple meals.

Where Baan Pansuk Phetchaburirom, Chong Sakae sub-district, Amphoe Muang district, Phetchaburi

When to go Every season.

Perfect for People who like a simple lifestyle or feeling the need to escape from chaos to a quiet and relaxing stay.

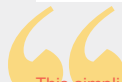
Budget A small hut accommodation starts from 600 THB/unit, Thai wooden house accommodation starts from 700 THB/unit.

Contact Baan Pansuk Phetchaburirom

☎ (+66) 87 446 6466

📌 บ้านปันซุก เพชรบุรีรัมย์

Take a break from hectic lifestyle and all the hustle and drop in to stay at Baan Punsuk Phetchaburirom, a semi-agricultural learning center and homestay filled with homey atmosphere full of nature. The highlight is vast rice fields that change through seasons. Try transforming yourself into ranch youngsters to experience the definition of “Slow Life”. Collect duck and chicken eggs from the farm, harvest organic vegetables from the plot, or go out for grocery shopping at a friendly price for self-cooking where you get to experience lighting up a charcoal stove to cook for a meal. In the evening, wear a sarong or loincloth to go out and take a refreshing cool shower from jars and later hang a mosquito net and listen to the lullaby orchestrated by frogs, small frog and crickets.



This simplicity might remind you of your grandparents’ good old days. Even though it is not equipped with comfortable facilities, it brings happiness that is hard to find nowadays.

Khrua Liang Hoy, Bang Tabun

Satisfy your appetite with delicious dishes from sea materials delivered directly by local fishermen, perfectly paired with daily made seafood sauce, while enjoying the cozy atmosphere of Bang Tabun Bay.



Tip to travel *leisurely*

- Have a nice taste of delicious and fresh sea shells from the restaurant's own farm.
- Find comfort in the atmosphere of the calm coastal fishing community.

Where Khrua Liang Hoy, Bang Tabun sub-district, Ban Laem district, Phetchaburi

When to go Every season, open every day from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Perfect for People looking for delicious dishes from fresh materials and wishing to support local fishing

Budget Starts at 100+ THB, prices vary depending on the ingredient's types and weights.

Contact Khrua Liang Hoy, Bang Tabun

☎ (+66) 81 920 3554

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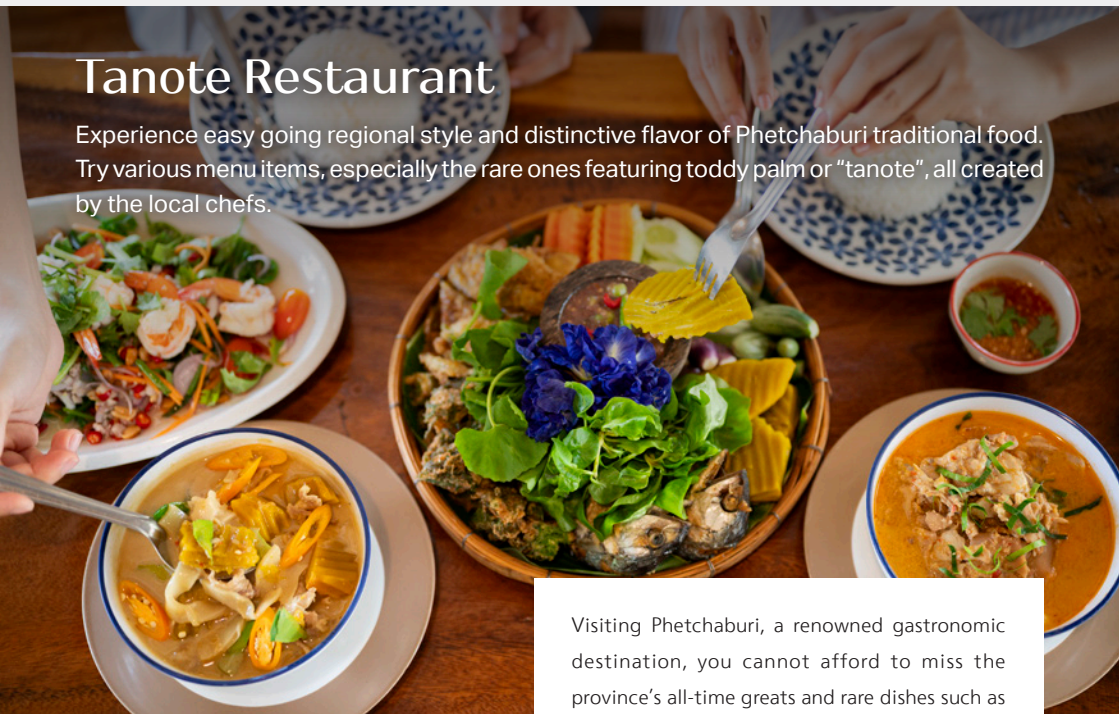
A small restaurant hidden within the fishing community of Bang Tabun with the owner a coastal resources conservationist and chefs recruited from the locals. Signature materials are seashells from the restaurant's own farm. Cockles, mussels, and oysters are all large-sized and, due to their freshness, firm and tasty. You can also select dishes from fish, crabs, shrimps, and squids, according to each day's materials. Menu items with minimal cooking ingredients are suggested to have with special seafood sauce freshly made on daily basis.



In addition to seashells from its own farm, the restaurant uses only sea materials found within Phetchaburi area to emphasize the province's richness in natural resources and support local fishing.

Tanote Restaurant

Experience easy going regional style and distinctive flavor of Phetchaburi traditional food. Try various menu items, especially the rare ones featuring toddy palm or “tanote”, all created by the local chefs.



Tip to travel *leisurely*

- Try Phetchaburi iconic traditional cuisines with toddy palm the vital ingredient.
- Support local touring through menu items using locally produced ingredients.

Where Tanote Restaurant, Tham Rong sub-district, Ban Lat district, Phetchaburi

When to go Every season, open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. (closed on Monday)

Perfect for People thrilled by the charm of local food’s distinctive flavor and wanting to taste Phetchaburi iconic traditional cuisine

Budget Starts at 90 THB (for each menu item)

Contact Tanote Restaurant

☎ (+66) 82 252 4990

f tanotekitchen



Visiting Phetchaburi, a renowned gastronomic destination, you cannot afford to miss the province’s all-time greats and rare dishes such as Southern Thai Curry with Top Part of the Toddy Palm Fruit and Top Part of the Toddy Palm Fruit Spicy Salad. Other highlights using local ingredients include; Herbal Chicken Curry, River Snail Curry, Mackerel Sour Soup, Stir-fried Clams, King Mackerel in Dip Sauce, Deep-fried Banana Blossom Cake, and Kang Lork. The latter, with the name that literally means “faked curry”, looking hot and spicy but actually has a mellow taste, is a traditional cuisine that showcases the locals’ wisdom in food preservation. All the items mentioned and many more in the restaurant menu are created by Tham Rong community chefs.



After the main course, you can satisfactorily finish your meal by enjoying Toddy Palm in Syrup amidst a cozy atmosphere, with soft wind blowing and views of local vegetable and fruit gardens well blended in.



Coco&coff

Soak up in the nice surroundings at the cafe in coconut garden. Try delicious drinks and desserts that combine top-notch ingredients: both coconut juice and kernel from the backyard garden.

Tip to travel *leisurely*

- Try signature drink and various desserts that use both coconut juice and kernel.
- Rest in a relaxing atmosphere by the lake surrounded by coconut, pine and bamboo trees.

Where Coco&coff, Bang Khun Sai sub-district, Baan Laem district, Phetchaburi

When to go Every season, open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (closed on Tuesday)

Perfect for People looking for tourist spot in Phetchaburi or wanting to try out creative menus.

Budget 100-200 THB

Contact Coco&coff

☎ (+66) 86-688-9701

f cocoandcoff



Coffee lovers or cafe hoppers who come to Phetchaburi and want to refresh themselves during the day can drop by Coco&coff, a cafe with a calm and cooling surrounding with a view of the large lake and the garden that envelopes it. The café itself pick up customers' interest by using local ingredients to mix with their coffee and dessert menus, especially local treats like coconuts that are planted behind the café, which are used to represent the sweetness in the signature drinks: coconut coffee frappe, coconut latte, coconut green tea, coconut milk tea, as well as the super fancy menus like salt flake coffee and green tea, rice milk cacao, sugar palm latte, etc. In addition, there are also rotational desserts e.g. coconut ice cream, coconut pie, Khanom Babin, etc., all use coconut kernel as their main ingredients.



The café is decorated in natural color that go well together; white, green and brown, and is surrounded by a relaxing atmosphere. The corner of the beach chair near the coconut tree line offer the seaside vibe, amplified with netted hammocks tied under pine trees that were planted along the line.

Kanghunting Salt Spa

Visit the place that produces the country's best sea salt flakes for spa and experience the sense of salt from spa services and products that combine the quality of pure sea salt flakes and various herbs.

Tip to travel *leisurely*

- Experience the sense of salt through spa services right where high quality sea salt flakes are produced.
- Choose products consisting of pure sea salt flakes for further skin care at home.

Where Kanghunting Salt Spa, Bang Kaew sub-district, Ban Laem district, Phetchaburi

When to go Every season, open every day from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Perfect for Perfect for people who interested in skin care with spa services and products that combine the quality of pure sea salt flakes and Thai herbs.

Budget 2,000 THB for visiting the spa and using massage services (not more than 50 people) and 60+ THB for product buying

Contact Kanghunting Salt Spa

☎ (+66) 91 705 0926

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While in Phetchaburi, the place that produces high grade sea salt flakes, you need to visit Kanghunting Salt Spa to learn the secret of Phetchaburian style natural skin care, which uses the quality of pure sea salt flakes full of minerals with Thai herbs in the mix. Services at the spa include body massage to reduce tiredness, face massage to bring back youthfulness and brighten up the skin, feet treatment to reduce fatigue from walking, and skin rubbing to nurse dry skin back to freshness without any irritation. You can also buy products such as herbal skin rubbing sea salt flakes, herbal sea salt flakes soap, and skin care oil for further using.



Sea salt flakes contain vital minerals such as magnesium, potassium and sodium, etc. They also hold about five times more moisture than normal sea salts. This quality enables them to bring minerals to cells quicker, making the skin brighter and look more natural.



Tham Bo (Bo Cave), Khao Ebid (Ebid Mountain)

Meet the eye opener of Phetchaburi tourism in one of the most unseen coordinates! Watch the scenery of the breadbasket from a high angle through the cavern, which is like a beautiful stone window created by nature.



Tip to travel *leisurely*

- Arrive early in the morning to watch the birds flying around for breakfast.
- Wear sturdy shoes since the soil is slippery and trekking requires utmost attention.

Where Tham Bo Khao Ebid, Nong Chumpol Nuea sub-district, Khao Noi district, Phetchaburi

When to go Every season, the perfect time for a cave visit is from 5 a.m. to 5 p.m. During the rainy season, the ground is more slippery than usual. (Extra caution is required.)

Perfect for Trekking-fit tourists who want to bask their eyes with breathtaking scenery of Phetchaburi.

Budget Free Entrance

Contact Head of OTOP Tourism

☎ (+66) 85 113 3237

Tham Bo is a large cave hall located in Khao Ebid. Inside, there is a light that shone through the small holes in the walls and cave ceiling, creating a beautiful view as well as allowing easy airflow and coolness. The highlight of Tham Bo is Khao Talu Pass, which can be imagined as a large window frame with natural curves and beautifully decorated with stalactites and stalagmites. By looking through these holes, you will also be able to admire the spectacular view from high on up. The wide sky, extending line of mountains, communities, agricultural areas, including the palm trees that are the signature of Phetchaburi.



Tham Bo, Khao Ebid is one of the 25 Unseen New Chapters tourist attractions of 2023. Visitors can start trekking from Khiri Wong Temple. There may be some slopes, which require the rope for body support, but the destination lies the beauty that is worth all the effort.

Hidden Tree Garden

Secret cafe in the middle of nature in Mae Klong area. Ideal for stopping by to sit and relax, breathe fresh air, indulge in specialty coffee and toothsome bakery.



Tip to travel *leisurely*

- Escape the chaos, sit and relax, look at the nature and sip your favorite drink.
- Enjoy the bakery and a variety of food.

Where Hidden Tree Garden, Mae Klong sub-district, Samut Songkram district, Samut Songkram

When to go The café opens every day from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (closed every Tuesday).

Perfect for People who love spending their time amidst the nature or would like to pick up a different vibe for a change

Budget Prices range from 120-300 THB

Contact Hidden Tree Garden

☎ (+66) 64 195 6554

f hiddentreegarden

Tourists will experience the cool shading from the first step into Hidden Tree Garden, which is designed as an oasis in the middle of the wood. There are natural canals flowing through and the tides alternate with time. During low tide, mudskippers and fiddler crabs that live in their natural habitat can be seen. The cafe arranges the furniture with certain tone setting and yet each zone gives off different vibes. Coffee lovers has both house blend and single origin beans along with bakery to choose from. If you want to fill your belly, there is also a Japanese beef rice bowl served with an onsen egg, teriyaki chicken with rice, tonkatsu rice, and so on, to choose according to your preferences.



In addition to being an oasis that gives off the "Slow Life" vibe, sipping coffee and eating desserts in the middle of the wood, the cafe is also a working space for everyone to sit and work for a change. It is also pet friendly as you can bring your pets in as well.





Unlock
YOUR LIMIT





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Get out of your comfort zone and go on an adventure trip to discover your hidden potential.

With its limestone hills and province with the most caverns in Thailand, Mae Hong Son is an adventure tourist destination ideal for adventure tourists who seek unique and thrilling experiences, as well as a place to test their limits without causing damage to the environment.



RECOMMENDED *Stay*

- Pai Hotsprings Spa Resort
- Pailove & Baanchonphao Resort
- Nature Valley Camp
- Resort Kanlaya's Eyrie

DAY 1

Step into the world of adventure and get up close with elephants at **Thom's Pai Elephant Camp**. This is your chance to meet 'Thad Dao,' Thailand's largest female elephant and follow Thad Dao down the hill to witness it bathe in water and mud at the Pai River. You can also feed bananas or hug an elephant. Aside from that, learn how to take care of elephants from the Gaja-sastra, the supreme manual of elephant care that has been passed down through generations. This is the activity that will create an unforgettable bond between you and the elephants.

Shake off your fear and continue the journey to **Nam Lot Cave** to uncover the magical nature hidden under the darkness of this mystical 200-year-old limestone cave. Get on a raft and go inside the Sao Hin Cave using just the light from a hurricane lamp to observe the spectacular natural formations of stalagmites and



SIGHTSEEING *Tips*

Explore the magnificent landscape and ancient human culture inside the **Nam Lot Cave** with a local guide.



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stalactites inside the cave chamber, as well as the rock column in the center. The raft then travels along the stream to the Tuk Ta (doll) cave chamber, where the rocks resemble dolls. The journey continues to the Phi Man cave chamber, where a coffin of an ancient human was discovered. The archeologist also discovered this ancient human buried with valuable belongings, which demonstrates the people's belief in life after death.

Spend a night at **Ban Luk Khao Lam Homestay** to unlock your feelings and learn about a new culture. Stay in the simply constructed stilt house, where it may be uncomfortable, but you will gain a deep understanding of the identity and lifestyle of the Black Lahu people who live in the highlands. Get a chance to taste unique local cuisine, including highland rice, chili paste with boiled vegetables, and Thai soup made from ingredients in the garden.



HIGHLIGHT

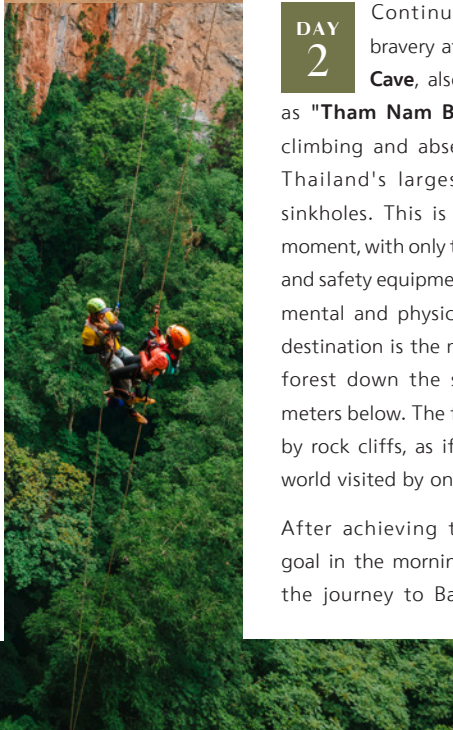
Activity

Overcome your fear by abseiling to the Spirit Well Cave, also known as "Tham Nam Bo Phi" in Thai, which is Thailand's largest and deepest sinkhole.

DAY 2

Continue proving your bravery at **The Spirit Well Cave**, also known in Thai as "**Tham Nam Bo Phi**," by cliff climbing and abseiling to one of Thailand's largest and deepest sinkholes. This is the challenging moment, with only two stings of rope and safety equipment requiring both mental and physical strength. The destination is the mysterious, dense forest down the sinkhole at 140 meters below. The forest is encircled by rock cliffs, as if it were another world visited by only a few people.

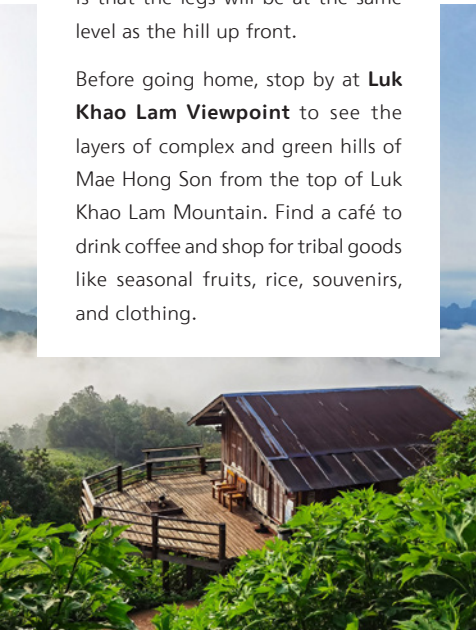
After achieving the challenging goal in the morning, let's continue the journey to Ban Jabo and say





'abudaya', or hello in Lahu. Fill up on energy with spicy Thai noodle for lunch, which has a delightful spicy flavor that doesn't require any additional seasonings while enjoying the panoramic view of nature. Lunch at **Ban Jabo Floating Noodle Restaurant** is quite extraordinary, where tourists can sit on a wooden platform with their legs hanging down. The amazing and thrilling part is that the legs will be at the same level as the hill up front.

Before going home, stop by at **Luk Khao Lam Viewpoint** to see the layers of complex and green hills of Mae Hong Son from the top of Luk Khao Lam Mountain. Find a café to drink coffee and shop for tribal goods like seasonal fruits, rice, souvenirs, and clothing.



TRIP PLANNER



Getting There

From Bangkok, take a direct flight to Chiang Mai International Airport for 1.30 hours. Then, rent a car or use a travel agent's service to get around Mae Hong Son.

1.30 hrs.

Stay



Nature Valley Camp A hotel with beautiful surroundings and mountain views. In all seasons, tourists may expect to see morning fog.
☎ (+66) 92 465 6109

Pai Hotsprings Spa Resort Enjoy Pai's magnificent landscape and relax in the natural hot springs. Thom's Pai Elephant Camp is only 550 meters away.
☎ (+66) 7641 8888

Eat & Drink



Two Huts Pai A good-vibe café on the hill with a live music band in the evening. This café is also a perfect spot to see the sunset.
☎ (+66) 92 982 1547

Yunnan Restaurant at Ban Rak Thai Village Taste the delicious and big portions of Yunnan cuisine, such as Braised Pork with Steamed Buns, Yunnan-style Fried Pork, Tea Leaf Spicy Salad, and many more.
☎ (+66) 94 821 8210

Do & See



Yunnan Cultural Village (Suntichon Village) Take a walk to see the bright orange clay houses that are opened as tea houses or shops, while also enjoying the Yunnan hill tribe swing.
☎ (+66) 92 530 2512

Kho Ku So Bridge, Pam Bok Village Enjoy the view of rice fields, forests, and mountains from the bamboo bridge built with the villagers' faith.

Shop



Bann Mayom: traditional sesame oil extraction shop A shopping destination for healthy sesame products such as cold-pressed sesame oil, sesame oil lotion, and many more.
☎ (+66) 89 635 9417

Pai Republic Select a beautiful postcard to mail to yourself or shop for lovely souvenirs.
☎ (+66) 81 613 7446



Wow Experience

Spirit Well Cave Abseiling, please contact **Jungle Trek's Facebook page**

f thailandadventuretrip
☎ (+66) 81 403 5229
🌐 hejungletrek.com

Ban Jabo Floating Noodle Restaurant

A noodle restaurant with a million-dollar view! The restaurant serves hot noodle soup while offering a panoramic view of nature, with tourists' legs dangling at the same level as the hill up front.



The signature dish is the spicy Thai noodle, available both dry and with soup. Both of them have just the right flavor and don't require any additional seasonings. Customers can also order coffee and drinks. The most extraordinary part of this restaurant is the scenery of Mae Hong Son's famous complex mountains. Its remarkable beauty can be seen up close at eye-level from the wooden platform, which will also make you thrilled! Tourists who seeking the refreshing cold breeze and the enchanting morning mist, as well as those desiring to witness a mesmerizing sunrise, should make their way here early in the morning. On the other hand, for those who wish to admire the lush green mountains under the clear blue sky and capture photos without any silhouettes, visiting in the afternoon is highly recommended.

Tips to travel *extraordinary*

- Feel the refreshing cold breeze and enjoy the stunning morning mist.
- Learn to say 'abudaya' or hello in the Lahu language to greet others.

Where Ban Jabo Floating Noodle Restaurant, Pang Mapha sub-district, Pang Mapha district, Mae Hong Son

When to go Opens from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. (closes on Tuesday). Arrive early to see the sea of mist.

Perfect for People who want to push their limits and explore the beauty of nature.

Budget Lower than 100 THB

Contact Ban Jabo Floating Noodle Restaurant

☎ (+66) 96-195-2685

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In addition to indulging in a satisfying meal and enjoying the awe-inspiring scenery after conquering the 1,864 challenging curves, tourists can explore and learn about Lahu's identity. This includes their traditional houses, clothing, language, and culture. Moreover, tourists can visit a viewpoint and souvenir shops.



Nam Lot Cave

Embrace the adventure and uncover the wondrous natural formations within the thousand-year-old limestone cave of Pang Mapha district. This extraordinary journey promises to give you the most fantastic experience of a lifetime!

Enter the Sao Hin Cave and embark on an exciting adventure by following the local guide with only the flickering light of a hurricane lamp. This is the first cave chamber with a breathtaking display of intertwining stalagmites and stalactites, forming pillars that justify its name. The journey intensifies as you progress to the next cave chamber, requiring a challenging climb to reach the ceiling and witness the wonders of the Tuk Ta Cave. For an adrenaline-pumping experience, continue the expedition on a bamboo raft through a narrow passage, catching glimpses of light, until you reach the Phi Man Cave. It is here that archeologists made an astounding discovery: an ancient wooden coffin of the Phi Man, dating back 2,000 years. This captivating highlight precedes the cave's exit, where tourists can witness traces of ancient humans and a mysterious civilization.

Tips to travel *extraordinary*

- Wear appropriate clothing that fits well and can withstand getting wet during the exploration.
- Wear court shoes that provide good traction and are suitable for walking on the cave floor or climbing.
- Bring along a water bottle, an inhaler, and a transmitter for emergency SOS signals.

Where Nam Lot Cave Nature and Wildlife Education Center, Nam Lot sub-district, Pang Mapha district, Mae Hong Son

When to go The cave exploration hours are from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. (with the possibility of closure during periods of high water levels). To ensure a smooth visit, it is advisable to contact the local authority before visiting.

Perfect for People who seek to conquer their fears and embark on a journey of new and exciting experiences.

Budget 500 THB

Contact Service center inside Nam Lot Cave Nature and Wildlife Education Center

☎ (+66) 53-617-218



Nam Lot Cave presents a thrilling expedition that challenges tourists to confront their fears while exploring its three mysterious cave chambers. This place is also considered one of Thailand's crucial archeological sites and a hidden gem known as Unseen Thailand. Nam Lot Cave is under the jurisdiction and supervision of Lum Nam Pai Wildlife Sanctuary.

Nature Valley, Pang Mapha, Mae Hong Son

A hotel with breakfast that is conveniently located near adventurous tourist attractions. Relax amidst the serene atmosphere and beautiful scenery of lush green fields, majestic mountains, and a mesmerizing sea of mist throughout all seasons.



Tips to travel *extraordinary*

- Bring a jacket to keep yourself warm.
- Wear comfortable shoes that are suitable for any activity.

Where Sop Pong sub-district, Pang Mapha district, Mae Hong Son

When to go Every season

Perfect for People who looking for accommodation close to adventurous tourist attractions in Mae Hong Son.

Budget Starts at 1,600 THB

Contact Nature Valley, Pang Mapha, Mae Hong Son

☎ (+66) 89-236-1561

f NatureValleyCamp

Escape the fast-paced hustle and routine of daily life and rejuvenate yourself by falling asleep to nature's calming lullaby. Tourists can also enjoy the stunning scenery of rice fields, flower gardens, rivers, and mountains while feeling the comfortable air and the renowned all-season mist of Mae Hong Son. In the morning, engage in the tradition of almsgiving to monks and venture on a scenic trail to explore the captivating Lang stream endpoint and Phi Man Cliff that are not far from the hotel. Tourists can also travel to renowned attractions, including Nam Lot Cave, Tham Pla - Namtok Pha Suea, and Spirit Well Cave or Tham Nam Bo Phi, where the real adventures need to be.



At Nature Valley in Pang Mapha, Mae Hong Son, tourists have a range of room options to choose from, including minimal houses, clear domes, and tents, allowing them to immerse themselves in the natural surroundings and appreciate the beauty of nature. In the evening, guests can also request a barbecue, adding to the delightful experience.

Yunnan Cultural Village (Suntichon Village)

Be exciting and be thrilled with Yunnan hill tribe swing, offering a unique opportunity to have fun while enjoying breathtaking views of the Yunnan tribe's distinctive village, which migrated from China.

Tips to travel *extraordinary*

- Rent Yunnan hill tribe costumes and immerse yourself in the local culture.
- Taste the delectable local cuisine and sip a cup of tea in Yunnan style.

Where Yunnan Cultural Village (Suntichon Village), Wiang Tai sub-district, Pai district, Mae Hong Son

When to go Every day, from 7 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Perfect for People who look for interesting tourist attractions during their Pai road trip journey.

Budget Free entrance. Costume rent costs 100 THB

Contact Yunnan Cultural Village (Suntichon Village)

☎ (+66) 92-530-2512

This village locate just a short 10-minute drive from Pai city center. Tourists can rent traditional costumes and walk through the authentic architecture that beautifully represents Yunnan culture and the eye-catching bright orange houses built with local wisdom. Within the village, an array of delights awaits, including numerous restaurants, charming tea houses, local dried fruit and processed food shops, and souvenir shops. The highlight of the visit is the exhilarating Yunnan hill tribe swing, which provides a thrilling experience from its impressive height. Additionally, the village offers more exciting activities, such as archery and captivating Kungfu shows.



Visiting this village offers tourists a chance to explore the cultural ambiance, taste the delightful local cuisine, and enjoy the Yunnan hill tribe swing. Beyond the attractions, the hospitality and kindness of the local people will truly leave a lasting impression on tourists.



Thom's Pai Elephant Camp

Meet Thailand's largest female elephant and engage in activities that prioritize animal welfare and allow tourists to get close to the elephants. By spending time here, you'll develop a deep connection with and appreciation for Thai elephants like never before.



Tips to travel *extraordinary*

- Prepare your clothes to get in the river with elephants.
- Reserve a Bungalow room to spend a night at the camp.

Where Thom's Pai Elephant Camp, Mae Hee sub-district, Pai district, Mae Hong Son

When to go Everyday from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Perfect for Elephant lovers who wish to have a close and meaningful interaction with animals while also prioritizing their welfare.

Budget Starts at 1,400 THB

Contact Thom's Pai Elephant Camp

☎ (+66) 53-065-778

f [thomelephantcamp](https://www.thomelephantcamp.com)

Visiting Thom's Pai Elephant Camp, the first and oldest elephant camp in Pai district, where elephants are treated like family members. Tourists can embrace the heartwarming loveliness of these animals. Meet 'Thad Dao,' Thailand's largest female elephant, and interact closely with the elephants in the camp. You can feed them their favorite bananas, take in the picturesque Pai scenery while walking alongside them, and even follow them to the Pai River for a delightful bathing and mud bath session. Beyond the elephant encounters, there are more exciting activities to choose from, including a cruise on a bamboo raft, unwinding in the mineral hot springs at Pong Nam Ron, or immersing yourself in the rich hilltribe culture.



Thom's Pai Elephant Camp is a tourist attraction where meaningful activities are designed to utilize the beauty of natural resources. The camp offers an opportunity to engage with these intelligent and witty elephants and develop a profound love for them like never before.

Two Huts Pai

Discover a delightful café perched on a hilltop with a fantastic location, offering breathtaking views. Tourists can participate in tightrope walking sessions, adding an adventurous twist to their visit. The outdoor seating allows visitors to enjoy live band music while being captivated by the utterly romantic sight of the sun setting below the splendid mountain range.

This must-visit destination in Pai offers an unforgettable experience and is conveniently located near other intriguing tourist attractions, such as Ban Ta Pai Hot Spring, Pai Memorial Bridge, and Pai Canyon. The café's beverage selection, including coffee, tea, smoothies, and soda, along with its delightful single-dish menu, ensures that hunger will be satisfied. While indulging in food and drink, tourists can enjoy the views of the surrounding rice fields and the vast mountain range from the wooden platforms or comfortable rice straw seats in the outdoor space. The tightrope walking activity adds excitement and adventure to the visit, and tourists can capture stunning photos with the mountain range as a magnificent background.

Tips to travel *extraordinary*

- Immerse yourself in magic moment of the sunset
- Practice tightrope walking

Where Two Huts Pai, Mae Hee sub-district, Pai district, Mae Hong Son

When to go Everyday from 10 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Perfect for People seeking a mix of fun, engaging activities and a chance to appreciate the beauty of nature.

Budget 100-200 THB

Contact Two Huts Pai

☎ (+66) 92-982-1547

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Embrace the enchanting magic of the evening at this café. See the sun setting below the splendid mountain range and casting a warm glow on the horizon, creating a breathtaking scene before the darkness. To further enhance the ambiance, the café occasionally arranges live music performances outdoors.

Ban Luk Khao Lam

Immerse yourself in the extraordinary yet simple way of life of the Black Lahu people during your stay at a homestay surrounded by hills. This unique experience allows tourists to learn about their rich cultural identity, gain local wisdom, and taste the local signature chili paste.



Embark on a captivating exploration of the village surrounded by hills and see the magnificent natural landscape of Luk Khao Lam. As you wander through the village, listen to the distinct sound of the local language and the rhythm of everyday life. Experience the warmth and hospitality of the Black Lahu people as you stay in their simply constructed stilt houses, which serve as cozy and welcoming homestays. Embrace the slower pace of life, savoring the local cuisine that includes highland rice with chili paste and boiled vegetables, as well as the Thai soup made from garden-fresh ingredients. During your leisure time, you can also learn about local craftsmanship, such as embroidery and wicker.

Tips to travel *extraordinary*

- Prepare a jacket to keep warm during the chilly nights and mornings at the homestay.
- Wake up early in the morning to witness the first light and morning mist at the Nor Hor Fa viewpoint.

Where Ban Luk Khao Lam, Pang Mapha sub-district, Pang Mapha district, Mae Hong Son

When to go Every season

Perfect for People who want to experience and gain insights into Black Lahu culture.

Budget 300 THB per person (1 house can accommodate 4-5 people.)

Contact Ban Luk Khao Lam tourism leader

☎ (+66) 97-929-1372

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While a homestay might not provide all the modern amenities of a hotel, it offers a unique and authentic experience for tourists to establish connections and receive hospitality from the house owners. Engaging in conversations and sharing experiences with the house owners will undoubtedly lead to the creation of meaningful and lasting memories.

The Spirit Well Cave or Tham Nam Bo Phi

Take on another exhilarating adventure by abseiling down one of Thailand's largest and deepest sinkholes, a once-in-a-lifetime moment that will test your limits and show your adventurous spirit. Discover the natural wonder and mystery of the Spirit Well Cave, a hidden gem that few people have witnessed.

Tips to travel *extraordinary*

- Practice cliff climbing and abseiling before visiting this place.
- Dress appropriately, wear proper safety equipment, and strictly follow all instructions given by the staff.
- Bring enough food and water to sustain yourself during the journey, as well as emergency kits.
- Stay within the specified area when exploring the sinkhole.

Where Sop Pong sub-district, Pang Mapha district, Mae Hong Son

When to go Every season. Before going to the Spirit Well Cave, please make a reservation with a local guide and abseiling staff in advance.

Perfect for People who want to prove their adventure tourist status in a location that only a few people know.

Budget 14,000 THB

Contact Mr. Phana (Jah Yee)

☎ (+66) 82-582-9338

Embarking on this mission requires both mental and physical strength, as climbing and abseiling are the only ways to explore this magical sinkhole, a natural wonder that formed thousands of years ago. This hidden place was discovered by the Black Lahu people during their hunting, and they named it "hakuna" in their local language. To undertake this adventure, you can choose from three different heights: 70 meters, 90 meters, and the highlight at 140 meters. It's a challenging activity that demands at least an hour to reach the heart of the dense forest, which exudes a mysterious atmosphere reminiscent of a prehistoric era and is surrounded by tall rock cliffs. To return, tourists must climb out for either 70 or 90 meters, making the entire experience even more thrilling.



Safety should always be the top priority when exploring The Spirit Well Cave or Tham Nam Bo Phi. The exploration of this magical and mysterious place demands mental strength. Physical strength is equally crucial, and tourists should prepare by exercising and practicing cliff climbing and abseiling before going on this journey. Using proper safety equipment throughout the session and strictly following the instructions from staff is very essential.





Nong Beer Restaurant

Experience the authentic flavors of Northern cuisine amidst delightful local ambiance in a charming, traditional wooden restaurant situated on the corner of Pai Walking Street.

Tips to travel *extraordinary*

- Taste authentic flavors of Northern cuisine, such as Northern Style Curried Noodle Soup (Khao Soi), Northern Style Pork Belly Curry, and Northern Style Pork and Tomato Chili Dip.
- Enjoy the local atmosphere and the vibrant evening of Pai Walking Street.

Where Nong Beer Restaurant, Wiang Tai sub-district, Pai district, Mae Hong Son

When to go The restaurant opens every day from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. (For tourists who want to experience the walking street atmosphere, please visit from 4 p.m. onward.)

Perfect for Food enthusiasts who enjoy the rich flavors of local cuisine and a charming atmosphere of Pai Walking Street.

Budget 50-150 THB per dish

Contact Nong Beer Restaurant

☎ (+66) 53 699 103

f NongBeer Restaurant

Nong Beer Restaurant, situated at the corner of Pai Walking Street, provides an ideal stop whether you're looking to enjoy a meal before continuing your stroll or seeking a place to rest and recharge during your shopping. The restaurant offers a selection of local dishes renowned for their rich flavors, including must-try options like the Northern Style Curried Noodle Soup (Khao Soi), Northern Style Pork Belly Curry, and Northern Style Pork and Tomato Chili Dip. Tourists can also select other single-dish menus, such as Pad Thai with Glass Noodles, Fried Rice Panang Curry with Fresh Coconut, and vegetarian menus. One of the highlights of dining at Nong Beer restaurant is its vibrant atmosphere, allowing you to soak in the lively street scene while admiring the unique wooden house that preserves the traditional setting.



Tourists can stop by the Nong Beer restaurant all day. In the morning, you can enjoy a delightful breakfast set complemented by the pleasing aroma of fresh coffee. During the evening, immerse yourself in the bustling atmosphere, enriched by the presence of people bustling about and market stalls selling a variety of local products.

UNLOCK YOUR LIMIT

Keys Essential Resort

Unwind in a serene setting while immersing yourself in the charming natural beauty that surrounds the well-located resorts near popular tourist attractions, perfect for adventurous souls seeking a quality retreat.



Tips to travel *extraordinary*

- Have a quality retreat during the adventure trip.
- Have a picnic and bask in the happiness of nature's embrace on the serene Pai River or at the edge of the forest.

Where Keys Essential Resort, Mae Hee sub-district, Pai district, Mae Hong Son

When to go Every season

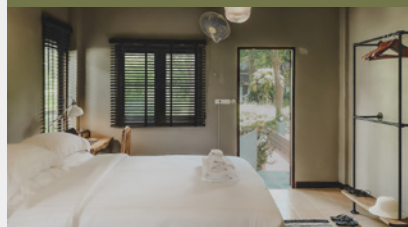
Perfect for People seeking a resort with a pleasant ambiance, complete with all the necessary amenities and facilities, and near various adventurous tourist attractions.

Budget Starts from 775+ THB (seasonal rates may apply.)

Contact Keys Essential Resort

☎ (+66) 92 280 0518

f KeysResortPai



Essential Resort offers a paradise for retreat, boasting a peaceful atmosphere and a connection with nature. Tourists will encounter a minimalistic resort that comes fully equipped with all necessary facilities. Set amidst the meadow, forest, and mountains, the earth-toned houses provide a serene environment where guests can breathe in pure air, admire the scenery of the Pai River, and revel in the ethereal mist throughout the year. The resort's prime location offers the advantage of being near various adventurous tourist attractions in Pai city, starting from Pai Canyon or Kong Lan, an amazing geographical area that was shaped over decades by erosion, to the captivating Mae Yen Waterfall, known as the most beautiful waterfall in Pai city, as well as Thom's Pai Elephant Camp, where tourists can engage in creative activities with clever elephants.



Inside the resort, you'll find a charming café and restaurants with a variety of interesting menus. The resort's café and restaurant also offer a unique picnic service, allowing tourists to choose any spot amidst the natural surroundings to enjoy their meals.

A person wearing a black t-shirt and a white cap is aiming a slingshot in a lush green forest. The slingshot is made of wood and orange rubber bands. The person's hands are visible, holding the wooden handle and the rubber bands. The background is filled with vibrant green foliage and a bright blue sky with scattered white clouds. The overall scene is bright and natural.

Wildlife
& NATURE WONDER



Wildlife & NATURE WONDER

A journey to learn and engage in
the forest and wildlife conservation



Experience the nature wonder and biodiversity of forests and wildlife in Eastern part of Thailand. This will increase your appreciation for nature and give you a story to share with others about the nature conservation.

DAY
1

Nakhon Nayok-Prachinburi

Nature-loving tourists are invited on this trip to enjoy happiness and discover the magic hidden in Thailand's lush forest. Start the journey by bringing your camera to capture the remarkable wildlife at **Sai Sorn Reservoir**, a water source within Khao Yai National Park utilized for consumption purposes. If you are lucky, you may see elephants, dholes, muntjacs, deer, monkeys, and other bird species that have come out to find food and water on the other side of the reservoir.

The journey continues to **Chakkapong Reservoir**, another location that is perfect for relaxation and taking in the scenery of the reservoir, which is surrounded by forest and evergreen Eto mountain (also known as Khao

RECOMMENDED *Stay*

- The Maldives Prachin
- Siamdasada Khaoyai
- Uncle Pong Vintage Farm
- Starwell Garden Home Resort



Eto). Tourists can also walk on a bamboo bridge built on the reservoirs to enjoy more scenery or rent a canoe to explore the reservoirs from a different perspective while watching flocks of birds.

Then, head to **Rai Wang Bon** to unwind in the beautiful café that was developed in connection with nature. After you've recovered from your exhaustion, head up to the Elephant Observation Deck to take in the spectacular views of nature. Alternatively, tourists can set up the camp among the beautiful nature, relishing both the comfort and the option to have food delivered from the nearby café.



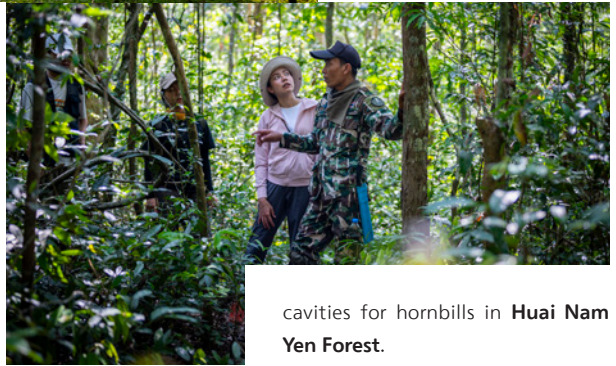


HIGHLIGHT *Activity*

Contact Pang Sida National Park Tourist Information Center to arrange a visit and learn about activities such as creating an artificial salt lick for wild animals, repairing tree cavities for hornbills, and others.

DAY 2 Sa Kao

Make this journey truly meaningful by taking part in forest conservation activities at **Pang Sida National Park**. As a result, your appreciation for the value of the forest will develop, as will your joy at being a part of the ecosystem. Tourists can contact Pang Sida National Park staff in advance to visit and learn about forest conservation activities. The activities can vary depending on the season, for example, taking a forest trail to study plant species and animal tracks, creating an artificial salt lick for wild animals, and repairing tree



cavities for hornbills in **Huai Nam Yen Forest**.

EXPLORE *Hints*

Participate in aerial seeding with a slingshot, a forest conservation activity that contributes to forest plantations with an 80% success rate.

Return to the Pang Sida and Huai Nam Yen Campsite & Ranger Station (Sub Station 5) and start preparing a dinner with ingredients from nature. Enjoy dinner together and share stories of exploring forests and wildlife in a relaxing environment. This place is also perfect for those seeking a digital detox because there is no electricity or internet access, allowing tourists to immerse themselves in the wonderful nature.



DAY 3

SaKao-Nakhon Ratchasima

Get up early to enjoy the sunrise and sea of mist in the morning at **Samong River Valley Viewpoint**. Apart from the wonderful nature scenery, it serves as



a habitat for hornbills, an animal that is significant to the forest ecosystem and considered a symbol of an intact ecosystem.

The journey concludes at **Keb Tawan Cliff in Thap Lan National Park**. This is an incredible viewpoint where travelers may enjoy the view of a evergreen forest that is the origin of many rivers and streams, as well as a habitat for numerous wildlife species. Tourists can buy seeds, such as Black Rosewood and Fan Palm from locals and join the aerial seeding with a slingshot. This creative activity is one of the forest plantation methods that has a success rate of more than 80%.

SIGHTSEEING *Tips*

See the sunrise at Samong River Valley Viewpoint and get a chance to see hornbills, a symbol of an intact ecosystem.



TRIP PLANNER



3 hrs.

Getting There
From Bangkok to Prachinburi, it takes around 3 hours (by private car).

Stay



Siamdasada Khaoyai
A luxury resort among the beautiful trees and lake. It is only 10 kilometers from Chakkapong Reservoir.
☎ (+66) 8 1836 3941

Uncle Pong Vintage Farm
A modest hotel located within the integrated farm. It is only 13 kilometers from Pang Sida National Park.
☎ (+66) 8 8916 1196

Eat & Drink



Ahku Kabin Buri Restaurant A famous and delicious Thai restaurant in Kabin Buri district
☎ (+66) 83 966 9997

Bann Wang Tan, Wang Nam Khiao A restaurant and café among the nice and shady environment, with a panoramic view of mountains.
☎ (+66) 81 718 0906

Do & See



Fireflies land at Bharmayothee Fort Watch the countless fireflies that will illuminate the forest in the rainy-season night.
☎ (+66) 37 570 030

Chong Lom Waterfall
Take a boat and a little adventurous walk to visit the waterfall hidden in Chong Lom Hill.
☎ (+66) 8 9493 1200

Shop



Paphada Souvenir Shop
Visit the shop to purchase snacks, souvenirs, processed food, and seasonal fruits.
☎ (+66) 85 113 5855

Srithong Garden, Marian Plum, and Souvenirs from Nakhon Nayok Try Pad Thai with Marian plum sauce and buy the garden-fresh Marian plums.
☎ (+66) 95 782 3599



Chong Lom Waterfall

Take a boat and a little adventurous walk to visit the waterfall hidden in Chong Lom Hill. The stunning view will make you forget about your sweat!

Tip to travel *wonderfully*

- Dress for a slightly adventurous journey.
- Take a deep breath of nature and enjoy the amazing scenery that few people have seen.

Where Chong Lom Waterfall, Na Hin Lat sub-district, Pak Phli district, Nakhon Nayok

When to go From November onwards, the water level will be high, allowing the boat to moor closer and walk a shorter distance. From June to August, the water level is relatively low. The boat will moor a little further away, allowing guests to experience nature.

Perfect for Tourists who want to discover amazing scenery that few people have seen.

Budget 1,500 THB for boat cruise service (1-7 people)

Contact Cruise service at Khun Dan Prakarnchon Dam

☎ (+66) 89 493 1200

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The journey begins at Khun Dan Prakarnchon Dam. Take a longtail boat inside the dam and enjoy the beautiful scenery before arriving at the highlight location, Chong Lom Waterfall. Tourists have to take a slightly adventurous walk, with hill climbing and bamboo bridge crossing. However, the surrounding nature—the stream, rocks, and lush forest—will provide energy and an amazing sensation. At the end of the trail, there is a beautiful waterfall set among lush nature, with water streaming from the hill. Tourists can sit with their feet in fresh and clear water, close their eyes to hear the natural ambiance, and take a deep breath to fill up on oxygen.



There is still more beautiful nature to enjoy, such as Pha Ngam Ngon Waterfall, Khlong Khrum Waterfall, and the far end of Khun Dan Prakarnchon Dam, where tourists may observe one dead tree surrounded by a lovely yellow sedge garden.

Sai Sorn Reservoir

Stop by to take a look at the reservoir and see the wildlife. If you are lucky, you will get a chance to observe the behavior and take photos of some remarkable wildlife.

Tip to travel *wonderfully*

- Prepare your binoculars and camera with a long-range lens to observe wildlife.
- Immerse yourself in beautiful, rich, and green nature.

Where Sai Sorn Reservoir, Khao Yai National Park, Hin Tang sub-district, Mueang Nakhon Nayok district, Nakhon Nayok

When to go Every season. The reservoir opens from 6 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Perfect for Tourists who love to spend time waiting for wildlife to come out to find food and water.

Budget Free entrance

Contact Khao Yai National Park Tourist Information Center

☎ (+66) 8 6092 6529

This is a must-visit destination for nature lovers. Sai Sorn Reservoir in Thailand offers a magnificent landscape of forest and wildlife. The reservoir was built to retain water for consumption in Khao Yai National Park while also serving as a natural water resource for wildlife in the area. This location is ideal for wildlife observation, as you may see elephants, dholes, muntjacs, deer, monkeys, and other bird species that have come out to find food and water. If you are lucky, you will get a chance to observe the behavior and take a photo of some remarkable wildlife among the green forest and hill, as well as the mild breeze from the water surface.



The Sai Sorn Reservoir, formerly known as the Mo Sing To Reservoir, is located in Khao Yai National Park. The best time is in the early morning when it is not too hot and just before sunset when it is a good place to watch the sunset.

The Bamboo Camp&Café

Relax in the midst of nature in a camping car, in a glamorous camping style, or by pitching a tent beside a river and entertaining yourself in the open-air theater beneath a starry sky.



Tip travel *wonderfully*

- Chill out in the middle of forest and watch open-air movies at night.
- Throw a barbecue party under the nice and lovely weather.

Where The Bamboo Camp&Café, Khao Perm sub-district, Banna district, Nakhon Nayok

When to go Every season

Perfect for Tourists who want to experience camping in a car, glamorous camping, or in a tent close to nature while enjoying the open-air theater at night.

Budget If you bring your own tent, the cost is 200 THB per person. A small camping car for two people starts at 1,500 THB.

Contact The Bamboo Camp&Café

☎ (+66) 8 0391 8698

f thebamboocampcafe

This location is ideal for friends, families, and partners to camp and enjoy the fun activities, such as an outdoor barbecue party, which will be even more tasty in the nice weather, watching movies at an open-air theater surrounded by nature, or gazing at the stars that light up the sky at night. This place offers a variety of accommodation options, including a camping car with full amenities, air-conditioned glamorous camping or glamping in a luxury tent, or a tent beside the river to listen to the sound of water flowing.



The Bamboo Camp&Café also offers a variety of activities, such as a sup board and barbecue stove with unlimited ice cubes. Also, this is a pet-friendly place, so dogs and cats are welcome free of charge.

Thap Lan National Park

Experience the abundance and biodiversity of Thailand's second-largest national park. Take part in the preservation activity of "aerial seeding" at Keb Tawan Cliff.



Tip to travel *wonderfully*

- Aerial seeding, which involves dispersing seeds from the air with a slingshot. This is a fun forest preservation activity to ensure that the forest remains abundant.
- Be impressed by nature's greenery.
- Watch the sunset at Keb Tawan Cliff.

Where Keb Tawan Cliff at Thap Lan National Park, Thai Samakkhi sub-district, Wang Nam Khiao district, Nakhon Ratchasima

When to go Every season

Perfect for Perfect for tourists who want to explore abundant forests while also participating in a fun forest preservation activity.

Budget National Park entrance fee: Adult 20 THB, Children 10 THB

Aerial seeding activity: 10 THB/seed pack

Contact Thap Lan National Park

☎ (+66) 9 2550 0172

Thap Lan National Park is home to a diverse ecosystem of deciduous dipterocarp forest, mixed deciduous forest, and tropical rain forest. Inside, there are Fan Palms that grow naturally and are considered the country's last Fan Palm Forest. Feel the mystical, magical, and marvelous nature inside the national park. Keb Tawan Cliff is a must-visit spot for naturalist tourists, where you can admire the magnificent forest from above and engage in aerial seeding with a slingshot. The seeds can be chosen from Black Rosewood or Fan Palm. This creative activity is one of the forest plantation methods that has a success rate of more than 80%.



The abundance and biodiversity of this forest make it the origin of major rivers and streams, as well as a home to many wild animals, including wild rabbits, weasels, Garden Fence Lizards, Barred Buttonquail, Black-shouldered Kites, and many others.

Fireflies land at Bharmayothee Fort

Experience the enchanted nature of rainy-season nights. Watch the countless Terrestrial Fireflies that will illuminate the forest in vibrant yellow.

Tip to travel *wonderfully*

- See millions of fireflies that illuminate the entire forest at night.
- Follow the rules to protect the tourist attraction and the number of fireflies.

Where Firefly land, Bharmayothee Fort, Bann Pra sub-district, Mueang district, Prachinburi

When to go The place is open to visit from late May to July (the dates vary depending on the year). The best time to watch fireflies is between 6.30 to 9 p.m.

Perfect for Tourists who want to see the magical light from millions of fireflies that illuminate the entire forest at night.

Budget Free of charge

Contact Firefly land at Bharmayothee Fort

☎ (+66) 37 570 030

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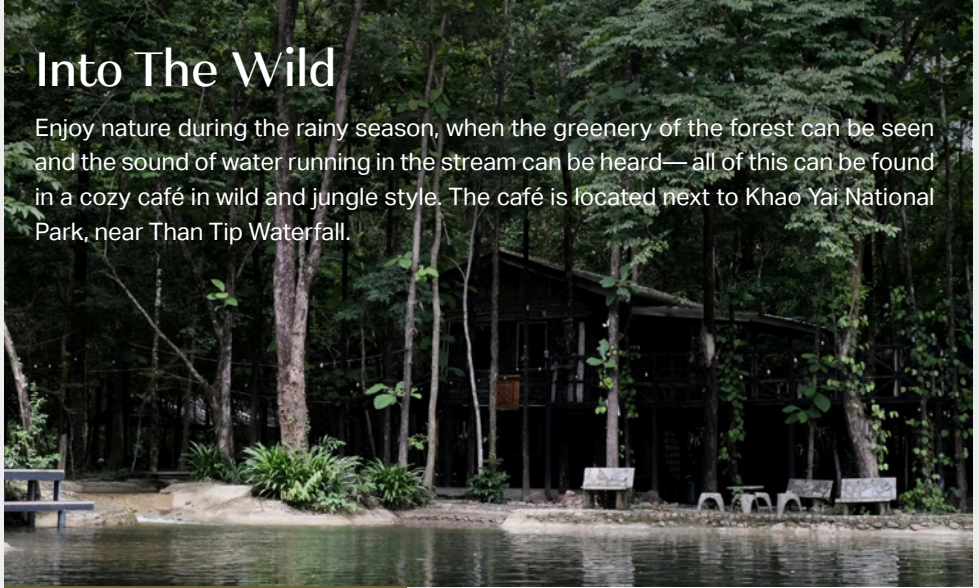
This is an ecological tourist destination where the spectacular night only lasts for 2–3 months every year. With its quiet and abundant environment surrounded by big trees, this place has become a habitat for millions of fireflies. From sunset to 9 p.m., the firefly light illuminates the woodland like a starry night. The rules for visiting this place are that all tourists must stay in specified areas, insect repellent spray and lotion are prohibited, flashlights should not be used to disturb others, and car headlights should not be turned on while driving on the road beside the firefly forest.



The terrestrial fireflies that live in this forest are remarkable in that they emit light as larvae, pupae, and adults. Male fireflies have wings as adults; however, female fireflies can be either flying or non-flying.

Into The Wild

Enjoy nature during the rainy season, when the greenery of the forest can be seen and the sound of water running in the stream can be heard— all of this can be found in a cozy café in wild and jungle style. The café is located next to Khao Yai National Park, near Than Tip Waterfall.



Tip to travel *wonderfully*

- Relax with the forest and stream during the rainy and green season.
- Enjoy the delicious homemade pizza and barbecue.

Where Into The Wild, Nhong Kaew sub-district, Prachantakham district, Prachinburi

When to go Open in the rainy season (an announcement will be posted on the Facebook fan page): only Saturday, Sunday, and public holidays from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Perfect for Tourists who want to experience the spectacular nature in the rainy and greenery seasons

Budget 200-250THB

Contact Into The Wild

☎ (+66) 8 6339 5417

f [intothewildprachinburi](#)

When the rainy season starts, Than Tip Waterfall, which has been dry since November of the year before, will be filled with water again. Meanwhile, in the rainy season, the wild garden surrounding the wooden café in the frame house style will be delightfully revived and become nice and shady again. The café welcomes all tourists who want to breathe in the natural ozone and experience the beautiful forest and stream in the rainy season. Coffee, craft beverages, a bakery, fresh pizza, and many other options are available to accompany the view. If you're up for a party, let's enjoy barbecue in the garden and the live folk song band that will perform here on occasion.



Into The Wild café operates on the same day as the Than Tip Waterfall, where the water stops flowing during the winter and summer. The café also wants to close the wild garden to recuperate and renovate some parts that cannot be done during the rainy season.





Chakkapong Reservoir

Relax in the natural environment by walking on the bamboo bridge and enjoying the view of the reservoir surrounded by mountains, or rent a canoe and take a deep breath in the middle of the lake while watching flocks of birds.

Tip to travel *wonderfully*

- Bring binoculars or binoculars for bird watching to observe birds that come out for food or live around the reservoir.
- Rent a canoe to see the view inside the reservoir.

Where Chakkapong reservoir, Noen Horn sub-district, Mueang Prachinburi district, Prachinburi

When to go Every season

Perfect for Tourists who want to explore nature in a reservoir surrounded by mountains.

Budget Canoes rent for 100 THB/hour.

Contact Chakkapong Reservoir

☎ (+66) 37 210 253

The Chakkapong Reservoir, also known as the Khao Eto Reservoir, is located inside the Khao Eto Waterfall Forest Park. This reservoir was built to store water for local usage. The reservoir also has a spectacular view where tourists can see Thailand's largest Phra Nak Prok statue, known as Phra Buddha Dvaravati Si Prachin Sirindhorn Lokanat, which is located on the opposite side of the mountain. There is a bamboo bridge built inside this region that allows tourists to walk around and look at the reservoirs. There is also a canoe rental shop where tourists can borrow a canoe to explore the reservoirs from a different perspective or see the variety of birds that reside in the surrounding forest.



Apart from being a place for relaxation, savoring the peaceful moment, and admiring the spectacular scenery, this location also allows tourists and visitors to cycle on the reservoir crests, go for a nature walk, or camp beside the river.



The Maldives Prachin

Unwind and enjoy a view of the lake from your private room in shipping container and camping car style, where you can enjoy the beautiful scenery in every season.



Tip to travel *wonderfully*

- A hotel featuring container-style rooms, ideal for travelers or customers who prefer a spacious room. Whereas the camping car is ideal for those who prefer a compact room.
- Relax in nature with high privacy.

Where The Maldives Prachin, Non Hom sub-district, Mueang Prachinburi district, Prachinburi

When to go Every season

Perfect for Tourists who want a stylish vacation while immersing themselves in nature, the sky, forest, and river.

Budget Weekdays start at 999 THB (seasonal rates may apply).

Contact The Maldives Prachin

☎ (+66) 64 787 2618

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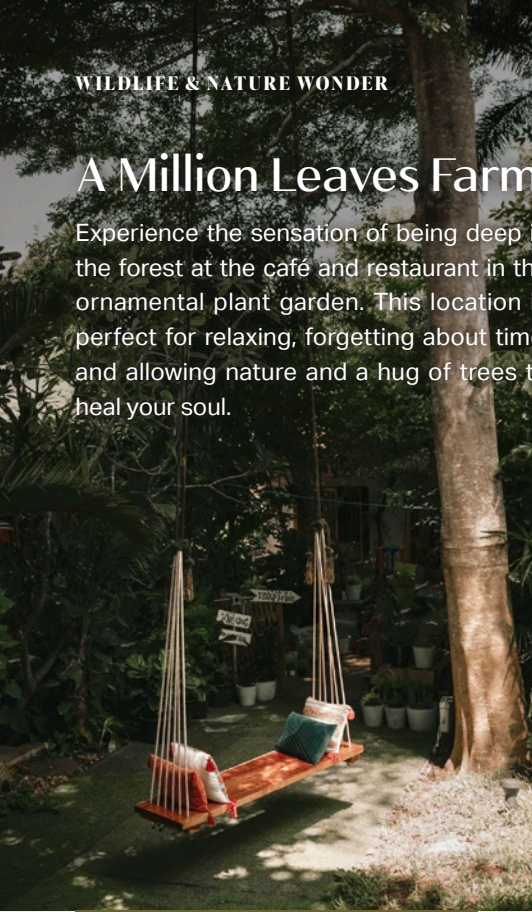
Find bliss at Maldives Prachin, a trendy hotel that transforms shipping containers into rooms. The choice also included camping cars. All rooms are well equipped and nicely decorated, primarily in white with a splash of color. Inside the chamber, there is a wide window where tourists and customers can observe the scenery that changes in every season. Each room is surrounded by trees and a creek. Additionally, each room is separated, making it more private. There are also other recreational activities available, such as fishing, boat sailing, swimming, and barbecuing at sunset.



Inside the hotel, there is The Maldives Cafe: MDPC Studio, a stylish café with lively decoration and a view of nature. Tourists or customers can relax and chill with tasty beverages and a bakery.

A Million Leaves Farm

Experience the sensation of being deep in the forest at the café and restaurant in the ornamental plant garden. This location is perfect for relaxing, forgetting about time, and allowing nature and a hug of trees to heal your soul.



A Million Leaves Farm lives up to its name as a nice and shady café and restaurant. A Million Leaves Farm The cafe has a green view from the ornamental plants mixed with vivid tones from the seasonal flowers. This café and restaurant also feature a waterfall, Carp ponds, and a wooden swing for leisure. The signature menu features authentic Korean dishes, including grilled pork belly with organic fresh vegetables and kimchi, spicy rice cake hotpot, a huge Korean seaweed rice roll, Korean fried chicken, cold noodles, and many more. Tourists or customers can enjoy a meal in the warm tree house while listening to birds chirp or seeing squirrels or treeshrews hopping between branches.

Tip to travel *wonderfully*

- Enjoy a wonderful café and restaurant filled with ornamental plants and flowers.
- Taste the authentic Korean food and finish with the café's signature tea.

Where A Million Leaves Farm, Bann Phra sub-district, Mueang Prachinburi district, Prachinburi

When to go Every season, only Thursday to Sunday, from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Perfect for People who want to be energized by nature and try authentic Korean food.

Budget Food starts at 95THB

Contact A Million Leaves Farm

☎ (+66) 81 411 4630

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Enjoy homemade scones and jams, specialty coffee from northern Thailand, or tea from Jeju Island, which is the restaurant's signature menu, with five sets available to choose from.



Pang Sida Waterfall

Appreciate the beauty of waterfalls and butterflies and experience the profound feeling of being a part of an ecosystem by participating in forest preservation activities with a forest ranger.

Tip to travel *wonderfully*

- Explore the magical Pang Sida Waterfall and many butterfly species.
- Contact the Pang Sida Waterfall staff if you want to participate in activities such as creating an artificial salt lick for wild animals and repairing tree cavities for hornbills.
- Prepare enough food and beverages for a camping night in the forest (the National Park Authority does not allow visitors to cook outside of the permitted area or light fires).

Where Pang Sida Waterfall, Watthana Nakhon sub-district, Watthana Nakhon district, Sa Kaeo

When to go Pang Sida Butterfly Festival is around July to August every year. For the preservation activity, the dates are varied – please contact national park staffs in advance.

Perfect for People who want to experience the richness and abundance of a World Heritage Site forest while also participating in significant preservation activities.

Budget The national park entrance fee is 40 THB per person, and the camping area (bring your own tent) is 30 THB per night.

Contact Pang Sida Waterfall

☎ (+66) 81 862 1511

Explore a part of the Dong Phrayayen-Khao Yai Forest Complex, the second World Heritage Site in Thailand. Visit the Pang Sida Waterfall in the forest complex, which flows through three levels of stone cliffs totaling ten meters. The site is also home to over 500 species of butterflies and is designated as UNESCO's Butterfly Land in the East. Tourists who visit this site can also contact Pang Sida National Park staff to participate in a real conservation activity and feel like they are a part of this ecosystem, such as creating an artificial salt lick for wild animals, repairing tree cavities for hornbills, and taking a forest trail to study plant species and animal tracks.



This site offers a place to camp and feel close to nature. It is perfect for those seeking a digital detox because there is no electricity or internet access, allowing a real and meaningful connection with nature.

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