

# <u>Myanmar</u> 7 Days Classic Bird Watching Tour

Tour Fact Sheet				
Bird Highlight	4 endemic specie White-throated Babbler, Burmese Bushlark,			
	Jerdon's Minivet, Hooded Treepie / Kalaw & Inle lake Jerdon's			
	Bushchat, Rufous-rumped Grass-Babbler			
Habitats Covered	Bagan – Semi Desert, Scrub, Garden, Open and Rice filed			
	Kalaw – Hill ever green forest			
	Inle lake – Fresh water lake, Bush, Floating Plant, Wet land.			
Expected Climate	Bagan 25-35 C., Kalaw 20-35 C.			
Tour pace & walking	Moderate			
Accommodation	Comfortable hotel & lodges			
Photographic Opportunities Excellent				
Excellent Month	November – March			
Fairly Month	April – May			
Photo Report in Flickr	Myanmar birding trip_Click !			

#### Myanmar Classic Bird Watching Tour

Duration	: 7 Days Tour			
Disnation	: Yagon – Bagan – Kalaw - Inle			
Expect to see	: 250 - 290 sp. +			

# Day 1 : Yangon

Tour Eact Sheet

The tour starts in Yangon after arriving with a morning or afternoon flight. We will check in a Hotel and get things settled and organized. we will be sightseeing downtown Yangon. Those who have not been to Myanmar before will visit the famous **Shwedagon Pagoda** later in the evening.

Meal : D

Overnight : Myanmar Life Hotel Click ! ( free WIFI )

# Day 2 : Yangon > Bagan > Irrawaddy river

We will fly to **Bagan** in the morning. After checking in the hotel and having lunch, those who are tired can have an afternoon siesta. In the evening we will have a short boat ride along the Irrawaddy River to look out for Indian Sandlark, Indian Skimmer, Indian River Tern, Black-bellied Tern, Pied Kingfisher, Laggar Falcon and White-tailed Stonechat and Pratincoles along with some water birds.

Meals : B/L/D

Overnight : Sky Palace Hotel Click ! (free WiFi)



#### Day 3 : Bagan

The next day, birding in Bagan will add the endemic **Burmese Bushlark, White-throated Babbler, White-bellied Minivet, Hooded Treepie,** Spotted Owlet, Rain Quail, Barred Button Quail, Vinous-breasted Starling and another 20-30 species to our list. Those interested in archeology will spend some time, visiting famous temples and pagodas built during the Bagan era about 700-1,100 years ago.

Meals : B / L / D

Overnight : Sky Palace Hotel

#### Day 4 : Bagan > Inle lake

We will take a morning flight which arrives to **Heho airport** at approximately 09:30 am. From Heho, we will drive to Inle, which is the second largest lake in Myanmar, the lake of leg rowers, situated in 3000 ft. high Shan Plateau. After checking in to the hotel, we will take a boat ride in the famous Inle Lake. We will be looking out for the Jerdon's Bushchat which is found only in this area and more specie bird such as Pheasant-tailed Jacana, Greyheaded Swamphen, Chinese Pond-heron, Lesser Whistling Duck, Glossy Ibis, Manchurian Reed-warbler, Striated Grassbird, Plain Prinia, Chestnut Munia, Common Kestrel and more. Also have a possibility of seeing Baer's Pochard and rare duck, Those who have missed other water and shore birds earlier in this trip will have a chance to find it here again. We will also have excellent views of Brown headed Gulls, Black headed Gulls following the boat.

Meals : B / L / D Overnight : <u>Hupin Hotel chain</u>

#### Day 5 : Inle Lake > Kalaw

After birding in morning, we will drive 1 hr. to Kalaw, a beautiful hill station located over 4,000 ft above sea level. On the way stop to bird watching at the small lake bird around here such as Pied Bushchat, Wire-Tailed Swallow, Spot-billed Duck, Baya Weaver, Collared Myna, Chestnut-tailed Starling, Red-rumped Swallow and more. After checking in a hotel, those who are tired can have an afternoon siesta. In the evening, we will look for the birds

around the hotel such as Brown Prinia, Chestnut-capped Babbler, Black-headed Greenfinch, Copper-smith Barbet, Japanese Tit, Red-vented Bulbul, Black-collared Starling, Eurasian Jay and more. If we have more time drive to forest edge bird such as Spectacled Barwing, Red-faced Liochicla, Silver eared Laughingthrush, White-browed Laughingthrush, White browed and Rusty cheeked Scimiter Babblers, Chesnut Bunting, etc.

Meals : B / L / D

Overnight : Kalaw Hotel Click ! (Free WIFI) or similar

#### Day 6 : Kalaw

After a few minutes' drive in the morning, we will walk and start birding on the nature trail to **Yay Aye Kan Lake** (3.5 mile) where we will look for Burmese Yuhina, White-browed Laughingthrushes, Grey-headed Parrotbill, Silver breasted and Long-tailed Broadbills, Little Pied Flycatcher, Silver-eared Laughingthrush, Dark-backed Sibia, Spectacled Barwing, Green Magpie and Flavescent Bulbul, Black-tailed Crake in plantation.

After lunch box at Yay Aye Kan, we will walk back to the car birding along the way.

Meals : B / L box / D Overnight : Kalaw Hotel



# Day 7 : Kalaw > Yangon

We will fly back to Yangon with a morning flight.

#### Meal : B

Meals: B=Breakfast, L=Lunch, D=Dinner

# Cost in U\$ Dollar

Number person	1	2	3	4	5	6
Payment / person						
Total to Pay						

#### Included :

- Expert local bird guide speak english with Telescope
- Vehicle with fuel
- 3 time for Domestic flight from Yangon Bagan, Bagan Heho, Heho to Yangon.
- Boat trip in Irrawady river, Inle lake
- Meals and refreshment as indicated
- Field equipment
- Park entrance fees
- Travel insurance
- Accommodations base share twin bed room

# Excluded :

Single supplements ... U\$D., Sightseeing temple, Museum, Souvenirs, massage, any kind alcoholic beverages, telephone calls, laundry, extra bed in room, Extra night

# Things to bring:

- ▲ Light walking boots or sports shoes
- ▲ Long or short trousers and long-sleeved shirt
- A Mosquito repellent, hat, lotion sunblock
- <sup>▲</sup> Warm coat (Dec. Feb.)

# Cancellation Policy and payments :

30% of payment secures the booking.

100% of payment required 14 days before activity

100% cancellation fee applicable if trip/booking/transfer cancelled less than 14 days before trip/booking or transfer.

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**Note**: This is a sample itinerary, and the routes and timing may change according to local conditions, but the general content of the trip will remain the same.