

A Key Site in Northern of Thailand 5 Days Tour

More Than You Expected

Tour walking	: Easy			
Accommodations	: 3.5 – 4 star hotel and resort			
Hope to See	: November-February 210 (+-10), after March 180(+-10)			
Resident & Migration bird	: October – March			
Photographic Opportunities	: December - April is excellent			
Birding Opportunities	: November - February is excellent, good on March - April			
The Weather in genalral area	October - January 10-15 C., February 25-30 C.			
	March – April 35-45 C			
Smog & PM 2.5	: March - May very bad			
Thailand Itinerary				
Start & End : Chiang Mai				
Duration :				
Guest :				
Guide :				

Day 1 : Chiang Mai > Bann Pang Hong > Doi Inthanon

07:00 am. Birding guide pick you up at the hotel in Chiang Mai In case of picking up from the **Chiang Mai Airport** GUIDE WILL WAIT FOR YOU WITH A SIGN BOARD AT THE ARRIVAL HALL **Flight detail**....

Then transfer 30 mins. to **Mae Hiab Agricultural University**, where inside is mostly an open farmlands, birds such as Ashy Wood Swallow, Little Green Bee-eater, Stonechat, Black-collared Starling, Greater Coucal, Red Avadavat, Siberian Rubythroat, White-breasted Waterhen, Red-wattled Lapwing, Chinese Pond Heron, White-throated Kingfisher and Brown Boobook, Asian Barred Owlet, Spotted Owlet can be found here.

Then to **Bann Hong Wildlife Res.** (40 mins) to look for Green Peafowl (for here is easy to take photography), Next drive to Doi Inthanon foothill where the main habitat is dry dipterocarp forest, birds that commonly found here such as Collared Falconet, White-rumped Falconet, Rufous Treepie, Sooty-headed Bulbul, Greater Racket-tailed Drongo, Black Kite, Black-headed Woodpecker, Common Flameback etc.

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Meal : L

Stay : Touch Star Resort (see website all accom. please click!)



Day 2, 3 : Doi Inthanon National Park

We will spend two full day birding inside Doi Inthanon National Park, We will searching the highlight spots which including 1) The Second Check Point (Km.38); species that can be found in this zone such as Mountain Tailorbird, Rufous-bellied and Small Niltavas, White-gorgeted Flycatcher, White-browed Scimitar-Babbler, Yellow-cheeked Tit, Grey-cheeked Fulvetta, Dark-backed, Rufousbacked and Long-tailed Sibias, Asian Emerald Cuckoo, Chestnut-tailed Minla, Grey-headed Canary Flycatcher, White-browed Piculet, White-throated Fantail, Silver-eared Mesia, Spectacled Barwing, Hume's Treecreeper, Grey-chinned, Long-tailed, Short-billed and Scarlet Minivets, Flavescent, Mountain and White-headed Bulbuls. 2.) The highest summit (and also the highest peak of Thailand) at 2,685 meters above sea level. The summit of the park has a very unique ecosystem with Rhododendron spp. covered all over the top and there is the country only peat swamp right on the summit. This special habitat holds a number of unique species that are almost impossible to find elsewhere in Thailand and we will make a special effort to explore this area for those great birds such as Green-tailed Sunbird (UNCOMMON), Mrs Gould's Sunbird, Grey Bushchat, Ashy-throated Warbler(LOCALLY ENDEMIC), Chestnut-tailed Minla, Blue-winged Siva, Whitethroated and Yellow-bellied Fantails, Rufous-winged Fulvetta, Grey-bellied Tesia, Dark-backed Sibia, Snowy-browed Flycatcher, Red-flanked Bluetail, White-browed and Lesser Shortwings, Pygmy Wren Babbler, Davison's Leaf Warbler, Rufous-throated Partridge, Chestnut-crowned Laughingthrush, Dark-sided Thrush, Eurasian Woodcock and a lot more good species. 3.) A campsite ; time will be spent around here in the morning or maybe in the afternoon depends on our success from other spots. The park's mid-elevation birds that can be seen here such as Collared Falconet, Great Barbet, Orange-bellied Leafbird, Great Tit, Hill Prinia, White-headed Bulbul, Grey Treepie, Chestnutbellied, Chestnut-vented and Velvet-fronted Nuthatches, Black-throated Parrotbill, White-tailed Robin, Scaly Thrush, Oriental White-eye, etc. 4.) Waterfalls ; there are few waterfalls inside the park, where we stand a good chance to see White-capped Water Redstart, Slaty-backed and Whitecrowned Forktail, and other more stream preferring species. During the night time, if we do night watch we might connect with Brown Wood Owl, Brown Boobook, Hodgson's Frogmouth and Mountain Scope-Owl (Dec.-Jan.)

Meals : B / L

Stay : Touch Star Resort

Day 4 : Doi Inthanon > Doi Lor > Doi Ang Khang

After breakfast, leaving this wonderful park we next travel to Doi Ang Khang (3-4 hrs.), a rugged and picturesque mountain with several excellent birding spots. We will, however, occasionally stops to enjoy birding on the way to our destination.

guide bring you to **Doi Lor paddy filed** hope to see : Pied, Hen, Marsh Harrier, Long-tailed Shrike, Armur Stonchat, Wire-tailed Swallow, Oriantal Skylark, Oriantal Partincole, Common Kingfisher, Eurasian Wyrnex, Bronze-winged Jacana, Lesser-whistling Duck, Hoopoe, Black-collared Starling, Blue-tailed Bee-eater and more.



Then next stop at **Mae Tang** water delivery weir to see Wire-tailed Swallow, Small Pratincole. Then transfer 1.30 hour to DAK for full day birding inside park, guide bring you to see bird at the key spot **Cemetery, Rubbish pits, Camping ground, Royal Project and Nature Trail :** Giant Nuthatch, Red-faced Liocichla, Long-tailed Broadbill, Blue-beared Bee-eater, Spot-breasted Parrotbill, White-browed Laughingthrush, Rusty-cheeked Scimitar-Babbler, Siberian Ruby-throated, Daurian Redstart, Spectacled Barwing, Little Pied, Slaty-backed, Salty-blue Flycatcher, Yellow-bellied Flowerpecker, Brown-breasted, Striated Bulbul, Crested Finchbill, Common Rosefinch, Chestnut-bellied Rock thrust, White Wagtail, Black-breasted, Scaly, Eye-browned, Dark-sided Thrust Silver-eared Mesia, Large Niltava, White-tailed Robin, Spectacle Piculet, Maroon Woodpecker, etc.

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Meals : B/L

Stay : Bann Innto Resort

Day 5 : Doi Sanju > Chiang Mai

Doi Sanju located at a perimeter of Doi Pha Hom Pok National Park, which formed a border line between Thailand and Myanmar. It is one of the best birding and bird photography site in Thailand and rapidly became the country popular location in recent years. Guide will take you to many birds feeding spots along the Thailand-Myanmar border security road at 2,020 meters above sea level. At each spot is not only great for birding, but also providing great opportunities to snap excellent shots of rare and uncommon birds. We will have a very early departure from the hotel to the first feeding spot. Then set up our bird hide tents to secure the space and wait for our prime targets, a rare and much desired Mrs Hume's Pheasant and Mountain Bamboo Partridge (another sought-after specialty) show up at the first light. Today we will spend a whole day birding along the border road. This magnificent place is famous for holding many great species that really hard to find elsewhere including Ultramarine Flycatcher, Large and Rufous-bellied Niltavas, Grey-headed and Spot-breasted Parrotbills, Black-throated Tit, Chestnut-flanked Bush Robin, White-bellied Redstart, Rufous-tailed Robin, Himalayan Cutia, Rusty-cheeked Scimitar-Babbler, Striated Bulbul, Crested Finchbill, Whiskered Yuhina, Dark-backed and Long-tailed Sibias, Stripe-breasted Woodpecker, White-tailed Leaf Warbler, Chestnut-crowned Warbler, Black-eared Shrike-Babbler, Chestnutfronted Shrike-Babbler, Rufous-winged Fulvetta, White-gorgeted Flycatcher, Blue-winged Minla, Hodgson's Frogmouth, Black Magpie and a lot more good species.

Then transfer 3-4 hours back to Chiang Mai.

Meals : B-box / L-box

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



Click Route Scan Map



Price Thai Baht / Person

Group Size	1	2	3	4
THB./Person	85,000-	47,900-	36,900-	29,500-
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Note : Single room supplement = 7,600- THB.

This price is only for the use of guides in the area or guide are resident in the service area only. This includes :

- \checkmark Highest experienced northern birding guide with a spotting scope
- ✓ All ground transfers mini van or pick up truck
- ✓ All entrance fees & Bird hide mentioned in the itinerary
- ✓ Meals & Snack, as indicated and unlimited cold drinking water bottle & soft drink in a meals
- \checkmark Accommodations base twin beds room or request
- ✓ Field equipments (for photographer private bird hide, chair, mew worm, bean bag)
- ✓ Travel insurance

The tour package EXCLUDES : Dinner (100-500 THB/meal/person), Internal Flight, Thai massage, Laundry, Telephone calls, Any beverage & Alcoholic drink, Extra bed and counter bar in the hotel room, Birding guide and driver gratuities

PAYMENTS AND CANCELLATION POLICY

1. PAYMENTS POLICY

The payments can be made via **Banking**, *WISE*. You can pay in the full amount 100% or confirm your booking we need at least 40% deposit. **Immediate payment, your booking will record and confirm**. The client is responsible for any bank transfer fee(s).

For the remaining 60%

By bank transfer : Pay 30 days before the tour start. Please attach the payment confirmation when making payment.

By cash: Pay to our Birding Guide on the first day tour. It is possible to pay with your country currency or in THB.

Note: Pay by cash please let us know ASAP but at least 30 days before the tour starts. If the service is already carried half-way through the itinerary, but you still do not pay the outstanding amount. We will drop the service immediately until you pay.

2. CANCELLATION THE TOUR POLICY

The business partner and client shall notify us in writing of any cancellation prior to the minimum notice dates, otherwise a late cancellation charge will be applied as follows :



In case of cancellation before 120 days before the tour start. The cancellation fee is 0% of the total amount in any case, Company refund money back to you 100%.

In case of cancellation within 90 days before the tour start. The cancellation fee is 35% of the total amount in any case.

In case of cancellation within 60 days before the tour start. The cancellation fee is 50% of the total amount in any case.

In case of cancellation within 30 days before the tour start. It is no refund in any case.

In case of No show during the tour. It is no refund in any case.

3. POSTPONE THE TOUR POLICY

In the case of postpone 60 days before program tour start, We will not deduct any business opportunity loss fees. We'll refund you the amount incurred after deducting the transfer fee or keep it with us. We will issue a credit note for the next use with a period of 6 months from the date of request to postpone the tour. After that, if you are still unable to determine the next travel date, We will transfer the money back to you for the amount incurred less the transfer fee.

In the case of postpone during 30 days before program tour start, In the event that you request to postpone the travel date of the tour for reasons in all cases. We will collect or deduct from you 50% of the total tour cost incurred as a result of the loss of business opportunity. The remaining amount will be refunded to you based on the amount accrued less after the transfer fee. And there is no policy to collect money as credit notes.

In the case pastpone less than 30 days before program tour start, It is no refund in any case.

PAYMENT DETAILS

Recipient :	Wild Bird Eco Tour Thailand		
Name of Bank :	Krung Thai Bank Public Company Limited		
Branch :	Soi Chok Chai 47		
Address of Branch :	24/55/56 Chok Chai 4 rd., Ladphrao, Bangkok, Thailand		
Account Number :	084 1 21616 9 Swift Code : KRTH THBK		



REQUIRED INFORMATION

- ✓ A copy of every client's passport
- ✓ Your recent photo for our guide or driver to promptly recognize you when picking you up from the hotel or the airport.
- \checkmark Your main focus, such as Bird watching or Bird photography
- ✓ Food preference or limited, such as no spicy, Vegan, Vegetarian, food allergy, etc.

THINGS TO BRING ON OWN

- ✓ Binoculars & Telescope, Camera gear
- ✓ Mask, Hat, Sunscreen lotion, Mosquito repellent
- ✓ Light walking or trekking boots, or sport shoes
- ✓ Long trousers and long sleeved shirt only !
- ✓ Bird guide handbook, Field notebook, eBird app, Merlin iD app
- ✓ Personal medications
- ✓ Other personal belonging

WE USE eBird

You can find our eBird in user name birding guide AND a list of birds found at each location via the links provided below. The advantages of using lists based on Ebird are: Sightings are updated all the time when using, Arrange the locations as they appear in the tour program 30 days. **How to use :** Copy the text bar and put it on the search box in Google OR press command and Click !

Chiang Rai

Nong Bong Kai lake : <u>https://ebird.org/hotspot/L1059220?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec</u> Nong Lom lake (Harrier place) : <u>https://ebird.org/hotspot/L974164?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec</u> Nam Kham reserve area : <u>https://ebird.org/hotspot/L3321319?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec</u>

Chiang Mai

Doi Inthanon : <u>https://ebird.org/hotspot/L921131?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec</u> Doi Inthanon summit : <u>https://ebird.org/hotspot/L1757576?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec</u> Doi Chiang Dao : <u>https://ebird.org/hotspot/L921128?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec</u> Doi Chiang Dao Wat Tham Phablong : <u>https://ebird.org/hotspot/L1059220?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec</u> Doi Lang , Doi Sanju : <u>https://ebird.org/hotspot/L1867725?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec</u> Mae Hiab : <u>https://ebird.org/hotspot/L1366659?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec</u> Doi Lor paddy : <u>https://ebird.org/hotspot/L3985622?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec</u> Doi Ang Khang Royal Project : <u>https://ebird.org/hotspot/L3859406?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec</u> Foothill Doi Suthep bird hide : https://ebird.org/hotspot/L1080491