



3 Days
Doi Inthanon, Chiang Mai
Premium Birding & Bird Photography Tour

Tour pace & walking	: Easy walk
Accommodation	: Comfortable 2.5 - 3.5 star hotel
Photographic Opportunities	: Best in Dec.-Feb.
Birding Month	: Nov. - Apr., Peak season Jan.- Mar.
Climate	: Nov. - Dec. some raining 15 - 27 C.
Smog pm2.5	: Feb. - May only 1 – 1,500 meter sea level
Hope to see	: Peak season 120 species (+- 10)
Thai Food	: 70% good Thai restaurant

Tour Itinerary

Tour Start & End	: Chiang Mai
Duration	: 3 Days
Prof. Birding guide	: Local guide in Chiang Mai

Day 1 : Chiang Mai > Mae Hiab > Doi Suthep Foothill > Baan Hong > Doi Inthanon

06:30 Birding guide pick you up at hotel

Half day birding around CNX, Then transfer 20 min. to **Mae Hiab Agricultural University**, where inside is mostly an open farmlands, star birds for here such as Wire-tailed Swallow, Red Avadavat, Rufous-winged Buzzard, Red-billed Blue Magpie, Green Bee-eater, Lianated, Copper-smith Barbet, Olive-backed Sunbird, Pied Buschat and more.

Then **Foothill Doi Suthep bird hide** : Green Peafowl, White-crested Laughingthrush, Asian Barred Owlet(roosting), Brown Boobook(roosting), Red Junglefowl, White-rumped Shama, Black-crested Bulbul, Red-billed Blue Magpie and more.

Then to **Bann Hong Wildlife Resv.** (40 mins) to look for Green Peafowl (for here is easy to take photo) Then drive 1 hour to Doi Inthanon

Meal : L

Stay : Touch Star Resort (click)

Day 2 : Doi Inthanon National Park

After breakfast at the hotel, drive 10 min. to see **Blossom-headed Parakeet** in dry forest, the place near by resort. Then drive to **Doi Inthanon**, we will stop on the way at foothill where the main habitat is dry dipterocarp forest, key birds is Collared Falconet(uncommon), White-rumped Falconet(rare), Black-headed Woodpecker.



Next stop **Wachirathar Waterfall** the highlights is White-capped Redstart, Blue Whistling Thrush, Plumbeous Redstart, Slaty-backed Forktail.

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, Rufous-backed 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 Minla, White-throated 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.) General area ; 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, Chestnut-bellied, Chestnut-vented and Velvet-fronted Nuthatches, Black-throated Parrotbill, White-tailed Robin, Scaly Thrush, Chestnut-flanked 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 White-crowned Forktail, and other more stream preferring species.

5.) Huay Sai Luang Waterfall ; Orange-bellied Leafbird, White-headed Bulbul, Eurasian Jay, Grey Treepie, Chestnut-bellied Nuthatch, White-tailed Robin, Scaly Thrush and Chestnut-flanked White-eye. The waterfall may even produce a Yellow Wagtail and more

6.) Bird Hide inside park ; White-tailed Robin, Rufous-bellied, Small Niltava, Paradise-Flycatcher, Hill Blue, Blue-throated, Snowy-browed Flycatcher, Lesser Shortwing, Velvet-fronted Nuthatch, Warblers, Silver-eared Laughingthrush, Silver-eared Mesia, Slaty-backed Forktail, Pygmy Wren-Babbler, and more.

Meals : B / L

Stay : Touch Star Resort

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Day 3 : Doi Inthanon > Chiang Mai

Full day birding inside park, Guide will bring you to see more new species.

18:00 Drop you in Chiang Mai town ,

Meals : B / L

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



[Click route](#) [Scan map](#)

Price THB./Person

Number Person	1	2	3	4
THB./Person	48,000	27,800	20,800	17,500

Note :

1.) This program is only available for guides living or working in Chiang Mai.

If the guide in Chiang Mai is not available The company cannot sell at this price.

2.) If the customer wants this tour by choosing to use the service from a guide from Bangkok, The company charges an additional fee of 6,000 baht (round-trip airfare, one-night accommodation).

3.) Single room supplement = 3,000 THB.

4.) Peak Season do not service on 25th December – 3rd January

Included :

- Professional birding guide with spotting scope
- Ground transfer with driver
- Breakfast, Lunch & Unlimited water bottles & soft drink in a meals
- Field equipments for bird photographer ; bird hide tent, chair, meal worms, bean bag, payback, etc.
- National park entrance fees
- Accommodations base Double or Twin bed room
- Travel insurance



Excluded Dinner 100-700 THB./meal, All Bird Hide (200 THB./person), Sightseeing entrance fee, Hotel in Chiang Mai, Any Internal flight, Any kind alcoholic beverages, Telephone calls, Laundry, Extra bed, Mini bar, Souvenirs and Personal tip.

CONDITIONS OF AGREEMENT AND TOUR SERVICE POLICY

1. PAYMENTS POLICY

The payments can be made via **Banking, WISE, PayPal**. You can pay in the full amount 100% or confirm your booking we need at least 25% deposit. Immediate payment, your booking will record and confirm. The client is responsible for any bank transfer fee(s).

For the remaining 75%, please pay full a month before tour operate 15 days before the tour start. Please attach the payment confirmation when making payment.

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 90 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 15% 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 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 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 charge 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 case postpone less than 30 days before program tour start**, It is no refund in any case.

4. DISPUTES, ACTIONS, OR OTHER MATTERS ARISING

It is expressly agreed and declared that the proper law of this Agreement is the law of Thailand and that any disputes, actions, or other matters arising hereunder shall be determined in a court of Thailand in accordance with the laws and procedures of Thailand and under all circumstances.

5. AGREEMENT OR AGREEING TO THE TERMS IN THIS PROGRAM

5.1 * This is the original itinerary, the routes and timing may change according to unanticipated circumstances such as local conditions, habitat burnt down by local people, global warming effect, natural disaster, heavy rain, a number of general tourists in the weekend and in nature trails we do birding. We will attempt to adhere as close to the original itinerary as possible.

5.2 * We don't 100% guarantee to see all birds mentioned in the itinerary. Nevertheless, our guides will do their best for your satisfaction.

5.3 ** Birding guide & driver standard working hours are between 06:00-20:00 (including dinner, night watch & checklist summary). They can start working a little earlier and finish a little late. If you want to extend extra hours, please do not hesitate to discuss with them and pay extra for their overtime working.

PAYMENT DETAILS

Recipient : Wild Bird Eco Tour Thailand Ordinary Partnership
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
Address Head Quarter : 35 Sukhumvit rd., Klongtoey Nua, Watthana, Bangkok
Account Number : 084 1 21616 9 **Swift / IBAN Code :** KRTH THBK
WISE : WILDBIRDECO@GMAIL.COM (please add transfer fee 1%)
PAYPAL : WILDBIRDECO@YAHOO.COM (please add transfer fee 4.78%)

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.
- Your main focus, such as Bird watching or Bird photography
- Food preference such as no spicy at all, a little bit spicy, vegetarian, food allergy, etc.

THINGS TO BRING ON OWN

- Binoculars & Telescope
- Mask, Hat, Sunscreen lotion, Mosquito repellent
- Light walking or trekking boots, or sport shoes
- Long trousers and long sleeved shirt
- Bird guide handbook, Field notebook, eBird, Merlin ID app
- Flashlight or head lamp
- 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, put it on the search box in Google OR press command and Click !

North

Chiang Mai

Doi Inthanon : <https://ebird.org/hotspot/L921131?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec>

Doi Inthanon summit : <https://ebird.org/hotspot/L1757576?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec>

Mae Hiab : <https://ebird.org/hotspot/L1366659?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec>

Doi Lor paddy : <https://ebird.org/hotspot/L3985622?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec>

Foothill Doi Suthep bird hide : <https://ebird.org/hotspot/L1080491>