



7 Days South Thailand

Southern dens rain forest & low land forest

Had Tad Meuang garden > *Spotted Wood Owl*

Phang Nga mangrove forest > *Mangrove Pitta, Ruddy Kingfisher, Streak-breasted Woodpecker*

Sri Phang Nga > *Banded Pitta, Chestnut-naped Forktail, Javan Frogmouth*

Khao Sok > *Green Broadbill, Blue-Banded Kingfisher, Crested Jay, Paradise Flycatcher*

Cheow Lan Dam > *Helmeted, Bushy, Wreathed Hornbill, Lesser, Grey-headed Fish-Eagle*

Tour pace & walking : Easy

Accommodation : 3 star hotel & resort

Photographic Opportunities : Good in Sri Phang Nga, Khao Sok, Cheow Lan Please read day3-4*

Excellent Month & Climate : January – May 18 - 30 C.

Thailand Birding & Bird Photography Tour

Tour Period : 7 Days January – May

Tour Start & End : Phuket or

Expect to see : 100 specie (+ - 10)

Birding guide :

Day 1 : Phuket airport > Phang Nga > Sri Phang Nga

07:00 Birding guide pick you up at the lobby Hotel in Phuket OR

In case, start at the Phuket airport flight detail.....

Transfer 50 min. to **Had Tai Mueng beach** for watching Philippine Glossy Starling, Spotted Wood Owl.

Transfer 2 hour to resort. In case we have more time, guide bring you to **Lame Pakarang beach** or Corral Reef Beach for watching shore bird and some time rara bird show up such as *Beach Thick-knee, Chinese Egret, Crab Plover, Chinese Egret*.

Meals : L

Stay : Vandamie Resort

Day 2 : Great Argus* > Sri Phang Nga

Wake up early morning to go bird hide to watching Great Argus, far from resort 10 km.

We start to walk 1 km. on nature trail (The slope is about 50-60 degrees.) limit 5 people in hide station.

11:00 am. Back to lunch. After lunch transfer 20 min. to SPN np. Habitat is rain forest a home of 250 birds example is *Green Broadbill, Javan Frogmouth, Banded Pitta, Banded Kingfisher, Blue-banded Kingfisher, Chestnut-napped Forktail, Buff-Vented Bulbul, Yellow-bellied Bulbul, Purple-naped Sunbird, Red-throated Barbet, Grey-capped Woodpecker, Lesser Cuckoo-shrike, Bar-bellied Cuckoo-shrike and more*. Twilight time possible to see *Bat Hawk, Large-tailed Nightjar*.

Meals : B / L

Stay : Vandamie Resort

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Note* : Great Argus will begin to come out to see or counship around last week of January, Peak time on February-March.

Day 3 : Sri Phang Nga

Half day birding inside Sri Phang Nga. After lunch transfer 1.30 hr. to Khao Sok. On the way stop at **Kapong river & Kotiean open area** for watching 3 specie of Lapwing : *River Lapwing*, *Grey-headed Lapwing* some time see *Oriental Plover*. Early evening : guide bring you to searching *Brown Wood Owl*, *Oriental Bay Owl*.

Meals : B / L

Stay : Khao Sok Rainforest

Day 4 : Khao Sok

Full day morning birding inside Khao Sok, Bird highlight is *Green Broadbill*, *Javan Frogmouth*, *Banded Pitta*, *Banded Kingfisher*, *Blue-banded Kingfisher*, *Chestnut-napped Forktail*, *Great Iora*, *Blue-winged Leafbird*, *Rufous Piculet*, *Buff-Vented*, *Yellow-bellied*, *Cream-vented*, *Red-eyed*, *Spectacled Bulbul*, *Red-throated Barbet*, *Grey-capped*, *Bamboo*, *Banded Woodpecker*, *Lesser Cuckoo-shrike*, *Bar-bellied Cuckoo-shrike*, *Little*, *Purple-naped*, *Plain Sunbird*, *Spectacled*, *Yellow-eared Spiderhunter* *Brown-throated*, *Orange-bellied*, *Yellow-vented*, *Thick-billed Flowerpecker*.

Meals : B / L

Stay : Khao Sok Rainforest

Note : Night Watch extra time for guide 700 THB./1 hour

Day 5, 6 : Cheow Lan Dam *

Day 5) day 1 inside dam, After breakfast transfer 1 hour to Cheow Lan dam, Then taka a big longtail boat to birding inside dam. 12:00 Arrival the resort and lunch. 15:00 jump to the boat for go out to birding again, guide bring you to deep and pure nature inside dam.

Day 6) day 2 inside dam, all day birding inside dam. Bird highlight is *Helmeted*, *Bushy*, *Black*, *Wreathed Hornbill*, *Oriental Pied*, *Great Hornbill*, *Lesser*, *Grey-headed Fish-Eagle*, *Brahminy Kite*, *Blyth's Hawk-Eagle*, *Rufous-billed Swallow*, *Black-caped Kingfisher*, *Stork-billed Kingfisher*, *Oriental Darter*, *White-crowned Forktail*, *Oriental Hobby* and more. Night time you can see *Buffy-fish Owl* at the resort.

Meals : B / L / D

Stay : Phupha Waree floating resort **

Note* : 1.) Program tour in the dam will spend the day birdwatching on a boat. There is no path to travel on land. Maybe just stop for lunch (in some cases). This trip is perfect for bird watchers. But not suitable for bird photographers who use tripods.

2.) The floating resort uses a generator system. Electricity and Wi-Fi are available from 5:30 PM to 6:00 AM.



Day 7 : Cheow Lan Dam > Phuket or

We will spend half day birding in side park. Then take the boat back to pier in front the dam. Lunch at the pier. We will transfer 2.30 hour to Phuket. On the half way we spot to watching bird at **Phang Nga mangrove forest** bird highlight is *Mangrove Pitta, Ruddy Kingfisher, Brown-winged Kingfisher, Black-and-Red Broadbill, Ashy Tailorbird, Streak Woodpecker, Pacific Swallow.*

Guide drop you at Phuket airport or your place desire.

Meals : B / L

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

Price Thai Baht Payment/Person

Number Person	2	3	4
THB.			

Note : Single Room Supplement = xxxxx THB.

Included

- ✦ Local bird guide with telescope, play back (working time 06:00 – 18:00**)
- ✦ All ground transfer
- ✦ Private longtail boat inside dam
- ✦ Meals as indicated and unlimited cold drinking water bottle
- ✦ Field equipment : leech sock, bird hide, mew worm, chair, lesser pointer, torch, first aid.
- ✦ All entrance fee and All Bird Hide mentions in the itinerary
- ✦ Accommodations base twin bed room or request
- ✦ Pre-day room for guide stay in Phuket
- ✦ Travel insurance

Excluded : Dinner standard cost 100–200 THB./meal/person, Local Birding guide Or Local people offer to birding spot, boat at Thale Noi, sightseeing entrance fee, souvenirs, massage, any kind alcoholic beverages, telephone calls, laundry, extra bed in room and personal tip.

CONDITIONS OF AGREEMENT AND TOUR SERVICE POLICY

1. PAYMENTS POLICY

The payments can be made via bank transfer or PayPal. 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). Please remark PayPal payment, It is charge 4.5%

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.

By credit card (support only smart card SIMs): Pay to our Birding Guide on the first day tour. It is charge 3.5%

Note: Pay by cash or pay by credit card 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 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 pastpone 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
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
- ✦ QR Code or Paper of Vaccine Certificate
- ✦ 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 or limited, 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 or Short trousers and long sleeved shirt
- ✦ Warm clothes (Dec.-Jan.)
- ✦ Raincoat or rain jacket
- ✦ Bird guide handbook, Field notebook, eBird app
- ✦ Flashlight or head lamp

- ⚡ Personal medications
- ⚡ Other personal belonging



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Bird List from eBird Thailand

You can find 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 !

Sri Phang Nga np. : <https://ebird.org/hotspot/L1042659?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec>

Ao Phang Nga mangrove forest : <https://ebird.org/hotspot/L2674885?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec>

Khao Sok : <https://ebird.org/hotspot/L921154?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec>

Khlong Seang ws. : <https://ebird.org/hotspot/L5718912?yr=all&m=&rank=mrec>