

Thailand Doi Kam Fha, Chiang Mai More Than You Expect

Doi Kam Fha is the new bird watching site in Thailand. Located in the north of Doi Chiang Dao, Wiang Haeng District, Chiang Mai Province. Originally completely covered with forest, but 50 years earlier. This forest has been defeated by the Hmong hill tribes. For shifting cultivation, growing opium for sale Later, King Rama IX developed and promoted agriculture to the livelihoods of the hill tribes to turn to agriculture instead of opium cultivation. It is recommended

to grow vegetable plants, flowers and allow hill tribes to plant forests back. It has been 30 years until today the pine forest has returned to perfection, causing birds and wildlife to come back to inhabit and increasing the population. Doi Kam Fha is a tourist spot part of Pha Daeng National Park, Far from Chiang Mai town around 2 - 2.30 hour.



By driving a car heading towards Chiang Dao District, Mueang Ngai Subdistrict, Until Mae Ja Intersection, turn left. take road 1322 West towards Wiang Haeng then more drive 23 KM. On the right, you will see an entrance to Doi Kam Fha. It is an 8 km rough motorbike ride or four wheel drive to the top. At the top is a camping area, with spectacular views across the valleys. In the winter season "The sea of fog" in the early morning would be a sight not to miss. From the camping area, it is about 300 meters to the summit at 1,834 meters.



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There are rare birds for bird watchers to easily see here Without having to travel as far as Doi Sanju and Doi Lang such as birds Mrs.Hume's Pheasant, Eurasian Jay, Giant Nuthatch. You can see them from the second kilometer.

The best time to see the birds here is at the end of the rainy season in

November to May. Because the path in the park is a smooth soil road But when it rains, the roads are slippery, so a sedan, van or two-wheel drive pickup truck. Can't get through Therefore should go in the dry season where it does not rain.

In addition, in winter from December to January it is best to start birdwatching around 8:00 am as winter temperatures begin to warm from the sun. Causing many kinds of birds to startle with noise and flies to look for food.

At the entrance to the park. We recommend that you start to birding at a viewpoint on the top of mountain. There is third highest mountain in Thailand There are still many kinds of birds in the pine and mixed forest waiting to meet you.

After watching the birds on the highest peak Therefore slowly walking down or driving, stopping to see the birds along the way on both sides of the way down is better Here you can see the changing of the forest from the pine forest. A mixed forest You will find a wider variety of birds Long-tailed Broadbill, White-crowned Forktail, Maroon Oriole, Scarlet Minivet.

Facilities On this bird watching trail and on the tent camping spot There are no restaurants or grocery store, Please prepare your own lunch box, for water bottle, coffee & tea and snacks to serve you. The bathroom is only at the entrance and viewpoint area.

Telephone signal 3G, 4G, 5G network of AIS, True is available at the entrance area and a campground on the top of the mountain only.





TOUR ITINERARY DOI KAM FHA

Tour Start & End : Chiang Mai

Level : Easy walk

Expect to see : 55 specie +

A DAY TOUR

05:30 am. Birding Guide pick you up at Hotel lobby in Chiang Mai.....

Then approximately 2 - 3 hours will arrive at Doi Kam Fha, Firstly we start birding from the top hill (8 km. far from checkpoint) Breakfast on the way manage hot drink and snack by guide, then birding around the viewpoint and walk down to foothill.

Around midday, we will have lunch on the way. In the afternoon we start birding again along the downhill until

16:00 pm. Transfer back to Chiang Mai.

Meal : None

Price Thai Baht Payment / Person

Group Size	1	2	3	4
THB./Person	13,000 -	6,900 -	5,200 -	4,200 -

Note: This price used all year round, excluded all meals, Please prepare your meal on your own or our guide can suggest to you the local restaurant, that possible on our trip.

INCLUDED

- ✓ Highest experience Birding guide with telescope
- ✓ Private vehicle with fuel
- ✓ Refreshment : Coffee & Tea, Snack, Unlimited sofe drink and water bottle
- ✓ Park entrance fee
- ✓ Travel insurance

EXCLUDED All meals (each meal 100-250 THB./Person), Souvenirs, Any kind alcoholic beverages, Sightseeing which is not mentioned in the itinerary, Telephone call.

CONDITIONS OF AGREEMENT AND TOUR SERVICE 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).

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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 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 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, heavey rain, a number of general tourists in the weekend and in nature trials 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 06:00-19:00 (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
- ✓ 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 trekking boots and sport shoes
- ✓ Long trousers and long sleeved shirt
- ✓ Bird guide handbook, Field notebook, eBird app, Merlin Bird ID
- ✓ Personal medications
- ✓ Other personal belonging
