



Itinerary

2FOR1: 10 DAY WILD BORNEO TOUR WITH FLIGHTS

IMPORTANT NOTE: This is the default version of the tour itinerary. Any extra nights, optional tours or other amendments, will not be visible on this version. If you have booked extras, Please contact info@myholiday2.com.au for a personalised version of your itinerary

DAY 1: Depart Australia (Thursday)

Today you will depart from your chosen city in Australia on your flight to Borneo! We mainly use Malaysian airlines for this package so there will be a stop over in Kuala Lumpur along the way. Departures from Brisbane may transit via either Sydney or Melbourne as well.

MEALS: In-Flight

OVERNIGHT: In-Flight

DAY 2: Kota Kinabalu Arrival (Friday)

This morning you will arrive at Kota Kinabalu airport. You will be met by our tour representative and transferred to your city centre hotel for check-in. If you arrive prior to check-in time, you are welcome to secure your luggage at the hotel and explore the city until your room is ready. A fabulous way of starting your holiday is to take an optional sunset dinner cruise on board North Borneo Cruises. **NOTE:** Some flight schedules will depart Australia today and arrive today (Friday)

MEALS: In-flight meals

OVERNIGHT: Grandis Hotel, Kota Kinabalu

OPTIONAL: North Borneo Sunset Cruise with Dinner [departing 4pm] \$149pp

DAY 3: Kota Kinabalu ~ Free Day

Today you are free to spend the whole day at leisure exploring this modern city at your own pace from our centrally located hotel. Or take advantage of our optional Kota Kinabalu city tour with a visit to Mari Mari Cultural Village to an insight in local traditional tribal life.

MEALS: Breakfast

OVERNIGHT: Grandis Hotel, Kota Kinabalu

OPTIONAL: Kota Kinabalu City Tour & Mari Mari Cultural Village \$149 pp **OR** Island Hopping day trip with BBQ lunch \$99 pp

DAY 4: Kota Kinabalu ~ Kundasang ~ Kinabalu National Park

Today we journey overland to Sepilok. Departing the hotel at 8:30am we make a stop at the Kundasang War Memorial. The memorial is dedicated to the British and Australian soldiers who died in the Sandakan POW camp during their death marches to Ranau. In the afternoon we reach our accommodation. Sabah Tea Resort is set within a sprawling tea plantation surrounded by pristine rainforests, cool mountain air and views of Mount Kinabalu. Enjoy the afternoon at leisure and explore the stunning surroundings of the resort grounds.

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Sabah Tea Resort, Ranau

DAY 5: Ranau ~ Sepilok

After breakfast and check out we continue our journey through the lush Borneo hinterland towards Sepilok. Upon arrival we will check in and enjoy the remainder of the afternoon at leisure. Feel free to relax by the resort pool or take an afternoon excursion.

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Sepilok Jungle Resort

DAY 6: Orangutans & Sun Bears

This morning we visit Sepilok Orangutan Rehabilitation Centre in time for the morning feeding and learn about the conservation and rehabilitation efforts of Sepilok. Witness the majestic Orangutan swing through the forest towards the feeding platform and watch as these beautiful creatures enjoy their breakfast. Afterwards we make a visit to see the World's smallest bear in their natural habitat at the Bornean Sun Bear Conservation Centre. Enjoy lunch back at the resort and spend the afternoon at leisure, relaxing in the resorts pool and tropical surroundings. In the afternoon you will get a chance to visit the Proboscis Monkey Sanctuary or return to the orangutans for their afternoon feeding.

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Sepilok Jungle Resort, Sepilok

OPTIONAL: Labuk Bay Proboscis Monkey Sanctuary [afternoon feeding] \$79

DAY 7: Sepilok ~ Kinabatangan River

After breakfast we travel overland to our wildlife lodge on the banks of the Kinabatangan River. On arrival into Bilit we have a spot of lunch before jumping on our first wildlife boat cruise down the river. Keep your eyes peeled for wild Orangutans, Proboscis Monkeys, Pygmy Elephants and lots of exotic birdlife! Evening free at leisure or take an optional guided night jungle walk to spot the nocturnal wildlife.

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Bilit Adventure Lodge, Bilit

OPTIONAL: Wildlife night jungle walk RM10 (\$5) per hour payable on arrival

DAY 8: Kinabatangan River ~ Wildlife River Cruises

Early morning start as we cruise along the Kinabatangan River at 6:00am in search for more wild and wonderful wildlife, then back to the lodge for breakfast. After breakfast you will have two choices; for trekkers: a guided jungle walk through the riverine forest. For non-trekkers; we participate in the batik painting. Relax for the afternoon and then just before dusk we embark on another river cruise in search for more wildlife. Spend the evening at leisure enjoying a cold beer and sharing your photos from the day with fellow travellers.

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Bilit Adventure Lodge, Bilit

DAY 9: Kinabatangan River ~ Sandakan

After breakfast we depart Bilit and travel back to Sandakan city to stay at the Sabah Hotel. After checkin, the rest of the day will be at your own leisure. Relax by the hotel pool or take our optional Sandakan city tour. Sandakan has excellent seafood so ask your guide to recommend a restaurant to sample the local delicacies!

MEALS: Breakfast

OVERNIGHT: The Sabah Hotel, Sandakan

OPTIONAL: Sandakan Half Day City Tour & War Memorial \$89

DAY 10: End of Tour ~ Departure

Enjoy a leisurely last morning in Sandakan before your transfer back to the airport for your flight home.

MEALS: Breakfast, In-Flight

OVERNIGHT: In-Flight

DAY 11: Arrive Australia

This morning you will arrive back in Australia. Your amazing Borneo holiday has come to an end, but your memories will remain forever!

*****TURTLE ISLAND EXTENSION*** [Subject to availability]**

DAY 10: Sandakan ~ Turtle Island

After breakfast you will be picked up at your hotel and transferred Sabah Park Jetty in Sandakan where you will take a 1-hour boat ride to Selingan Turtle Island. Located only 40 kilometres from North Sandakan, you will have the opportunity to see the main nesting areas of the Green Turtles and Hawksbill Turtles.

Upon arrival, lunch will be served.

Check in to your basic but clean accommodation. The rest of the day you are free to stretch out by the beach or jump right into the sea for a snorkel round the nearby reefs. Dinner will be served on the Island.

After dinner, a Park Ranger will inform you on the right time to encounter turtle laying their eggs along the beach. Get the chance to witness the collecting of eggs from the nestling site and into a safe hatchery and watch baby turtles scrambling out into the open sea upon their release on shore. An adorable sight not to be missed!

It's time to hit the hay and rest up with an overnight stay at your Selingan Turtle Island Chalet.

MEALS: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

OVERNIGHT: Selingan Island Chalet

DAY 11: Turtle Island ~ Sandakan

After breakfast and check out say goodbye to the little turtles and head back to Sabah Parks Jetty via boat. Upon arrival transfer to the Sabah hotel for your final afternoon and night in Sandakan.

MEALS: Breakfast

OVERNIGHT: Sabah Hotel, Sandakan

DAY 12: End of Tour ~ Departure

Enjoy a leisurely last morning in Sandakan before your transfer back to the airport for your flight home.

MEALS: Breakfast, In-Flight

OVERNIGHT: In-Flight

DAY 13: Arrive Australia

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NOTE: If you are returning to Brisbane, you will need to fly home via Sydney if taking the Turtle Extension.