

Full Day Trip - Sepilok Orang Utan Sanctuary & Labuk Bay Proboscis Monkey Sanctuary

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Description

Sepilok Orang Utan Sanctuary is the most famous place in Sabah to see the critically endangered Bornean Orang Utan. Watch a feeding session at this world famous Orang Utan rehabilitation centre.

During your visit to Labuk Bay Sanctuary you'll also see wild family groups, and possibly a bachelor group, of Proboscis Monkeys during a feeding session. Proboscis Monkeys are only found in Borneo and are affectionately referred to as the "Dutch man of Borneo". You might also see Silver Leaf Monkeys, Hornbills, Otters and Sea Eagles at Labuk Bay Sanctuary.

Itinerary

Pick up from your hotel in Sandakan, or Sandakan Airport, and drive to Sepilok Orang Utan Rehabilitation Centre. The typical pick up times, and recommended arrival flight at Sandakan Airport, are provided in the trip notes below.

From 1000hrs witness the morning feeding of Orang Utans in the forest, watch the scheduled video programme about the Orang Utan (25mins) at the Nature Education Centre and pay a visit to the Exhibition Hall. After the feeding session at Sepilok Sanctuary you will proceed to lunch at a local café.

After lunch, transfer to the Labuk Bay Proboscis Monkey Sanctuary that offers a perfect proboscis monkeys observation spot for any tourist who wants to have a closer look at this very unique primate. The sanctuary is located at the centre of a mangrove forest along the coastal land near Samawang Village at Labuk Bay, Sandakan.

If you love taking close up pictures of the Proboscis Monkey, this is the best place. Currently there are 3 family groups and 1 bachelor group in the sanctuary. If you are lucky, you will also have a chance to see Silver Leaf Monkeys, Pig tailed Macaques, Oriental Pied Hornbills, Otters, White-bellied Woodpeckers and Kingfishers too.

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What to bring
Raincoat, cap/hat, insect repellent, sun cream, good walking shoes, socks, comfortable cotton T-shirt with long or short pant, binocular, camera and personal medications (if needed).

Included

- Return transfer from Sandakan Airport/hotel within Sandakan
- Entrance fees to Sepilok Orang Utan Rehabilitation Centre and Labuk Bay Sanctuary
- Lunch

Excluded

- Camera/Video fee
- Flights from Kota Kinabalu to Sandakan (vice versa)

Trip Pre-Requisites
Minimum 2 person booking the trip (single supplement is applicable).

Trip Notes
Pick up time: 0830 hrs (STW Office, City Hotels, Sandakan Hotel),
Pick up time: 0845 hrs (Sabah Hotel), 0915 hrs (Sepilok Jungle Resort)
Suggested arrival flight at Sandakan Airport: MH2042 0700hrs depart Kota Kinabalu, arrive at Sandakan Airport 0750hrs

