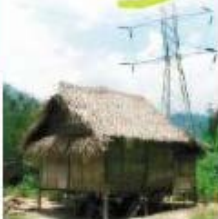






15 Days/ 14 Nights FASCINATING MALAYSIA

SEAT-IN-COACH HOLIDAYS



<p>Day 01</p> 	<p>KUALA LUMPUR [D] Meet and greet at hotel, depart for Night tour</p> <p>Highlights : Evening visit to the buzzing Chinatown, it's bazaar of numerous makeshift stalls lined up to display their wares ranging from local handicrafts to almost as good as genuine designer items, try you bargaining skills here then proceed on to a local restaurant for a typical Malay buffet dinner and a vibrant cultural performance.</p> <p><i>Overnight Swiss Garden Hotel, Kuala Lumpur</i></p>
<p>Day 02</p> 	<p>KUALA LUMPUR [B] Breakfast is served at hotel Depart for FULL DAY Malacca Tour</p> <p>Highlights : Malacca rose from a humble fishing village to become a major center of the spice trade forming a vital link between the East and the West. Melaka (Malacca) is rich with history. In fact, the earliest written records of the country made reference to the Malacca Peninsula, instead of the Malay Peninsula or Malaya. Since it's founding, circa 1400, by a fleeing Sumatra Prince, Parameswara. The journey which Parameswara made during his flight to escape the wrath of the Emperor of Majapahit whom he had unsuccessfully tried to overthrow. At the height of its power, the Sultanate of Malacca extended its borders over the whole of peninsula to encompass Pantani in the North and on the west right into the neighboring island of Sumatra to included Aru, Rokan, Siak, Kampar and Inderagiri. This was during the mid-1400s. The Golden Age of the Malacca Sultanate unfortunately lasted only for less then a century.</p> <p>Highlights : St Peter's Church & Porta De Santiago : St Paul's Church, : Dutch Square & Cheng Hoon Teng Temple : Jonker Street</p> <p><i>Overnight Swiss Garden Hotel, Kuala Lumpur</i></p>
<p>Day 03</p> 	<p>KUALA LUMPUR [B] Breakfast is served at hotel Depart for Home Stay program after breakfast</p> <p>Highlights : Coffee Plantation & Palm Oil Plantation : Cottage industry such as traditional making of local delicacies (Not available on Sundays)</p> <p>Traditional local Malay lunch will be served at the Home Stay family.</p> <p>Overland back to Kuala Lumpur after lunch, discover the old and new, starting from where the city began, which is at the confluence of two rivers. Visits include the King's Palace, the National Monument and the superb buildings at the Independence Square as well as the Moorish-style railway station.</p> <p>Observe the contrast between historical architecture and modern skyscrapers in an abundant setting of greenery. You will also get to visit a local handicraft centre and a photo stop at the magnificent Petronas Twin Towers.</p> <p><i>Overnight Swiss Garden Hotel, Kuala Lumpur</i></p>

<p>Day 04</p> 	<p>KUALA LUMPUR / CAMERON HIGHLANDS [B] Breakfast is served at hotel Morning, journey overland to Cameron Highlands</p> <p>Cameron Highlands is nestled on a plateau in the Titiwangsa Range, not far from Tapah, a few families devote their livelihood to weaving bamboo basket used for vegetable packing.</p> <p>A short stop at Orang Asli huts along the winding drive up Cameron Highlands, the plateau is marked by the rolling hill slopes of tea bushes. You may catch some workers collecting tea leaves. After check-in, you are free to explore this small town on your own.</p> <p>Overnight Strawberry Park Resort, Cameron Highlands</p>
<p>Day 05</p> 	<p>CAMERON HIGHLANDS / PANGKOR [B] Breakfast is served at hotel We will depart for a Half Day Cameron Highlands Tour</p> <p>In this brief tour, we will take you to the Tea Plantation, Tea Factory and Butterfly farm before ascending downhill to Lumut, as we arrive at the jetty, we will take a 30 minutes ferry ride across to the Island of Pangkor.</p> <p>Pangkor Island is one of the famous and well known islands in Malaysia, it is located approximately 90 km southwest of Ipoh. Pangkor Island is an idyllic and beautiful island resort for a care free and relaxing holiday. Its natural scenery of green hills and palm-fringed beaches of fine white sand lapped by the warm blue waters of the Straits of Malacca is truly magnificent.</p> <p>Overnight at Pangkor Island Beach Resort, Pangkor</p> <p>Note : Tea factory is closed on every Monday. : Clients will be free at leisure in Pangkor – without guide service in Pangkor, please refer to notes / terms and conditions.</p>
<p>Day 06</p> 	<p>PANGKOR [B] Breakfast is served at hotel</p> <p>Today is a free and easy day for you to enjoy the sun, sand and sea. However, you if feel like exploring the island, one of the best ways to go on a round island trip by taxi. The trip cost approximately MYR 70.00 – MYR 100.00.</p> <p>As you travel around coastal roads, you will see quaint Malay villages with wooden houses on stilts under the shade of coconut trees. Now and then, you will catch glimpses of the white sand and the shimmering blue sea. In the forests, you may chance upon shy deer or playful monkeys darting among the branches. The island of Pangkor is mainly populated by fishing villages who occupy the eastern coastline. The island is famous for its 'ikan bilis' (anchovies) and squids. The real attraction here however are the enchanting beaches on the western coastline Teluk Belanga, Teluk Nipah and Teluk Cempedak are marvelous for swimming or just basking in the sun, in complete privacy amidst tranquil surroundings.</p> <p>Overnight at Pangkor Island Beach Resort, Pangkor</p>
<p>Day 07</p> 	<p>PANGKOR / PENANG [B] Breakfast is served at the hotel</p> <p>Overland journey to the Island of Penang, along the journey, we will stop over at Kuala Kangsar. Here, we make a brief visit to see the gilded dome of Ubudiah Mosque, the impressive Iskandariah Palace and the Istana Kenangan.</p> <p>Upon arrival, check-in, rest and relax. Rest of the day at leisure on own arrangements</p> <p>Overnight Holiday Inn Resort, Penang</p>
<p>Day 08</p> 	<p>PENANG [L] Meet and greet at the hotel, transfer to Penang city, this morning enjoy a romantic trishaw ride and a leisurely stroll in the city of Georgetown. Discover how a number of multi-cultured people can live harmoniously together in this city. Among the highlights of the tour are Fort Cornwallis, Chew Jetty, Khoo Kong Si, Little India & Peranakan Mansion. Trishaw ride ends at Peranakan / Nyonya restaurant for lunch - local delicacy.</p> <p>Rest of the day free to explore the city on your own.</p> <p>Overnight Holiday Inn Resort, Penang.</p>
<p>Day 09</p> 	<p>PENANG / KOTA BHARU [B/L] Breakfast is served at hotel</p> <p>Journey overland in the morning, traveling from the west to the east of Peninsular Malaysia through the main mountain range offering a breathtaking view of the tropical rainforest.</p> <p>Lunch will be served at Banding Island Resort, a remote resort over looking the scenic Temenggor Lake before heading on to the state of Kelantan.</p> <p>As we arrive in Kota Bharu, popularly known as the cradle of the Malay culture, we will embark on a brief visit to the night market before checking in at the hotel for a night.</p> <p>Overnight at Renaissance Hotel, Kota Bharu.</p>

<p>Day 10</p> 	<p>KOTA BHARU / TERENGGANU [B] Breakfast is served at hotel Morning, depart for a Half Day Kota Bharu City Tour</p> <p>The town of Kota Bharu is known for its highly skilled artisans and its diverse cottage industries. Join us for a quick visit of a batik factory, a kite-making centre and a silver-craft centre. We'll also introduce you to "songket", an intricately woven cloth that requires much skill and artistry.</p> <p>The highlight of this tour is the most photographed market in Malaysia, the Pasar Besar Siti Khadijah. It is a colourful market selling various local produce, there is always a hive of activity with opportunities to observe local practices. Afternoon, continue overland journey to Terengganu. Overnight at Grand Continental Hotel, Terengganu.</p>
<p>Day 11</p> 	<p>TERENGGANU / TAMAN NEGARA [B/D] Breakfast is served at hotel Morning, overland journey to Terengganu for Kuala Tembeling jetty (Jump off point to Taman Negara)</p> <p>Highlights After a 2 hours longboat ride upriver you will arrive at Taman Negara, Malaysia's National Park. It covers 4343 square kilometers covering Pahang, Kelantan and Terengganu state is 130 million years old, the oldest rain forest in the world. The highest mountain in the Peninsular, Gunung Tahan, 2186 meters stands in the park.</p> <p>Covered with primary jungle and scattered limestone outcrop, it is truly the outdoor destination for nature lovers. In the evening, you can join the rest of the holidaymakers for a brief introduction to the park.</p> <p>Note There will be no guide service in Taman Negara, please refer to notes / terms & conditions. Dinner is served at the resort. Overnight at Mutiara Taman Negara, Taman Negara.</p>
<p>Day 12</p> 	<p>TAMAN NEGARA [B] Breakfast is served at Hotel Depart for tour in the morning</p> <p>Highlights : Trek up to Teresek Hill, this walk takes us further into the national park. The guide will highlight to you the rich flora found en-route. You will enjoy a panoramic view at the top of Teresik Hill and on a clear day, you can also see Mount Tahan.</p> <p>Before returning to base, you will have the option of going on the canopy walk which is about 30-40m above ground where you can observe the forest from a better vantage point. Overnight at Mutiara Taman Negara, Taman Negara.</p> <p>Optional Tour Half Day Lata Berkoh Excursion In the afternoon, take a leisurely boat trip to Lata Berkoh where you can dip in the cool waters of the natural pool. The deep pool is delightful for swimming, resting and reading on the rocky area overlooking the river.</p>
<p>Day 13</p> 	<p>TAMAN NEGARA / KUANTAN [B] Breakfast is served at the hotel</p> <p>We will take the first boat out of the National Park, from here we travel east to the city of Kuantan. As we arrive, we will take you on a charming tour that gives visitors an insight into village life along the idyllic coast before stopping at the fishing village of Beserah where you can observe how salted fish, a local delicacy, is produced.</p> <p>Walk around the village and observe how locals live in clustered communities. The tour then continues to another typical village where you will see how Mengkuang (pandan) leaves are turned into beautiful craft products by skilled artisans with a weaving technique. The local craft industry is an important source of income for many villages in Malaysia.</p> <p>Note English speaking guide's service will ends on Day 13 after clients being dropped off at hotel. Please refer to notes / terms & conditions. Overnight at Swiss Garden Resort, Kuantan.</p>
<p>Day 14</p>  <p>Day 15</p>	<p>KUANTAN [B] Breakfast is served at hotel Day at leisure, rest & relax or your may choose to explore Kuantan town.</p> <p>KUANTAN [B] - DEPARTURE After breakfast, you will depart for the airport</p> <p>Note Does not include departure transfer from hotel to KUA airport, etc transfer will be charged separately, reason being, some clients might be booked on different flight. End of program....</p>