

Thailand Half Day Tour & Full Day Tour Spoon-billed Sandpiper @ Baan Pak Thale Mission Possible



Phetchaburi is one of the central provinces of Thailand. Neighboring provinces are (from north clockwise) Ratchaburi, Samut Songkhram and Prachuap Khiri Khan. In the west it borders Tanintharyi Division of Myanmar. Geography Phetchaburi is located at the northern end of the Malay Peninsula, with the Gulf of Thailand to the East and the Tanaosi mountain range forming the boundary to Myanmar. Except these border mountains most of the province is a flat plain area. With an area of about 3000 km² the Kaeng Krachan National Park is Thailands largest national park, covering nearly half of the province. It protects mostly rainforests in the mountains along the boundary to Myanmar, but also the Kaeng Krachan reservoir is part of the park. The only significant river of the province is the Phetchaburi River.

Bann Pak Thale the name of Sub-District, is a large area of salt pans with some mangrove remnants and a sand spit, in Phetchaburi province. This is probably the premier birdwatching site for shorebirds in Thailand with many rare species putting in regular appearances. The appropriate time to watch birds is winter, during November – March. You can see rare birds **Spoon-billed Sandpiper**, Nordmann's Greenshank, Asian



Dowitcher in same area. This region is very open and exposed which allows for good views of the birds but, as with any shorebird watching, a telescope is highly desirable. In addition to the coastal areas there are large expanses of freshwater wetlands further inland, consisting of rice paddies and fishponds which are inhabited by Crakes, Rails, Egrets and, in the winter, large raptors.



Facilities On this tour have a lot of Thai & Europian restaurants, toilet and grocery store. **Telephone signal** 3G, 4G, 5G network of AIS, True is good service. For Dtac is fair service.



TOUR ITINEARY @ PAK THALE

Duration: Mid of October to Early of April

Level : Easy walk

Hope to See: 70 specie +

Local Guide : Mr.Deang

HALF DAY & FULL DAY TOUR

05:30 am. <u>Driver</u> pick you up at Hotel in Bangkok or Airport *....

Then transfer around 1.45 hour to **Baan Pak Thale**, meet local guide here, then he will bring you to watching Spoonies and another species.

If you like to see a special birds White-fronted Plover, Malaysian Plover, Chinese Egret, Pacific Reef Egret. Highly recomment Go to the Sand Split using the guide Deang boat, He will bring you to **Lame Pak Bia pier.** Transfer by fishing boat to sand split on high tide. (tour request & excluded in the price)

After Lunch birding shore birds or another in rice filed, freshwater area near by bird such as Openbill Stork, Bronze-winged Jacana, Pheasant-tailed Jacana, Gray-headed Swamphen, Baya Weaver, Asian Golden Weaver, Plain-backed Sparrow, Plain Prinia, Marsh Harrier, Green Bee-eater, Blue-tailed Bee-eater, White-browed Crake, Black Kite, Asian Pied Starling and more.

For half day tour 12:00 Departure to Hotel in Bangkok or Airport (*)

For full day tour 16:00 Departure to Hotel in Bangkok.

Meal: None

NOTE: Finding a Spoon-billed Sandpiper & large number of shore birds depends on the tide of each day. If it is a water high tide, Birds will stop feeding from mudflat to stay in the main land Baan Pak Thale salt farm. The best time to see Spoonies on 06:30 – 09:30 am. Or high tide.

Price Thai Baht Payment / Person

Group Size	1	2	3	4
Half Day *	10,700 -	5,500 -	4,000 -	3,000
Full Day *	12,700 -	6,500 -	4,500 -	3,500

NOTE This price excluded all meals, Please prepare breakfast on your own or stop on the way at 7-elven to buy, our driver and local guide can suggest to you the restaurant.



INCLUDED

- A Highest experience local birding guide with telescope
- Private vehicle with fuel & express way
- A Refreshment : unlimited cold drinking water bottle
- ▲ Travel insurance

EXCLUDED All meals, **Boat trip to sand split 1,200 THB./2 hr.,** Souvenirs, Any kind alcoholic beverages, Expenses for transfer to Kaeng Krachan or Sightseeing which is not mentioned in the itinerary, Telephone call.

PAYMENTS AND CANCELLATION 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).

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 120 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 35% 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 the 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 the 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 collect or deduct 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 the case pastpone less than 30 days before program tour start, It is no refund in any case.

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
- A 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

- A Mask, Hat, Sunscreen lotion, Mosquito repellent
- ▲ Light walking or trekking boots, or sport shoes
- ▲ Long or Short trousers and long sleeved shirt
- A Bird guide handbook, Field notebook, eBird and Merlin iD app
- Personal medications
- Other personal belonging