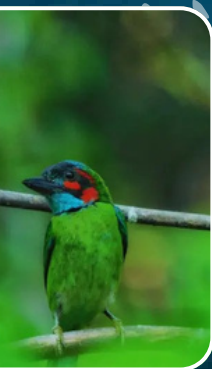




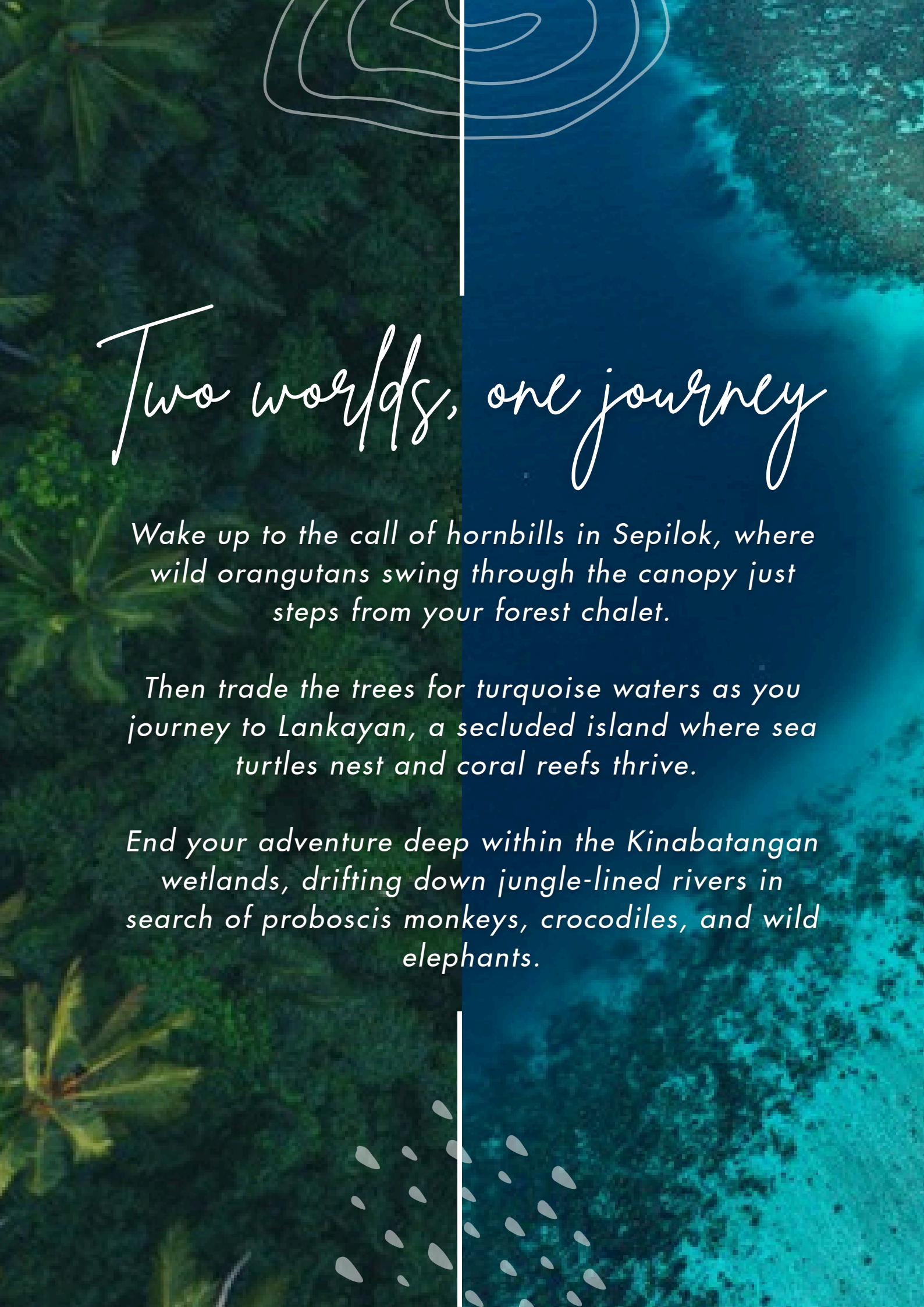
a Wild Borneo Escape!

RAINFOREST ENCOUNTERS & ISLAND PARADISE



*A journey combining the heart of Borneo's ancient jungles
with a hidden gem in the Sulu Sea.*

**SEPILOK NATURE LODGE
LANKAYAN ISLAND RESORT
KINABATANGAN WETLANDS RESORT**



Two worlds, one journey

Wake up to the call of hornbills in Sepilok, where wild orangutans swing through the canopy just steps from your forest chalet.

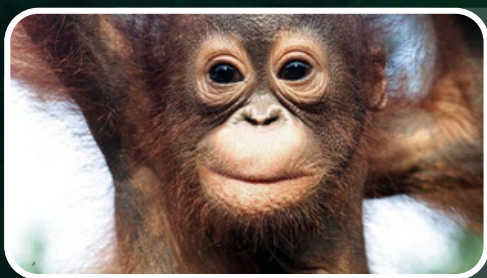
Then trade the trees for turquoise waters as you journey to Lankayan, a secluded island where sea turtles nest and coral reefs thrive.

End your adventure deep within the Kinabatangan wetlands, drifting down jungle-lined rivers in search of proboscis monkeys, crocodiles, and wild elephants.

Jungle serenity

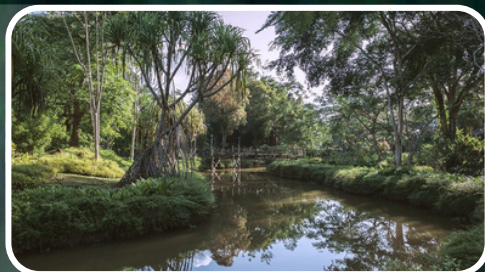
SEPILOK NATURE LODGE

Nestled beside the renowned Sepilok Orangutan Rehabilitation Centre and the Bornean Sun Bear Conservation Centre, this peaceful lodge is your gateway to Borneo's thriving rainforest. Rustic yet refined, its wooden chalets sit beside a tranquil lake, surrounded by rich greenery and the songs of the jungle.



*Guided visits to see
orangutans and sun bears*

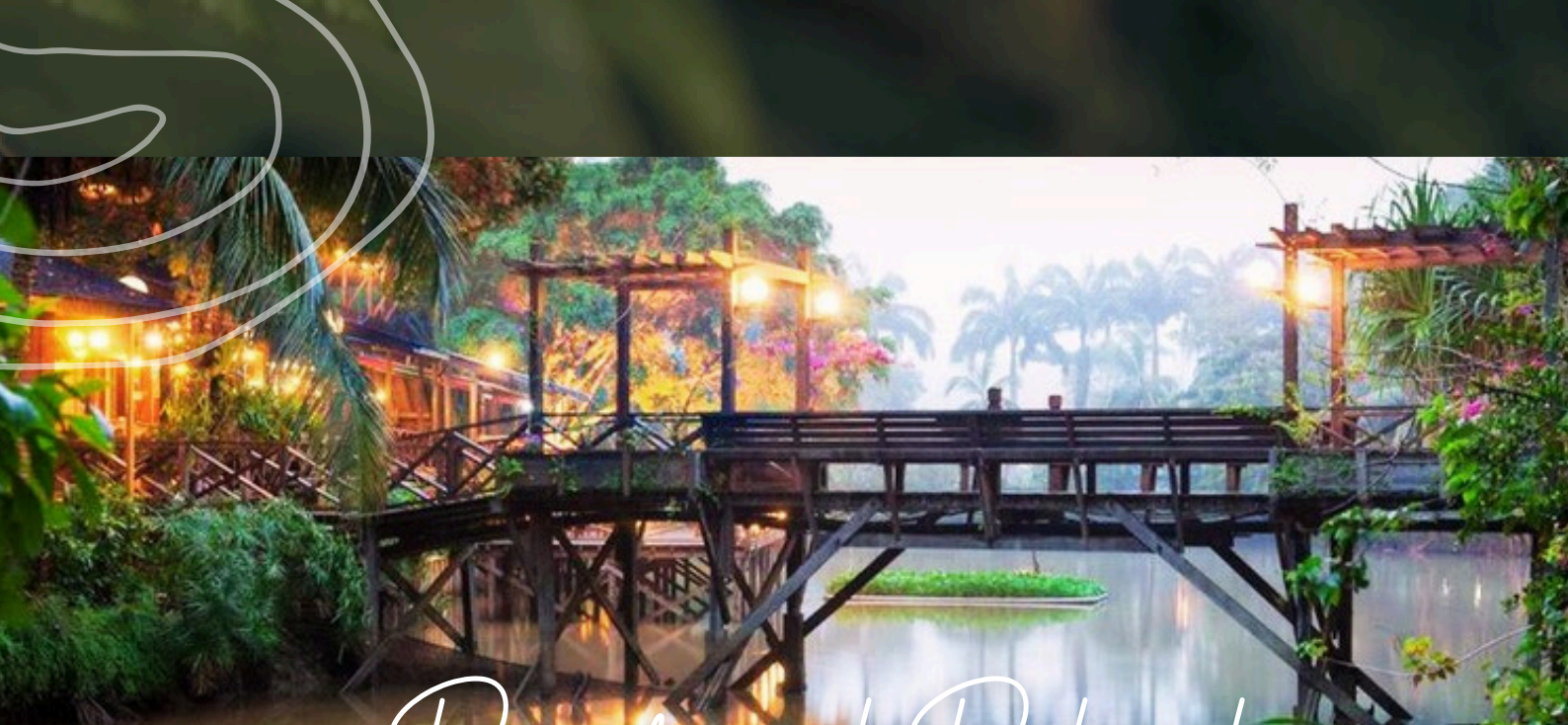
*Morning walks on elevated
forest trails*



*A night safari to spot civets,
slow loris, and flying lemurs*

*Delicious local meals
served lakeside*



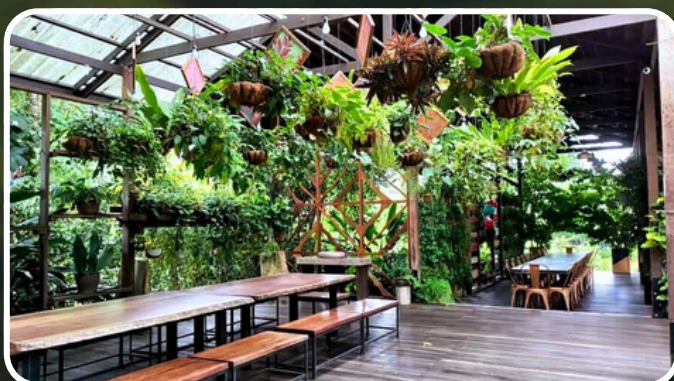
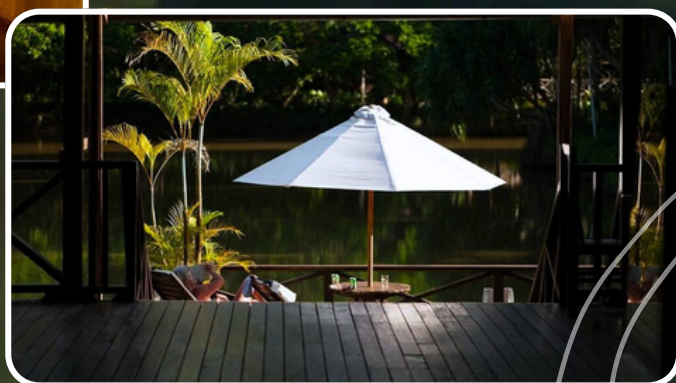


a Rainforest Retreat



Each chalet includes air-conditioning, hot showers, and a private verandah with views of the lake or garden.

Twenty-one wooden chalets, made from local hardwood and woven accents, are nestled throughout the lush Sepilok grounds.



The on-site restaurant offers WiFi and hearty local and international meals, perfect for sharing stories after a day in the forest.

Tropical Bliss

LANKAYAN ISLAND RESORT

After the jungle, a private speedboat takes you 1.5 hours across the Sulu Sea to a small island paradise. Here, time slows. Spend your days swimming through coral gardens, or watching baby turtles make their way to the sea. This remote eco-resort is known for its gentle pace, pristine waters, and vibrant marine life.



*Overwater chalets with
ocean views*

*Three boat dives per day or
unlimited snorkelling and
kayaking*



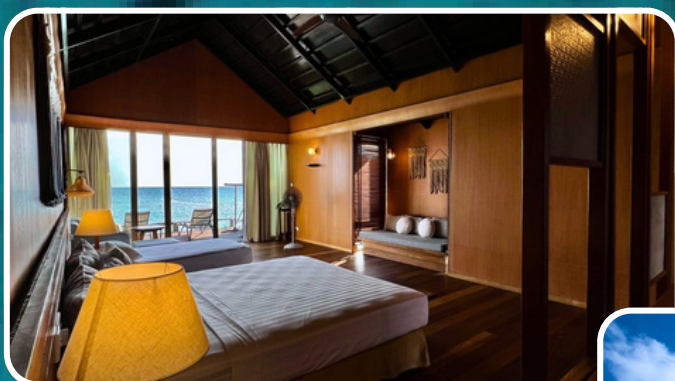
*Nesting turtles and hatchling
releases*

*Marine conservation center
with real-time research*

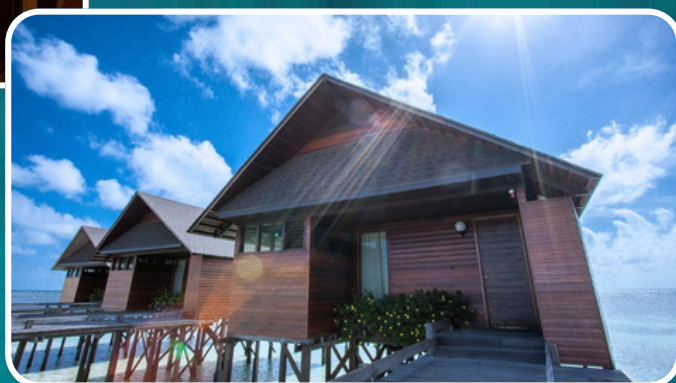




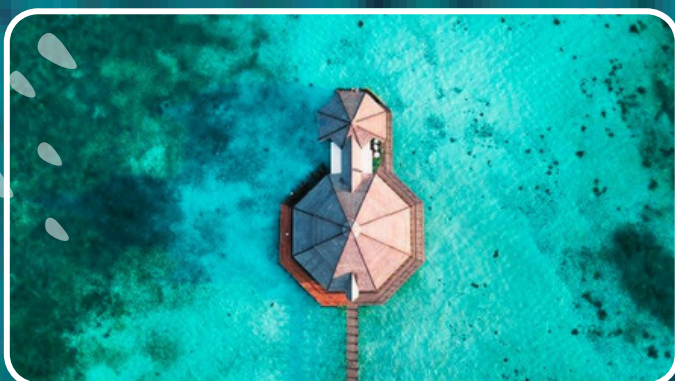
a Coral Island Escape



Rustic beachfront chalets line the shore, each with large windows, wooden interiors, and sweeping sea views.



All rooms include air-conditioning, modern en suite bathrooms, and a private deck just steps from the sand.



Meals are served in a breezy open-air restaurant, where guests often gather to watch the sun set over the Sulu Sea.

River Wilderness

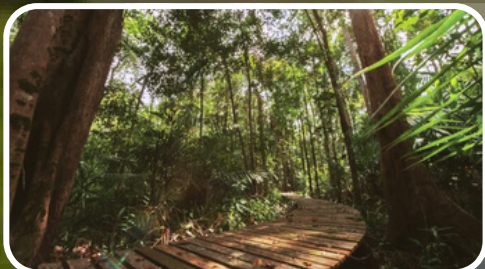
KINABATANGAN WETLANDS RESORT

Tucked deep within Sabah's largest floodplain, this remote river lodge offers front-row access to one of Borneo's richest ecosystems. Raised wooden villas are set among mangroves and tall jungle trees, where the calls of hornbills and the rustle of proboscis monkeys welcome you at dawn.



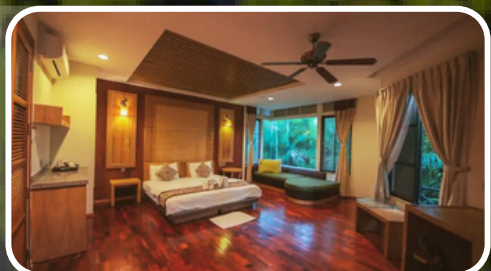
Sunset river cruises to spot proboscis monkeys and crocodiles

Dawn boat safaris for hornbills, eagles, and wild elephants



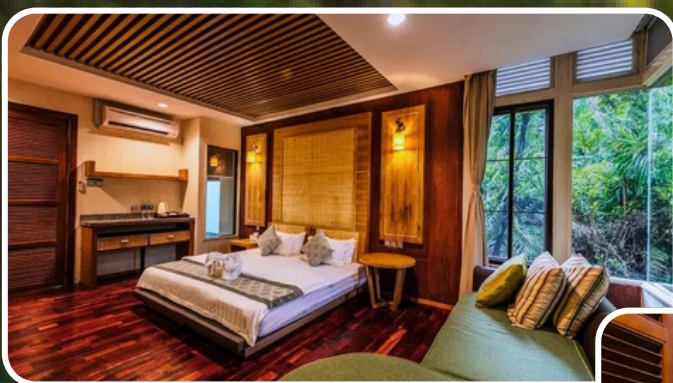
Guided boardwalk walks through the mangrove forest

omfortable, eco-friendly villas with river views





Heart of the Wetlands



Twelve stilted villas rise above the jungle floor, blending natural timber with modern comforts in the heart of the Kinabatangan floodplains.

Each villa features air-conditioning, hot showers, and a private balcony overlooking the river or surrounding forest.



The main lodge offers WiFi and home-cooked local meals, served in an open-air setting where you can unwind after river cruises and jungle walks.

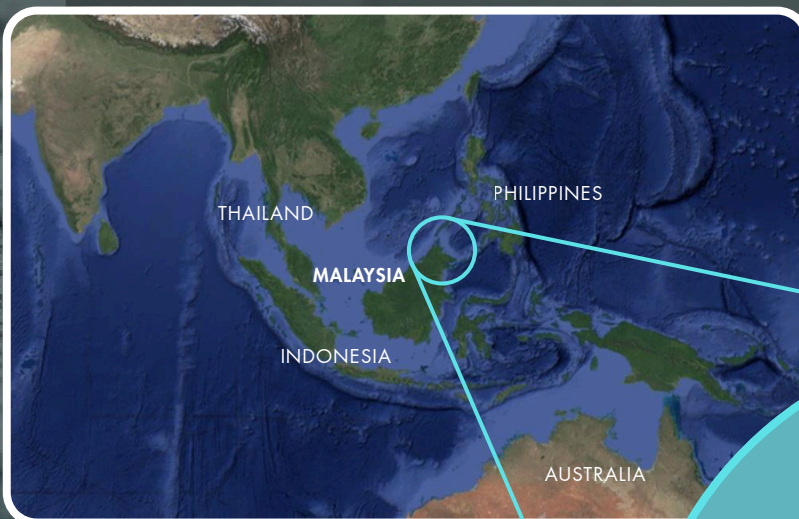
Getting here

Getting here is easier than it seems. Fly into Sandakan Airport in Sabah, East Malaysia (accessible via daily domestic flights from Kuala Lumpur or Kota Kinabalu). Upon arrival, we'll greet you and handle all ground and boat transfers.

Sepilok is just a short 15-minute drive away, while Lankayan Island lies about 1.5 hours by speedboat across the Sulu Sea.

After your island stay, you'll return to the mainland and travel approximately 1.5 hours by road followed by a 40-minute boat ride to reach the Kinabatangan Wetlands

Book your incoming flight to arrive in Sandakan by late morning.



For departure, choose a late afternoon flight.





Sample itinerary

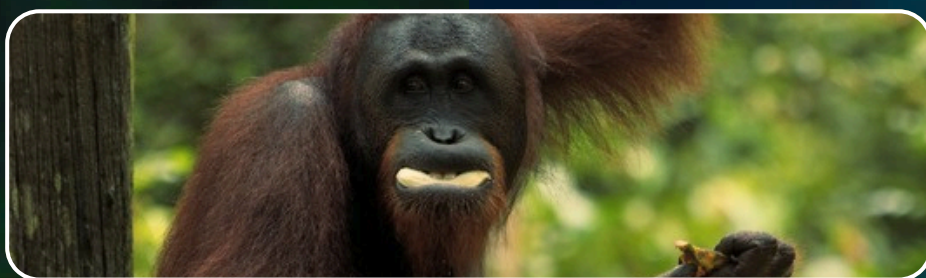
Your Journey: 10 Days / 9 Nights
2 Nights Sepilok · 4 Nights Lankayan · 3 Nights Kinabatangan

DAY ONE | ARRIVAL AND FOREST WELCOME




Arrive in Sandakan. Transfer to Sepilok Nature Lodge. Settle into your chalet by the lake. Enjoy a leisurely stroll around the grounds and a calm evening dinner surrounded by rainforest.

DAY TWO | WILDLIFE ENCOUNTERS



Explore the Sepilok Orangutan Rehabilitation Centre and visit the Bornean Sun Bear Conservation Centre. Afternoon at leisure or join a guided forest walk. Optional night safari to encounter the jungle after dark.



DAY THREE | JOURNEY TO THE ISLAND



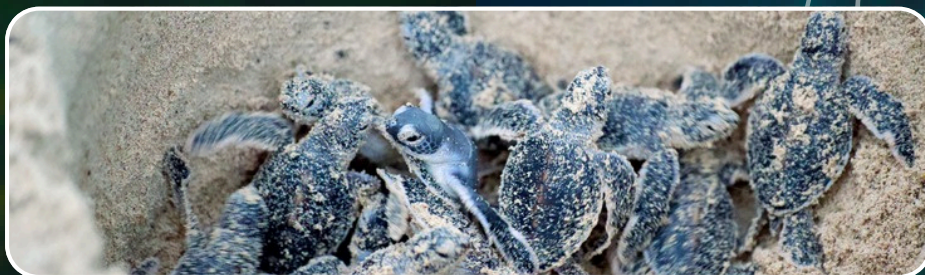
After breakfast, transfer to the jetty and board a speedboat to Lankayan Island Resort. Check in to your beachfront chalet. Enjoy your first snorkel or dive after lunch.

DAY FOUR | REEF EXPLORATIONS



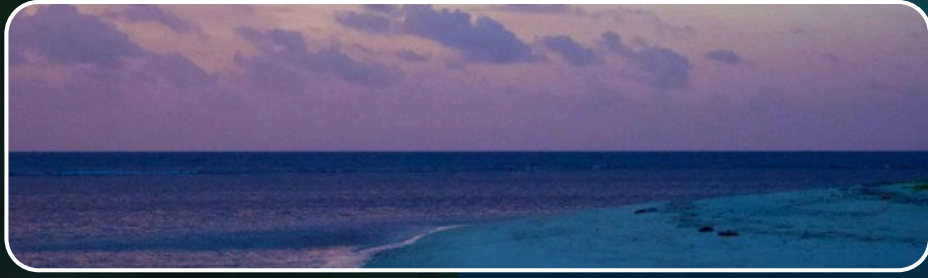
Spend the day diving or snorkeling with reef sharks, sea turtles, and vibrant coral gardens. Relax with a sunset drink on the deck.

DAY FIVE | ISLAND LIFE & CONSERVATION



Enjoy a slow morning snorkeling or strolling the beach, then learn about the island's turtle conservation efforts and witness hatchlings being released into the sea or visit an active nesting site.

DAY SIX | LAST DIVE, LAST LIGHT



Your final full day to enjoy the sea. Join a dive, swim off the house reef, or rest in your hammock. Keep watch for nesting turtles after dinner

DAY SEVEN | FROM ISLAND TO RIVER



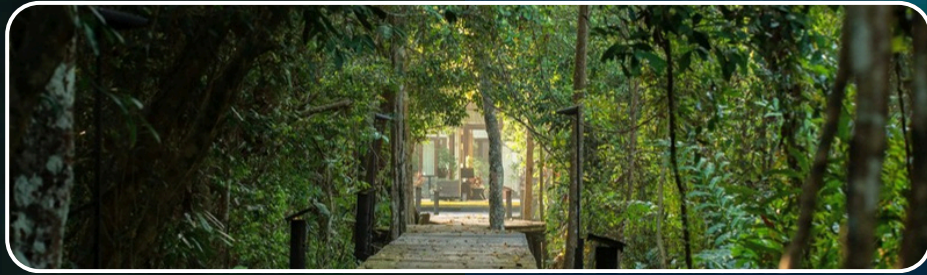
Depart Lankayan in the morning and travel back to the mainland. From there, drive about 1.5 hours and take a 40-minute boat ride to reach Kinabatangan Wetlands Resort. Settle into your riverside villa and enjoy a sunset river cruise.

DAY EIGHT | RIVER SAFARI & JUNGLE WALKS



Rise early for a dawn cruise to spot wildlife like proboscis monkeys and hornbills. In the afternoon, explore the boardwalk trails and relax with a night river safari.

DAY NINE | FINAL EXPLORATIONS



Enjoy a peaceful morning river cruise or guided forest walk. Reflect on the journey so far as your time in the jungle winds down.

DAY TEN | DEPARTURE



After breakfast, transfer back to Sandakan by boat and road. Depart with unforgettable memories of Borneo's forests, reefs, and rivers.

Your adventure, your way

Your adventure can be tailored to suit your preferred pace and length of stay. Whether that means extra nights in the jungle, more time by the sea, or a special focus on wildlife, just speak to us and we'll help craft the experience that's right for you.



Ready to go?

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