

### **3 Days Sandakan Wildlife Wonders**

This combination of relaxation and an educational adventure for a glimpse of Borneo's Natural Heritage. Walk through the rainforest to soak in the immensity and complex working of this ecosystem. Observe the habits and part of their complex life-cycles - turtles, orang utans, proboscis monkeys, other small wild animals in their natural habitats. Admire nature's diverse floral displays along the way with spectacular jungle scenery as you drive past the many stages of Agricultural Development for oil palm and cocoa.

#### **Day 1: Sandakan – Turtle Island**

An early morning transfer for flight to Sandakan. You will be met on arrival and transferred to the jetty for the trip by speedboat to Selingan Island. Take time to relax in the sun, sea and sand after lunch. After dinner watch the wonders of green turtle by way of their egg-laying and release of hatchlings into the ocean.

Accommodation: Turtle Island Chalet

Meals included : Lunch & Dinner

#### **Day 2: Turtle Island – Sepilok Orang Utan – Sukau**

Return by speedboat to the mainland before proceeding by road to world-famous Sepilok Orang Utan Rehabilitation Centre. Here you will learn how the orphaned Orang Utans are rehabilitated and take a guided walk into the jungle to hopefully see these amazing animals close-up at their feeding station. After Sepilok, commence your journey of discovery by boat up the Lower Kinabatangan River. Take a local lunch at Abai, before cruising on upriver towards Sukau in search of the endemic Proboscis Monkeys and other fascinating wildlife. On arrival at Sukau, enjoy a short rest before taking a leisure late afternoon river cruise in search of the local wildlife - an amazing variety of birdlife including the hornbills, eagles and kingfishers; monitor lizards and other reptiles plus the macaque and long-nosed proboscis monkeys. Overnight stay at Kinabatangan Riverside Lodge (basic chalet accommodation).

Accommodation: Kinabatangan Riverside Lodge

Meals included : Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner

#### **Day 3: Sukau – Kota Kinabalu**

After breakfast, another chance to spot the local wildlife as you commence the return 2 \*5f journey downriver by boat to Sandakan. On arrival, enjoy a local lunch followed by a short city tour of Sandakan before flying back to Kota Kinabalu.

Meals included : Breakfast & Lunch.