



Sarawak
More to Discover

Weekend Escapades

IN KUCHING



Foreword

Welcome to Kuching: City of Unity and the beautiful capital of Sarawak. Come experience the city's breadth of culture, adventure, nature, food and festival offerings and discover many aspects that make this city truly unique.

Kuching's cityscape is a beautiful mixture of classic Colonial Era shophouses and monuments, as well as modern high risers, contrasted with evergreen trees and shrubs lining the city streets, keeping Kuching green and pleasant.

Enjoy the sights and sounds of Kuching City. Revel in its exemplary racial and religious harmony, and unity in diversity. Relish iconic cuisines, some of which are world famous. Venture further out to discover pristine nature and a world of adventures, creating precious memories that will forever be etched in your heart.

Come spend a weekend in Kuching and discover extraordinary experiences.

Yours truly,

Dato Sri Haji Abdul Karim Rahman Hamzah
Minister of Tourism, Arts & Culture Sarawak (MTAC)



Kuching & Outskirts



Five star resorts and hotels to longhouse homestays available



Car Rental Available



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Kuching Self Explore



Old Courthouse

Old Courthouse
7, Jalan Barrack,
93000 Kuching, Sarawak

Served as the city's administrative centre in the late 19th century, it now houses a cafe and bar, the Ranece Museum and several venues for art and performance...



Floating Mosque

Floating Mosque
93000 Kuching, Sarawak



Square Tower

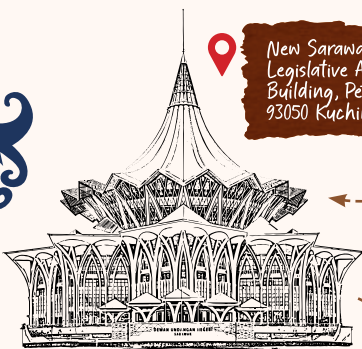
Square Tower
Jalan Gambier, Jalan Main Bazaar,
93000 Kuching, Sarawak

Pedestrian bridge known for its dynamic twisting shape that resembles the letter 'S' (for Sarawak), with a viewing area & coloured night lights...



Darul Hana Bridge

Darul Hana Bridge,
93050 Kuching, Sarawak



Sarawak State Legislative Assembly

New Sarawak State Legislative Assembly Building, Petra Jaya, 93050 Kuching, Sarawak



The Astana

The Astana, Pejabat Yang di-Pertua Negeri, Petra Jaya, 93050 Kuching, Sarawak



Ride a sampan to continue to your next destination...



Sarawak River Cruise

Sarawak River Cruise
Kuching Waterfront, 93000 Kuching, Sarawak

End your day with a sunset cruise!

Learn more about historical heritage and culture of the Muslim community in Sarawak and throughout the Malay-Indonesian archipelago...



Islamic Heritage Museum

Sarawak Islamic Heritage Museum
Jalan P. Ramlee, 93400 Kuching, Sarawak



St Thomas's Cathedral

St Thomas's Cathedral
Jln McDougall, 93000 Kuching, Sarawak



Songket & Keringkam Gallery

Songket & Keringkam Gallery
Jalan Masjid, 93400 Kuching, Sarawak, Malaysia

Walk around to discover street arts, spices and textiles at the spice and textile market...



Tua Pek Kong Temple

Tua Pek Kong Temple
Jalan Tunku Abdul Rahman, 93100 Kuching, Sarawak

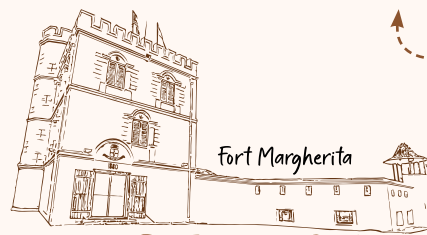
Built before the late 19th century, this Chinese temple is the oldest and most popular attraction located on a busy intersection in the center of town...



Try some banana fritters along this street. They're SUPER crispy!!!



Carpenter Street



Fort Margherita

Fort Margherita
Petra Jaya, 93050 Kuching, Sarawak



My Village Warok

My Village Barok
7, Jln Kampung Panglima Seman Ulu, Kampung Boyan, 93050 Kuching, Sarawak



Sample kuih bahu and fried tapioca with sambal...

Adventures in Kuching

Proboscis Monkey



The outskirts of Kuching are full of magnetising attractions and thrilling adventures. Whether you choose to check out crocodiles in Siburan, go caving in Serian, frogging in Matang, savour fresh seafood in Muara Tebas or hike in Bako, all these experiences are only about 40-50 minutes car ride away from Kuching city.



For more info, go to bakonationalpark.my



Bako National Park

1 Take a boat ride to Bako National Park.

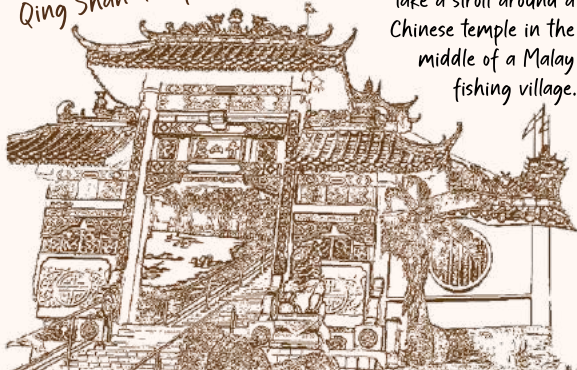
2 After half a day of trekking, head over to Muara Tebas Seafood for yummy seafood.

Three minutes walk from the restaurant to the temple.

Muara Tebas Seafood
10, Muara Tebas, 93010 Kuching, Sarawak

3 After a hearty meal, take a stroll around a Chinese temple in the middle of a Malay fishing village.

Qing Shan Temple



Sri Maha Mariamman Temple

On a side note, visit another temple at Matang, which is just a 31 minutes' drive from Kuching.

Mount Matang Sri Maha Mariamman Temple
Kampung Matang, 93050 Kuching, Sarawak



Kubah National Park

For frogging experience, head to Kubah National Park at night and visit the natural Frog Pond to see some of Kubah's 60 frog species!

Kubah National Park
93050 Kuching, Sarawak



Feel the cool breeze from within Silabur cave and see its clearwaters.

Silabur Cave
Tebakang, Serian, Sarawak



Silabur Cave

Animal Lovers



Visit the Matang Wildlife Centre to see Borneo's majestic bird, Rhinoceros Hornbill.

Matang Wildlife Centre
Kampung Rayu, 93050 Kuching, Sarawak



Jong's Crocodile Farm
Jalan Kuching - Serian, 94200 Siburan, Sarawak

Witness crocodile feeding and check out the skull of the legendary Bujang Senang, the white-backed crocodile of Sarawak folklore at Jong's Crocodile Farm.

ADOPT ME



Explore the perfect half-day trip experience to encounter Borneo's endangered species, the Orang Utans at Semenggoh Nature Reserve.

Semenggoh Nature Reserve
KM 20, Borneo Highland Road, 93250 Kuching, Sarawak

Santubong

Just 35 minutes' drive away from Kuching, Santubong is well-known for its relaxing beach and stunning natural attractions. It has everything, from the rainforest-clad slopes of Mount Santubong, pristine turtle islands teeming with colourful marine life, a living museum and secluded resorts.

 Cove 55
93010 Kuching, Sarawak



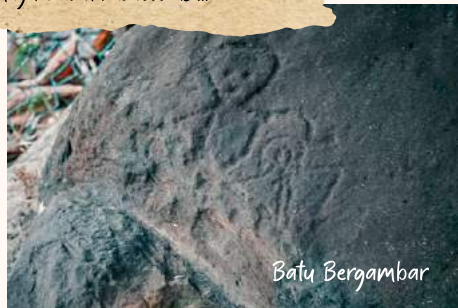
Cove 55

Built originally as a holiday home for an Iban family, the sprawling villa is now reborn as an intimate retreat with 13 rooms, two suites and one villa. A luxurious private boutique hotel at the foot of Mount Santubong...



Mount Santubong

One of Santubong's most mysterious sites, large rock carvings indicate an ancient foreign presence in the area. Researchers believe that they may be as old as 1000 AD...



Batu Bergambar

Encompassing a tropical rainforest and sandy beach, there is never a dull moment in the Damai Peninsular...

 Damai Beach Resort
Teluk Bandung, Santubong,
93756 Kuching, Sarawak



Damai Beach Resort




The Culvert

 The Culvert
Lot 285, Off Jalan Sultan Tengah,
Block 2 Salak Land District, Santubong Damai,
Kuching, Sarawak

Outfitted with eco-friendly room designs and an array of facilities offering adventure and relaxation, the resort promises to take you on a cultural journey of Sarawak's rainforests and rejuvenate your weary soul...



 Lim Hock Ann Seafood
Kampung Buntal, 93050
Kuching, Sarawak

Lim Hock Ann Seafood

Sarawak Cultural Village



 Sarawak Cultural Village
Pantai Damai, Santubong,
93752 Kuching, Sarawak

Visitors can enjoy a multi-cultural dance performance in the village's own theatre, or even take dance, music and craft lessons...



Talang Satang

These small islands are surrounded by patches of shallow coral reef that provide shelter and resting grounds for sea turtles that come ashore to lay their eggs...



SAVE THE TURTLES

Bau

Once a gold mining town, Bau embodies the best of both worlds: nature and heritage. Learn about the Bidayuh's heritage venture into impressive limestone caves and sample delicious street food, all in Bau.



Satow Waterfall

This recreational spot is not only a place for tourists to experience nature but also for locals to have a cool dip in the pool on a hot day. A natural environment away from the hustle and bustle of the city...

Kampung Bobak
93050 Bau, Sarawak

If you're planning to go up the mountain, take the stairs and relax for a few minutes' before taking another step up...

Mt Singai Entrance
1305, 94000 Bau, Sarawak



Mount Singai



Bung Bratak Heritage Centre

Kampung Tembanang Sauh,
Jalan Bau-Lundu,
94000 Bau, Sarawak

Sleeping Lady Mountain



From afar, the outline of the mountain resembles the head, chest and body of a woman sleeping...

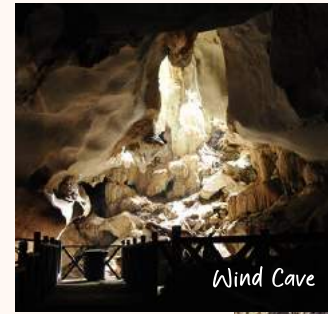
Sleeping Lady Mountain,
94000 Bau Kuching, Sarawak

One of the recommended Borneo Tropical rainforest jungle retreat spots that is suitable for those who seek a calming ambience...



Libiki Bamboo Resort

Toluok Mongag, Kampung Bijuray Mongag,
94000 Bau Kuching, Sarawak



Wind Cave

Wind Cave
94000 Bau, Sarawak

Fairy Cave
94000 Bau, Sarawak



Fairy Cave



Bung Jagoi
Heritage Centre

Bung Jagoi Heritage Centre
Kampung Jagoi Gunung,
94000 Bau, Sarawak

Get yourself a variety of beautiful authentic Bidayuh handicrafts made by skilled Bidayuh artisans and learn about their arts and culture...



Bau Handicraft House

Bau Handicraft House
Pekan Bau, 94000 Bau,
Sarawak

Buzzy, evening-only spot with hawker food stalls & casual eateries on atmospheric streets. Evening, Friday - Sunday only...

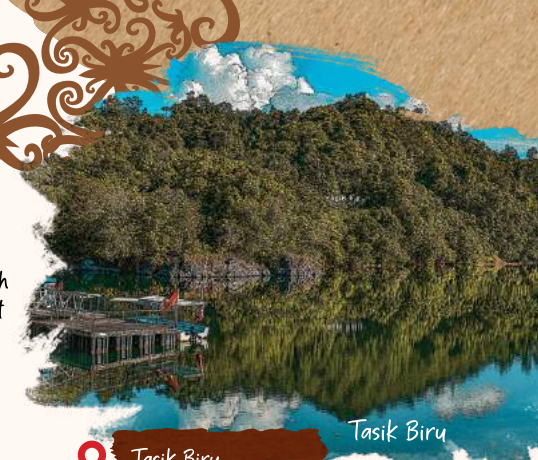


Nasi Peruk Kera

Siniawan Old Town
94000 Siniawan, Sarawak



Siniawan Night Market



Tasik Biru

Tasik Biru
94000 Bau, Sarawak

Formerly a gold quarry in the 1970's, this man-made lake is a perfect tourism hot spot and a good place to rest and explore...

Lundu & Sematan

Padawan

Experience ecotourism at its best in Padawan. Nature lovers and adventurers, return time and time again for its thrill in outdoor adventures, be it hiking, kayaking or cycling.



Sematan Jetty

📍 Sematan Jetty
94100 Sematan, Sarawak



Roxy Sematan Canopi

📍 Lots 7, 8, 9, 44 & 45,
Pueh Land,
94100 Sematan, Sarawak

A relaxing modern hotel set between the peaceful town of Sematan and the silence of Telok Melano village...

Buy some local snacks while driving around Lundu...



Annah Rais Bidayuh Longhouse

📍 No. 9, Kupo Saba,
Kampung Annah Rais Longhouse,
Jalan Borneo Height,
93250 Kuching, Sarawak

Once you arrive at the longhouse, take a dip at the nearby hotspring...



Local Indigenous Food

An untouched mountainous landscape with some of the best views that look like a scene from Jurassic World...



Bengoh Dam

📍 Bengoh Dam
94700 Kuching, Sarawak



Tanjung Datu National Park

📍 Tanjung Datu National Park
79466 Lundu, Sarawak

The long stretch of clean, white sandy beaches boasting azure waters makes Lundu & Sematan a popular getaway just one hour and a half drive away from Kuching. Here, visitors will get the chance to witness Rafflesia, the largest flower in the world, camp at the unspoilt Tanjung Datu National Park and bring home some tasty locally-made Keropak (snacks).



Witness the biggest flower in the world. **WARNING!** It smells!

A waterfall hidden in the rainforest behind Kampung Jantan, Biawak...

📍 Jangkar Waterfall
94500 Lundu, Sarawak



Jangkar Waterfall



Gunung Gading National Park

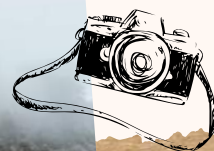
📍 Gunung Gading National Park
94500 Lundu, Sarawak



Borneo Highlands

📍 Jalan Borneo Heights,
94200, Padawan, Kuching,
Sarawak

A perfect place for a pre-wedding photoshoot...



Ban Buan Kukuot Waterfall

📍 Kampung Sadir,
94700 Kuching,
Sarawak



Semadang Kayak



📍 Kampung Semadang
Jalan Puncak Borneo,
94200 Kuching, Sarawak

Night Time

There's an endless number of dining scenes worth visiting after dark in Kuching. Depending on your mood, you can enjoy a pint of beer at the local bars, or grub on Lok-Lok and maybe sample Sarawak's home grown Gula Apong ice cream while strolling down Kuching Waterfront.



Fairland Hidden Cafe

Fairland Hidden Cafe
No 64, Carpenter St,
93000 Kuching, Sarawak



Bar hopping starts here.



Drunk Monkey Old Street Bar

Drunk Monkey Old Street Bar
68, Carpenter St,
93000 Kuching, Sarawak



Tuak is a must when you're in Kuching. Try all different flavors of rice wine.



Kolo Mee

Head over here to grab late night munchies.

Open Air Market



Open Air Market
Jalan Market,
93000 Kuching,
Sarawak



Ice Cream Gula Apong



Kyushigai

Have a drink while enjoying live music.

Hungry at night? Grab a burger on the streets.



Street Burger



The Wayang

The Wayang
86A, Jalan Tabuan,
93100 Kuching, Sarawak



Black Pepper

Sagu

Take me home

Bring back home more than memories of your travel to Kuching with exquisite travel gifts, such as Kek Lapis Sarawak, Sarawak black pepper, artisanal handwoven products, bird's nest and Instant Sarawak laksa paste.



Bird's Nest



Kek Lapis Sarawak

Yummy!!!



Instant Sarawak Laksa Paste



Artisanal Handwoven Bag

These can be found at many souvenir shops dotting Main Bazaar @ Jalan Gambier and along India Street behind Plaza Merdeka shopping mall, as well as Sinpiao (Wisma Hua Leong, Taman Hui Sing. T: +60 82 451 894), Bau Handicraft House (Bau Town, +60 11 2510 3393), SUB Shop (Jalan Green. T: +60 111 405 8400) and Keringkam & Songket Gallery (Jalan Masjid. T: +60 13 813 7608).

SEMATAN

SANTUBONG

LUNDU

KUCHING

BAU

SIBURAN

PADAWAN

For more information,
please visit the Visitors' Information Centre:
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