



## Indonesia

Dragons and Orangutans



**DO SOMETHING EXTRAORDINARY...**

<b>Itinerary</b>	<b>Indonesia • Komodo Islands • Tanjung Punting Borneo</b>
<b>13 Days • 12 Nights</b>	<b>9 – 21 Oct 2024</b>

## Itinerary

### DAY 1: ARRIVAL BALI

Arrive in Bali and transfer to your hotel.

*Overnight Hotel*

 <b>Overnight:</b> <i>Hotel</i>	 <b>Meals:</b> <i>N/A</i>	 <b>Distance:</b> <i>1Hour</i>	 <b>Activities:</b> <i>Travel</i>
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### DAY 2: FLY BALI TO LABUAN BAJO – SETURE ISLAND

30km by Boat (approximately)

We'll fly to Labuan Bajo, where upon arrival at Komodo Airport we will be met by our local Manager and transferred out to meet the rest of your group aboard the support boat at Bidadari Island for a bit of snorkelling and lunch.

For the afternoon, we'll sail to the spectacular Goa Rangko caves. Goa Rangko is a grotto with an amazing clear lake ringed with stalactites and stalagmites.

After some time exploring and swimming in the caves, our vessel will sail back to Seture Island, where we'll camp on the shore and if time permits an evening sunset kayak, which is (we think) the perfect way to finish the day.

Overnight in Safari style tents on Seture Island.

 <b>Overnight:</b> <i>Safari Tents</i>	 <b>Meals:</b> <i>B, L, D</i>	 <b>Distance:</b> <i>30km by boat</i>	 <b>Activities:</b> <i>Kayaking</i>
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### DAY 3: SETURE - PUNGU KECIL – PUNGU ISLAND

After waking, and an optional early morning swim, you will board the support boat for breakfast before starting your first paddle leg to Pungu Pearl Farm. After arrival at the white sandy beach of Pungu and enjoying refreshing ice cold water, the staff will show you how these beautiful products of the sea are grown and sourced at their farm. If you are lucky and it is harvesting time, you will also be able to see the workers harvesting the pearls. A relaxing paddle through the mangroves will follow your Pearl Farm visit, until you reach Menjerite where you will stop for lunch and some snorkelling. After lunch you will kayak the beautiful surrounding islands before reaching your overnight camp at Pungu Island. In the late afternoon, you can choose to snorkel the crystal clear reef just off the beach or spend some more time kayaking around this amazing area. Then it is time to sit back and enjoy the sunset over the surrounding islands before dining on the beach.

Overnight in Safari style tents on Pungu Island. Kayak 12.5km (approximately)



Overnight:  
**Safari Tents**



Meals:  
**B, L, D**



Distance:  
**2Hours**



Activities:  
**Kayaking**

### DAY 4: Pungu Island- KUKUSAN - GADO - WARLOKA – KAABA

This morning starts again with the option for an early morning snorkel just off the beach of Pungu Island before breakfast back on the support boat - always a great way to start the day! Your first paddle of the day will either take you to Kukusan Island or Rinca Village and if school is in, at these villages, you will pay a visit to the students before exploring life on the island. The next leg of kayaking is to Gado - with its' wonderful mangroves and some amazing snorkelling in a spot with giant table corals, plenty of fish and turtles, who hopefully swim by to say hello. After lunch and some more snorkelling you will either paddle or travel on the support boat to a small mangrove island (Kaaba), which is inhabited by bats. This is a wonderful sight enjoyed from our top deck - watching thousands of bats flying into the night sky for their evening meal.



Overnight in cabin on support boat in the park. Kayak 7.2km & 9km by boat (approximately).



Overnight:  
**Support Boat**



Meals:  
**B, L, D**



Distance:  
**1Hour**



Activities:  
**Kayaking**



## DAY 5: RINCA - MANTA POINT – REMOTE SIDE OF SEBAYOR KECIL



Early morning you will rise and boat to the Rinca Ranger's Office to look for Komodo Dragons. Rinca (pronounced Rin - cha) is the best place in the park to see the Dragons as their numbers and density are larger here than Komodo Island. You will be shown around the Park by a trained Ranger who will explain the ecosystem, the Dragon's habits and the life of other inhabitants on the island such as the Macaque, Buffalo, Deer, Tree snakes etc. After your trek and a drink at the Ranger's Cafe' you will start heading west to Manta Point. One of the highlights of this trip is

snorkelling with the manta rays at Manta Point and hopefully, these gracious animals will delight you with their presence. After lunch, you will then start paddling towards Sebayor Kecil for your last beach camp of the expedition. Sebayor Kecil has a beautiful beach with some great coral reefs and fish population so a spot of snorkelling in the late afternoon or early the next morning is certainly encouraged.

Overnight in Safari style tents. Kayak 10 km and 9km by boat (approximately).



Overnight:  
**Safari Tent**



Meals:  
**B, L, D**



Distance:  
**2Hours**



Activities:  
**Kayaking**

## DAY 6: SEBAYOR KECIL - KANAWA - LABUAN BAJO

After enjoying your last breakfast out in the beautiful Komodo National Park and maybe a swim or snorkel just off the beach you will then make your way paddling through the Mangroves towards Kanawa for one last snorkel and swim before you hit the last open stretch of kayaking. It will then be time to say goodbye to the crew before you arrive back at the Puri Sari Beach Hotel by mid-afternoon (option to return on the support boat if you prefer).

For those taking up the SCUBA Diving option (please contact us for info), this is the day that you can SCUBA Dive at some of the best sites in the Komodo National Park. Sites change due to weather and water conditions, as well fish conditions such as Batu Bolong. The SCUBA Boat will pick you up for 2 dives and then drop you back to the hotel in the late afternoon (lunch provided).

Overnight at Hotel. Kayak 19km (approximately).



Overnight:  
**Hotel**



Meals:  
**B, L**



Distance:  
**1hour**



Activities:  
**Snorkelling**



## DAY 7: BALI

In the morning we'll be transferred to the Komodo Airport for a domestic flight to Bali.

Upon arrival in Bali, a driver shall meet us at the airport, and transfer us to our hotel where we shall overnight, before flying to Borneo the following day.



*Overnight:*  
*Hotel*



*Meals:*  
*B,*



*Distance:*  
*1hour*



*Activities:*  
*Travel / Relax*

## DAY 8: BALI – PANKALAN BUN

Today you fly from Bali to Pangkalan Bun in Central Borneo via Surabaya. Arrival will be mid-afternoon (subject to flight schedule times). You will be met at the airport by your local OO guide and be taken to the hotel for check-in. Overnight at the Grand Kecubung Hotel.



*Overnight:*  
*Hotel*



*Meals:*  
*B,*



*Distance:*



*Activities:*  
*Travel / Relax*

## DAY 9: PANGKALAN BUN – TANJUNG PUTING NATIONAL PARK

This morning you will be taken to the riverside town of Kumai where we will board our klotoks (riverboat) and travel into the National Park. This is the start of your 3 days/2 nights klotok tour. You will cruise slowly along the river looking for orangutans and other wildlife. Later in the afternoon, you will visit the 1st feeding station at Tanjung Harapan. Late afternoon back on the river to search for proboscis monkeys. Overnight on board your klotok (riverboat).



*Overnight:*  
*Hotel*



*Meals:*  
*B, L,D*



*Distance:*



*Activities:*  
*Wildlife*

## DAY 10: HOUSEBOAT – CAMP LEAKY – HOUSEBOAT (B,L,D)

An early start today sees you back on the klotok and slowly up the Sekonyer River to Camp Leakey, the oldest camp set up for orphaned orangutans. Along the way, you will keep a lookout for wild orangutans, birds, monkeys and other wildlife that may be waiting in the trees along the river. On arrival at Camp Leakey, you will have lunch aboard the klotok before starting the short trek in the surrounding area to visit the information centre. You are likely to see orangutans (or have them see you) near the boat. After enjoying afternoon feeding time and being given a tour of the surrounding forest area, it's back to the boat and cruising down the Camp Leakey River to Crocodile Lake where you will spend the night. You will most likely see other wildlife of Borneo such as gibbons and proboscis monkeys. Overnight on the klotok.



*Overnight:*  
*Hotel*



*Meals:*  
*B, L,D*



*Distance:*



*Activities:*  
*Wildlife*



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## DAY 11: PONDOK TANGGUY – PANGKALAN BUN

This morning we will travel to Pondok Tanggui, the 2nd feeding station to see the orangutans. After lunch, you will take a tour of the local village and in the afternoon you will slowly travel downriver, stopping along the way to watch the proboscis monkeys on the riverbanks. As dusk falls, we will travel back to Kumai harbour and enjoy dinner along the river as we go, hopefully, accompanied by thousands of fireflies. Transfer and overnight in Pangkalan Bun hotel, Grand Kecubung



Overnight:  
Hotel



Meals:  
B, L,D



Distance:



Activities:  
Wildlife

## DAY 12 : BALI

Today after a relaxing morning you will be taken for lunch before heading to the airport to catch your plane back to Bali. On arrival in Bali, you will be transferred to our hotel.



Overnight:  
Hotel



Meals:  
B,



Distance:



Activities:  
Travel / Relax

## DAY 13 : END OF TRIP

Transfer to the airport in time for your flight home.



Overnight:  
Hotel



Meals:  
B,



Distance:



Activities:  
Travel / Relax

## Important Information

### INCLUDED

- 6 nights of hotel accommodation across Bali, Labuan Bajo and Tanjung Puting
- Domestic flights as noted in the itinerary
- 2 nights aboard a Klotok (boat)
- 1 night on our boat in the Komodo islands and 3 nights in Safari tents on deserted islands
- Kayak use with all safety gear including vest, paddle
- All Ranger, local guide & boat mooring fees
- National Park Fees
- All meals as indicated in itinerary (Breakfast – B, Lunch – L and Dinner – D)

### NOT INCLUDED

- International Flights
- Airport taxes
- Travel Insurance
- Photography and Video fees within the Komodo National Park
- Tips
- Alcoholic beverages
- Any meals not listed as included





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