

Travelling Femmes

Journey to the Jungle- Sarawak, Borneo



Join us on a journey through Sarawak, Borneo and experience a rich blend of culture, nature, and authentic local experiences. Beginning in the vibrant riverside city of Kuching with heritage walks, street food tastings to introduce the city's colonial charm and multicultural flavours. The adventure continues with close encounters with semi-wild orangutans at Semenggoh Wildlife Centre, rainforest kayaking through limestone valleys and traditional villages, and wildlife exploration in the diverse ecosystems of Bako National Park, before transitioning into the heart of Borneo with an immersive stay in a traditional Iban longhouse at Batang Ai, where we'll experience genuine indigenous hospitality in the jungle. Finally, we return to Kuching to discover the living heritage of Sarawak's ethnic communities at the Cultural Village, making this itinerary a well-balanced journey of wildlife discovery, cultural immersion, and scenic adventures.

8 Days/7 nights from \$3599*pp | Starts Kuching 15 May 2027

INCLUSIONS & HIGHLIGHTS

- Return airport transfers in Kuching
- 5 nights accommodation at the Waterfront Hotel (5 Star) in Kuching
- 2 nights at Nanga Sumpa Lodge (Traditional Longhouse Jungle Stay)
- Breakfast Daily and other meals as indicated
- Welcome Seafood Dinner
- Kuching Walking Food Tour
- Visit Semenggoh Orangutan Centre
- Rainforest Kayaking Experience

- Bako National Park Tour
- Sarawak Cultural Village
- Travelling Femmes Gift Pack
- Escorted by your Femmes Hosts, Linda & Charlotte

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Airfares from Perth from \$1050* pp with complimentary access to the Aspire Lounge.



*Conditions apply. Prices based on twin share. Airfares not included. Single supplement available for an additional \$750.00. A non-refundable deposit of \$500 is required at the time of booking to confirm your place. Airfares are subject to availability at the time of booking and therefore pricing subject to change. Itinerary subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances beyond our control. Travel Insurance is compulsory.

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Your itinerary

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Kuching – Nanga Sumpa

Day 1: Arrive Kuching- Heritage Walk & Culinary Experience (D)

On arrival you will be met and transferred to your accommodation in Kuching.

In the afternoon, enjoy a relaxing heritage walk, culinary journey through historic streets of Kuching and its neighbouring kampongs offering the opportunity to discover the city's unique culture, history and renowned local flavours. With a local guide, we visit street food stalls and local bakeries within Kuching's Old Quarter while sampling some of Sarawak's signature delicacies, including Sarawak Laksa, Kolo Mee, Tebaloi and Kek Lapis along with local beverages and desserts influenced by the region's diverse cultures. The tour also includes a short sampan boat ride across the Sarawak River from the Waterfront, followed by a peaceful walk through a traditional kampong with more food tastings. We then return to the city and stroll along Kuching's lively main bazaar, where you can explore souvenir shops and experience the charm of old riverside trading streets before concluding the evening with a welcome seafood dinner.

Day 2: Semenggoh Orangutan Centre & Sarawak Cultural Village (B,L)

After an early breakfast we proceed to the Semenggoh Wildlife Centre, which provides an excellent opportunity to view semi-wild orangutans in a natural setting. This orangutan rehabilitation center receives orphaned or rescued orangutans and trains them to survive in the wild. Over 20 orangutans live in the forest within the nature reserve, and they often return to the center to receive supplemental feeding.

We then travel to Sarawak Cultural Village. This award-winning 'living museum' is set on a 17-acre site at the foothills of Mount Santubong and offers an immersive introduction to the cultures and lifestyles of Sarawak's seven major ethnic groups. You will have the opportunity to explore traditional houses, observe local arts and crafts, participate in cultural activities and sample traditional cuisine. Our visit will conclude with a lively multi-cultural dance performance held at the village's own theatre. Following the tour, we will return back to our hotel in Kuching.

Day 3: Rainforest Kayaking (B,L)

This morning, we travel to Bengoh Village, the starting point of our kayaking adventure. Embark on a scenic journey along a river that winds through limestone cliffs covered in lush tropical rainforest. The generally calm waters are interspersed with rapids, offering an exciting yet enjoyable river experience. Along the way, we'll take breaks to appreciate the natural surroundings, visit friendly Bidayah village, and enjoy a refreshing swim in the cool mountain waters. A light picnic lunch is served by the riverbank before our trip concludes at the picturesque village of Semadang.

Day 4: Bako National Park (B,L)

Bako NP is one Sarawak's most popular places for observing wildlife in its natural habitat. It is home to endemic Proboscis monkey, silvered langur, wild boar, monitor lizards and a variety of bird life set within diverse eco-systems ranging from mangrove and kerangas (heath forest) to tropical swamp, cliff and beach vegetation. This morning, we travel to Bako Village followed by a 25 min boat ride to the park headquarters with a chance to spot crocodiles and other bird life. On arrival we explore the park's trails in search of wildlife.



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Day 5: Kuching to Nanga Sumpa (B,L,D)

This morning we travel from Kuching and drive to Batang Ai reservoir. Along the way we stop at Lachau Bazaar. Stroll around the shops and a small market. We then continue our journey, arriving at Batang ai Lake in the early afternoon. We board a longboat and travel upriver to Nanga Sumpa. Check in and make yourself at home. Note that Nanga Sumpa Lodge is an intimate wilderness retreat featuring just 12 rooms which adds to its exclusive and authentic rainforest experience. Due to limited rooms, single occupancy cannot be accommodated.

Stay: Nanga Sumpa Lodge

Day 6: Enseluai Waterfall & short Rainforest Trek Trail (B,L,D)

Following breakfast, we hike the jungle trails along the river and then continue upriver by longboat. Our destination is the scenic Enseluai Waterfall. We arrive at the waterfall and have time relax, swim and enjoy the rainforest. Enjoy a riverside BBQ lunch prepared by our Iban hosts. We then proceed by boat to the junction of the Delok and Lalang Rivers where we trek for 1-2 hours along

the rainforest trail through orangutan habitat.

Stay: Nanga Sumpa

Day 7: Sumpa to Kuching (B,L)

Enjoy your breakfast at the lodge. We then travel downriver to the Batang Ai Lake jetty and onwards back to Kuching with lunch enroute. Arrival back in Kuching will be appx 4.30pm. The rest of the afternoon and evening are at your leisure.

Day 8: Kuching (B)

Our journey comes to an end today after breakfast.

For those departing today, transport will be provided for you to the airport.



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