



# Thailand Itinerary

**Bangkok | Homestay | Hua Hin | WFFT |  
Koh Phayam | Krabi  
Optional Week on Koh Samui  
A Chasin Clean Coasts Tour**





# Day 1 - Bangkok.

## HELLO THAILAND

Welcome to the Land of Smiles!!

And what a spot to start your adventure, none other than the big, culturally rich, bustling city of Bangkok! One of the Chasin crew will be waiting for you at the airport and will whisk you away through the crowds and into the craziness of the Khao San area.

Today is your day to settle in, wander through the markets and pick up a pair of elephant pants to strut your stuff in or grab an ice cold Chang and watch the world go by. If you're up for it tonight we will catch up for a bite to eat and venture out together.

# Day 2 - Bangkok

## HUSTLE & BUSTLE

Rise and shine Chasin crew, we have a big day ahead of us!

Cure any dustiness from last night with some tucker for breakfast and get ready to hit the city. We'll be jumping in boats, checking out markets, visiting temples and learning all about the culture of Thailand.

Tonight it's our official 'Welcome to the Chasin Thailand Tour' dinner, so kick back and get ready to eat!

Anyone up for a dance in the craziest street of Bangkok? Let's go!



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## Day 3 - Homestay LOCAL THAI EXPERIENCE

We are heading to the Amphawa area today. This great little Thai city is known for its markets, the 'floating' kind and the 'train' kind - picture a market on a train track that has to give way to four trains a day! Umbrellas, shade shelters and baskets get pushed back, rolled in and folded away for a few minutes while it passes, and then it all comes back together... mind blowing! Then it's time to hit the canals, sit back and shop from a boat. After a morning of exploring, we will check into our local, Thai homestay and learn more about the traditions of this country.

## Day 4 - Hua Hin MANGROVES & NIGHT MARKETS

Wake up to the sounds of nature (and the local roosters), enjoy sunrise by the river and prepare your offerings for the monks. We'll make our way to Hua Hin with some stops along the way. In the afternoon we will check into 'Seamira House' and then gear up for the famous Hua Hin Night market. Bring your appetite, there is some fantastic food to try here!

## Day 5 - Hua Hin FROM THE SEA TO THE SCRUB

Start your day with a dip in the pool and fuel up at the buffet breakfast. Around midday it's time to head out to explore the area. Channel your inner David Attenborough and keep a look out for wild elephants, boar, deer and hornbills.



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## Day 6 - Hua Hin

### WATERFALL TIME

Put your swimsuit on and some sturdy shoes, today we'll visit the largest national park in Thailand. We have a good chance to see more elephants here! There is a small hike to a swimming hole where you can swim with carp and be surrounded by 1000s of butterflies.



## Day 7 - WFF

### MEET SOME ANIMALS

Get ready to learn all about this project today on a full day tour of the rescue centre. We will meet elephants, tigers, gibbons, otters and more!

These animals have had a hard life and the 'Wildlife Friends Foundation Thailand' is giving them the very best end to their life.

The profits of the centre and lodge all go into looking after the animals.

After a big day on tour we'll check in to the rooms and spend the afternoon watching elephants from the pool.



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# Day 8 - Koh Phayam

## TRAVEL DAY

Get your headphones out, today is one of our travel days to get to Koh Phayam. We'll be in a private van, then a speed boat and a tuk tuk. After checking into our 4 star, beachside hotel the afternoon is yours to swim in the calm ocean or sip on a pina colada by the pool. Tonight we want to welcome you to the island with a family style dinner on the beach. Sawasdee kaa paradise & hello Koh Phayam!



# Day 9 to 11 -

## Koh Phayam

### PROJECT TIME

The next three days we will be rolling up our sleeves, getting hot and dirty and experiencing something like no other. We will be working with the local community of Moken, Burmese and Thais to better their lively-hood and help create a sustainable future for them. Of course, there will be some beach cleaning and a marine conservation workshop.

The work may change from time to time, but with all things Chasin, we'll be making small steps that lead to big differences. A local style lunch will be included each day.

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# Day 12 - Ao Nang

## TRAVEL DAY

Good Bye Koh Payam, see you next time! Today is another travel day, further south to the province of Krabi. You will want to keep your eyes open for today's trip, loads of little towns, high, jagged limestone rocks and lush vegetation.

After all that travel you'll be tired and we know the spots for a good feed - dinner is on us.

# Day 13 - Ao Nang

## ISLAND HOPPING DAY

It's time for a day on the water with Fast Manta for some snorkelling and island hopping!! The islands in the south of Thailand are really something else. Slip on a shirt, slop on some (reef safe) sunscreen and slap on a hat, lets hit the ocean.

Oh, did I mention Fast Manta takes coral health and shark populations very seriously... well they do! And we're going to learn about it all.

# Day 14 - Ao Nang

## NATURE & LEARNING

Being with nature has so many benefits! So today we are going to immerse ourselves into more natural environments and learn about the conservation efforts being done. Nature Mind-Ed will take us kayaking through ancient mangrove forests and around limestone cliffs, we'll probably meet some monkeys and we might get wet. It's going to be a brilliant morning followed by an organic lunch. Then we can enjoy an afternoon sunset together down by the beach.



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## Day 15 - Ao Nang

### RAILEY BEACH

One last day together and what better way to spend it then some time on the beach, surrounded by limestone cliffs.

Railey beach is a short boat ride away from Ao Nang and the perfect spot to sit and soak up some rays or explore the island.

If a day on the beach isn't your cup of tea, there is an option (at your own expense) to visit a new elephant sanctuary - Following Giants. Chasin can help you arrange that.

## Day 16

### SEE YOU SOON OR SAMUI

If you are off on your own way, we'll be having big hugs and saying good bye for now.

The tour officially ends here in Krabi, there is an airport nearby and there are also buses that can take you further afield throughout Thailand.

If you're staying on for one more week then we'll be heading to Koh Samui in the morning.



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# KOH SAMUI ADD ON

*Day 16 to 21- Samui*  
**ISLAND LIFE**

On day 16 after saying good bye, we'll be taking a boat to Koh Samui and checking into our boutique hotel in Bo Phut.

The next few days will be spent exploring, relaxing and enjoying more of the beautiful islands in Thailand. A full day island tour will be included.

The tour ends on Koh Samui on day 21 (Nov. 22).

There is an international airport here where you can jump on a flight back to Bangkok.



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# PRE/ POST TOUR

If you have contacted Chasin and requested additional nights or flights, the following information is a guideline of **approximate** costs.

You will be emailed the amount you owe and you are welcome to bring that in cash to Thailand to pay or you can pay online.

## Pre Tour Accommodation

- Villa De Khaosan- \$60USD/ night inc. breakfast – twin share

## Post Tour Flight

- Krabi to Bangkok – \$60USD
- Samui to Bangkok – \$150USD

## Post Tour Accommodation

- Bangkok Airport (The Cottage) – \$40USD/ night inc. breakfast – twin share