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JOINT CROSS BORNEO EXPEDITION (over land) 07 – 23 August 2016

Tour Package Duration 17 Days / 16 Nights



07 August 2016, Day 01: BALIKPAPAN, SAMARINDA (LD)

Arrival at Balikpapan airport, meeting service and transfer by car to Samarinda and check in at hotel for dinner and overnight.



08-10 August 2015, Day 02 to Day 04: SAMARINDA, MAHAKAM RIVER (BLD)

After breakfast transfer to harbor for boarding boat to cruise up Mahakam River. Meals and overnight on boat.

11 August 2015, Day 05: LONG BAGUN, RAPIDS, TIONG OHANG (BLD)

After simple breakfast full day adventure trip by long boat through amazing rapids between the high rocks. Meals provided enroute and overnight at long house.

12 – 19 August 2015, Day 06 until Day 13: TIONG OHANG, UP RIVER, TREK (BLD)

After simple breakfast continue the trip by motor canoe till the end of the Mahakam River, from where we will continue trekking approximately 3 - 5 hours a day through primary rain forest and crossing the Muller Mountain. During the trip we will fish, and exploring the jungle. Meals provided enroute and overnight in jungle camp.

20 August 2015, Day 14: TANJUNG LOKAN, PUTUSIBAU (BLD)

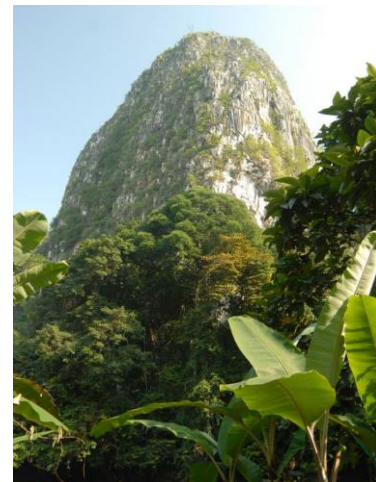
In the morning after breakfast, full day trip downstream on Bongan River by long boat to Putusibau. Enroute you will pass rapids. Meals provide enroute & overnight at Long House.

21 – 22 August 2015, Day 15 to Day 16: PUTUSIBAU, SINTANG, PONTIANAK (BLD)

In the morning sightseeing in town, afterwards by bus drive to Sintang for overnight, the next day continue the trip by bus to Pontianak, the capital of West Kalimantan. Meal provided & overnight at hotel.

23 August 2015, Day 17: PONTIANAK, DEPARTURE (B)

Free at leisure until departure time of next flight for your next destination



JOINT Rate 07-23 August 2015, U\$D 1.900,- per person

Rate Include :

- Transport Include : Balikpapan transfer in, by car to Samarinda Hotel, Transfer to Samarinda Harbor, Public Ferryboat from Samarinda to Long Bagun, Longboat Long Bagun to Tiong Ohang Jump Off point Muller Mountain Trek, Trekking, Longboat Tanjung Lokan to Putussibau, Car / Bus to Sintang continue to Pontianak.
- Meals : Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner (BLD), Drinks Aqua, Tea, Coffee
- Accommodation : 1 Night at Hotel Jamrud Samarinda, 2 Nights at Mahakam River Boat, 1 Night at Guesthouse Long Bagun, 1 Night at Tiong Ohang, 7 Nights at Jungle Camp Muller Mountain Trek, 1 Night at Local House Tanjung Lokan, 1 Night at Hotel Putussibau, 1 Night at Hotel Sintang, 1 Night at Hotel Kapuas Palace Pontianak, All Twin Share
- Guide : English Speaking Guide
- Porter : 1 per person During Trekking at Muller Mountains
- Miscellaneous : Entrance & Donation fees, Taxes, and Reports

Rate Exclude :

Airport tax, and airfares to and from Kalimantan Island, Soft & Alcoholic Drinks, Insurance, Personal needs and expenses, Everything which is not mentioned in the itinerary

Cross Borneo Facts

Cross Borneo is a moderate challenging trip, which not only need a good health in body to stand the rough terrain but the more over a psychotic health to stand the limits, and un-expectations it all will cause. You will trek for 6 to 7 days through unhabituated primary cloud rain forests in the Muller mountains. Hunt, and fish for extra protein. The river ride to reach the most remote part of this island will lead you through heavy fast stream rapids, while the long boat with speed engines lead you through the Rocks and amazing Limestone walls standing 40-70 meters strait in the sky. The art full Dayak Culture and Longhouses, the area is covered by mangrove, swamp, and lowland rain forest. The Tourism spots are the Villages and river life. The further you get upstream the more adventures it will be, till you reach the dense jungle after the rapids. Wildlife is mostly seen while never can be a guaranty. This trip suit for those with patient and adventure spirit, ready to expect the unexpected



Cross Borneo Weather

Day Temperatures 25 °– 32°C

Night Temperatures 16 °– 22°C

Humidity 80%-90%

Rainfall 4,000mm per year

Wet Months October & June

Dry Months February & August (but expect daily rain)

Cross Borneo Accommodation

Mahakam River has poor accommodation facilities at the villages, mostly with thin matrasses and cold water facilities only, the Jungle camp is a prepared camp with roof only to stand the rain

Travel Time & Distance East – West Kalimantan

Balikpapan – Samarinda 3 hours by car

Samarinda – Long Bagun 60-72 hours by boat

Long Bagun – Tiong Ohang 6-8 hours by longboat

Tiong Ohang – Trek Point 2 hours by canoe

Trek 4-7 hours a day

Tanjung Lokan – Putussibau full day by long boat

Putussibau – Sintang 8 hours by bus

Sintang – Pontianak 8 hours by bus



How To Get There

Balikpapan Sepinggan international airport with direct Flights to Jakarta, Surabaya, Semarang, Tarakan,

Berau, Palu, Makassar, Manado, Singapore, Kuala Lumpur, Kota Kinabalu

Pontianak Airport with direct flights to Jakarta, Batam, and Pangkalanbun



Things To Bring

Long wear for day and night

Good rubber shoes

Towel, soap and personal needs

Torch/Flash light

Thin sleeping bag

Gloves

Waterproof bag (for documents and electronics)

Cross Borneo Culture & Wildlife

The wildlife is exotic, lots of water birds, along with the endemic proboscis monkeys, and other forest denizens including clouded leopard, leaf monkey, macaque, pangolin anteater, tiny tarsier, lizards, and pythons. The Tribal Cultures on the way are more than 40 tribes, with all their own cultural believes and art, from longhouses, to earlobes and tattoo's

General Information

East Kalimantan Province area is 204,534 square kilometers, with a 4,5 million population



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