

## 4D3N KOTA KINABALU & KUNDASANG HIGHLIGHT B

### TOUR ITINERARY:

#### Day 01 Arrive in Kota Kinabalu (North Borneo Cruises)

🍽️: Dinner

🏠: 4\* Luma Hotel or similar

- Warmest greetings at Kota Kinabalu Airport! Transfer to **Kota Kinabalu city hotel**. After checking in to hotel, feel free to explore and enjoy the small rustic city and nightlife.
- At 4.45PM, transfer to Sutera Marina Jetty for the **North Borneo Cruises - Sunset Dinner Cruise** experience! Your evening unfolds along the sultry sun-tinged South China Sea, cruising pass the islands and water villages that dot Sabah's west coast. You are free to wander around the vessel. Panoramic ocean views, warmth of the setting sun and gentle sea breeze grace the upper-deck while a live band serenades the ethnic themed air-conditioned restaurant below with acoustic favourites.
- Dinner will be served **buffet style**. Time to sink your teeth into Sabah's most sought-after culinary experience. As the sun sets and the stars come out, Kota Kinabalu's coastline now comes alive with dazzling city night lights. The North Borneo Cruises will glide across the Waterfront as you indulge in dessert or your next glass of wine.
- You will disembark from the cruise at the Sutera Marina Jetty and transfer back to the hotel.

#### Day 02 Kota Kinabalu (Tamparuli Town, Nabalalu Market, Kinabalu National Park, Kundasang Market)

🍽️: Breakfast/ Lunch/ Dinner

🏠: Mountain Resort

- Get ready for an exciting adventure as we pick you up from the hotel lobby! Today's journey will bring us into Sabah's lush countryside, where we will have the chance to savour some famous local delicacies, browse through handmade folk souvenirs, and even try some exotic fruits. We will begin with a scenic drive through picturesque landscapes and lush paddy fields, passing by charming local villages until we reach **Tamparuli town**. The highlight of this place is the **"Jambatan Tamparuli"**, where you can walk along the bridge and explore the charms of this small town. Continuing with the drive, we will travel uphill along the winding roads of the Crocker Range for about an hour until our next brief stop at **Nabalalu town**. This is a popular pitstop for locals and travellers, where you can buy fresh produce and snacks. Make sure to visit **Nabalalu Handicraft Market** for souvenirs and the nearby viewing point for a fantastic Mount Kinabalu view.
- Our journey then takes us to **Kinabalu National Park**, Malaysia's first UNESCO World Heritage Site and part of the Kinabalu UNESCO Global Geopark. Situated 1,500 meters above sea level, this 754 sq. km park is home to Mount Kinabalu, one of Southeast Asia's tallest mountains. With an altitude of 4,095.2 meters, Mount Kinabalu offers a majestic view that is truly unique to Sabah. During a guided walk along the nature trails in the park's **Botanical Garden**, you will have the opportunity to discover and learn more about the park's biological treasures, from carnivorous pitcher plants to rare orchid species. The park is home to an incredible variety of flora, with approximately 4,500 plants, including 1,500 orchids. 77 of the orchids are endemic to Kinabalu Park, making a visit here a treat for nature enthusiasts. For animal lovers, the park hosts 289 species of birds, as well as a diverse range of 290 butterfly species.
- After the nature exploration, we will head to the nearby restaurant within **Kinabalu Park** and enjoy a sumptuous lunch. Afterwards, our next destination is **Kundasang Market**. It is a vibrant market that offers a wide variety of goods, including fresh produce, beautiful flowers, and local treats.
- After a fun day exploring the highland, we will bring you to the nearby mountain resort, where you will stay for the night. Here, breathe in the fresh mountain air and feel the cool breeze on your skin that you can only experience at this elevated level. Feel free to explore the resort and its surrounding before your dinner later in the evening.

#### Day 03 Kota Kinabalu (Desa Cow Farm, Alpaca Club, Kundasang Farm Ville)

🍽️: Breakfast / Lunch

🏠: 4\* Luma Hotel or similar

- Get ready for an amazing start to your third day in Sabah! As you wake up, you will be greeted by a misty morning that unveils breathtaking views of Mount Kinabalu at sunrise. The melodious chirping of birds fills the air while fluffy clouds gracefully embrace the valleys below. Our first stop of the day is **Desa Cow Farm**. As we journey towards it, enjoy the fascinating view of your surroundings as the roads become narrower and fresh green pastures appear. Soon, we will arrive at the sprawling 199-hectare farmland nestled at the foot of **Mount Kinabalu**. Here at **Desa Cow Farm**, you will be surrounded by grazing cattle in the lush green pastures. These cows provide nearly one million litres of pure mountain-fresh milk every year. While taking in the gorgeous scenic views of Mount Kinabalu, you can get up close to the cattle, bottle-feed adorable calves, and even savour some freshly produced milk or yoghurt of various flavours.
- Just a short drive away from Desa Cow Farm is **Alpaca Club**, Sabah's first and only alpaca farm. Step into the charming facility and be welcomed by the friendly and fluffy alpacas. These gentle creatures, known for their soft fleece and endearing personalities, are ready to melt your heart. Get up close and personal as you admire and hand-feed these adorable furry friends. Our journey continues to the nearby **Kundasang Farm Ville**. Here, you will discover an aquaponic farm, a picturesque selfie garden adorned with beautiful decorations, an ice cream bus, and a charming café where you can get delicious snacks.
- After an exciting morning, it is time to refuel with a delicious lunch at a local restaurant. Then, we will begin our journey back to your hotel in Kota Kinabalu, where you can relax or continue your exploration of the city.

#### Day 04 Depart from Kota Kinabalu

🍽️: Breakfast

🏠: No accommodation

- After breakfast, check out of the hotel and transfer to the airport for your flight.

TOUR CODE: TTABK-FM12	ADULT		CHILD	
Validity: Now till 31 December 2024	Single	Twin/ Triple	With Bed	No Bed
GV2 (Minimum 2 persons)	818	618	468	308

#### Package Inclusive:

- ✓ 2 Nights Stay in Kota Kinabalu 4\* Luma Hotel or similar
- ✓ 1 Night Stay in Kinabalu Pine Resort or similar
- ✓ 3 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches, 2 Dinners
- ✓ Airport Pick Up & Drop Off, Land Transportation (SIC), English Speaking Guide, Entrance Fees

#### Package Exclusive:

- ✗ International air ticket to & from Sabah
- ✗ Personal insurance and visa fee if necessary
- ✗ Tipping and gratuities for tour guide & driver

#### Terms & Conditions:

- It is recommended to book flights which arrive in Kota Kinabalu before 14:00hrs on the first day to make it for the North Borneo Cruises.
- If your flight arrives after 14:00hrs, we will reschedule your cruise session to Day 3.
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