

Kampong Phluk & Beng Mealea Tour

Tour Code: #Pineapple
Destination Covered: Siem Reap
Tour Type: Private
Approx. Length: 7-8 Hours
Hassle: Free & Flexible
Available: August to January

Advance Booking: Required

Tour Requires : Beng Mealea Pass

Tour Description

Travel to visit the well-known Kampong Phluk village at Tonle Sap Lake, see daily life of fishing and trading on rowing boats passing by, dotting with lines of high stilt houses and take canoe to explore the surroundings and the pleasant mangroves. Continue to truly venture the less touristy ruined jungle temple "Beng Mealea" built in 12th century, standing in lush wilderness which provides picturesque photographic setting.







Detailed Itinerary

Our escort guide and driver will be meeting you at 8.00am at your hotel's lobby then heading out of the hassle Siem Reap city about 40 minute drive to *Kampong Phluk village* of Tonle Sap Lake. The journey passes interesting city highlight and enroute to stroll around *Kampong Phluk market* to see trading activities before taking a boat trip along canal toward the centre of Kampong Phluk. Once we arrive, the boat begins to slow down to let you enjoy the surrounding admired by *amazing houses* atop high poles, come across the highlight of fishing activities as well as see people selling fruits/vegetable/meats on their boats. Witness how life works on the water and how people make the lake as home then we resume take *canoe* to explore the pleasant mangroves, enjoy the serenity while taking picturesque photos. Continue by our boat to see the *great lake* of *Tonle Sap*, learn from your tour guide about ecosystem and its rich biosphere reserve.

Afternoon, we drive to visit the hidden *Beng Mealea jungle temple* amongst the real wilderness. On the way, we enroute to observe how famous *bamboo sticky rice* is produced, and you have chances to taste some bites of those delicious snacks. Once we arrive, we walk to experience the guided adventure within the lush jungle to reveal the lost temple "*Beng Mealea*". Since the temple was constructed during the reign of king Suryavarman II in the early 12th century until then it's never been restored again. It provides wonderful adventure tour that you're going to climb over/down the ruined rocks, walking into the gallery to unlock the carvings and its

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interesting history of the Hindu temple related Angkor time. We then tranquilly capture picturesque photos. Return to your hotel and our guide and driver say Goodbye to you.

Tour prices are quoted in US dollar per person

Group Size:	2 PAX	3 PAX	4 PAX	5 PAX	6 PAX	7 PAX	8 PAX
Cost/pax:	\$76.00	\$59.00	\$48.00	\$42.00	\$37.00	\$33.00	\$33.00

Tour Included

- > Experienced local English speaking tour guide
- > Pick up & drop off at your hotel in Siem Reap
- > Private sheltered boat, Canoe & Tonle Sap fee
- > Traveling in air conditioning vehicle
- All taxes & service charges
- > 2 bottled water & 2 wet tissue per pax

Tour Not Included

- > Cambodia entry visa
- > Beng Mealea pass
- > Accommodation, flight ticket
- > Travel insurance, repatriation & baggage
- > Drinks and personal expenses
- > Tips, meals and services are not mentioned
- > Luggage handling

Additional Tour Information

Beng Mealea Entrance Fee

The entrance fee of Beng Mealea cost **\$5.00** per person, you can purchase it at the booth, just before you reach temple entrance. Our tour guide will be happy to assist you with this.

Local English Speaking Guide

Tour guide is the most important window for our company, is the one who makes you leave Cambodia with meaningful and memorable experience. Importantly, for your trip, we reserve a local tour guide that has long-year experienced, friendly attitude, informative, knowledgeable and advisable.

Transportation

Due to the distance, air conditioning vehicle is the best option, cool and comfortable, and included with the tour cost. Tuk Tuk is not highly recommended for this trip.

Dressing Code

Cambodia geographically stays in the tropical monsoon, its weather varies and annually brings wet and dry seasons, generally hot in during day time and a bit cooler at night, and in the early morning. You should wear whatever most comfortable but remember to dress appropriately to respect the locals and active religious sites; pagodas, temples and holy places. Strong footwear is highly recommended, should bring along insect repellent and make sure your camera is fully charged a day before.

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