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Sabah: Jewel of Borneo 10-day birding & wildlife tour

Amazing rainforests, magical mountains, tropical coasts—in great comfort! With optional Malaysia extension.

May 2025

Sabah, a part of Malaysia located in northern Borneo, is a heaven for birds and wildlife. Teeming rainforests fan out from Mount Kinabalu to the lowlands and coast. The wildlife is incomparable, with a host of enticing birds (including 48 endemics) and a charismatic mammal fauna (including Orang-Utan and Pygmy Elephant). Our Sabah tour is a great opportunity to visit this unique part of Malaysia. It can be taken as a stand-alone, or as an add-on to our Peninsular Malaysia tour.

Our Sabah tour covers some of the finest birding and natural hotspots of Sabah, home to some of the world's best rainforest and montane habitats. The area contains a wide variety of birds, many of which are endemic to small regions. During the tour we'll witness some unique plants such as the Rafflesia, beautiful tropical butterflies, and fantastic wildlife including highly endangered Orangutans and Pygmy Elephants as

well as many species of primate, squirrel and native cats. Comfortable and reliable, the tour is guided by our expert local bird guide, one of the best in Malaysia, and accompanied by one of our amicable Australian guides who has extensive experience in South-east Asia. Together they'll make sure the tour runs smoothly and that you won't need to worry about anything – enjoy the wildlife, scenery and birds! This tour takes us to the montane forests of Mt Kinabalu, across the island to the lowland forests at the Sepilok Rainforest Centre, up the mighty Kinabatangan River to the huge Gomantong Caves and finally to the spectacular rainforests in the world-renowned Danum Valley Conservation Area, one of the world's best rainforest destinations. We'll stay at comfortable, quality accommodation with delightful meals to suit all taste-buds. During our previous tours we've recorded over 235 species of birds and 28 mammals.

Tour starts & finishes:

Kota Kinabalu airport, Sabah, Malaysia

Scheduled departure & return dates:

• 4 - 14 May 2025

Questions? Contact BELLBIRD BIRDING TOURS:

- Freecall 1800-BIRDING
- email birds@bellbirdtours.com

Price: AU\$8,999 all-inclusive (discounts available).

Leader: Peter Waanders and local guide

Trip reports and photos of previous tours:

http://www.bellbirdtours.com/reports

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Tour details

Tour starts & finishes: Kota Kinabalu airport, Sabah, Malaysia, a 2.5 hr flight from Singapore or KL.

Scheduled departure and return dates:

Tour commences with dinner on 4 May 2025. Please arrive on or before 4 May. Tour finishes late afternoon of 14 May 2025. Please depart on or after 14 May. Itinerary contains further details. *This tour links seamlessly with our* Peninsular Malaysia tour, *see below for details*.

Leader: Michael Greenshields and top Malaysian bird guide Lee Kok Chung. A dedicated team for the entire duration of the tour – no swapping and changing guides as on other Sabah tours.

Difficulty: Low/Medium/High/Excellent level of fitness required. The tour has a relaxed pace and walks are on varying surfaces, from paved forest roads to uneven, slippery jungle trails with some short climbs. We generally walk slowly, with lots of stops. You can opt out of any challenging walks.

What to bring: Please travel light. Binoculars, camera, mobile phone, chargers, power adaptors (british style), strong insect repellent, sunscreen, personal medications, travel umbrella, hat, water bottle, hand sanitizer. Sturdy footwear recommended. Scopes, super-telephoto lenses with tripods, and very heavy, hard-shell suitcases are discouraged.

Clothing: Lightweight long pants, t-shirt and long-sleeved shirt, over the top of which you can wear layers that can be taken off as necessary, including a rain-proof jacket. Neat casual attire for dinners. Shorts and sandals or thongs (flip-flops) are acceptable for non-birding time.

Group size: Minimum 4, maximum 8 participants.

Cost: AU\$8,999 per person including accommodation and all meals, based on double or twinshare occupancy. Single occupancy surcharge of \$1400. Not included: drinks, tips, personal expenses. Earlybird discount of \$99 for bookings received up to 12 months before departure date. Return-client discount may apply. *Tour price will change with currency fluctuations* >=5%.

Bookings: Online at http://www.bellbirdtours.com/bookings - last page of this brochure.



Before this tour, we offer our *Peninsular Malaysia tour* from 25 April-3 May 2025. Departing from and returning to Kuala Lumpur, our Peninsular Malaysia tour explores one of the richest areas for birds in Southeast Asia, featuring the Kuala Selangor wetlands and mangroves, cool Fraser's Hill and the world-famous rainforests of Taman Negara National Park. An immediate return-client discount applies to the Peninsular Malaysia tour if you wish to book it and our Sabah tour. For more information on the Peninsular Malaysia tour, go to: http://www.bellbirdtours.com/tours/peninsular-malaysia/

Day 0: (4 May 2025). Fly to Kota Kinabalu International Airport (own arrangements), where you will be greeted by our Australian guide and transferred (included) to your hotel (included) to rest and refresh. Should you arrive earlier, please make your own way to our hotel. We will meet for dinner and introductions. Overnight: **Kota Kinabalu** (en-suite hotel room; meals included: D).

Day 1: Kota Kinabalu – Lahad Datu (5 May). We'll spend the morning taking an enjoyable boat ride to a local island where one of the highlights will be spotting the Tabun Scrubfowl. We'll then fly (included) to the town of Lahad Datu after lunch, from where we spend the afternoon birding the access road to the famed Danum Valley. Located in Borneo's heartland, this is one of the most important and magnificent nature reserves in Asia. It is brimming with luxuriant forest and amazing wildlife, before retiring for dinner and a well-earned rest. Overnight: Myinn Hotel, Lahad Datu (en-suite room; meals included: B, L, D).

Days 2-3: Danum Valley (6 – 7 May). Our base for the next 2 nights is the Borneo Rainforest Lodge, located on a bend in the Segama River, where the nights are cool and are no biting insects. This is one of the best lodges in Asia which also has great wildlife viewing opportunities. Over 300 bird species have been recorded, including the Great Argus, Bornean Crested Fireback, 7 species of Pitta (including the rare Giant Pitta), Bornean Bristlehead, a rich variety of babblers, bulbuls and flycatchers, and all of Borneo's 8 species of hornbill. Orangutans and Gibbons are usually seen in the trees. The grounds of the Rainforest Lodge is full of flowers and butterflies. We have two full days here, and will spend much of our time birding along the quiet entrance road and on the rainforest trails. The list of birds we'll be looking for is impressive and exciting: Bat Hawk; Jerdon's Baza; Bornean Crested Fireback; Great Argus; Pink-necked and Thickbilled Green-Pigeons; Blue-crowned Hanging-Parrot; Banded Bay Cuckoo; five species of malkoha; Diard's and Red-naped Trogons; Black-backed Dwarf and Rufous-collared Kingfishers; Helmeted Hornbill; many species of barbet; Rufous Piculet; up to ten species of woodpecker; Blue-headed and Black-and-crimson Pittas; Green Broadbill; the endemic Black-throated Wren-babbler; Crested Jay; Bornean Black Magpie; and Long-billed Spiderhunter, to name but a few. We'll also make a special effort to find some of Borneo's most elusive specialties, such as Chestnut-necklaced Partridge, the spectacular endemic Bornean Ground-Cuckoo, Oriental Bay Owl, Blue-banded Pitta, Bornean Wren-Babbler, and Bornean Bristlehead. We'll take night 'safari' in search of mammals and nightbirds. We usually encounter Sambar Deer, Giant Red Flying-Squirrel, and Buffy Fish-





Owl, but there is always a possibility of some rarer creatures such as Malay Colugo, Bornean Tarsier, Banded Linsang, Gould's and Large Frogmouths, Brown Wood-Owl, and Bornean Pygmy Elephant. Overnight: **Borneo Rainforest Lodge** (en-suite room, meals included: B, L, D).

Day 4: Danum Valley – Kinabatangan river (8 May). After a final morning exploring the Danum Valley we pack our gear and have lunch, then we spend the afternoon travelling to the Kinabatangan River, another excellent habitat. Along the way we'll visit the huge Gomantong Caves containing thousands of bats and four species of swiftlets, identifiable by the color of their nests. Around dusk we'll witness an amazing spectacle (as seen on David Attenborough!) when thousands upon thousands of bats stream out of the cave opening, while Bat Hawks circle around and prey on them. Soon after, we arrive at the complex river floodplain ecosystem of the Kinabatangan floodplain and adjacent forest. The area is well protected and offers a great habitat to the rare Bornean Pygmy-Elephant as well as numerous birds, to name but a few: 8 species of Hornbill, 4 species of Kingfisher, Bornean Bristlehead, Grey-headed Fish-Eagle, Oriental Darter, Wallace's Hawk-Eagle, and the rare Storm's Stork. Overnight: Borneo Nature Lodge or similar (en-suite room, meals included: B, L, D).

Day 5: Kinabatangan river (9 May). A full day to explore this fascinating area with its wide central river and many narrow, meandering tributaries. These forests are full of birds: kingfishers, hornbills, broadbills, bulbuls, and many others. It's a great place for primates with troops of Proboscis Monkeys, as well as Maroon Leaf-Monkeys, Bornean Gibbons and Long-tailed Macaques keeping us entertained. There are many birds to look for here, but of particular note are Lesser Fish-Eagle, Rhinoceros Hornbill, Scarlet-rumped Trogon, Hooded Pitta, and many species of kingfisher and woodpecker. This is one of the best places for Bornean Pygmy Elephant and we might well come across a herd in the river. Overnight: Borneo Nature Lodge (en-suite room, meals included: B, L, D).

Day 6: Kinabatangan river to Sepilok (10 May). After some final birding in the Kinabatangan River area well drive to the Sepilok Rainforest Discovery Centre which protects a patch of lowland rainforest, with a broad and sturdy canopy walkway and two observation towers, offering nice views and a great introduction to lowland forest birding. We'll also bird along the trails that run through the rainforest. Of particular interest are the rare Rufous-collared Kingfisher and the bizarre and much-anticipated Bornean Bristlehead (which belongs to a monotypic family). Night walks along the trails offer a chance to see wildlife such as Slow Loris, Bornean Tarsier, Lesser Mouse Deer, and Malay Civet, along with interesting insects such as stick insects. The gardens of the Sepilok Jungle Lodge, where we'll spend the night, are great for some of the more common open-area birds such as Dusky Munia and Yellow- bellied Prinia. Optional excursion to the Orang Utan Rehabiliation Centre (small entry fee, not included). Overnight: Sepilok Jungle Lodge (en-suite room; meals incl.: B, L, D).



Jemmann Chen; Kinabatangan river

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Day 7: Sepilok to Mt Kinabalu (11 May). After spending the morning birding at the Rainforest Discovery Centre we'll travel to Kundasang, our base for the next few days at Mount Kinabalu National Park. We'll settle into our accommodation for the next couple of days before heading out for more birding. Overnight: Pine Resort, Kudusang (en-suite room, meals included: B, L, D).

Days 8 & 9: Mt Kinabalu NP (12-13 May). We'll spend two full days in Mount Kinabalu National Park. The 4,095m high mountain provides a scenic backdrop to our explorations of the park, a real pleasure due to its cool climate and lush forests. It has a wide range of habitats, from tropical lowland and hill rainforest to mountain forest, sub-alpine forest and scrub on the higher elevations. It is rich in plant species with flora from the Himalayas, China, Malaysia and even Australia. We will be entertained by at least 5 species of squirrels while we search for birds including Bornean Whistling-Thrush, Bornean Whistler, Mountain Serpent-Eagle, Whitehead's Trogon, Golden-naped Barbet, Checker-throated and Maroon Woodpeckers, Whitehead's Broadbill, Sunda Cuckoo-shrike, Ashy & Haircrested Drongos, Black-and-crimson Oriole, Green Magpie, Bornean Treepie, the secretive Mountain Wren-Babbler, Grey-throated Babbler, Sunda, Chestnutcapped, and Bare-headed Laughingthrushes, flocks of Chestnut-crested Yuhina, Mountain Leaf & Yellow-breasted Warbler, Mountain Tailorbird, the endemic Eyebrowed Flycatcher, plus Indigo, Snowy-browed, & Little Pied Flycatchers, Blacksided Flowerpecker and Black-capped White-eye. Some of Kinabalu's most elusive species are Red-breasted and Crimson-headed Partridge, Fruit-hunter, Everett's Thrush and Stubtail. Beautiful flowers abound, with ferns, orchids and pitcherplants; and if our timing is right we have a chance to observe a flowering Rafflesia, the world's largest flower (optional; small entry fee, not included). Overnight Pine Resort (en-suite room; meals included: B, L, D).

Day 10. (14 May). An early departure to arrive in the nearby Crocker Range at sunrise for breakfast and birding. This area of semi-montane rainforest is at a slightly lower altitude than Mount Kinabalu and is a good place to locate a few endemics and specialties that are difficult at Kinabalu. We'll look for Crimsonheaded Partridge, Goldenheaded Barbet, Sunda Laughingthrush., Black-sided Flowerpecker, Chestnut-crested Yuhina, Mountain Barbet, Little Cuckoo Dove, Grey-chinned Minivet and Bornean Treepie, an odd looking relative of the magpie. We'll have a sumptuous lunch in a local restaurant and then travel back to Kota Kinabalu where we'll check out a local park on the coast to look for the rare Blue-naped Parrot, Long-tailed Parakeet, Pink-necked Green Pigeon, Lesser Coucal, Olive-backed and Brown-throated Sunbird, Yellow-vented Bulbul, Common Iora, Rufous-tailed Tailorbird and Glossy Swiftlet before a final refreshing drink to reminisce about the many great birds and natural wonders we've seen and experiences we've had...! Tour ends in the afternoon at Kota Kinabalu airport (meals included: B, L). You can fly direct to Kuala Lumpur, Singapore or Manila from here on flights departing 5pm and later. Alternatively we can arrange you a hotel room.











Bornean Ground Cuckoo, Orang Utan ©Andy Paul; Blue-banded Pitta © Liew Weng Keong; Bornean Pygmy Elephant © Eric Tan; Blue banded Kingfisher ©Liew Weng Keong



Important information for your tour:

- If you're also booking our subsequent Peninsular Malaysia tour you will receive an immediate return-client discount on that tour.
- Recommended reading: <u>Birds of the Indonesian Archipelago</u>: <u>Greater Sundas and Wallacea</u>, <u>by Bas van Balen</u>, <u>Frank E. Rheindt</u>, <u>James A. Eaton</u>, <u>and Nick W. Brickle</u>; <u>Birds of Borneo</u>: <u>Brunei</u>, <u>Sabah</u>, <u>Sarawak and Kalimantan</u>, <u>by Susan Myers</u>; <u>Phillipps' Field Guide to the Birds of Borneo</u>: <u>Sabah</u>, <u>Sarawak</u>, <u>Brunei</u>, <u>and Kalimantan</u>, <u>Fully Revised Third edition</u>; <u>A Guide to the Mammals of Southeast Asia</u>, <u>by Charles Francis</u>
- Travel insurance is <u>compulsory</u> for this tour and you will be required to provide evidence of such, prior to paying your final balance.
- Arranging flights to and from Kota Kinabalu is your own responsibility.
- Visas can be obtained upon arrival. Please ensure you have a valid passport (some countries require 3-6 months validity).
- Please make your own enquiries regarding visas, inoculations and travel health issues.
- Our 'what to bring' list on page 2 is not exhaustive. Please contact us if you're in doubt about what else to pack.

Pre- and post tour options:

If you wish to arrive earlier in Kota Kinabalu, please make your own way to your accommodation for Day 0, in time for dinner and introductions. We can book you into our hotel for any number of nights leading up to, or after, the tour. We can also arrange your inter-national and domestic flights, hotel bookings,travel insurance and other travel arrangements through our partnership with HelloWorld. Please tick the relevant boxes on the booking form.

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Price inclusions and exclusions:

Currency fluctuations: The tour price is set in AU\$ but will change (up or down!) with currency fluctuations of 5% or more. This applies to the unpaid balance of your tour price only.

Included: All meals commencing with Dinner on Day 0 and finishing with Lunch on Day 10, some snacks, some fruit, some drinks, unlimited drinking water refills. Accommodation in private en-suite rooms, transport using comfortable and reliable vehicle, 1 domestic flight back to KKB from the Danum Valley; Australian guiding accompanied by our expert local guide, airport transfers, any entry fees during the tour, taxes.

Excluded: Flights; transfer to our hotel in Kota Kinabalu if you arrive before Day 0; onward travel arrangements, Pre- & post trip accommodation, Meals before the first dinner, and after the last meal, drinks except where provided, personal expenses, tips, insurance, visa / passport fees, anything else not specifically included.



Sabah: Jewel of Borneo – birding & wildlife tour Possible species list

Crimson-headed Partridge Red-breasted Hill Partridge Bornean Necklaced Partridge

Ferruginous Partridge Crested Partridge Crested Fireback Great Argus

Wandering Whistling Duck Lesser Whistling Duck

Storm's Stork
Lesser Adjutant
Malayan Night Heron
Black-crowned Night Heron
Nankeen Night Heron

Striated Heron
Eastern Cattle Egret

Grey Heron

Great-billed Heron Purple Heron Great Egret

Intermediate Egret

Little Egret

Pacific Reef Heron Great Frigatebird Lesser Frigatebird Brown Booby Little Cormorant Oriental Darter Eastern Osprey

Black-shouldered Kite Crested Honey Buzzard

Jerdon's Baza

Crested Serpent Eagle Kinabalu Serpent Eagle

Bat Hawk

Changeable Hawk-Eagle Blyth's Hawk-Eagle Wallace's Hawk-Eagle Rufous-bellied Hawk-Eagle

Black Eagle Crested Goshawk Chinese Sparrowhawk Besra

Black Kite
Brahminy Kite

White-bellied Sea Eagle Lesser Fish Eagle

Grey-headed Fish Eagle Bornean Falconet Peregrine Falcon Red-legged Crake White-breasted Waterhen

Black-backed Swamphen Common Moorhen Malaysian Plover Lesser Sand Plover Greater Sand Plover Oriental Plover Common Sandpiper Greater Crested Tern Lesser Crested Tern

Whiskered Tern
Rock Dove
Spotted Dove
Ruddy Cuckoo-Dove
Little Cuckoo-Dove
Common Emerald Dove

Zebra Dove

Cinnamon-headed Green Pigeon

Little Green Pigeon
Pink-necked Green Pigeon
Thick-billed Green Pigeon
Large Green Pigeon
Jambu Fruit Dove
Green Imperial Pigeon
Mountain Imperial Pigeon

Blue-crowned Hanging Parrot

Blue-rumped Parrot Blue-naped Parrot Long-tailed Parakeet Short-toed Coucal Greater Coucal Lesser Coucal

Pied Imperial Pigeon

Bornean Ground Cuckoo Raffles's Malkoha

Red-billed Malkoha Chestnut-breasted Malkoha Chestnut-bellied Malkoha Black-bellied Malkoha

Chestnut-winged Cuckoo

Asian Koel Violet Cuckoo Banded Bay Cuckoo Plaintive Cuckoo

Square-tailed Drongo-Cuckoo Moustached Hawk-Cuckoo

Indian Cuckoo Oriental Cuckoo Sunda Cuckoo Oriental Bay Owl
Reddish Scops Owl
Mountain Scops Owl
Collared Scops Owl
Barred Eagle-Owl
Buffy Fish Owl
Brown Wood Owl
Collared Owlet
Brown Hawk-Owl
Large Frogmouth
Gould's Frogmouth

Short-tailed (Bornean) Frogmouth

Blyth's Frogmouth Sunda Frogmouth

Malaysian Eared Nightjar Large-tailed Nightjar Grey-rumped Treeswift Whiskered Treeswift Glossy Swiftlet Bornean Swiflet Mossy-nest Swiftlet Black-nest Swiftlet Edible-nest Swiftlet

Silver-rumped Spinetail
Brown Needletail
Asian Palm Swift
Little (House) Swift
Red-naped Trogon
Diard's Trogon
Whitehead's Trogon
Cinnamon-rumped Trogon

Orange-breasted Trogon Oriental Dollarbird Rufous-collared Kingfisher

Scarlet-rumped Trogon

Banded Kingfisher Stork-billed Kingfisher Ruddy Kingfisher

Ruddy Kingfisher
Black-capped Kingfisher
Collared Kingfisher
Sacred Kingfisher
Blue-banded Kingfisher
Blue-eared Kingfisher
Oriental Dwarf Kingfisher
Red-bearded Bee-eater
Blue-tailed Bee-eater
Blue-throated Bee-eater
Bushy-crested Hornbill

Oriental Pied Hornbill

Black Hornbill



Rhinoceros Hornbill Helmeted Hornbill White-crowned Hornbill

Wrinkled Hornbill Wreathed Hornbill

Golden-whiskered Barbet Red-crowned Barbet Red-throated Barbet

Mountain Barbet Yellow-crowned Barbet Golden-naped Barbet Blue-eared Barbet Bornean Barbet Brown Barbet Speckled Piculet

Rufous Piculet

Grey-and-buff Woodpecker Brown-capped Woodpecker Grey-capped Woodpecker White-bellied Woodpecker Banded Woodpecker

Checker-throated Woodpecker Crimson-winged Woodpecker Olive-backed Woodpecker Common Flameback

Greater Flameback Maroon Woodpecker

Orange-backed Woodpecker

Rufous Woodpecker Buff-rumped Woodpecker Buff-necked Woodpecker Great Slaty Woodpecker

Green Broadbill
Hose's Broadbill
Whitehead's Broadbill
Black-and-red Broadbill
Long-tailed Broadbill
Banded Broadbill

Black-and-yellow Broadbill

Dusky Broadbill
Giant Pitta
Blue-headed Pitta

Bornean Banded Pitta Blue-banded Pitta Black-crowned Pitta

Hooded Pitta

Blue-winged Pitta Bornean Bristlehead

White-breasted Woodswallow

Common lora Green lora

Sunda Cuckooshrike Bar-bellied Cuckooshrike Lesser Cuckooshrike

Pied Triller

Bar-winged Flycatcher-shrike Black-winged Flycatcher-shrike

Large Woodshrike Fiery Minivet

Grey-chinned Minivet
Scarlet Minivet
Mangrove Whistler
Bornean Whistler
Long-tailed Shrike
Dark-throated Oriole
Black-hooded Oriole

Black Oriole

Black-and-crimson Oriole

Ashy Drongo Crow-billed Drongo Bronzed Drongo Hair-crested Drongo

Greater Racket-tailed Drongo White-throated Fantail

Maroon-breasted Philentoma

Malaysian Pied Fantail Spotted Fantail Black-naped Monarch Rufous-winged Philentoma

Oriental Paradise Flycatcher Crested Jay Black Magpie

Common Green Magpie Bornean Green Magpie Bornean Treepie

Slender-billed Crow

House Crow

Grey-headed Canary-flycatcher

Cinereous Tit

Velvet-fronted Nuthatch Straw-headed Bulbul Black-and-white Bulbul Black-headed Bulbul Bornean Bulbul

Scaly-breasted Bulbul
Grey-bellied Bulbul
Puff-backed Bulbul
Pale-faced Bulbul
Yellow-vented Bulbul
Olive-winged Bulbul
Cream-vented Bulbul
Asian Red-eyed Bulbul
Spectacled Bulbul

Spectacled Bulbul Finsch's Bulbul Ochraceous Bulbul Grey-cheeked Bulbul Yellow-bellied Bulbul Hook-billed Bulbul Hairy-backed Bulbul Buff-vented Bulbul Streaked Bulbul Ashy Bulbul Pacific Swallow Sunda Bush-Warbler

Yellow-bellied Warbler Golden-bellied Gerygone Arctic Warbler

Bornean Stubtail

Mountain Leaf Warbler Yellow-breasted Warbler Friendly Bush-Warbler Striated Grassbird Yellow-bellied Prinia Dark-necked Tailorbird Rufous-tailed Tailorbird

Ashy Tailorbird Mountain Tailorbird

Chestnut-backed Scimitar Babbler

Grey-throated Babbler
Grey-headed Babbler
Chestnut-rumped Babbler
White-necked Babbler
Black-throated Babbler
Chestnut-winged Babbler
Rufous-fronted Babbler
Bold-striped Tit-Babbler
Fluffy-backed Tit-Babbler

Brown Fulvetta



Bornean Wren-Babbler Black-throated Wren-Babbler Mountain Wren-Babbler Eyebrowed Wren-Babbler Striped Wren-Babbler Abbott's Babbler Horsfield's Babbler Short-tailed Babbler Moustached Babbler Sooty-capped Babbler Scaly-crowned Babbler Rufous-crowned Babbler **Grey-breasted Babbler** White-chested Babbler Ferruginous Babbler Temminck's Babbler Black-capped Babbler Sunda Laughing-thrush Chestnut-hooded Laughing-thrush

Bornean Bald Laughing-thrush

Blyth's Shrike-babbler

Erpornis Bornean Ibon Mountain Blackeye Chestnut-crested Yuhina Oriental White-eve Black-capped White-eye Everett's White-eye Asian Glossy Starling Common Hill Myna Crested Myna Common Myna Javan Myna

Chestnut-capped Thrush Orange-headed Thrush

Everett's Thrush Island Thrush **Eyebrowed Thrush** Fruithunter

Bornean Whistling Thrush White-browed Shortwing Siberian Blue Robin Oriental Magpie-Robin White-crowned Shama Rufous-tailed Shama

Bornean Forktail Chestnut-naped Forktail White-crowned Forktail Blue Rock Thrush

Fulvous-chested Jungle Flycatcher Grey-chested Jungle Flycatcher Rufous-tailed Jungle Flycatcher **Eyebrowed Jungle Flycatcher**

Dark-sided Flycatcher Grey-streaked Flycatcher Asian Brown Flycatcher Ferruginous Flycatcher Narcissus Flycatcher **Rufous-chested Flycatcher** Snowy-browed Flycatcher Little Pied Flycatcher Blue-and-white Flycatcher

Verditer Flycatcher Indigo Flycatcher Pale Blue Flycatcher Hill Blue Flycatcher

Large-billed Blue Flycatcher Bornean Blue Flycatcher Malaysian Blue Flycatcher Dark Blue Flycatcher Pygmy Flycatcher Asian Fairy-bluebird Greater Green Leafbird Lesser Green Leafbird Blue-winged Leafbird

Bornean Leafbird

Yellow-breasted Flowerpecker Crimson-breasted Flowerpecker Thick-billed Flowerpecker

Yellow-rumped Flowerpecker Scarlet-breasted Flowerpecker Brown-backed Flowerpecker Yellow-vented Flowerpecker Orange-bellied Flowerpecker

Plain Flowerpecker Bornean Flowerpecker Scarlet-backed Flowerpecker Spectacled Flowerpecker Ruby-cheeked Flowerpecker

Plain Sunbird

Brown-throated Sunbird Red-throated Sunbird Purple-naped Sunbird Van Hasselt's Sunbird Copper-throated Sunbird Olive-backed Sunbird Eastern Crimson Sunbird Temminck's Sunbird Little Spiderhunter Thick-billed Spiderhunter Long-billed Spiderhunter Spectacled Spiderhunter Yellow-eared Spiderhunter **Grey-breasted Spiderhunter** Bornean Spiderhunter Whitehead's Spiderhunter Tawny-breasted Parrotfinch Pin-tailed Parrotfinch **Dusky Munia** White-bellied Munia Chestnut Munia

Scaly-breasted Munia Java Sparrow Red Avadavat Forest Wagtail Paddyfield Pipit Baya Weaver

Eurasian Tree Sparrow

During our previous tours we've recorded over 235 species of birds and 28 mammals, including multiple sightings of wild Orang Utans, Gibbon, Red Leaf-monkey, Bornean Pygmy Elephant, Yellowthroated Marten, Leopard Cat, Bearcat and 2 species of civet cat, Slow Loris, Tarsier, 8 species of squirrel and more!





Ready to book? See next page!



Steps to book this tour:

Step 1: Essential reading

- Download, save and read the itinerary (this document)
- Read our <u>terms and conditions</u> and the <u>release of liability waiver</u> (both can be found on https://www.bellbirdtours.com/terms-and-conditions).
- Read our <u>health & safety information</u> page (<u>https://bellbirdtours.com/health-and-safety/</u>)

Step 2: Online booking

Head over to our secure online booking page: https://www.bellbirdtours.com/bookings.

Step 3: Pay the deposit

To secure your seat, a deposit of 20% of the tour price is required at the time of booking. Full payment is due 60 days prior to the departure date. Until full payment has been received, Bellbird Tours reserves the right to change the tour price (eg due to changing fuel prices). Payment options:

	Domestic electronic funds transfer: please send fu	nds to the following bank account:
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- bank: Australia & New Zealand Bank (ANZ), 112 Rundle Mall, Adelaide SA 5000
- account name: Bellbird Tours Pty Ltd
- Branch No. (BSB) 015-140 Account No. 206136528
 - Please use your *surname* as the booking reference.

Visa, Mastercard & Google Pay: through Pin Payments (an easy, secure online payment system). They charge us
a fee of \sim 3%, which we pass on to you. Please contact us to use this option, and we'll email you a secure paymen
link.

- International electronic funds transfer: please send funds in Australian Dollars (+ bank charges or AU\$20 bank transaction fee, see notes below) to the following bank account:
 - international swift code: anzbau3m (no IBAN codes are used in Australia)
 - bank: Australia & New Zealand Bank (ANZ), 112 Rundle Mall, Adelaide SA 5000
 - account name: Bellbird Tours Pty Ltd
 - Branch No. (BSB) 015-140 Account No. 206136528
 - If possible, please use your *surname* as the booking reference.
 - If you are asked to provide our physical address, this is: 101 Chilton Road, Berri, SA 5343, Australia.
 - Please specify AU\$ as the recipient's currency, and the correct amount. Select the option for you to incur any charges at *both* ends; if no such option exists, please add AU\$20 to cover the bank fee at the recipient's end.

Any discrepancy between the amount payable and amount received will be added to the final balance, or payable in cash at the start of the tour. Prices and fees are not negotiable.

Step 4: You're done!

Sit back and wait for your booking confirmation to arrive (24-48 hrs). Meanwhile, should you have any questions, please contact us via: https://www.bellbirdtours.com/about-us/.