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Destination

Bohey Dulang Hike With Mantabuan & Sibuan Islands
Explorer

Overview

Explore Semporna like a local in a day. Hike Bohey Dulang Island to see the beautiful crater lagoon which is remnants of an extinct volcano. Experience the abundance of world-class marine life in Mantabuan Island and the exotic encounters with the “Bajau Laut” (sea gypsies) in Sibuan Island.

About The Location

- **Bohey Dulang Island** is the only island in Tun Sakaran Marine park with a hiking trail. It may take around 45 minutes to hike the steep incline to get the best aerial view from atop the island. At the end of hike, you'll be awarded with a breath-taking view.
- **Mantabuan Island** is the best spot for sightings of underwater creatures. Despite being the smallest island in Tun Sakaran Marine Park, the volcanically and mostly submerged island is a paradise for divers who seek to see magnificent coral reefs with great visibility.
- **Sibuan Island** is home to the “Bajau Laut” (sea gypsies), who live in small huts on the island's coast. This island is locally known as ‘Battleship Island’ for its distinctive shape, and is popular to snorkelers and divers alike due to its largely untouched conditions

Region: Tawau / Semporna

Duration: 9 Hours

Minimum: 2 Pax

Availability: Everyday

Pick up point: Semporna Jetty

Pick up time: 08:00 Hrs – 08:30 Hrs

Drop off point: Semporna Jetty

Drop off time: 17:00 Hrs – 17:30 Hrs

Private Tour Service

- Request for Private Tour at a reasonable fee (private guide).

Tour Highlights

- Hike Bohey Dulang Island
- Visit Mantabuan and Sibuan Islands
- Snorkel in the Coral Triangle
- Sightings of Sea Gypsies “Bajau Laut”
- Snorkeling Equipment Included

Itinerary:

Semporna / Bohey Dulang Island Hike / Mantabuan Island / Sibuan Island / Semporna

- Meet up at **Semporna Jetty**.
- Hop on to the speedboat and proceed to **Bohey Dulang Island**. Challenge yourself with a moderately steep hiking trail to the peak (353m a.s.l.), keeping in mind the view that awaits you – turquoise sea, neighbouring verdant islands and a crater lagoon with every shade of blue.
- Proceed to the next destination, **Mantabuan Island** where you will gear up to snorkel in the clear blue sea. If you’re lucky, you may spot some unique marine life such as the Manta Rays, Eagle Rays, and Devil Rays which are commonly seen lurking around Mantabuan Island.
- Continue your tour to **Sibuan Island**. Upon docking at the island, check with your tour guide as you can either explore the “Bajau Laut” (sea gypsies) village to purchase freshly plucked coconuts; or freshen up, and get ready for snorkeling.
- After a fun day in the sun, it’s time to recharge with **lunch**. Thereafter, transfer back to mainland **Semporna Jetty**

Included/Excluded

Tour Includes:

- Towel
- Complimentary use of glass boat
- Return boat transfer
- Jetty fees
- Conservation fees
- Snorkeling equipment (Masks, Fins, Snorkel)
- Boat snorkeling session
- Snorkeling guide
- Meals (Lunch, snacks with coffee and bread)

Tour Excludes:

- Alcoholic drinks
- Personal travel insurance
- Any items not mentioned

Recommended Attire

- Bathing suit
- Quick Dry T-shirt
- Shorts
- Sun hat/Cap
- Sunglasses
- Sandals/Flip Flops

Things you should bring

- Insect repellent
- Towel
- Hiking shoes
- Sunblock lotion
- Extra change of clothing
- Personal toiletries

Things you should know

- For Bohey Dulang Hike
 - Kindly prepare RM50 in cash to cover the Ranger Fee at Bohey Dulang. This fee applies to groups of 1-6 pax.
 - Sneakers or hiking boots are COMPULSORY for hiking. Sandals, flip-flops, and croc slippers are strictly not allowed. Sabah Parks has the right to ban hikers with improper footwear.
 - The shoe rental kiosk is no longer operating, so please remember to bring your own shoes.
 - In case of rain and the cancellation of the Bohey Dulang hiking, we will swap the activity to a snorkelling session.
 - Due to the limited number of rangers available, the waiting time can be 1-2 hours, depending on the time it took for the other groups to return to the foothill.
 - Children below 6 years old are not allowed to join the hiking activity.
 - Please be ready at the boat departure point at 8:00AM.
- Boat journey to the Island(s) may not be suitable for individuals who have any of the following conditions but not limited to: heart or lung conditions, recent surgery, back or spinal surgery, back problems/injury/fracture, arthritis, osteoporosis or other similar spinal/pelvic diseases.
- Pregnant women are also not recommended as the boat ride may be bumpy depending on the sea condition. If you are having similar issues as above, kindly consult your physician before you enrol in this activity.
- Please do not bring valuables as there are no lockers on the islands.
- Be a responsible snorkeller to protect our marine ecosystem.
 - If we deem your snorkeling skills or attitude may harm the marine life or other guests, the crew has the right to stop you from participating in this activity.

- It is strictly prohibited to remove, pick up, step on, or destroy any marine life during the trip.
- Do not snorkel or dive separately from the group and follow the crew's instructions. Failure to do so will result in the crew stopping you from participating in the activity and no refunds will be made.

Important Notes

- You will be responsible for obtaining your own visas to enter Sabah.
- Flights to and from Semporna will be at your own arrangement. Contact our Tour Consultants if you need assistance.
- You are strongly recommended to have your own personal travel insurance while traveling, to ensure a peace of mind.
- Your safety is our top priority. Should the weather or sea conditions render it unsafe to proceed with this tour, Dizcovery Asia reserves the right to change or cancel the tour.
- If an accident(s) were to occur during the trip, all customers must return to the dive centre together. No refunds or change of date will be made.
- Departure time is approximate and varies from different hotels so please do reconfirm with our staffs. Please call the relevant telephone number as stated on the voucher before making alternative arrangements.
- Dizcovery Asia reserves the right to alter routes, timetables, itineraries and accommodation reserved should conditions beyond our control render it necessary.
- Dizcovery Asia will not be held responsible, or in any way liable, for property losses, personal losses, accidents, injury, or death for any reason whatsoever, whether through any activities booked through us, or caused to you by third parties.
- Tipping is like giving a hug. Although it's never expected, it's always very much appreciated.

Useful Travel Tips

- Your belongings may get wet. You can bring along waterproof bags such as dry bags or plastic bags to keep your belongings nice and dry.
- Before going out for some fun in the sun, you may bring along some environmental-friendly SPF50 sunscreen and an umbrella to shield you from the sun.