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LANGKAWI
SEE & DO
GUIDE



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WELCOME TO LANGKAWI



Langkawi, 'the Jewel of Kedah', is an archipelago of 99 islands set amidst the azure Andaman Sea. It is also one of the crown jewels on any traveller's visit to Malaysia.

Langkawi is blessed with an incredible wealth and variety of natural wonders, from lush rainforests, to mountains and rock formations over 550 million years old – amongst the oldest found in this part of the world.

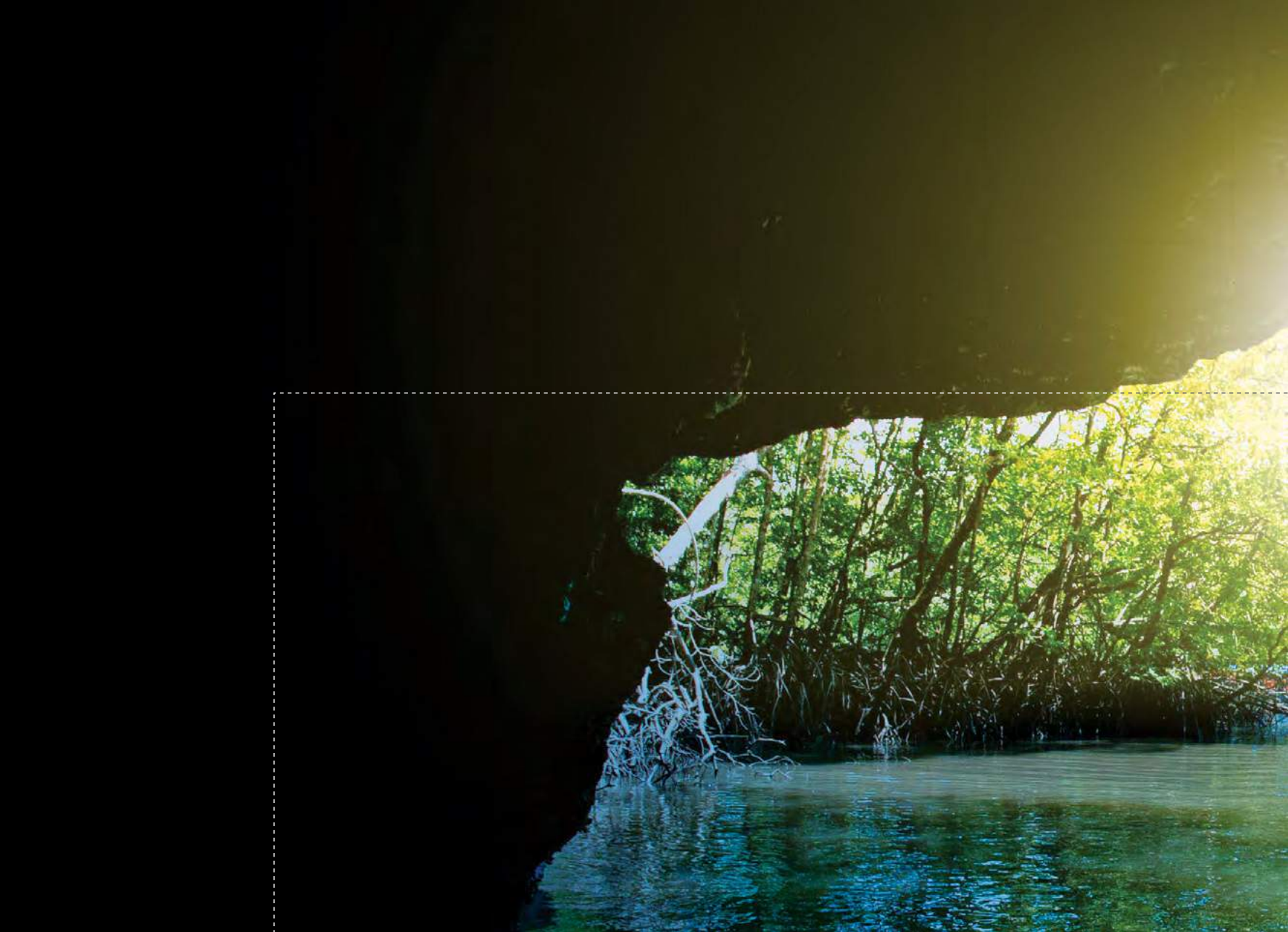
It boasts one of the largest mangrove forest and riverine systems in South East Asia. It harbours the most butterfly species of any island in the world – over 500 – including Australia and Sri Lanka – as well as over 200 bird species. Some of its flora and fauna are found nowhere else in the world. In addition, Langkawi is a true 'Living Museum', its people bound by culture and traditions passed on over thousands of years, and which are still in evidence today.

Little wonder, then, that Langkawi has been designated a UNESCO Global Geopark – the first in South East Asia. And lest we forget, the wonders aren't limited to nature alone: Langkawi is also a world-class tropical island getaway, with 5-star luxury resorts, spas, and gourmet dining.

In order to more fully experience the many activities and attractions to see and do in Langkawi, we have prepared this guide suggesting a sampling of itineraries, both geared toward overall explorations, as well as towards more specific interests. You can even use this guide to create or tailor your own Naturally Langkawi eco-adventure.

We hope you enjoy your stay. **SELAMAT DATANG**





A scenic view from inside a cave looking out onto a river with a boat and lush greenery. The text "BEST OF LANGKAWI PACKAGES" is overlaid on the image.

BEST OF LANGKAWI PACKAGES

**DAY
ONE**

PEAK THRILLS

The northwest portion of Langkawi is the site of the Machincang Cambrian Geoforest Park, with rock formations 550 million years old. Check out the bird's-eye view of the entire islands plus the other 98 islands of the archipelago. Then come back down to earth and experience a whole new dimension in cinematic sight, sound and motion! Shop for souvenirs and dine at Oriental Village, then on to much more fun in the afternoon!

SKY BRIDGE

SKYCAB

ORIENTAL VILLAGE



1 SKYCAB RIDE & SKYBRIDGE VIEW

Ascend Gunung Machincang on one of the world's steepest cable car rides up to the top of the 713 m high mountain. Revel in breathtaking 360-degree panoramas. View the SkyBridge, an architectural wonder.

Open: Mon - Thurs: 10 am - 7 pm /
Wed: 12 pm - 7 pm / Fri - Sun & Public
Holiday: 9.30 am - 7 pm
T +604 959 4225
W www.panoramalangkawi.com

2 6D CINEMA MOTION RIDE

Experience the most entertaining and eye-opening, heart-pounding cinema entertainment in Asia. Hold onto your seats!

Open Daily: 9 am - 7 pm
T +604 959 4225
W www.panoramalangkawi.com

3 LUNCH @ ORIENTAL VILLAGE

Lots of restaurants to choose from! Local, Western, Japanese, Middle Eastern, Chinese, and more. With majestic Gunung Machincang in the background.

Open Daily: 9 am - 7 pm
T +604 959 4225
W www.orientalvillage.my

4 DUCK TOUR

Get quacking on this awesome motorised monster – an amphibious vehicle that will take you on an unforgettable land and river tour!

Open Daily: 9.30 am - 7 pm
T +604 959 4225
E langkawiducktours@yahoo.com.my

5 HORSEBACK RIDING

Enjoy the beauty of Langkawi from a more rugged – and fun – perspective. Giddyup!

Open Daily: 7 am - 11 am / 4 pm - 6 pm
T +604 959 4753
W www.langkawihorses.com

6 DINING AT PERDANA QUAY

Perdana Quay boasts a beautiful and tranquil marina setting. Ideal for dining and enjoying the spectacular sunset views. With an international selection of restaurant options.

Outlet: Tapaz Restaurant, Privilege Restaurant & Bar, Mare Blue, Grandious, Harbour Steakhouse, The Loaf, USSR, Lebanon Restaurant, Hamachi Japanese Restaurant, etc.

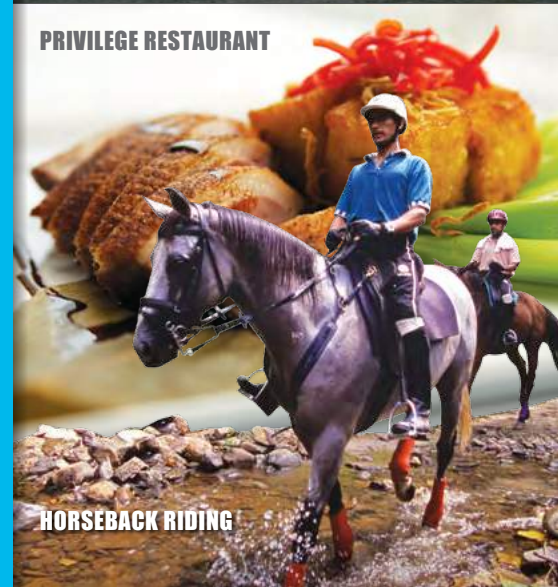
Open Daily: Breakfast till late
T +604 959 1826
W www.perdanaquay.com.my



6D CINEMA



DUCK TOUR



PRIVILEGE RESTAURANT

HORSEBACK RIDING

DAY
TWO

ISLAND HOPPING

Islands of adventure, islands of beauty, islands of fun! Discover exotic white sand beaches. Swim in an ancient doline lake. Take a cruise through the mangrove forest. Sail into the sunset on the Andaman Sea. Experience sun, sea, sky and sand as never before.

PULAU BERAS BASAH

PULAU DAYANG BUNTING



1 DAYANG BUNTING MARBLE GEOFOREST PARK

Cruise via speedboat from any of Langkawi's jetty & harbour to this magical Global Geopark Site, and swim in this legendary hidden lake ('the Lake of the Pregnant Maiden').

2 PULAU SINGA BESAR

View a fabulous seascape sprinkled with imposing limestone formations and marvel the unique island's raptors - White Bellied Sea Eagle.

3 PULAU BERAS BASAH

Take a cooling dip in the crystal clear waters of this secluded beach; or take a parasail ride over and above it all.

4 LUNCH AT TOMATO NASI KANDAR

Enjoy great food at this popular eatery on Cenang Beach. Why not go local, and try some Malaysian favourites... *Nasi goreng* and *teh tarik*, anyone? There's also plenty of free time for shopping, swimming, or walking along the beach.

Open Daily: 24 hours
T +604 955 3146

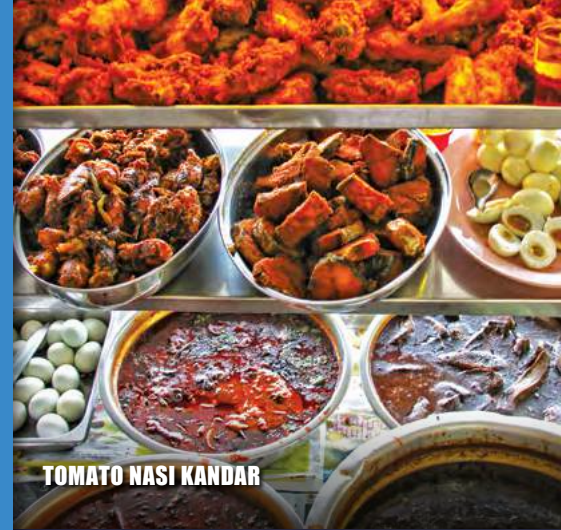
5 SUNSET DINNER CRUISE

Set sail on a magnificent sunset cruise which includes all-you-can-eat and all-you-can-drink menu. Stop for a refreshing dip in the open sea, and catch the technicolour sunset show!

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Crystal Yacht
T +604 955 6545

Naam Cruise
T +604 966 5991



TOMATO NASI KANDAR

SUNSET CRUISE



**EAGLE
WATCHING AT
PULAU SINGA
BESAR**

**DAY
THREE**

LIVING MUSEUM

Get close to the land and to the people. To the culture, the traditions, the history, all of which go back hundreds, even thousands of years, and still resonate today. And while you're at it, sample the delicious local food!

**VIEW FROM
GUNUNG RAYA**

**KOTA
MAHSURI**

**LANGKAWI
BUFFALO
PARK**



1 GUNUNG RAYA

At 880 m, it's Langkawi's highest elevation. Enjoy a light snack from the Observation Deck as you survey an incredible 360-degree bird's-eye view of Langkawi and the islands beyond.

2 LANGKAWI BUFFALO PARK

Get up close and personal to fully appreciate these gentle beasts that work so hard, and never complain. Well, almost never...

Open Daily: 8 am - 5 pm
T +604 966 7226

3 LUNCH AT SITI FATIMAH RESTAURANT

Sample authentic local fare at this traditional Malay restaurant that specialises in cuisine from Kedah, Malaysia's northernmost state. Recommended: the *kerabu beronok*, a spicy Malay salad.

Open Daily: 7.30 am - 5.30 pm
T +604 955 2754

4 KOTA MAHSURI

Kota Mahsuri, or 'Mahsuri's Mausoleum', museum in memory of the 19th century princess, and heroine of Langkawi's most famous and venduring legend.

Open Daily: 9 am - 6 pm
T +604 955 6055

5 MARDI AGRO PARK

Originally a centre for agricultural study and research, MARDI Agro Park is now a tourist attraction where you can go to learn all about local fruits and vegetables, how they are grown, and much more.

Open Daily: 9 am - 5 pm
T +604 953 2550

6 DINNER AT WAN THAI RESTAURANT KUAH

Wan Thai's menu is extensive with all the classic Thai dishes and delicacies. From the Thai starters of *Kerabu* (Thai salad) options with squid, prawns or glass noodles, the seafood *Tom Yam* clear soups or with coconut milk to the main courses of seafood, beef and chicken options.

Open Daily: 11 am - 3 pm /
6.30 pm - 10 pm
T +604 966 1214



IKAN BAKAR @ SITI FATIMAH RESTAURANT



MARDI AGRO PARK



PINEAPPLE FRIED RICE @
WAN THAI RESTAURANT

**DAY
FOUR**

ADVENTURES IN PARADISE

The best of Langkawi package that packs in so much! First it's off on a cruise to an isolated tropical island to explore the treasures both above and below the azure waters. Then back for world-class duty free shopping and sightseeing in Langkawi's shopping paradise, Kuah.

**THE
PLATFORM**

**EAGLE
SQUARE**

**SNORKLING AT
PULAU PAYAR**

**LEGEND
PARK**



1 PULAU PAYAR MARINE PARK

Situated 35 km southeast of Langkawi, about 1 1/2 hours by speedboat, this island gem is well worth the trip. There's great swimming, snorkelling, and scuba diving available for the intrepid adventurer and nature lover.

Snorkelling or diving trip is a one-day trip from 8.30 pm until 5.30 pm

W pulaupayar.blogspot.com

2 LUNCH AT THE PLATFORM

You can't find many restaurants with a location like this right on the water! Enjoy the views and the food. Seafood is a specialty – but you guessed that!

3 EAGLE SQUARE & LEGEND PARK

Absolutely not-to-be-missed is Langkawi's most famous symbol – the 12 m high sculpture of a brahmminy kite, situated near the main ferry terminal in Kuah. And right next door is beautiful Legend Park, ideal for strolling and picture-taking.

4 DUTY FREE SHOPPING

Kuah is known as a fabulous duty-free shopping emporium. Spend the afternoon in the many shops that offer a wide range of items, from cameras and clothes, to liquor, spirits and tobacco.

Outlet: Jetty Point, Shopping Paradise Duty Free Centre, Saga Shopping Centre, Langkawi Fair Shopping Mall, Hj Ismail Group & etc

5 DINING AT FISH FARM RESTAURANT

As its name implies, this is the place to come for seafood, prepared and cooked in a number of tantalising styles. Specialties include Thai seafood dishes like *Tom Yum*, and steamed grouper in plum sauce.

Open Daily : 1 pm - 10.30 pm
T +604 966 7988



DUTY-FREE SHOPPING



FISH FARM RESTAURANT



**DAY
FIVE**

SHOP, SIGHTSEE, INDULGE

There's so much to see and savour in this little "enclave" of Langkawi Island. Two fascinating animal parks. One of Malaysia's best shopping venues for quality local arts & crafts. A museum gallery dedicated to one of the country's most famous Prime Ministers. And while you're at it, why not pamper yourself with an all-natural, therapeutic spa treatment?

**AIR HANGAT
SPA VILLAGE**

**LANGKAWI
WILDLIFE PARK**

**LANGKAWI
CRAFT
COMPLEX**



1 CROCODILE ADVENTURELAND

Over 1,000 crocodiles are housed here. Come watch the show as trainers perform various stunts. (Question: how do you train a croc?).

Open Daily: 9 am - 6 pm
T +604 959 4225

2 LANGKAWI CRAFT COMPLEX

Offering a wide selection of locally made handicrafts including batik, glassware, woven items, jewelry, and much more. Includes a Heritage Museum, Wedding Museum, and glassblowing demonstrations.

Open Daily: 10 am - 6 pm
T +604 959 1913

3 AIR HANGAT SPA VILLAGE

Wellness therapy, Langkawi-style. Featuring hot springs in a number of small pools, as well as a salt-water Jacuzzi.

Open Daily: 10 am - 6 pm
T +604 959 1913

4 LUNCH AT MAK NGAH GULAI PANAS

Another island culinary landmark, serving tantalising local delicacies. Recommended: fish head curry. Go ahead, try it!

Open Daily: 7 am - 5 pm
T +6019 500 7070

5 GALERIA PERDANA

This famous gallery and museum houses many of the awards, gifts and other mementos of Malaysia's longest serving Prime Minister, Tun Dr. Mahathir Mohamad.

Open Daily: 8.30 am - 5.30 pm
T +604 959 1498

6 LANGKAWI WILDLIFE PARK

Talk to the animals. Walk with the animals. Get up close and personal – or keep a respectable distance – with a menagerie of exotic tropical creatures. It's fun and educational!

Open Daily: 10 am - 6 pm
T +604 966 5855
W www.langkawiwildlifepark.com

7 DINING AT WONDERLAND FOOD STORE

Widely acclaimed by locals and visitors alike, this is truly an island favourite. Not a food store, but a restaurant in a great Kuah location. You'll love it!

Open Daily: 6 pm - 11 pm
T +6012 494 6555



GALERIA PERDANA



FISH HEAD CURRY @
MAK NGAH GULAI PANAS



LOBSTER @ WONDERLAND FOOD

**DAY
SIX**

BACK TO NATURE

Nature in all her splendour and diversity – mangrove forests, rivers, waterfalls, caves, and more – all on one island, all in one day!

**EAGLE WATCHING AT
KILIM MANGROVE RIVER**

**MANGROVE
KAYAK TOUR**



1 KILIM KARST GEOFOREST PARK

Cruise some of the world's largest and most pristine mangrove ecosystems. Visit limestone caves, and watch raptors swoop down to the water to feed.

Book through your hotel or visit the jetties at Tanjung Rhu and Kilim River (for Kilim River mangrove) and the Kuah Jetty for the Tuba Straits mangrove.

2 GUA CHERITA & GUA KELAWAR

Explore two of Langkawi's most famous caves, home to many animal dwellers such as bats.

Daily Options:
2 to 4-hour trip at Kilim Geoforest Park
6-hour trip to Kilim Geoforest Park

3 LUNCH AT HOLE IN THE WALL

Not just any 'hole-in-the-wall', but the popular local restaurant by that name! Serves some of the freshest seafood you can get, right from its own farm. Great *ikan bakar* (grilled fish) selection.

Open Daily: 8 am -11 pm
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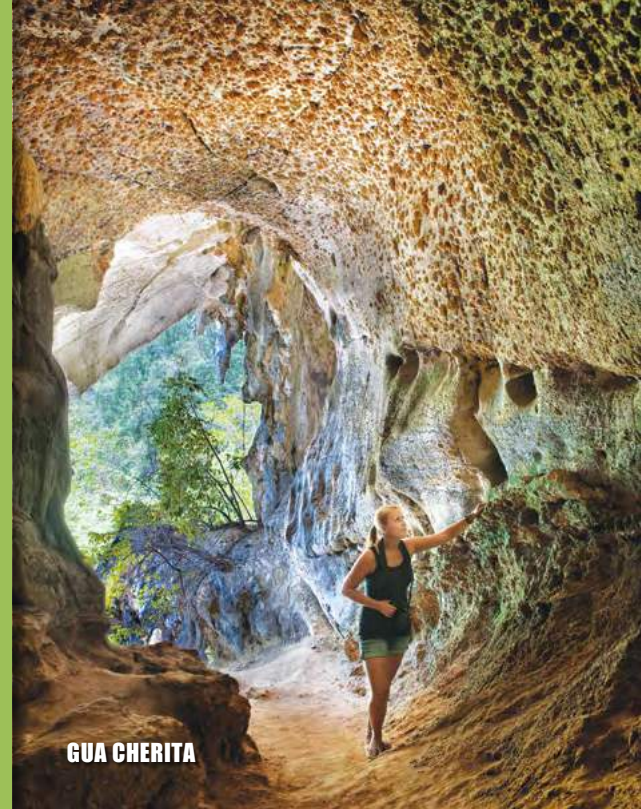
4 TEMURUN WATERFALL

Immerse yourself in the large clearwater pool at the bottom of Langkawi's tallest waterfall, located in a secluded rainforest.

5 DINING AT CAPTAIN'S GRILL, SHERATON LANGKAWI

The perfect 5-star close to a fabulous day. Beautiful deck setting with superb views of the Andaman Sea. Exquisite buffet and à la carte selections.

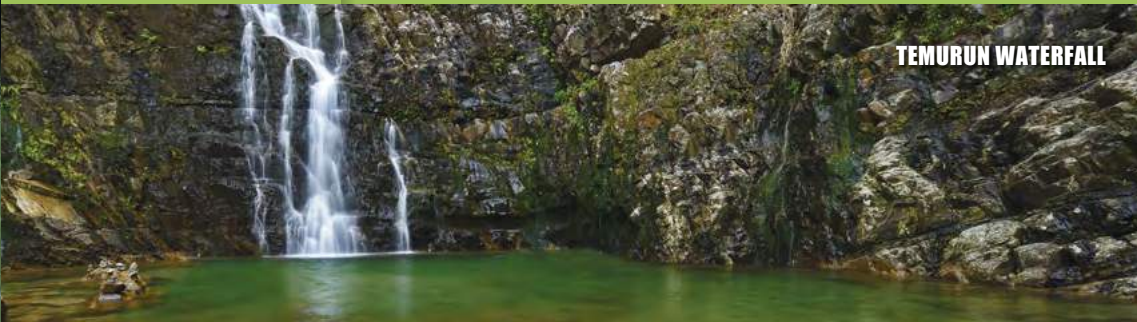
Open Daily : 6.30 pm - 11 pm
T +604 953 3228



GUA CHERITA



CAPTAIN'S GRILL



TEMURUN WATERFALL

**DAY
SEVEN**

CHILL & THRILL

Enjoy a leisurely day in and around Pantai Cenang, Langkawi's beachcomber paradise. A museum, an aquarium, penguins (!), some great food and just chilling out at the beach – what a cool way to wrap up your stay!

PANTAI CENANG

ROCKHOPPER PENGUIN



1 UNDERWATER WORLD LANGKAWI

Visit one of the largest aquariums in Asia, with over 3,000 marine and freshwater fish, plus birds, reptiles, amphibians, and a special treat – a large collection of adorable rockhopper and African penguins!

Open Daily: 10 am - 6 pm
Public Holiday: 9.30 am - 6.30 pm

T +604 955 6100

2 LAMAN PADI (RICE MUSEUM)

Tour the world's only museum dedicated to rice production, culture and history, featuring several active paddy fields in various stages of cultivation.

Open Daily: 12 pm - 11 pm
T +604 959 3099 / 955 4312
E nazri@ladaeco.my

3 LUNCH AT SEASHELLS, LAMAN PADI

Follow up your visit to Laman Padi with lunch at its own restaurant. Serving Malay fusion and Western favourites, with terrace seating overlooking the paddy fields for a truly one-off dining experience.

Open Daily: 10 am - 6 pm
T +604 955 4312

4 PANTAI CENANG

Time to hit the beach! Pantai Cenang is Langkawi's most popular beach, offering great swimming, body surfing, banana boat, paragliding, jet skiing and more.

5 DINING AT TULSI GARDEN

Fine Indian cuisine in casual ambiance on Pantai Tengah. Sit in air conditioned comfort inside, or enjoy the outdoor terrace seating under the stars.

Open Daily : 12 pm - 11 pm
T +604 955 3011

SEASHELLS CHENANG



PADDY FARMING AT LAMAN PADI



TULSI GARDEN

Tulsi Garden
Restaurant & Bar

North-South Indian Food
Seafood • Steamboat
Vegetarian • Non-Vegetarian
Tandoori • Grill • Barbecue
Pati • Steam • Bread • Coffee • Juice • Lassi • Ice Cream



**PANTAI
TANJUNG RHU**



**OUR
BEACH
MENU**

Isn't it amazing that one island could have so many different types of beaches? Langkawi surprises again and again with its idyllic beaches (or 'pantai' in Malay). There's popular Pantai Cenang, ideal for beach activities such as jet skiing, parasailing, banana boat riding and more. Next door is Pantai Tengah, another west-facing beach with the same great sunsets, but a little quieter scene. For even less people and distractions, there's Pantai Kok or Teluk Datai with its coral reef, and scenic Pantai Tanjung Rhu and Pantai Pasir Tengorak. And don't forget to check out Langkawi's very own black sand beach, Pantai Pasir Hitam.



PANTAI KOK



TELUK DATAI



PANTAI PASIR HITAM



PANTAI PASIR TENGKORAK



PANTAI CENANG



PANTAI TENGAH

GETTING AROUND

CAR RENTAL/HIRE

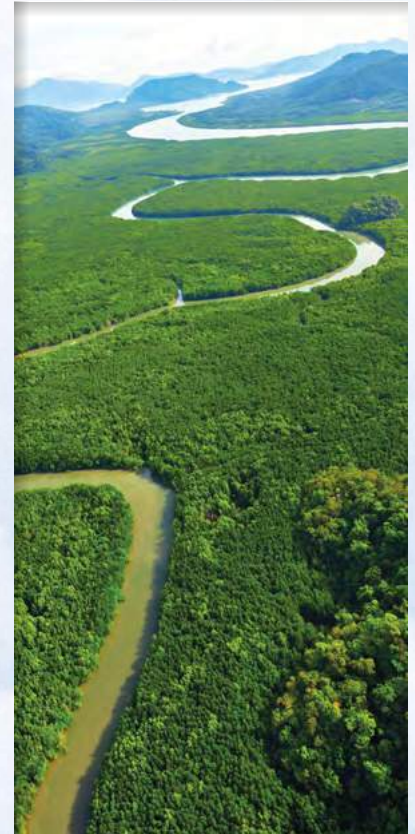
Roads in Langkawi are well signposted and in good condition so hiring a car for self-drive adventures is a good option. You will need to watch out for motorbike riders, the occasional water buffalo that may wander onto the road and wildlife crossing. It is recommended that you use a licensed and insured car rental company to prevent any unpleasant incidents in the event of an accident.

TAXI

Taxis are readily available and resort staff can make bookings for you. Taxis work on a fixed price basis and we recommend you check the rate card where your fare is quoted. Some taxi drivers speak English better than others and they can be useful for round-island trips as they can show you many points of interest. Taxis can be hired from the airport, all hotels and from major attractions.

USEFUL CONTACTS

Emergency services (Police/Ambulance/Fire Dept.)	999
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International Operator	103
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Tourism Malaysia	+604 966 7789
Custom Office, Airport	+604 955 1832
Immigration Department	+604 956 1400
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Taxi, Airport	+604 955 1800
Langkawi International Airport	+604 955 1311
Malaysia Airlines (MAS)	1 300 88 3000
Air Asia	+604 955 7750
Firefly	+604 955 9622
Silk Air	+604 955 9771
Malindo Air	+603 784 5388
Langkawi Development Authority (LADA) (Tourism Division)	+604 960 0600



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Azure Adventures

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Best Star Holiday Sdn Bhd

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Crystal Yatch Holidays Travel & Tour

T +604 955 7475 | F +604 955 7476

De Baron Resort Sdn Bhd

T +604 966 2223 | F +604 966 2228

Dev's Adventure Tours

T +6019 494 9193 | F +604 955 4892

Discovery Overland Holidays Sdn Bhd

T +604 959 2928 | F +604 959 2969

Dayang Travel & Tour Sdn Bhd

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Rojam New Adventure Holiday Sdn Bhd

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Rahmat Holiday Travel & Tours Sdn Bhd

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Sala Travel & Tours Sdn Bhd

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