



Surin Moken Experience - r2bt

Trip summary	2 days / 1 nights - 2 days, 1 nights Private Tour Surin Islands
Getting there	Tour starts and ends at AD office in Kuraburi
In-country support	International staff, local Moken guide, bilingual Thai/English translator, visitor's handbook
What's included	Transfers during the tour, accommodation, activities and meals as stated in the program
Availability	Mid October 2019 – Mid May 2020

Take a unique private tour of Koh Surin with the original inhabitants of this tropical paradise, the indigenous Moken people. Bask in the natural beauty of the Surin Islands while you immerse in Moken Life and snorkel the crystal waters of the Andaman Sea. Help conserve the Moken's unique culture by your participation in this private tour

Day 1 Moken Village Visit

Morning Meet your translator at the Andaman Discoveries office for a pre-trip briefing and then transfer to the Kuraburi Pier. Depart for Koh Surin by speedboat. Check into your tent accommodations at the National Park Headquarters. Meet your local guide and take a long tail boat trip to the Moken village. A tour around the village is an insight into the intricate relationship between the Moken and their surrounding environment. Learn about the brightly colored "Spirit Poles" and Moken homes, built on wooden stilts directly on the beach.

Participate in a handicraft workshop and learn the traditional art of Moken weaving. Use forest Pandanus leaves to weave a natural bracelet. Keep it as a souvenir and show off to your friends at home

Noon Have a packed lunch under the shade of a tree on a beach near the village. Forest hike - your Moken guide will highlight useful plants, including medicinal herbs, edible species, and those used in construction of traditional houseboats

Snorkeling - coral reef exploration with Moken guide. Your guide will take you to a wonderland of colorful tropical fish and allow you to witness the impressive Moken swimming techniques. End your day with your Moken guide and return to the park headquarters to relax and enjoy the sunset from the white sand beach

Evening Dinner at the park headquarter restaurant and spend the evening at your leisure

Overnight: Koh Surin National Park, tents on the beach with bedding provided;

Electricity generated from 6-10 pm

Day 2 Mythology of the Moken

Morning Breakfast at the park headquarters restaurant. Reunite with your Moken guide for more snorkeling at a new site or another visit to the village

Noon Return to the park headquarters to have a Thai style lunch. Pack your belongings and prepare for departure from the island. Depart Koh Surin by speedboat to Kuraburi Pier. Transfer back to Kuraburi town to end your program

Moken Music Activity- Listen to beautiful songs that tell stories and the history of the Moken people. Day of Moken music will be decided by guide.

