

LVL02-3D2N-LP
3 Days Luang Prabang
Validity: 01 Jun 2016 – 31 Dec 2017

ITINERARY

DAY 1: LUANG PRABANG – ARRIVAL (Ni)

On arrival at the airport, you will be met and transferred to check in the hotel. The rest of the day is your own time at leisure.

Overnight in Luang Prabang

DAY 2: LUANG PRABANG – PAK OU CAVES – KUANG SI WATERFALLS (B/L/D)

In the morning, we embark on a cruise upstream on the Mekong River, which also gives us a breathtaking view of the tranquil countryside, before reaching the mysterious **Pak Ou Caves**, two linked caves crammed with thousands of gold lacquered Buddha statues of various shapes and sizes left by pilgrims. En route, you will stop at Ban Muang Keo, a well-known village for its traditional Lao rice whisky distilling. You will arrive back in Luang Prabang.

Laos is also known for its traditional crafts, we will take a short visit to the **Ock Pop Tock Living Craft Center**, where you will have a short tour so you get information about Silk, about weaver, about the Women that work in the Centre.

This then takes us to the beautiful **Kuang Si Waterfall** where you can cool off with a refreshing swim in the pools or walk along the forest trails.

Before returning to Luang Prabang, we stop to visit the **Kuang Si Falls Butterfly Park** (closed on Tuesday, and from 03rd May to 19th June every year), one of the must-visit spots, where you can have an optional 15 minute tour to learn about butterflies and local flora.

Overnight in Luang Prabang

DAY 3: VIENTIANE – BUDDHA PARK – DEPARTURE (B)

An early start gives you the fantastic opportunity to participate in the daily morning rituals of saffron-clad monks collecting offerings of Alms (ubiquitous sticky rice) from the faithful residents. This tradition is very unique in Laos, being the only Buddhist nation still preserving the procession. From there, we will take a short visit to the morning local market near the Royal Palace. At the market, you can find anything from rice, to fresh vegetables, to steamed fish, frogs, and anything else that might be the day's catch, just set up on the ground, this is what the locals do every day. This is really the chance for you to get a real flavor of the local culture.

After breakfast, your city tour begins with a visit to the **Royal Palace Museum**, which hosts a range of interesting artifacts. From there, we ascend the 329 steps to the top of Phousi Hill for the panoramic view of the city and the Mekong River. We then head to the magnificent **Wat Xiengthong** with its roofs sweeping low to the ground, which represents classical Laotian architecture. We are then free before taking the departure flight

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