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SAM VEASNA CONSERVATION
TOURS

HALF DAY AROUND KBAL SPEAN



Birding and rural Cambodia

The Siem Reap River originates in the sacred mountain of Phnom Kulen, some 50km northeast of Siem Reap. Our route passes through timeless rural Cambodian villages and countryside before we stop at the dry deciduous forest near the slopes of the mountains.

Day 1: Kbal Spean



"We had a fantastic trip with Sam Veasna Center - they were super communicative in the days leading up to our trip with lots of advice on what we should expect and what to wear. We had Hat as our guide who picked us up early in the morning, had our breakfast prepped (with coffee!) and gave us a ton of information on the area and conservation efforts in Cambodia.

We saw a lot of species of birds - it was our first time and our guide really helped us through the process of what to watch and listen for. They have superior equipment which helped us spot the birds and even take some fantastic photos through it.

We also got the chance to visit historic temples and learn the history of the area. All in all, the tour was a highlight of our visit to Cambodia. The tour is expensive, but definitely, worth the money - it is so well-run and organized, you get the benefit of an experienced guide and it is in support of a great cause."

Huma Imtiaz, USA, 24th November 2019

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DAY 1: KBAL SPEAN

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For full Kbal Spean bird list: [CLICK HERE](#)

05:30 - Pick Up

Pick up at your Siem Reap hotel in our aircon 4x4 by your English speaking bird guide.

07:30 – Breakfast and birding

Delicious packed breakfast whilst birdwatching on the road and in dry deciduous forest. We hope to see White-rumped Pygmy Falcon and Black-headed Woodpecker.

09:00 – Kbal Spean hill

Puff-throated Babbler and White-rumped Shama are common, and we will also see a range of other species such as Asian Fairy Bluebird and Black Giant Squirrel.

12:00 – Return to Siem Reap

Return to your hotel in Siem Reap.



Drive Time:

1.5 hours

Walking Distance:

3-5km

Key Species:

White-rumped Pygmy-pygmy Falcon, Black-headed Woodpecker, Brown Prinia, Indochinese Bushlark and other common DDF habitat species.

Habitat:

Semi-evergreen forest, mountain and waterfall.

