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SAM VEASNA CONSERVATION
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HALF DAY BIRDING IN SIEM REAP



Half day of action packed birding

If you want to see some of the great birds that occur around Siem Reap but are pressed for time, why not head out with one of the SVC guides for a half-day trip to some of our local patches? We regularly see over 50 species at sites that are just a short (15-20 minute) tuk-tuk or car ride from the center of Siem Reap.

Day 1: Siem Reap (Morning Start- 05:30, Afternoon Start- 14:30)

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Morning Start

05:30 - Pick Up

Pick up from Hotel.

06.00 - Phnom Kroam

This site is just a quick 30 minute ride from Siem Reap, reachable by tuk-tuk, bicycle or auto. We bird the variety of habitats near the solitary peak that is crowned by a pre-Angkorian temple. Phnom

Kroam sits on the edge of Tonle Sap lake and overlooks rice paddies, lotus ponds, open water and floodplain scrub habitat.

A typical trip brings 50 to 60 species over a 3 hour period. Similar areas nearby are sometimes used if conditions warrant. These include the paddies and scrub beyond Chereav and the Wat Chedai area.

09:00 to 11:00 - Return to your hotel

We are flexible but 11:00 is the latest we can stay out birding.

Afternoon Start

14:30 - Pick Up

Pick up from Hotel.

15:00 - Phnom Kroam

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18:00 to 19:00 - Return to Hotel

Drive Time:

1 hour

Walking Distance:

2-4km

Key Species:

Chestnut-capped Babbler, Bright-headed Cisticola, Pheasant-tailed Jacana, Lesser Coucal, Large-hawk Cuckoo, Chestnut-winged Cuckoo, Cinnamon Bittern, Yellow Bittern, Black Bittern, Baya Weaver, Black-browed Reed Warbler, Oriental Reed Warbler, Watercock and other wetland bird species. Plus Watercock, Blue-throated Bee-eater and Greater Painted Snipe at certain times of the year.

Habitat:

Accessible all year, with a turnover of species throughout the year.

