

# Tour 6 - Maemae<sup>1</sup> - (2 days)

# 9550 bahts - (approximately 318\$ CAD) Single price up to 9 persons

# **Activities**

# Day 1 - From Chiang Mai to Maemae

NOTE: Maemae is a 2 hours ride from Chiang Mai.

#### Reach Maemae and hike in the mountain

(1000 bahts for taxi pick up round trip) - The slope is very steep, so a special vehicle will take you to Maemae. Upon arrival to the village, travelers can take an hour walk in an hallucinating landscape. The trail follows softly the forest and the valley. Level: easy.

**Note**: taxi pick up is payable on spot and is already deducted from the price of the minivan. Pong's minivan will stay at Chiang Dao and Pong will stay with the travelers.

# Sauna (100 bahts per person)

Have a sauna, in nature, as made traditionally. Enter a heated wooden hut and enjoy the cold water fountain directly pulled from the river. Very relaxing.

### Massage (200 bahts per person)

Have a massage in the peacefull atmosphere of the mountain. Enjoy a traditional massage by the ladies of the village. This art has been transmitted from mothers to daughters for generations.

#### Overnight stay at Maemae

 $^{\rm 1}$  - English transcription of the name of a small village called «River Mae».



# Day 2 - From Maemae to Chiang Mai

# **Tour in the village of Maemae**

Perched on the mount Chiang Dao the village of Maemae is one of the most beautiful villages of Thailand. Its unique street follows the cliff made by the mountain stream Mae. A village of another world, of another century, where very few travelers go. Level: easy.

#### **Market visit**

On your way to Chiang Dao from Chiang Mai discover in the old fashioned market the richness of Thailand: fruits, vegetables, grocer's shops, butcher's shops, fishmonger's shops, delicacies...See also some food of the etnic minorities: snakes, frogs, insects...

### Visit a factory of handmade paper

You will be amazed to learn which vegetal fibres are used by the craftsmen to create beautiful handmade paper and objects.

Note: the factory is closed on holidays.

# Orchid farm and butterfly farm visits (40 bahts / person)

The orchid is the most beautifull flower of Thailand. You will see hundreds of vivid colour species and then will be delighted by the butterfly farm. It occurs to be a great place to buy elegant jewelry made of orchid petals and butterfly wings. Marvellous!

## Overnight stay at Chiang Mai

The price includes the minivan, the driver, the gasoline, the transportation to restaurants for dinner and supper and the driver's meals.



The baht value is generally between 29 to 31 bahts for 1 canadian dollar. For information purposes only we have calculated our prices using the value of 30 bahts for 1 canadian dollar.

Meals, accommodations, and activities are at the expense of the traveler.

The price of the activities are payable on the site. Prices are decided by the suppliers and can change without notice. Pong is not responsible for these changes.

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