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- 26 January – 5 February 2019
- 11 DAYS – 5 ROUNDS OF GOLF
- Only limited seats available

Welcome to heaven on earth. Angkor is the earthly representation of Mt Meru, the Mt Olympus of the Hindu faith and the abode of ancient gods. The temples are the perfect fusion of creative ambition and spiritual devotion. The Cambodian ‘god-kings’ of old each strove to better their ancestors in size, scale and symmetry, culminating in the world’s largest religious building, Angkor Wat.

Cambodia’s sleepy towns and cities are a delight, with their faded colonial architecture and old-fashioned charm, while in the countryside a host of memorable landscapes await, from the mighty Mekong River and great Tonle Sap lake to the remote forested highlands of Rattanakiri, Mondulkiri and the Cardamom Mountains.

Our carefully crafted Cambodia Escorted Tour will give you an insight into the country’s rich history and experiences. While you are enjoying your golf with us, you will be witnessing Cambodia’s local experiences led by our local expert.

Come and join us on this golf holiday of a lifetime!

Program Highlights:

- Visit Cambodia with a combination of both golf and cultural tour
- Angkor Signature tours give the best highlights of Angkor Wat & Complex, avoiding the crowd as much as possible
- Insider into Siem Reap and country side tour gives the best hideouts of Siem Reap, local culture, ways of living and ending at authentic Khmer cuisine at local house
- Golfing at Ancient City
- Fly to the capital and understand the history of Khmer Rouge, the modern city and the art of Khmer paintings
- Unspoilt local weaving island in the middle of the Mekong River just 15 minutes out of the capital
- Golf in the capital and enjoy the night life of evening foodie tour
- Vespa Adventure Tour followed by farewell dinner on the last evening
- English speaking golf tour leader throughout the program

Itinerary:

Day 1: Arrival in Siem Reap

Arrive in Siem Reap and transfer to your hotel for check in. Welcome dinner at Mahob Restaurant where we will get to know each other. Later, return to your hotel for accommodation. Overnight at hotel.

Day 2: Full day Angkor Signature Tour



An incredible day of sightseeing begins at dawn, with sunrise over Angkor Wat. Packed breakfast at Angkor Wat (you can have in vehicle after Angkor if you like) after exploring the site, we drive direct to Banteay Srey (Pink Sandstone carvings). Journey break to see palm sugar being made in one of the villages. Arrive at Banteay Srey, built by a Brahman in the 10th Century, this temple was dedicated to Shiva. The famous pink sandstone structure bears a series of beautiful sculptures, lintels, pediments and friezes. It is said they must have been carved by women as the detail is too fine for the hands of a man. This gives us the origin of the Khmer name, Fortress of the Women. Lunch at Bong Thom Homestay.

Later, we continue to visit Ta Prohm (Jungle-tomb raider temple). Through Victory gate into Angkor Thom, Terrace of elephants on foot and continue on foot until after Bayon. After enjoying the great bass reliefs you can then climb up and wait a while before the temple becomes really magical. Return to hotel after a long and busy day.

Day 3: Golf at Siem Reap Boo Young Country Club



Breakfast at hotel and transfer to golf course for 1 round of 18 holes including caddie and cart.

After game, return back to hotel and leisure.
Overnight at hotel.

Day 4: Golf at Phokeethra Country Club



Breakfast at hotel and transfer to golf course for 1 round of 18 holes including caddie and cart.

After game, return back to hotel and leisure.
Overnight at hotel.

Day 5: Siem Reap Country Side



The day in Siem Reap is activity packed and gives local insight into many aspects of the extraordinary everyday life in Cambodia. These activities vary from witnessing the wondrous gathering of Sugar Palm juice, to displays of exotic fruits & foods at a bustling local market, and from spiritual blessing to having your fortune told – Khmer style. Meeting the people of Cambodia throughout the day at each unique stop will make you leave with a

different view on this beautiful country than when you arrived.

You are also invited to visit and experience one of the most extraordinary remnants of the Khmer Empire, where a spectacular temple restoration is ongoing, outside of the famous Angkor Wat complex. Zooming around the countryside on Vespa scooters will provide a refreshing breeze until we arrive at our own beautiful and private farm side picnic spot, where you will have a great local lunch overlooking beautiful rice paddies. Here you can soak up the countryside surroundings and relax while sipping on some cold drinks and dining on delicious Cambodian cuisine. Later, we return to your hotel.

Day 6: Golf at Angkor Golf Resort



Breakfast at hotel and transfer to golf course for 1 round of 18 holes including caddie and cart.

After game, return back to hotel and leisure.
Overnight at hotel.

Day 7: Fly to Phnom Penh



Breakfast at hotel. We then transfer to the airport for your flight to Phnom Penh. Upon arrival, you will be transferred to your hotel.

This morning, we visit the Royal Palace, located on the shores of the Mekong. Inside its walls are the Throne Hall, the Chan Chaya Pavilion, used for performances of classical dance, the Napoleon III Pavilion, and the King and Queen's residential quarters. Next stop will be the Silver Pagoda, home to a glittering array of Buddhist statuary. The Silver Pagoda is also called the Pagoda of the Emerald Buddha; it is located in the walls of the Royal Palace. Inside, its floor is made up of 5,000 silver blocks. In the center of the pagoda, there is a magnificent 17th century emerald Buddha statue made of baccarat crystal. The walls enclosing the pagoda are covered with frescoes depicting episodes from the Khmer version of the Ramayana. We continue to visit the National Museum, home to the world's leading collection of Khmer sculpture. Situated near the Royal Palace, Cambodia's National Museum offers a charming setting for the stunning collection of Khmer art. Predominantly worked in stone, the sculptures date from both the Angkorean and pre-Angkorean eras, complimented by more recent examples of Cambodian art. The museum is housed in a terracotta-roofed structure of traditional Cambodian design, which was built between 1917 and 1920. We visit the Central and Russian Markets. The Central Market (Psar Thmey) is distinctive for its central domed building built by the French in 1937 with 4 wings leading off it. The Russian Market (Psar Toul Tom Pong) is an excellent place to pick up a few bargains, especially antiques, souvenirs and cheap brand-name clothes.

After visit, return back to hotel and overnight at hotel.

Day 8: Golf at Grand Phnom Penh Country Club



Breakfast at hotel and transfer to golf course for 1 round of 18 holes including caddie and cart.

After game, return back to hotel and leisure.
Overnight at hotel.

Day 9: Golf at Garden City Golf Club



Breakfast at hotel and transfer to golf course for 1 round of 18 holes including caddie and cart.

After game, return back to hotel and leisure.
Overnight at hotel.

Day 10: Phnom Penh – Koh Dech Island



The small island of Koh Dech in the middle of Mekong River, preserves the rich traditions of authentic Cambodian culture: village women weave by hand delicate silks, while, just down the orchard lane, monks wearing brilliant saffron robes collect morning alms.

Early morning, we pick you up from your hotel and transfer by private van to the local ferry near Chhroy Chanvar district. A short crossing across the Mekong River, we'll take to bikes on the rusty banks of Koh Dach to explore the island's authenticities.

You may have a chance to visit local school, local pagodas, and the best spot to take photo toward Phnom Penh City. We continue cycle past historic Khmer temples and the local school before heading to Phnom Penh at the Naga Jetty. It is about gentle ride with 30 Km in total and suitable for any level. This is a kind of clockwise biking through the island.

Depending on the recent rainfall, you can possibly expect the island's dirt roads to be bumpy. Finally, we cross the ferry back to Phnom Penh and transfer to your hotel. Lunch is included.

Afternoon at leisure until we take you out for Farewell Dinner followed by foodie tour Vespa Adventure Bikes around Phnom Penh by stopping at local vendors, the best local street food, riding through the early evening, stopping at local beer garden and enjoy the ways of local life and find out the secret night out. Later, we return to your hotel.

Day 11: Departure

Breakfast at your hotel. Later, leisure until we transfer to airport for your departure flight.

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Package Inclusions:

- 3 rounds of golf in Siem Reap
- 2 rounds of golf in Phnom Penh
- 6 nights' accommodation in Siem Reap – 5* Sokha Angkor Resort or Similar
- 4 nights' accommodation in Phnom Penh with Palace Gate Hotel or Similar
- Daily breakfast
- One caddie per golfer at each golf course (caddie fees included but not caddie tips)
- Shared Golf carts as mentioned in the itinerary
- All airport, land, and golf course transfers by standard 45 seats bus
- Daily drinking water
- 24/7 golf hotline staffed by knowledgeable service personnel
- Local knowledge, expertise, suggestions, and support throughout trip
- All taxes and compulsory service charges
- English speaking guide for excursion and airport transfer
- Golf representative for golf transfer
- Welcome Dinner Mahob Khmer Authentic Restaurant
- Farewell Dinner followed by Vespa Adventure in Phnom Penh
- Meals where mentioned
- Domestic Airfare between Siem Reap and Phnom Penh with Bassakar Airlines. (20KG Per person officially)
- Pro-guiding training section prior to the tour start
- English Speaking Golf Tour Leader for throughout the tour

Package Exclusions:

- International Airfare to/ from Cambodia
- Airport taxes, visa fees
- Personal items, meals (other than those mentioned), gratuities
- Service not mentioned in program
- Travel Insurance (we can offer you if needed)

Package Pricing:

- Price per golfer: USD 2,050 twin sharing occupancy
- Price per golfer: USD 2,750 single occupancy

Accommodation:

- Siem Reap: **4.5* Sokha Siem Reap Resort** / Deluxe Pool View Room
- Phnom Penh: **5* Sokha Hotel Phnom Penh** / Deluxe Room

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