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Luxury Tented Camp

Allow yourself to be immersed into the glory of nature – in this luxurious yet natural setting, let time stand still, as we provide unrivaled hospitality to nurture your soul to awareness of connection and relaxation beyond compare.

Visama has it roots in the ancient Sanskrit meaning "to journey". We invite you to book one of our 10 bespoke luxury tents to embark on your Visama journey in the heart of the Lanna region of Mae Chan, Chiang Rai.

Visama Experiences

Visama • 3 Days 2 Nights

• Duration: 3 Days 2 Nights Max Adult: 2 Max Children: 2

Experience the magic of Chiang Rai's authentic charms with Visama Mae Chan. Enjoy an all-inclusive package and experience signature daily activities that inspire you.

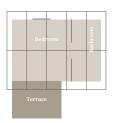
Visama • 4 Days 3 Nights

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Embark on an unforgettable journey to Mae Chan and Chiang Rai and immerse yourself in the rich culture, all while indulging in the opulence of Visama-style luxury.

Our Luxury Tents

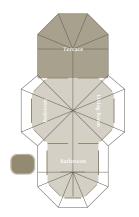
Indulge in a unique and luxurious experience with our tented camp, where modern comforts blend seamlessly with the surrounding natural beauty. Each spacious tent is meticulously designed, offering you an unparalleled level of comfort and tranquility. Fall asleep under a canopy of stars, surrounded by the sounds of nature, and wake up to breathtaking views of the mountains. Our attentive staff ensures ev ery detail is handled, providing a truly unforgettable stay.



Visama 'Akha' Superior & Deluxe Safari Tent

Size: 36 Sqm & 12 Sqm Covered Veranda

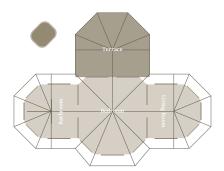
- Luxury Standard Fitout
- Intent Bathroom (Rain Shower)
- King Size Bed
- Seamlessly blends adventure and luxury
- Provides an extraordinary safari experience



Visama 'Yao' Deluxe Studio Safari Tent

Size: 40 Sqm & 12 Sqm Covered Veranda

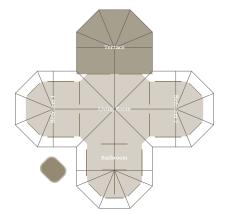
- Luxury Standard Fit Out
- Intent Bathroom (Rain Shower)
- Corridor Bathub
- King Size Bed
- Seamlessly blends adventure with luxury
- Offers an unparalleled safari experience in the wild



Visama 'Lahu' One Bedroom Suite Tent

Size: 50 Sqm & 20 Sqm Covered Veranda

- Luxury Standard Fitout
- King Size Bed
- Living Room
- Dining Area
- Nespresso Machine
- Offers wilderness luxury
- An unforgettable retreat



Visama 'Lisu' Two Bedroom Suite Tent

Size: 60 Sqm & 20 Sqm Covered Veranda

- Luxury Standard Fitout
- Two King Size Bedrooms
- Living Room
- Dining Area
- Nespresso Machine
- Offers opulent wilderness luxury
- Set amidst the beauty of nature

In Tent Amenities

Electric Kettle



Telephone



Glass bottled drinking water



Hair Dryer



Wifi



Refrigerator/ Mini Bar



Private Ecofriendly

Shopping Bag

Bathtub

Safety Deposit Box



Umbrellas

His and Hers Bathrobes & Slippers



Special amenities on request



French Press for Locally Grown Arabica Coffee



Towel



Flashlight



First Aid support from the Reception



Espresso Machine with Locally Grown Arabica Coffee in capsules



Toiletries



Rain Shower



24 hour concierge contact to our team



Dining & Facilities

Indulge your senses with our beautiful culinary offerings that showcase the flavors of Chiang Rai. Our talented chefs skillfully blend local ingredients and international influences to create a gastronomic journey that will delight even the most discerning palates. Savor the authentic flavors of traditional Thai cuisine, relish in delectable international dishes, and enjoy dining amidst the stunning vistas of our resort. Let your taste buds embark on an exquisite culinary adventure like no other.





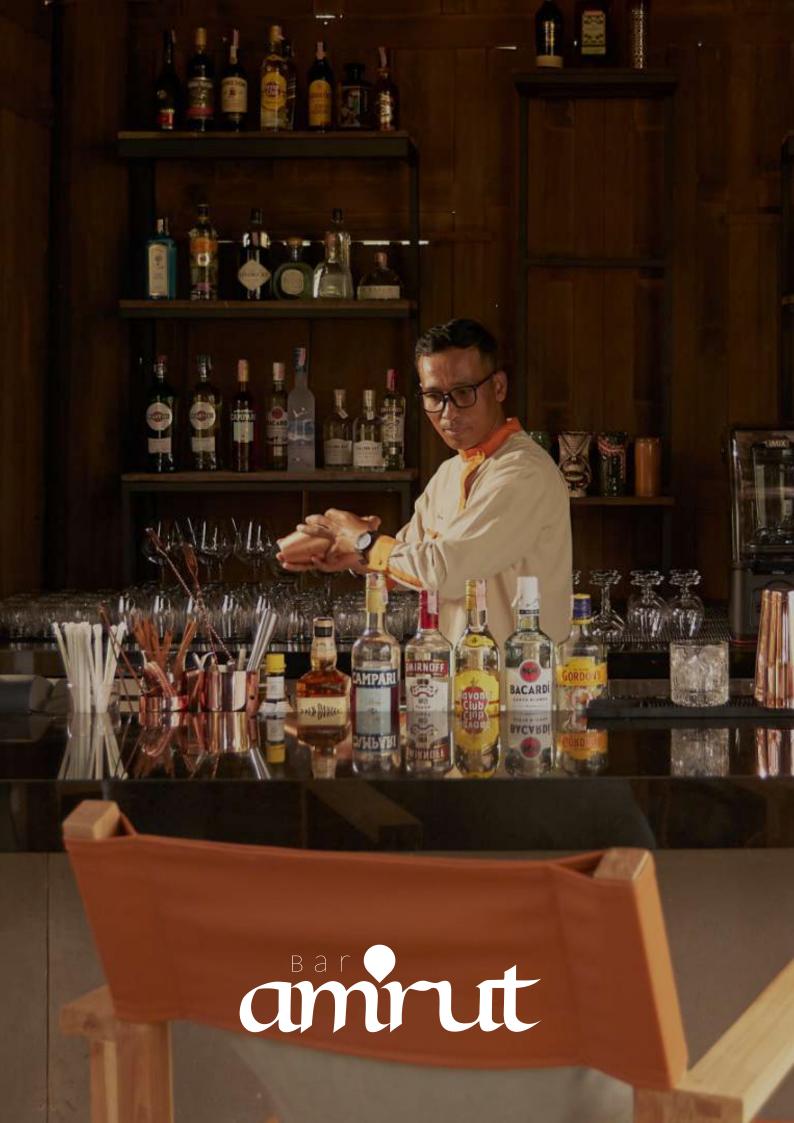
REU DOO GAAN is a timeless restaurant with a blend of authentic Thai Lanna culinary delights and western & global dishes to suit all ages and tastes. The majority of our products sourced for REU DOO GAAN sits firmly in the great products freshly produced in the Mae Chan district bringing together a healthy yet tasty variety of spices, herbs, vegetables, fish and meats. As fresh from the harvest the cuisine is created to delight and inspire the most delicate of palates.

Nestled adjacent to the reception patio, **REU DOO GAAN** boasts a timeless and romantic design that opens up on three sides, granting you panoramic views of the serene lake, lush rice paddy fields, and majestic mountains. Our restaurant's architecture takes inspiration from the contemporary Thai style, seamlessly blending it with the cozy charm of rustic wooden elements. **REU DOO GAAN** – A fun destination to enjoy authentic culinary preparations in a divine natural setting.

Open every day from 6.30 am – 10 pm. Enjoy our all day breakfast, lunch or dinner – we are designed for every time zone.

Reservations recommended for our popular dinner hours from 6pm to 10pm.

Contact us: 064 469 6111





Bar Amrut "THE NECTAR OF THE GODS "

This delightful bar facing onto the restaurant is as in the old caravanserai's where hospitality originated an oasis of calm relaxed enjoyment. AMRUT derives its name from Sanskrit meaning the Nectar of the Gods.

The Bar Amrut will feature a variety of single malts, heritage gins, fine wines, cooling ales and beers as well as alcoholic and non alcoholic signature cocktails. Our Lanna inspired bar snacks are served to acquaint travellers and guests with the tastes and feelings of the ancient Lanna Kingdom.

Our amazing Chiang Rai coffee in dark and medium roasts served chilled, hot and with special ingredients are ideal for that early morning recharge.

Bar Amrut has been curated in this 145-year-old Thai House with a timeless yet engaging spirit – a venue where the day's tales and adventures are reflected upon in creating delicious and inspirational cocktails.

Join us at Bar Amrut and embark on a journey where flavors, ambiance, and aesthetics harmonize to create an exceptional sensory adventure. The Bar Amrut is open every day from 7 am – 11 pm.



The Ambalama At Visama



A very special experience for our guests are special evenings at the Ambalama – The Ambalama is a venue for guests and travelers to gather and socialize. In ancient times guests would meet around a fireplace exchange ideas, debate and indulge in lively conversations often leading to lifelong memories and friendships.

In various parts of Asia the Ambalama as a gathering place has existed for a very long time – in Sri Lanka for example Ambalamas built 2000 years ago can still be found. In Thailand we refer to these spaces as Salas the only difference being the Ambalama is open air around a fireplace.

The Ambalama at Visama is a special venue for Cinema Paradiso Evenings – for screenings of great movies under the starlit skies of Mae Chan. Every week our Tented Camp Team host an evening to welcome our guests and friends. For special events from weddings to parties in the open countryside nothing beats and evening in the Ambalama at Visama. Our Visama Daily News bulletin will highlight these events and our Tented Camp Team will be sure you are abreast of events.

For reservations please contact our Event Butler at the Reception area in the Bar Amrut.



The Sala



A venue to meditate, to join our yoga, tai chi and Thai martial arts classes, The gong at the Sala brings in the changes each day flowing with the circadian rhythm of time. The Wellness Sala at Visama Presents

Visama of Union of Body & Mind Daily meditations Arrangements made by our Event Team and we have daily meditations.

Narrations on wellness, sustainability, and community – Weekly talks at the Ambalama Through the Calendar Year we will invite distinguished speakers for sunset presentations at the Ambalama or in the Yoga Sala to narrate the very latest in health, wellness, community, and sustainability.

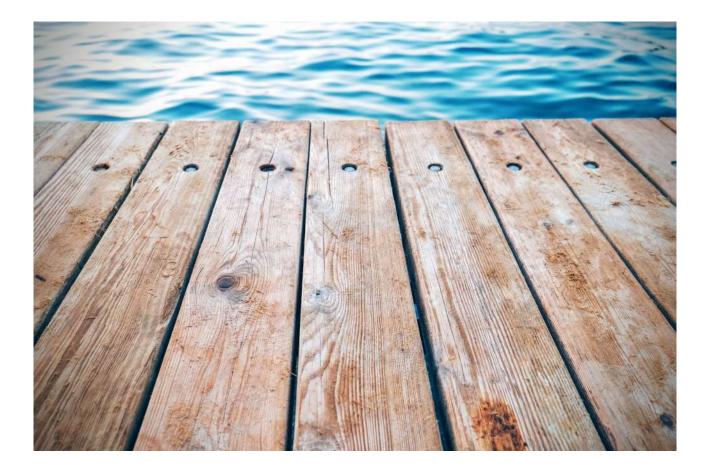
Visama Lanna Massages

By special arrangement with our Event Butler

As per calendar weekly



Earth Pond At Visama



18 x 3 m pool: the Oasis from the heat of the day.

A great place to rest and relax with stunning hillside views.

The pool is ideal for a leisurely swim or to fulfill your daily lap quota!

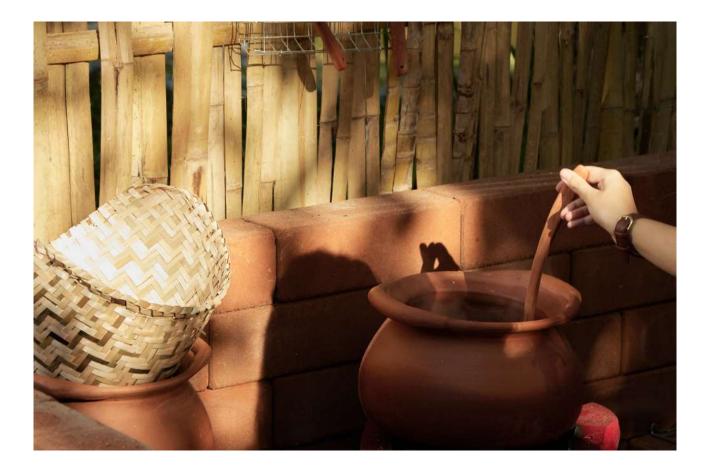
For everyone's safety and enjoyment, please observe the rules and regulations:

- Open daily from Sunrise to 9pm
- Shower before using the pool.
- Bathing suit and appropriate swimwear are required.
- Lifeguard not on duty so please insure you are able to swim.
- Children under 12 years must be accompanied by adults at all times.
- For safety reasons, please do not swim during rain or thunderstorm.
- Safeguard your personal belongings
- Pool towel service available.

Visama Mae Chan Experiences

Cultural, Heritage, Culinary Arts and Outdoor Adventures in Northern Thailand

Private Cooking School



Elevate your culinary skills with the help of our VISAMA chef's team, who specialize in using organic local food products and unique recipes to create unforgettable dining experiences. Learn from a true culinary expert and impress your friends and family with your own curated dishes.

Price: 2,750 THB

Where To Meet

At lobby 10 minutes prior activity time

What To Wear

Comfortable casual clothes ideally with a covered shoe for safety.

What The Hotel Will Provide

- Visama Apron
- Cooking Hat
- A bottle of water
- Head Chef & his Sous Chef will conduct classes with translation where needed.
- Cooking Certificate
- You will learn to use 100% organic products in the cooking process for great taste and healthy results.

Safety Tips

- Wash Your Hands & use of gloves in preparation.
- You will learn how to sharpen knives
- You will use blue boards for cutting seafoods, red boards for preparing meats and green boards for chopping vegetables.
- Learn how to light a fire safely and how to use all equipment safely.
- You will be shown specific utensils to use for different pans in the cooking process.

A Field or A Forest Picnic



Enjoy the romance of a field or forest picnic with specially prepared for your outing by our Head Chef and his team.

Price: 1,500 THB

Where To Meet

At lobby 10 minutes prior activity time

What To Wear

Comfortable shoes, light casual clothing, sunglasses and maybe a nice sunhat or umbrella – for the cool season on occasion a light sweater is ideal.

Visama Picnics by Design

- Visama Food Basket met with our Head Chef to select items for your private picnic.
- Cork mat, picnic table and foldable chairs, and folding umbrella for sun protection.
- Select your choice of beverages for your private picnic with our Head Chef.
- Mosquito Spray and sunscreen is advised.
- First Aid Kit for your personal safety.

Bike & Hike Adventure

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If you are looking for an adventurous mountain bike tour, the scenic Visama nearby is a great option. The tour takes you through diverse landscapes, and the natural beauty surrounding the route is breathtaking. You will come across hillsides covered with rice fields and local villages, adding to the overall charm of the region. During the tour, you will also stop at a hilltop access point to enjoy a private bar designed especially for you.

Price: 1,200 THB (Child) 2,000 THB (Adult)

Where To Meet

At lobby 10 minutes prior activity time

What To Wear

For Mountain Bikers recommend shorts with running or exercise shoes, light casual clothing, apply sunscreen and wear sunglasses braced in place by your bike helmet which we will provide.

For Hikers we recommend stronger covered shoes and long trousers and for longer hikes long sleeves for sun protection.

Your Mountain Bike Tour preparation

- Visama Mountain Bicycle
- Bike Helmet
- Riding Knee & Elbow Guard
- Mountain Bike Gloves
- Refreshing Drinks by Private Bar
- Sunscreen

Safety Tips for all levels of Mountain Biking and Hiking

- Our mountain bike leader will conduct a pre-tour safety briefing to insure you under stand safety rules of biking.
- Protect Your Head. Wear a Helmet.
- Set your bike seat height, our Event Team will check bike brakes, tires and function prior each outing and describe usage to you.
- Ride with care and safe distance to other bikers and follow our Mountain bike leader instructions.
- Be Visible. Exercise care in signaling left or right turns safely.





Archery is a sport that can be enjoyed by everyone! At Visama, there is a unique pleasure associated with every moment of the day. Archery, an activity known for centuries, has retained its traditional charm. If you've never tried it, why not try it this time? Join a friendly session with a qualified guide and enjoy archery target practice.

Price: 1,000 THB

Where To Meet

At lobby 10 minutes prior activity time

Dressing for Archery

Light comfortable clothing, sunscreen and maybe a nice cap or sunhat. Comfortable covered casual or running shoes ideal.

Archery Service and Equipment

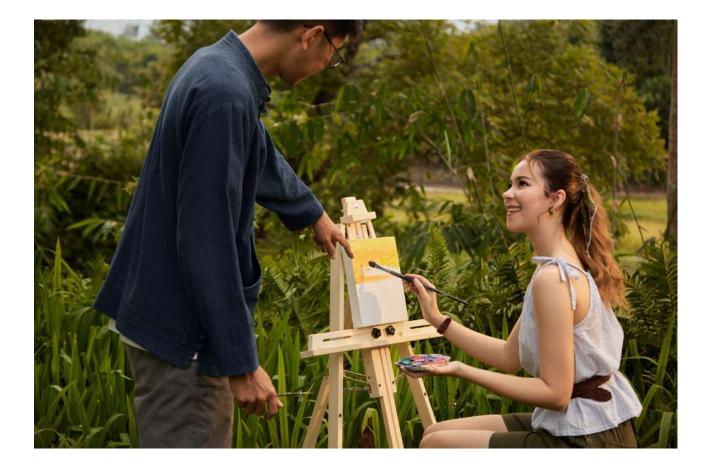
- Visama Archery Court & Equipment
- Our professional archery instructor
- Refreshing Drinks
- Cool Towels

Preparation and Safety instructions for Archers

- Have a proper archery target.
- Have a safe secondary backstop.
- Inspect the arrow.
- Match your arrows to your bow.
- Don't shoot at a high angle in the air.
- Archery safety rules for beginners, check your archery equipment.
- Check your regulations and rules.
- Adjusting the compound bow's draw weight.
- Stringing the bow safely.
- Broadhead arrow safety.

Art & Craft Workshop

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At Visama, we understand that life can be stressful and unwinding is necessary. Here, you can enjoy limitless activities. We recommend trying painting or making handmade clay pots. These activities can help you relax and rejuvenate.

Price: 3,250 THB (Acrylic) 3,250 THB (Coffee)

Dress code for the Artist

Comfortable casual clothing and for your protection we provide a Visama Artists Apron. For cooler days you may want to bring a scarf or light sweater. Casual shoes that are comfortable ideal.

The ingredients for your work of art to come to life!

- Local Professional Instructor
- Apron
- Full set of equipment
- Painting by Coffee Set
- Painting for Acrylic Set
- Lanna Flag (Tung Sai Moo) Making Set
- Clay Molding Set

Your Visama Art Journey

- Learn the right techniques.
- Look for safer alternatives.
- Keep materials in their original containers.
- Always follow the safety instructions on the labels.



Union Of Body & Mind



Visama invites you to embrace your inner peace and start your Sunday mornings off right with a 1-hour yoga class. Breathe in the fresh air and let your body relax, as you prepare for a day of tranquility and balance. Yoga mats and drinking water are provided to ensure a comfortable and rejuvenating experience for all guests.

Price: 3,000 THB

Where To Meet

At lobby 10 minutes prior activity time

Dress for Yoga

Ladies may want to wear yoga outfit with leotards or shorts.

Gentlemen we recommend shorts and ordinary exercise gear. We provide towels and drinks.

Your Yoga Class

- Local Professional Yoga Instructor
- Resistance Band
- Cork Mat
- Refreshing Drinks
- Towels

Principles for enjoying a great yoga session

- Avoid seeing Yoga as a competition – even with yourself
- Listen to your body and be in the moment
- Challenge yourself, don't strain yourself
- Forget about what you used to do
- Don't buy into "no pain, no gain"
- Choose function over form
- Find the intersection of focus and ease in your postures
- Seek out a Yoga teacher who respects your limits
- Find your personal comfort zone
- Give yourself the benefit of time and allow Yoga to unfold

A Tree Planting Program



We believe in the importance of sustainability and recognize trees' role in protecting the environment. As such, we are excited to announce our collaboration with local charity to initiate a tree-planting program to enhance global greenery. This initiative aims to promote sustainable practices and reduce our carbon footprint. With our combined efforts, we want to positively impact the environment and inspire others to do the same. Working together we can create a better future for ourselves and future generations. Join us in our mission to protect the planet and create a sustainable future by supporting the local community.

Price: 550 THB

Where To Meet

At Reu Doo Gaan Restaurant to select your tree of choice.

Dress in light casual clothing with covered shoes to the Visama Forest.

Your selective choices of trees that are native to the region and help sustain our forests

- Long Kong (Lansium Demesticum)
- Trumpet Tree (Dolichandrone serrulata)
- Yang/ Garjan/ Gurjan (Dipterocarpus alatus Roxb)
- Chinese Chesnut (Castanea mollissima)
- Planting Socket/Planting Boot)

Safety Tips

- Learn safe lifting procedures.
- Select appropriate tools for the task.
- Wear appropriate footwear.
- Wear clothing appropriate to the hot & sometimes cool weather.



Visama Spa Experience Enquire with our Event Butler for more information



Indulge in an unforgettable experience at our spa, where we make it our mission to tailor each treatment to your unique needs. Our treatment menu serves as a starting point, but our ultimate goal is to personalize your journey towards healing and relaxation. Our therapists are here to listen to your medical history and requirements, ensuring that you receive a truly personalized treatment. Throughout your time with us, we welcome you to communicate your preferences and desires so that we can exceed your expectations. Let us show you how our personalized approach to spa treatments can make all the difference.

Price: 3,000 THB (Thai & Foot massage; 2 hours) 3,000 THB (Scrub & Oil Massage; 2 hours)

Where To Meet

At lobby 15 minutes prior activity time

Dress for Spa

We provide our guests with luxurious linen spa attire, ensuring a tranquil and comfortable Visama Spa Experience.

What The Hotel Will Provide

- Towels
- Refreshing Drink

Safety Tips

- Spa environment is one of peacefulness and relaxation. Please respect other guests by speaking in a soft voice or simply enjoying the silence.
- We request all cellular phones be turned off.
- Spa is a non-smoking area.
- Please advise our staff immediately of any accidents or potential hazards you may notice.
- Please advise staff of any pre-existing medical conditions prior to the commencement of any treatment, exercise regime or use of other spa facilities.
- Spa cannot accept liability for damage or injury through use of any spa facilities or any loss of property and belonging.



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Customized excursions to explore Chiang Rai's hidden gems

Elephant Whispers: A Journey of Connection and Conservation

Offered by Visama Lodge Mae Chan, this experience promises a perfect blend of luxury and ethical adventure, enriching your stay in Chiang Rai.

Experience an unforgettable journey from Visama Lodge Mae Chan to the heart of ethical elephant conservation in Chiang Rai. This exclusive excursion is designed for guests seeking a meaningful encounter with Thailand's majestic elephants while supporting their welfare.



Artistic Spirits of Chiang Rai: A Cultural Odyssey

Through this excursion, Visama guests will experience a profound connection to the artistry and spirituality that define Chiang Rai, making for an unforgettable journey through the heart of Thai creativity.

Embark on a captivating half-day cultural excursion with Visama Lodge Mae Chan, designed to immerse you in the artistic soul of Chiang Rai. This journey celebrates the genius of Thailand's renowned artists through visits to the region's most iconic temples and installations: Wat Rong Khun, the Blue Temple, and the Black House.



Echoes of the Highlands: Discovering the Hill Tribes of Chiang Rai

Delve into the rich tapestry of Chiang Rai's hill tribe cultures with Visama Mae Chan's exclusive half-day excursion.

This journey takes you into the heartlands of the region's indigenous communities, offering an intimate glimpse into the lives and traditions of the Akha and Karen peoples.





External Experiences

What to do and see when in Chiang Rai – the Lanna Kingdom of Thailand

Black House Chiang Rai

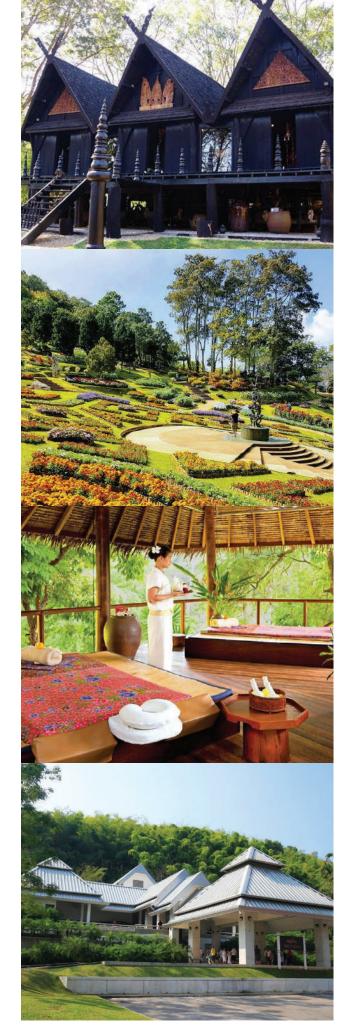
Baan Dam Museum, also known to foreigners as the Black House Museum, is a private art museum comprising a mixture of traditional northern Thai buildings with unconventional and contemporary architecture, designed by Thawan Duchanee.

Doi Tung

Doi Tung Royal Villa, formerly Princess Mother Srinagarindra's summer home, is now a museum displaying her work. Nearby, the Mae Fah Luang Gardens feature plants among rock formations. Princess Mother's efforts led to reforestation and the end of the opium trade, encouraging local tribes to cultivate alternative crops.

Visama Spa Excursion

The Visama Spa Excursion invites you to experience Thailand's age-old massage tradition, a holistic approach to body and soul renewal. Our expert practitioners combine ancient wisdom with modern luxury, offering a range of treatments to cater to your unique needs.



House of Opium Museum

The Hall of Opium Museum offers an interactive learning experience about opium, covering its history and impact in the Golden Triangle. It features various zones, making the learning process engaging.

Chef's Tailor made Market visits in Mae Chan

A delightful exploration of Northern Thai cuisine. Led by our chef at Reu Doo Gaan Eatery, these market tours introduce you to the vibrant local ingredients and flavors. You'll interact with vendors, discover traditional techniques, and gain a deeper understanding of this regional culinary treasure.

Chiang Saen

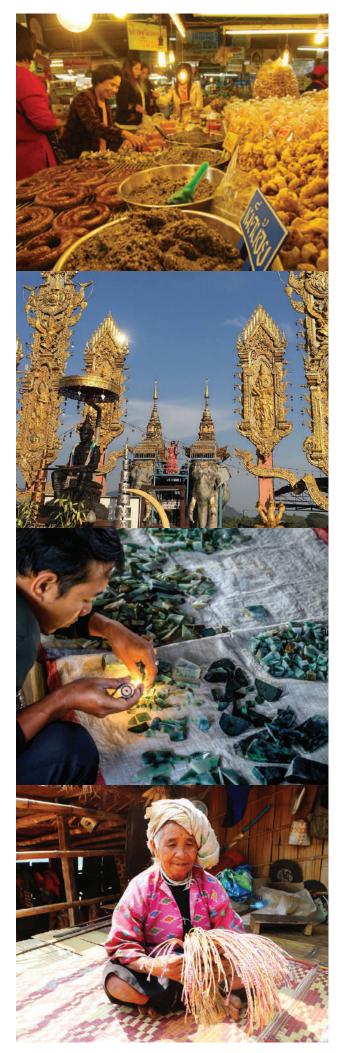
Chiang Saen, established between 1327 and 1329, held a pivotal position in Northern Thailand's history until its demise in 1804. It served as a crucial border post for the Lanna Kingdom and emerged as a significant center of Buddhism. During the years spanning from approximately 1558 to 1804, it found itself under Burmese rule intermittently.

Jade Markets at Myanmar – Thailand Border

Discover the allure of jade at the Myanmar-Thailand border's vibrant Jade Markets. Explore a wide range of jade gemstones, engage with local artisans, and immerse yourself in the local culture. Your visit supports ethical practices, ensuring the well-being of communities and the environment while experiencing the beauty and heritage of jade.

Northern Hill Tribe Communities

Located some 15 kilometres along Doi Mae Salong Road, aids and administers local hilltribe settlements. Hilltribe handicrafts, including woven cloth and silverware, are available for purchase.





Our Location & Resort Map

Escape from the hustle and bustle of everyday life. Visama Lodge Mae Chan offers a luxury retreat into nature, an opportunity to reconnect with the wild, and a chance to declutter and disconnect from stress, while indulging in the art of living well.

Elephant Whispers: A Journey of Connection and Conservation

VSM to Elephant Peace Project ระยะทาง 43.6 KM ใช้เวลาเดินทาง 1 ชั่วโมง



Artistic Spirits of Chiang Rai: A Cultural Odyssey

(White Temple - Blue Temple - Black House) (ວັດຣ່ອงขุ่น,ວັດຣ່ອงເสือเต้น,พิพิธภัณฑ์บ้านดำ)

VSM to วัดร่องขุ่น ระยะทาง 51.1 KM ใช้เวลาเดินทาง 1 ชั่วโมง

VSM to วัดร่องเสือเต้น ระยะทาง 32.3 KM ใช้เวลาเดินทาง 44 นาที

VSM to บ้านดำ ระยะทาง 25.2 KM ใช้เวลาเดินทาง 32 นาที



Echoes of the Highlands: Discovering the Hill Tribes of Chiang Rai

VSM to Union of Hill Tribe Villages & Longneck Karen ระยะทาง 23.4 KM ใช้เวลาเดินทาง 31 นาที



VSM to Doi Tung ระยะทาง 26.8 KM ใช้เวลาเดินทาง 35 นาที

VSM to House of Opium Museum ระยะทาง 49.1 KM ใช้เวลาเดินทาง 54 นาที

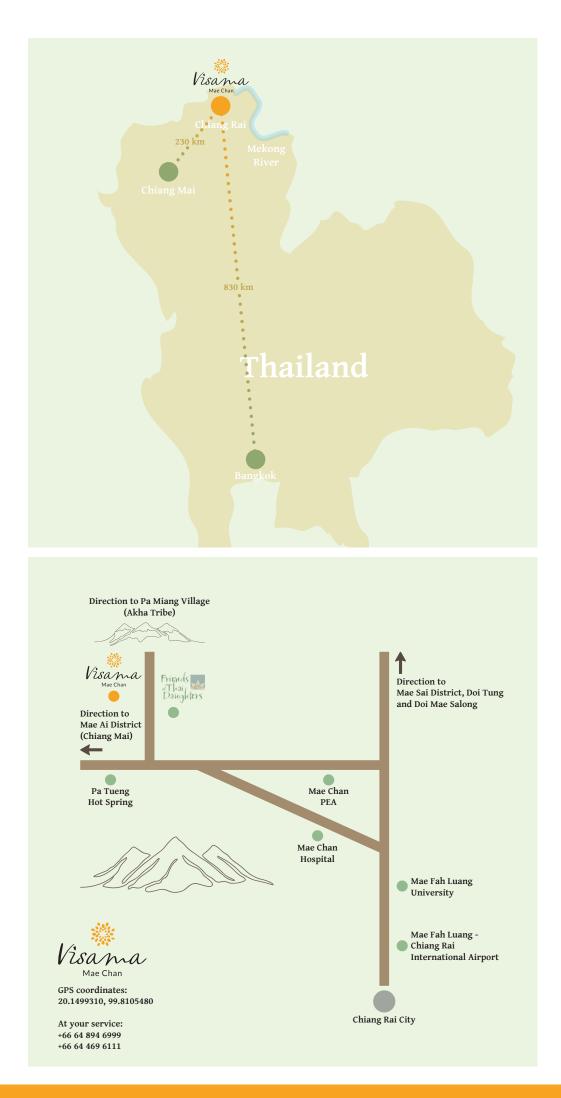
VSM to local market in Mae Chan ระยะทาง 8.1 KM ใช้เวลาเดินทาง 15 นาที

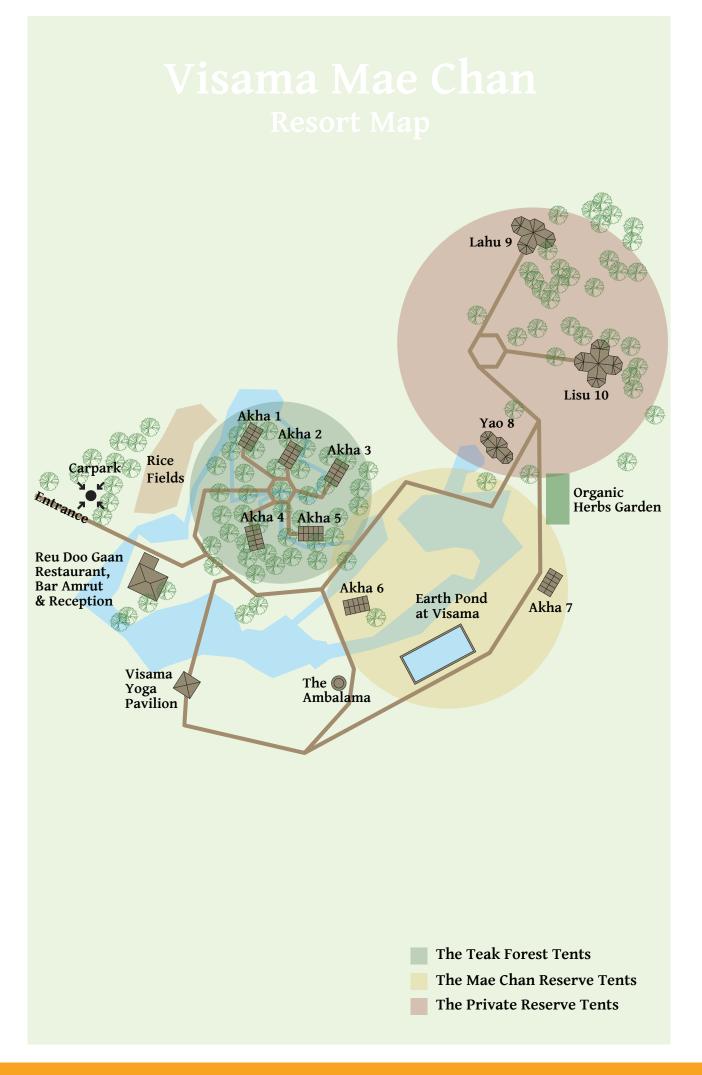
VSM to Golden Triangle, Chiang Saen ระยะทาง 49 KM ใช้เวลาเดินทาง 54 นาที

VSM to Jade Markets, Mae Sai ระยะทาง 38.2 KM ใช้เวลาเดินทาง 50 นาที

VSM to Mae Salong Market ระยะทาง 35 KM ใช้เวลาเดินทาง 46 นาที









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