Unseen Jiangsu Province in Spring

27Mar – 01Apr : 7Days / 5nights

covering Xinghua, Suzhou, Yangzhou, Taizhou via Hangzhou



DAY 01 27 Mar 2017- Mon : KUL – HZH – SUZHOU 165km/2hr30min G60 (MOB/D)

Arrive Hangzhou airport 1310, transfer to Suzhou, en route to **Xiangxuehai, Guangfu Scenic Spot** (30km southwest of Suzhou City) to enjoy the spring plum & cherry blossom, walk around the area and overlooking of Tailake.

Dinner at a local restaurant in **Guangfu Town**, after a short visit to this charming township of Guangfu by the canal.

Drive to Suzhou City to overnite.

Hotel : local 4* hotel near to the old city of Suzhou.





Guangfu old town

DAY 02 28 Mar 2017-Tue : SUZHOU – TAIZHOU 160km/2hr 30min G2 (B/L/D)

Have an early breakfast, have a walking tour along the **Pingjiang old street**.

Suzhou's Pingjiang Street dates back as far as the Song Dynasty (960-1279). It's located in one of the city's oldest districts in the northeast section of Suzhou. Wander along the narrow streets of Pingjiang Street and discover local life. We suggest a visit to the Kunqu Opera Museum while walking around.

Thereafter, we shall enjoy the spring flowers – cherry blossom, tulips etc at

1) <u>Shangfang Mountain Forest Park 上方山</u> Shihu Lake Scenic Area,

吴中区横塘镇横越路47号上方山国家森林公园)

2) Suzhou Plant and Flower Garden 苏州花卉植物园 Ecological Garden Road 生态园园中大道

In the late afternoon, drive to TAIZHOU City, hopefully to be able to catch the setting sun over the Qin Lake near to our hotel.

Overnite in a 4* hotel by the Qin Lake in Taizhou City.



DAY 03 29Mar 2017 Wed : TAIZHOU Qin Lake - XINGHUA 60km/1hr (B/L/D)

Early morning, wake up to enjoy the sun rise over the lake.

This morning, we will spend our day at the **Qin Lake Wetland Park**. To include visiting the Wetland + Qintong Ancient Town + Agriculture Ecological Garden + boat ride to the eastern area.

In the late afternoon, drive to Xinghua – **Qiandao Rape Seed Flower Scenic Spot in Ganggu Township of Xinghua City**, take a **boat ride** to enjoy the **evening scenic** of the unique Rape Seed Flower farm by the canal until **sunset time**.

Overnite in Xinghua Town, 4* hotel



DAY 04 30MAR 2017 Thu : XINGHUA Rape Seed Flower Farm – YANGZHOU 120km/2hr 30min (B/L/D)

This morning, return to the **Qiandao Rape Seed Flower Scenic Spot** to complete the sightseeing of this large area. Spend some time to climb on the **Watch Tower** and walk surrounding place to capture the whole area including **taking the boat ride again** to other part of the area not completed the day before.



In the late afternoon, drive to Yangzhou.

Upon arriving, have a walking tour to **Dongguan Old street of Yangzhou old town**. Dinner at the local restaurant to enjoy some famous Yangzhou local dishes.

Overnite in Yangzhou 4* hotel.



DAY 05 31Mar 2017, Fri : YANGZHOU – HANGZHOU 4hr / 291km (B/L/D)

After breakfast, we will enjoy ourselves at the **Slender Western Lake** by taking a boat ride and walking around the lake.

After lunch, we shall drive to Hangzhou.

Upon reaching Hangzhou, check into the hotel after dinner.

Overnite in Hangzhou : Hotel 3* Oversea Chinese - West Lake Hotel or similar.

DAY 06 01Apr 2017, Sat, HANGZHOU – KUALA LUMPUR (B)

Early morning, wake up to take a good walk on your own along West Lake.

After breakfast, free and easy until transfer time to the airport for our departure Flight @ 2300

NOTE: Pictures used are from the library files and may be different from the actual site as flowers blooming time varies slightly according to weather and local conditions at the time of visit. It has been in the history record that end of March to mid of April is the blossom period of those flowers mentioned in our itinerary. The itinerary listed is also subjected to change due to local conditions which are beyond our prediction and control.

Weather expected would be spring weather with an average of 15C – 23C day time.

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Rates: per person, twin sharing, minimum 10 persons group size:

- a) Ground Tour package including tipping = MYR 3866.00
- b) Air Ticket KUL HANGZHOU KUL as per Air Asia website at the time of booking (Estimated @MYR 1100.00)
- c) Travel Insurance = MYR 52.00
- d) China Visa Single entry @MYR 126.00

Single Supplement : MYR 600.00

*Rates are subject to changes in FOREX rates, unforeseen surcharges, air ticket prices etc. (currency rate used : 1 USD = 4.35 MYR)

Included

- a) 5 nights hotel accommodation with daily breakfast
- b) Entrance fee& boat ride as per specified in the itinerary
- c) Lunch & Dinner as per specified in the itinerary
- d) 2 Bottles Drinking water per person per day
- e) National English speaking guide with Mandarin speaking local guide at specified place of interest where applicable.
- f) Non-shopping tour

Excluded

- a) Tipping to boat man / bell boys at the hotels.
- b) Any item not specified in the itinerary

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