

# BIRD WATCHING TOUR

9 Nights / 10 Days

## **1st Day. AIRPORT - NEGOMBO**

On arrival at the Colombo International Airport. You will be met and welcomed by a representative of Taprobane Tours and Travels and will be transferred to Hotel at Negombo.

In the evening do a city tour of Negombo. Including the Fishing villages and Fish collecting points.

Dinner and overnight stay at hotel in Negombo.

## **2nd Day. NEGOMBO – KITHULGALA**

After breakfast leave for Kithulgala . Visit the Kithulgala Forest Reserve for Bird Watching.

Dinner and overnight stay at hotel in Kithulgala.

## **3rd Day – KITHULGALA - SINHARAJA**

After breakfast leave for Sinharaja forest. This Forest Reserve is a national park and a biodiversity hotspot in Sri Lanka. It is of international significance and has been designated a Biosphere Reserve and World Heritage Site by UNESCO.

Bird Watching at Sinharaja Forest.

Dinner and overnight stay at hotel in Sinharaja.

## **4th Day – SINHARAJA**

After breakfast proceed to a Long Birding Trail at Sinharaja Rain Forest.

Dinner and overnight stay at a Hotel in Sinharaja

## **5th Day. SINHARAJA – UDAWALAWA**

After breakfast leave for Udawalawa,

Udawalawe is also a good bird watching site. Such as Sri Lanka Spurfowl, Red-faced Malkoha, Sri Lanka Grey Hornbill, Brown-capped Babbler, and Sri Lanka Jungle fowl are among the breeding resident birds. White Wagtail and Black-capped Kingfisher are rare migrants. A variety of water birds visit the reservoir, including cormorants, the Spot-billed Pelican, Asian Open bill, Painted Stork, Black-headed Ibis and Eurasian Spoonbill.

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Hornbill and Pied Cuckoo.

[Dinner and Over Night Stay in Udawalawa](#)

## **6th Day. UDAWALAWA - YALA**

After breakfast in the morning do a Jeep Safari at udawlawa. After lunch Proceed to Yala

Evening Relax in the Hotel

[Dinner and Over Night Stay at a Hotel in Yala](#)

## **7th Day. YALA**

After breakfast do a jeep safari at Yala National park, Yala National Park is the second largest and most visited national park in Sri Lanka. The park covers 979 square kilometers, The park is best known for its variety of wild animals. It is important for the conservation of Sri Lankan Elephants and aquatic birds.

[Dinner and Over Night Stay at a Hotel in Yala](#)

## **8th Day. YALA - HIKKADUWA**

After breakfast leave for Hikkaduwa via Galle. First visit Galle fort, Galle Fort was built first by the Portuguese, and then modified by the Dutch during the 17th century. Even today, after 400 years of existence, it looks new and polished with reconstruction work done by Archaeological Department of Sri Lanka, inside the

Galle fort which is in a Dutch Colonial building on Church Street is the Cultural Museum.

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Dinner and Over Night stay at a Hotel in Hikkaduwa

## **9th Day. HIKKADUWA**

After breakfast, visit Coral Gardens and other Aquariums.

Evening relax on the Beach

Dinner and Over Night stay at a Hotel in Hikkaduwa

## **10th Day. HIKKADUWA – AIR PORT**

After breakfast, leave Hotel for departure flight.

END OF TOUR

**This tour can be fully tailor made!**

