The Sarojin Experience

Our team of personal guides and the inspired “Imagineer” - the ultimate personal concierge - delight in creating a range of bespoke experiences exploring the surrounding national parks and areas of outstanding beauty.

The possibilities are endless: from romantic dinners by a candlelit jungle waterfall to secluded white sand beaches, or even a private sand island. Anything can be arranged.

Take home some new skills with a Thai cooking class set by a beautiful waterfall, experience true luxury with a private charter of the Lady Sarojin to the idyllic Similan Islands or trek through untouched lush rainforest.

Enjoy gourmet lunches in stunning locations complete with champagne on our bespoke full day adventures.

With endless suggestions and itineraries, the limits are only your imagination...
Sea Adventures ♦ Aboard The Lady Sarojin

Phang Nga Bay National Marine Park is renowned for its dramatic limestone islands and cliffs and captivating sea cave canoe journeys through hidden lagoons and caves exposed only at lower tides. The bay is also home to a remarkable sea gypsy village built over the water on stilts with a giant rock monolith guarding its rear. Phang Nga Bay’s most famous limestone rock is Tapu Island, also known as James Bond Island, named for its appearance in the film ‘The Man with the Golden Gun’.

The Sarojin borders the world famous dive sanctuary of the Surin Island National Marine Park, (dive and snorkeling site), renowned for its underwater beauty, marine life and coral, soft white sand beaches and lush interiors. With reefs beginning only yards from the white sand beaches and a visibility of up to 30 meters, the islands offer superb snorkeling as well as a unique diving experience where even novice swimmers can enjoy the underwater world usually reserved only for divers.
Sea Adventures ♦ The Surin Islands

Snorkelling in the Surin islands (Nov—Apr)
Group trip THB 7,400 per person (min 6 pax / max 12 pax)  
private charter THB 48,000 (max 6 pax)  
During peak season (23rd Dec - 3rd Jan) private charter THB 58,000 (max 6 pax)

Itinerary:
07.30 leave The Sarojin  
09.00 first snorkel  
10.00 second snorkel  
11.00 relax on the beach  
12.00 gourmet lunch aboard  
13.00 third snorkel  
15.30 arrive back to The Sarojin

Scuba Diving (private hire Nov—Apr) max 4 divers  
Richelieu Rock THB 77,500 (2 dives)  
During peak season Richelieu Rock THB 87,500 (2 dives)

Our full day Lady Sarojin trips are inclusive of equipment, guides, cold towels, gourmet lunch and an all day open bar serving beers, sparkling wine, wines, soft drinks, and water.

“...an unforgettable way to enjoy some stunning locations...”
Sea Adventures ♦ Sunset & Half Days (Nov-Apr)

The Magic of the Khao Lak “Everglades” (Nov-April)
THB 3,200 per person (min 4 pax/max 12 pax)
Private charter THB 16,000 (max 4 pax)
16:30-19:00 - freshly made cocktails flow freely and a selection of signature canapés are served whilst cruising the open seas and into khao lak’s “everglade” mangrove forest and estuaries.

Morning Snorkelling (Nov-April)
THB 3,200 (min 4 pax/max 12 pax)
Private charter THB 16,000 (max 4 pax)
09:00-11:30 - just a 30 minute journey past Pakarang Cape for snorkeling. This trip is best if you just want to experience some light snorkelling whilst on holiday. Water, fruit, soft drink and equipment provided.
Sea Adventures ♦ Phang Nga Bay

Longtail boat (all year) THB 6,100 per person ‘just for 2’

07.30 leave The Sarojin, (or much earlier for sunrise in the bay)
09.00 arrive at Phang Nga Town & transfer by fisherman’s longtail boat
10.00 sea cave canoe under karst limestone rocks
11.00 visit Tapu Island (James Bond Island)
12.00 lunch at a sea gypsy village local restaurant
13:30 visit Wat Thamsuwankuha, a Monkey Cave Temple
15.30 arrive back at The Sarojin
The Lady Sarojin (June to September)
Group trip THB 8,500 per person minimum 4 pax
Private charter THB 40,500 maximum 4 pax

07.30 leave The Sarojin
09.15 cruise Phang Nga Bay & sea cave canoe
12.30 gourmet lunch served aboard the Lady Sarojin
14.00 snorkeling at Koh Kai Nok
17.30 arrive back at The Sarojin
Sea Adventures • Fishing

Catch and Dine, by local longtail fishing boat (Estuary or Deep Sea) THB 6,050 per person-’just for 2’ including equipment, soft drinks and “catch of the day” 3 course dinner with soft drinks.
08.00 - 14.00 enjoy a morning fishing in the andaman sea, followed by a delicious lunch of your own freshly caught “catch of the day”.

Depart from the jetty by longtail boat with Sarojin guide and experienced local fisherman, to find the best fishing spots. Commonly caught fish include tuna and red or white snapper.

All equipment is provided.

Arriving back at The Sarojin take time to relax before enjoying your freshly caught “fish of the day” for dinner at The Edge restaurant, cooked according to a specifically designed menu by Chef Gogh and specific for the type of fish caught.

Deep Sea Fishing, by local long tail fishing boat (Nov-May) THB 4,550 per person ‘’just for 2’’
08.00 - 13.00 Fully accompanied with an English speaking fisherman guide and all equipment provided. Swimming possible.

Head about an hour out into the deep sea, straight to a local fishing spot used by local fishermen to catch barracuda, dorado and king mackerel. Along the way we will be trawling for tuna and dolphin fish. At several fixed buoy locations we will change fishing tactics for deep feeders and try for snapper and grouper. Enjoy some fresh fruit and drinks before returning with your catch by lunchtime.

Trips include all fishing equipment, soft drinks, English speaking guide from The Sarojin, and fresh fruit.

Option extras include wine pairing and/or a private dining location.
Jungle Adventures ♦ Rachaprapha Dam

Rachaprapha Dam, Cheow Larn Lake

Constructed in 1982, this dam is at the head of the magnificent 165 sq. km Cheow Lan reservoir, and is part of Khao Sok National Park.

Cruise the emerald waters aboard a traditional Thai longtail boat, against a backdrop of breathtaking limestone cliffs towering up to 960 metres high. At the floating raft houses, explore by kayak and swim in the warm, clean waters and relax over lunch amidst the extraordinary scenery. Cruise through Khao Sok’s very own ‘Guilin’, the remnants of an ancient coral reef visible today as a dramatic and hauntingly beautiful landscape.

Cruise Rachaprapha Dam THB 6,900 per person ‘just for 2’

Itinerary:
07.30 leave The Sarojin
09.30 arrive at Rachaprapha Dam
09.45 start cruising the lake
10.30 arrive at the floating raft house, swim, kayak and lunch
13.30 continue cruising and visit ‘Little Guilin’
15.00 arrive at the pier
17.30 arrive at The Sarojin
Jungle Adventures ♦ Khao Sok

Elephant and Jungle Canoe Safari in Khao Sok National Park THB 6,100 per person—just for 2

Elephants, Canoes, Wildlife

We offer a range of options combining the very best of this beautiful national park. Get a close up experience with some of the most gentle giants, the Asian elephant. Canoe along the Sok River and explore this rich jungle thriving in wild life and bursting with nature.

At just an hour’s drive away from The Sarojin, this is a “must do” for anyone visiting Khao Lak.
Jungle Adventures ♦ Elephants

Elephants, Canoes, Boats and Wildlife

**Elephant Trek & River Boat Safari in “Little Amazon”**
THB 4,500 per person - ‘just for 2’
08.30 leave The Sarojin for your elephant safari
10.30 leave the elephant camp
11.00 mangrove river safari in little amazon
13.30 arrive back at The Sarojin
(add elephant bathing THB 850 per person)

**Elephant Trekking or Elephant Bathing**
THB 1,900pp (or combine both for THB 2,750pp) - ‘just for 2’
14.00 - 16.00: Ride gracefully through rubber plantations on board one of these wonderful gentle giants or splash in the water with them as they enjoy play time. (add bareback riding... extra THB 400pp)
Elephant Owner For A Day

Elephant Mahout Experience

Become an elephant owner for a day...

Experience these gentle giants up close and at an ethical elephant camp as you are assigned your own elephant for a morning of fun and education.

Learn the key responsibilities in caring for these majestic creatures: from safe ways of approaching them, to knowing how to ride them harmlessly on the neck or bareback. Play in the water with your new friend and ride through the jungle together. You will also discover the five important signs to identify a healthy elephant, including physical movements, sleep patterns and body markings. A lovely day of adventure and learning with Thailand’s national animal.

THB 5,900 per person - just for 2’

Itinerary:
08.30 leave from The Sarojin to meet your elephant
09.30 learn about Thai elephant behavior
10.00 practice commands with the elephant
11.00 elephant play time feeding and bathing
12.00 gourmet lunch
12.50 leave from elephant park
13.50 arrive back at The Sarojin
Khao Lak Lamru Discoveries

Chong Faa Waterfall and Khao Lak Lamru National Park

Located just 20 minutes away from The Sarojin, Chong Faa is one of the most beautiful and undisturbed waterfalls in the area. Take a short trek up to the first waterfall pool, spend some time getting refreshed and relaxed. Trek on up to another pool, which is equally as lovely and picturesque. The natural surroundings of the national park are quiet, untouched and beautiful.

Khao Lak Highlights THB 4,200 per person—'just for 2' - easy or medium jungle trek

Itinerary:
09:00 depart from The Sarojin
09.15 arrive at Chong Faa waterfall, time for swimming
11.15 arrive at the 813 police boat
11.45 arrive at Khao Lak Lamru National Park for easy or difficult jungle trek
13.00 lunch at the National Park restaurant
14.00 arrive back to The Sarojin

Next we visit the infamous 813 police boat, washed up a kilometer in land after the Tsunami. A quick stop here for local historical information and then we move on to Khao Lak Lamru National Park for an easy or more challenging trek through the jungle, with small hidden beaches.
Zip Lining Adventures

Zip Lining and Bamboo Rafting
Start the day with an exhilarating zip lining experience, right in the heart of Khao Lak Lamru national park. Swing from tree to tree and get the adrenaline going! After your energetic jungle encounter, have a relaxing float along the river on board a bamboo raft.

Zip Lining and Khao Lak Lamru National Park
A double Khao Lak Lamru National Park adventure, starting off with a trek on foot through the jungle to hidden beaches. Enjoy the scenery from below, before your start your ascent up to the tree tops where you will continue the jungle exploration by zip line!

Zip Lining & Khao Lak Lamru Park
THB 4,200 per person—'just for 2'

Itinerary:
09:00—depart from The Sarojin
09.25—start trekking through Khao Lak Lamru National Park to small sandy beach
10.30—arrive small sandy beach and meet the Sarojin car
10.35—arrive at Elephant Can Fly Zip line and start your adventure!
13.00—arrive back to hotel
Little Amazon is located in Takuapa and is the gateway to endless waterways leading through spectacular untouched mangrove forest. The shallow inter-tidal river is lined with mangrove wetlands that offer refuge and nursery grounds for juvenile fish, crabs, shrimps, and mollusks. Up in the trees you will see at least two different types of snake that snooze in the day. Canoeing through this area is one of the secret highlights of any trip to this region.

Pleat boat through Little Amazon Mangroves THB 3,600 pp (also possible by canoe THB 2,800 pp) - ‘just for 2’
08.00 leave The Sarojin
08.30 arrive at Little Amazon and begin pleat boat journey
10.00 arrive back to land and visit market
11.00 arrive back at The Sarojin

Bamboo River Rafting and Waterfall THB 3,200 pp - ‘just for 2’
09.00 leave The Sarojin
09.30 arrive at bamboo rafting safari
09.40 start rafting safari
10.30 leave bamboo camp
11.00 arrive at waterfall for walk, swim and relax
12.15 return to Sarojin
Jungle Adventures ♦ Walks & Treks

Jungle Treks and Walks
From an extreme trek, wading through rivers and cutting your way through the jungle (well the guide does!), to a gentle discovery of a real jungle environment absorbing the flora and fauna, we recommend one of the below:

Sri Phang Nga Jungle Safari Walk (3-8 km) THB 4,900 per person—‘just for 2’ - moderate

Itinerary:
08:30 leave The Sarojin
10.00 arrival at Sri Phang Nga
10.30 jungle trek - mountain, river, forest, waterfall, swimming
13.00 gourmet safari style lunch in the jungle
15.00 depart for The Sarojin

Khao Sok Jungle Safari Walk (3-6 km) THB 4,900 per person—‘just for 2’ - easy

Itinerary:
08:30 leave The Sarojin
10.00 arrive at Khao Sok National Park
10.30 jungle trek - mountain, river, forest, waterfall, swimming
13.00 gourmet safari style lunch in the jungle
15.00 depart for The Sarojin
Jungle Adventures • Tonepariwat wildlife sanctuary

White Water Rafting & ATV at tonepariwat wildlife sanctuary THB 7,500 per person—just for 2

Tonepariwat wildlife sanctuary is located 45 minutes south east of The Sarojin. Enjoy a non-stop, action packed, wave crashing, white water rafting adventure. Professional guides will take you down the beautiful river where you can enjoy breathtaking views...but be warned, you’re going to get very wet!

In the afternoon we will introduce you to the art of ATV driving, both experienced and novice drivers can enjoy this activity. The excursion leads you through pristine tropical forest and rolling mountain trails while the well informed guides point out interesting aspects of the local flora and fauna. ATV is the perfect vehicle for discovering the unspoilt beauty of this area.

Between both adventures you will enjoy swimming in crystal clear waters at a hidden waterfall and a gourmet lunch along the banks of river. A perfect day for thrill seekers!

Itinerary:
09.00 leave The Sarojin
10.30 arrive phang nga ATV camp
11.00 start white water rafting
12.30 enjoy swimming at waterfall
13.00 gourmet safari style lunch
14.00 enjoy ATV
15.00 rest after ATV ride
15.20 depart phang nga ATV camp
16.30 arrive at The Sarojin

(add in zip lining...... THB 1,000 per person)

Wish to do only one, individual activity? THB 5,300 per person including lunch
Phang Nga Temple Tour

Visit three of the most important and inspiring Temples that our province has to offer. Learn more about Buddhism and the local culture.

Bang Reang Temple, set high upon a mountain, has the largest Temple pagoda in all of Phang Nga. It also offers breath-taking views across the province and houses a piece of Buddha's bone.

Dragon Cave Temple, as the name suggests, is set within a cave and offers a very special atmosphere for quiet meditation and reflection.

Wat Thamsuuwankuha, set in a giant cave, is one of the most historic of Phang Nga's Temples. It houses a 15 metre long reclining Buddha, the largest in southern Thailand.

Phang Nga province offers three of Thailand's most beautiful Temples: THB 5,500 per person—'just for 2'

Itinerary:
8.00am leave the Sarojin
9.00am arrive Dragon Cave Temple
10.30am arrive Bang Reang Temple
12.30pm gourmet safari style lunch
14.00pm arrive at Wat Thamsuuwankuha Temple
16.00pm arrive back at the Sarojin
Glimpse of Local Life • Day in the Life of a Local

Get a glimpse of the “real” local life as our guides take you to an important old town rich in history and culture.

Offering a rare opportunity for a more authentic insight into the local Thai way of life and culture of the surrounding rural and fishing community.

Farming life, fishing communities, home industries, Temples, schools, orphanages, birds nest production, local markets and much more can be combined into a short visit. Or join the ‘Day in the Life of a Local’ where we spend time meeting the personalities of the area and floating down an idyllic river lined with banyan trees; you could even become an elephant owner for a day—the possibilities are endless!

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Trip itineraries are just guidelines, as we will alter the schedule depending on seasons and your own personal interest. Plus we will always adjust the day out to include local festival highlights or events that are happening in the area.

Half Day THB 3,200 per person - ‘just for 2’
09.00 depart from The Sarojin
09.10 rubber plantation
10.10 arrive old Takuapa; markets and tea shops
12.00 the red and the blue boats
12.20 Ban Nam Khem Tsunami Memorial Park
13.00 cashew nut factory
13.00 return to The Sarojin

Full Day THB 5,900 per person - ‘just for 2’
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09.00 depart from The Sarojin
15.00 return to The Sarojin
Glimpse of Local Life ♦ A Morning in The Life of a Local

This exploration takes in the sights, sounds and smells of the ancient town of Takuapa. Once one of the most important cities in Thailand, Takuapa was known for its riches due to the tin mining industry. Arriving just after dawn, explore the busy fresh markets, purchase alms offerings & receive monks' blessings, enjoy breakfast in a local cafe. Discover this ancient town and how its people start their day.

Itinerary:
06:00 – Depart from The Sarojin drive/ bike the backroads
06:30 – Arrive at Takuapa Old Town, visit the local market
06:45 – Alms offering with Buddhist Monk
07:15 – Visit a local Dim Sum restaurant for a light breakfast
08:00 – Walk or bike along the street and see the Sino-Portuguese architecture
08:30 – Visit the Chinese Shrine and Temple
08:45 – Visit the Buddhist Temple
09:15 – Take a walk around to the ancient relic
10:30 – Arrive back to The Sarojin

THB 3200 per person “just for two”
Cultural Cycle Glimpse of Local Life • Historic Old Takuapa Town

Experience a unique cultural and cycling adventure at your own pace with our expert guide.

Takuapa Old Town provides the perfect location for guests wanting to experience the local life in Thailand. This tour has been created for culture vultures seeking a laid back and leisurely cycling experience.

Not only was Takuapa once an important social hub for connections through Southern Thailand, it was also a wealthy tin mining centre. This cycling adventure explores some of the hidden treasures that the district capital keeps tucked away: from quiet country lanes to important community monuments. Glide past the Chinese Temple, through the sino-Portuguese lined street and learn about the rich history that Takuapa Old Town has to offer.

Cycling adventures through historic Takuapa
THB 1,850 per person - ‘just for 2’ THB or 950 per person - ‘minimum 4’

07.00 leave The Sarojin by car, drive to Takuapa city
07.30 start cycling towards the old town
08.00 arrive in the old town & start explorations
09.30 stop off at a local tea shop for some refreshments
10.00 start cycling out of the old town, towards the bridge viewpoint
11.00 enjoy an early lunch at a local Restaurant
12.00 arrive back at The Sarojin
Koh Kho Khao is a small local island that can be seen to the north from the Sarojin beach. It is a flat and beautiful island, perfect for a morning cycling adventure.

Departing early from The Sarojin, the adventure starts with a longtail ride over to the island. Once there, it’s a 45 minute cycle to a lovely quiet beach. Next is a longer ride to the end of the island, past vast empty fields and herds of water buffalo. Many different types of bird life can been see on Koh Kho Khao. This morning activity is perfect for nature lovers and those who want to explore the local area at a relaxed pace.

Cycle across the local island of Koh Kho Khao
THB 2,350 per person -‘just for 2’ THB or 1,400 per person - ‘minimum 4’

08.00  leave The Sarojin by car
08.20  arrive at Nam Kean pier and travel by longtail to the island
08.40  start cycling across Koh Kho Khao
09.10  stop on Hapla Beach for some refreshments
10.30  cycle across the island where you will enjoy a light picnic breakfast
11.00  start journey back to the pier where you will meet the longtail
11.40  transfer by car
12.00  arrive at The Sarojin
Jungle Adventures • Mountain Bike Khao Sok

Explore the stunning rainforest of Khao Sok National Park at your own pace by bicycle. See lush vegetation, with the possibilities of monkeys, elephants and other interesting wildlife.

Khao sok Mountain Bike Adventure—THB 3,900 per person ‘just for 2’

Khao sok national park has a rainforest and mountain range that spans over 700,000 kilometres at 960 metres above sea level. The park is part of an evergreen forest covering 2.5 million rai, making it the largest in southern Thailand. The area includes sri phang nga and gang groong national parks and klong sang, klong nakkha and klong yan wildlife sanctuaries.

explore this outstanding national park by biking through evergreen surroundings offering special tree varieties, water pools and waterfalls.

this jungle adventure is inclusive of all equipment, private car, guides, fresh towels, cold towels, national park fee and all day standard soft drinks.

Itinerary:

08:30 leave The Sarojin
09:30 arrive at Khao Sok national Park
09:45 start bicycle ride to bang hua read
10.45 arrive at bang hua read
11.00 start bicycle ride back to head quarters
12.00 arrive at national park head quarters
12.30 leave from khao sok national park
13.30 arrive back at The Sarojin
Phang nga bay is renowned for its many dramatic limestone islands and sheer rock formations that rise vertically from the emerald green water. It is also home to the remarkable sea gypsy village (koh panyee), which is primarily built on stilts over the water. Looming over the village itself is a giant rock monolith that begs to be scaled.

Depart The Sarojin in private car to phang nga bay where a long tail boat awaits to take you to koh panyee for the first climb of the day - a 20 metre climb that offers views over the sea gypsy village. This climb allows the instructor to gauge the level of the climber, so that the afternoon's climb can be judged accordingly.

Enjoy a stroll around koh panyee and understand how the residents live and work. Wander the back lanes past the Mosque and a school, before enjoying lunch at the traditional Thai restaurant that hovers over the bay.

Return in the afternoon for your tailor-made exhilarating climb, which will take you to heights for breathtaking views of phang nga bay.

Phang nga bay rock climbing THB 8,300 per person - 'just for 2'

08.30 depart from The Sarojin to phang nga bay
10.00 depart phang nga bay pier aboard a traditional Thai longtail boat
10.30 arrive at koh panyee
10.40 climbing equipment fitting and introduction
11.10 start first climbing (single pitch)
12.45 village tour and traditional Thai lunch
13.40 commence second climb (multi pitch)
15.00 depart from koh panyee and head for the pier to meet the car
17.00 arrive at The Sarojin
Koh Prathong Island Safari

Nature Walk and Exploration

Koh Prathong is an island to the north of Khao Lak, located between Koh Kho Khao and Koh Ra Islands. It is undeveloped and an area of unspoilt natural beauty; it is home to hundreds of species of birds, insects, and other fauna and flora. One of the more fascinating types of bird on Koh Prathong is the Lesser Adjutant, making this an ideal trip for bird-watchers and nature lovers.

On our trip to this fascinating island we travel by car, boat and local car to cross the different landscapes we encounter; these include mangrove lined seas and thick natural savannahs. This is a true adventure to be discovered!

THB 6,100 per person - ‘just for 2’

Itinerary:
05.30 depart from The Sarojin for the best chance to catch the lesser adjutant
07.00 arrive at the pier
07.20 start short trek for bird watching
09.00 transfer by eten local car to catch these big birds in the swamp
10.00 break for breakfast from the hotel in the local homestay
11.00 jump back in the eten car for sightseeing through the savannah
13:00 arrive at the pier and transfer
14:30 arrive back at The Sarojin
Yoga at The Sarojin

Enjoy a relaxing morning Yoga experience amongst the unique natural beauty of The Sarojin. A special way to start the day...

Led by The Sarojin’s guest yoga teacher, Justine Capdevielle, guests are guided through a restorative session of stretching and toning with Vinyasa Yoga. Starting at 8:30am in the gardens by the residence’s stunning pool, the classes make the most of the serene location and are the perfect way to start the day.

Taking place on Tuesdays and Thursdays for 75 minutes, classes are limited to five people, ensuring Justine can spend time guiding each yogi through the ideal alignment and technique.

Ashtanga Yoga
For those wanting to work up a purifying sweat that detoxifies muscles and organs, Ashtanga yoga can be taught on request. Synchronising the breath with a progressive series of postures, this form of yogic practice is perfect for a cleansing start to the day.

Kundalini Yoga
Kundalini yoga, a method which focuses on meditation, mantra chanting and yoga asanas is also available, helping guests awaken their Kundalini energy and work on their mindfulness.

Class Times: 08.30 – 09.45hrs, Tuesdays and Thursdays
Please book in advance.
Private classes available on request.

Price: 1,000THB per person
Available from October until May
Golf from The Sarojin

There are three golf courses in close proximity to The Sarojin – all are 18 holes, and transfers, bookings and equipment rental can all be arranged as required.

If you’re a serious golfer and are looking for a high standard course, Blue Canyon would be the one we would recommend for you. However, it is the furthest of the three, located to the north of Phuket Island.

A good alternative is Katathong Golf Course, the newest of the 3 we have on offer. Katathong is located in the heart of Phang Nga Province and is arguably one of the more challenging courses in Thailand.

Tap Lamu course is the closest to Khao Lak, just 20-30 minutes drive away from the hotel. This is a more basic course, but

**Blue Canyon Country Club** is one of the most legendary golf clubs in Asia. It is located on 720 acres of a secluded, lush green valley and surrounded by the majestic mountains of Phang Nga and the Andaman Sea. Blue Canyon offers two award-winning 18-hole championship courses; the PGA accredited Canyon Course built in 1991 or the Lakes Course built in 1999.

**Katathong** nicknamed ‘the valley of dreams’ Katathong is a magnificent 18 holes, championship course in the heart of Phang Nga province and just 45 minutes from the sarojin surrounded by legendary mountains and built around the historical lakes and meandering streams of an old tin mine. Katathong combines the beauty and power of nature with the history and traditions of a bygone age.

**Tap la mu** golf Course is an 18-hole, 72-par golf course, measuring 7,160 yards, situated on Song Ngam beach, with 5 holes lying along the shoreline. The course is set in a beautiful tropical setting next to the ocean and with a backdrop of primary rainforest hills.
Spiritual Blessing of Love

Sunrise Alms Giving “Tak Bat” & Spiritual Blessing at the Temple THB 1,100 per person - ‘just for 2’ 06.30am—08.00am

For centuries monks and novices have left their Temples everyday and walked through the town accepting alms from the local townsfolk; a way for people to gain merit and for the monastic community to maintain contact with their community. Locals place rice and other foods into their alms bowls before the monks return to their Temples with the collected food for breakfast.

Bright and early we take you to give alms with locals at the local market. Here you will see travelling monks offering blessings to the Buddhist community. You will also experience the Thai market in “full swing” as locals come to purchase their daily groceries. After this we visit one of our favourite pagodas and receive a blessing from a very important local monk.

Offering a small basket of items to the monks is a sign of respect, and the monk returns his thanks with a blessing. This consists of a monk gently pouring water over you to cleanse your spirit whilst chanting ancient Pali-Sanskrit - ‘mantras’. You will feel lighter and remarkably calm by this simple, but spiritual, event.

The walking meditation occurs at first light when the community wakes up and the day is just starting. We invite you to join us for this contemplative and spiritual experience...

...a special way to start your new marriage or to end your stay at The Sarojin.
Culinary Experiences

Visit the local market with chef to learn about the ingredients used in Thai cuisine and also to learn about alternatives in your home country. Select and taste ingredients required for your chosen dishes before returning to prepare and cook with personal tuition from chef. Enjoy what you have made for lunch, perhaps with a glass of wine? Non cooking partners are welcome to join for lunch and the locations below are suggestions. We are happy to tailor menus and concept as per your requirements.

Thai Cooking Class at The Sarojin’s Fisherman’s Hut THB 4,000pp-’just for 2’
09.00 tour of local market with chef for shopping and tasting of ingredients
10.30 arrive back at The Sarojin and refreshments
11.00 preparation and cooking followed by lunch
13.30 presentation of chef’s certificates, apron, chef’s hat and photos

Thai Cooking Class by the Rainbow Waterfall THB 5,900pp-’just for 2’
A stunningly alternative location! After visiting the local market with chef this cooking class is set within the jungle surrounds by the rainbow waterfall. Enjoy lunch and a swim in the waterfall.

Thai Cooking Class under the Wedding Tree THB 5,900pp-’just for 2’
As above but romantically setup along the beach under a large sea almond tree. This option is suggested for a long relaxed lunch set up with perhaps a bottle or two of wine to accompany!

Street Food for Kids at The Camillian Centre THB 5,900pp-’just for 2’
Support the Sarojin’s Community Programme by cooking a street food menu and then visit and donate your offerings to the underprivileged children at the Camillian Centre.

Fruit Carving Class 2 hours THB 1,600pp-’just for 2’
If you have ever wondered how Thai’s produce those amazingly cut decorative fruit designs then this class is for you. Create flowers from chili, leaves from carrots, roses from watermelon and elephants made from the fruit of the ‘Indian Suicide Tree’.

Advanced Class 2 days THB 6,500pp-’just for 2’
Perfect for the serious home cook who wants to learn how to cook and present truly authentic Thai cuisines.
Private Dining

Where would you like your table set tonight? Ingredients are fresh, chefs are passionate and tables are set in extraordinary locations. Personalised and imagineered experiences; by a candlelit jungle waterfall, a private sand bar island or a secluded beach?
The Sarojin Khao Lak Community Fund • Community Projects

The Sarojin Khao Lak Community Fund was established in December 2004 and is dedicated to supporting the local community and environment.

Two community projects the Sarojin has had a long partnership with are the Baan Than Namchai Orphanage and Camillian Social Centre. The Sarojin provides complimentary transfers for guests who would like to visit to learn more about these projects and the work done.

Baan Than Namchai Orphanage, Sat- Sun 12.30-14.00
Set up as an immediate response to the December 2004 tsunami, the Sarojin has worked with the orphanage since January 2005. Children ages range from 14 months to 21 years. Donations of essential items from a recommended shopping list for rice, cooking oil, sugar, fish sauce etc. are very welcome. The Sarojin operates a hotel trainee scheme for some of the older children and rice bags are saved to create innovative bags available at the orphanage shop. More than ten years on and some real success stories are appearing with older children studying at university, acting as role models for the younger ones; fueling their dreams and ambitions together to become lawyers, doctors, pilots, teachers. An overriding theme is that these children are keen to give back.

Camillian Social Centre, Mon-Wed-Fri 12.30-14.30
Camillian Social Centre provides day care and rehabilitation for children with disabilities including physical disabilities, autism and down’s syndrome. Ages range from 4-16 years. It is the only centre providing care for down’s syndrome in Phang Nga province. The Sarojin has worked with the Camillian Centre since September 2012. Guests are welcome to visit, joining with the centre staff and volunteers to assist with arts and crafts sessions with the children or join with the Sarojin Chef on a local street food tour and street food cooking class and donate lunch for the children and staff at the centre.
Our Limits Are Only Your Imagination....

Many other options exist at The Sarojin so along with some other ideas below, please talk to our Adventure & Discoveries Team.

- Sunset champagne and canapés on Pakarang Cape
- Estuary fishing
- Rock climbing
- Cycling excursions
- Temple tours
- Old Takuapa town
- Shopping and nightlife in Phuket
- Surin & Tachai islands

We have many ideas so please do discuss with our team as we can always adapt and tailor make an experience for you.

**Boat trips** run on a group basis requiring a minimum number of guests, usually 4 to 6. Private charter is also available.
Full day Lady Sarojin trips are inclusive of equipment, guides, cold towels, gourmet lunch and an all day open bar serving beers, sparkling wine, wines, juices, soft drinks, tea, coffee and water.

**Land trips** run on private basis ‘just for 2’ and require a minimum of 2 people per private trip. All are inclusive of private guide and chauffeur, cold towels, lunch (if mentioned), and refreshments including beers, sparkling wine, soft drinks and water.
Several trips are available on a ‘group trip’ basis requiring a minimum number of guests, usually 4 to 6.

All prices are inclusive of all taxes and are subject to change without notice.

Please note any cancellations after 17h00 the day before is subject to a full cancellation charge. For Lady Sarojin Private charters cancellation must be made at least 48 hours in advance.