



Nature 1 sprinkled with salt

Tuticorin



'Nature sprinkled with salt' is a 5 day / 4 night program that explores a unique set of ecosystems that have one thing in common - salt.

From the salt pans rich with shrimp - that attract a flamboyance of **flamingos**, to the maze of **mangroves** waiting to be explored, Tuticorin is a saline oasis. Further out on its shores, coral reefs sit majestically in shallow waters.

This program is ideal for anybody looking to experience the ocean in all its awesomeness — underwater and on the shore.

This program is also perfect for anybody looking to spend time in a unique natural habitat that supports a fascinating diversity of life.

The experience is curated to give you plenty of active time in nature, interspersed with moments to stop and maybe read a book in the company of crashing waves. August in Tuticorin is serene – with calm winds, clear oceans (fingers crossed) and the warmth of the coast.

We'll spend time in nature exploring these unique salty habitats and its inhabitants both underwater and on land.

Between our nature-themed wandering, we'll make the best of the **strong winds** that flow over these lands with the basics of **kite surfing**!





The destination



The destination in a video

How to get there

Tentative Itinerary

Day	Time	Activity
1	Morning	Arrival at Aqua Outback
1	Afternoon	Lunch + Introductions
1	Evening	Evening nature walk looking for birds and other critters
1	Night	Dinner and Drinks
2	Early Morning	Nature walk — intertidal/land
2	Morning	Breakfast
2	Late Morning	Swimming/Snorkelling at the house reef
2	Afternoon	Lunch
2	Late Afternoon	Quality quiet time by the sea/explore the basics of kite surfing
2	Night	Night nature walk looking for nocturnal critters

Snorkelling will be at the house reef (off the shore). Snorkelling off a nearby island can be arranged at Rs. 1500 per head

Tentative Itinerary - continued

Day	Time	Activity
3	Morning	Exploring the history and ecology of the salt pans
3	Afternoon	Lunch
3	Evening	Kayaking through the mangroves
3	Night	Night walk looking for critters!
4	Morning	Breakfast
4	Late Morning	Swimming/Snorkelling at the house reef
4	Afternoon	Lunch
4	Late Afternoon	Quality quiet time by the sea
4	Night	Dinner and drinks
5	Early Morning	Nature walk/quiet time
5	Morning	Breakfast
5	Late Morning	Heavy-hearted, tear-filled goodbyes

Snorkelling will be at the house reef (off the shore). Snorkelling off a nearby island can be arranged at Rs. 1500 per head

Timing of - kite surfing will be dependent on wind conditions | snorkelling will be dependent on factors like the tide and wind conditions.

AboutUs

Spiders and The Sea is a social enterprise that works towards creating a world in which people have a close relationship with nature.



Chetana is a wildlife biologist, ocean explorer, educator, writer and photographer.

Dogs love her almost as much as she loves them.

John is a writer, photographer and researcher with a keen interest in spiders.

He regularly daydreams of using a calculator, a pencil and a cup of sambar to unravel the secrets of the universe



If you have a group of 6-10 individuals and would like to plan an exclusive group on dates of your choice, please get in touch with us.

Stay in the AC dorm - Rs. 28,500 per person Stay in an AC private room — Rs 33,200 per person

Pricing includes stay, food and all activities.

Pricing does not include transport to the location — we can help organize local transfers and coordinate with your fellow participants for shared cabs. Approx. Rs. 1500 for a cab that can be split equally amongst the travellers.

We will confirm your spot after we receive full payment of this fee.

The program fee is **non-refundable**, however, in case of cancellation we will transfer the amount as credit towards a future program with us in the same destination.

To make this an intimate tryst with nature, we have a <u>maximum group size of 10 participants</u>.

The minimum group size for this program is 6 participants, | The minimum age for this program is 8.

Payment Details

Net Banking:

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To book your spot, get in touch with us now!

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