

# Kraam Pool Suite

Region: Raya Heritage Sleeps: 2 - 3

## Overview

Enthralled by the spirit of ancient Lanna life, Raya Heritage River Sanctuary puts the sparkle into traditional Thai design with a contemporary and exceptionally stylish touch. The resort emanates a super cool vibe and sophisticated atmosphere, adorned with unique furniture, artifacts and accessories thoughtfully chosen and often crafted by local artisans. An attentive team stands ready to cater to every guest's desire, ensuring an enchanting holiday experience. Nestled along the serene banks of the Ping River, Raya Heritage embraces the charm of nature and the local community, offering tranquil surroundings for relaxation and exploration of the region's distinctive allure. With thirty-eight splendid rooms nestled in lush tropical gardens across three levels, the resort prioritises guest comfort in every aspect of its design and philosophy. The allure of Raya Heritage unfolds in its chic charisma and laid-back spirit. The resort takes great pride in its dedication to the community, embracing a sustainable philosophy evident in its outstanding amenities. Guests revel in superb dining facilities, a fantastic gym, a soul-soothing spa and a captivating swimming pool, all contributing to a multitude of delightful experiences. An extensive list of exhilarating excursions enhances the appeal of this extraordinary sanctuary.

Nestled on the Ping River, Raya Heritage River Sanctuary sits just a twenty-minute drive from Chiang Mai's Old Town. The resort offers a complimentary shuttle service with a drop-off at Tamarind Village on Raj Damnoen Road where notable landmarks and ancient temples such as the Thapae Gate, the Three Kings Monument, Wat Phra Singh, Wat Chedi Luang, Wat Prasart, Wat Duang Dee and the Chiang Mai Architecture Centre are a short stroll away. The renowned 'Sunday Walking Street' unfolds on the same street weekly. Easily accessible, Chiang Mai is a one-hour flight from Bangkok, with Raya Heritage a thirty-minute drive from Chiang Mai International Airport.

You can indulge in the luxurious comfort of Raya Heritage's beautifully crafted suites, envisioned by the esteemed Thai architect Boonlert Hemvijitraphan. The Kraam Pool Suites, nestled in the resort's garden landscape by the Ping River, provide indoor-outdoor living with a roomy terrace and a 3x7-meter private pool. Open glass walls maximise your views and every element of the design harmonises with the concept of indoor-outdoor living. You will immerse yourselves in the tranquility and natural surroundings, cocooned by lush gardens. Your Kraam Pool Suite, offering a generous 100 sqm of space, boast a serene palette of whites and creams, complemented by touches of hand-woven indigo fabrics for a visually stunning effect. A beautifully appointed



kingsize bed, a delightful day bed and an exquisite bathroom with a freestanding bath and walk-in shower beckon you to relax in luxury. Enhancing the experience are hand-carved teakwood mirrors, captivating ceramic tiles and an eye-catching array of handwoven textiles, baskets, pottery and woodcarvings, embodying a style of luxury rooted in simple, natural beauty and the unique heritage of northern Thailand. Each Kraam Pool Suite features a spacious outdoor terrace with an inviting pool and luxurious outdoor furnishings, offering gorgeous views of the resort's jungle garden. These suites epitomise contemporary coolness, providing ample bright and beautiful space, stunning vistas and luxurious living in every detail. You will embark on a stay where sophistication intertwines with comfort, seamlessly weaving the allure of Northern Thai heritage into every facet of your retreat.

Raya Heritage offers an array of world-class amenities and an exceptional staff dedicated to providing maximum pampering, indulgence, relaxation and rejuvenation. Three exquisite dining venues, including Khu Khao, Laan Cha Tea Terrace and Baan Ta Lounge & Lawn, offer a culinary journey ranging from Asian fusion fare to light selections. In-suite room service and poolside dining add to the resort's signature options. Khu Khao reflects elegance and cuisine inspired by the north's rice-based culture, while the Laan Cha Tea Terrace offers a cozy outdoor space for relaxation and afternoon tea with river views. Baan Ta Lounge & Lawn is perfect for pre-dinner cocktails and light evening meals, featuring signature cocktails such as Baan Ta and Long Mae Ping, made with local rum and fresh fruit juices. The resort's serene Al Waan Spa offers incredible wellness treatments, including the signature Bamboo Massage, a sensory indulgence. The excellent fitness room, with free weights and cardiovascular equipment, encourages a healthy lifestyle while away from home. The swimming pool, strategically positioned parallel to the Ping River, is ideal for laps or relaxation on loungers, shaded by umbrellas and offering views of the river below. Additionally, Raya Heritage introduces the 'Him Gong, Curated Craft' boutique, providing a unique shopping experience in Chiang Mai. This concept store showcases a diverse range of exquisite items, including jewellery, clothing, accessories, home decor, northern Thai artifacts and works by emerging local designers.

Raya Heritage is deeply committed to giving back to the community, actively supporting charitable organizations benefiting disadvantaged members of society. The resort's design team collaborated closely with local weavers, potters, woodcarvers and artisans from small towns and villages in northern Thailand for two years before opening. Their work, showcasing sustainability as a key element, is prominently featured throughout the resort. Virtually all restaurant ingredients are sourced from local, sustainable farms.

To enrich your stay, Raya Heritage organises superb half and full-day excursions to some of the area's most fascinating sites. Temple and market visits, village explorations and forays into national parks are all available. Popular activities include elephant experiences, jungle walks, rock climbing

and rafting. For those interested in traditional crafts, a day can be spent visiting artisan studios or exploring the best shopping Chiang Mai has to offer. Tours are designed with a focus on quality, perfect for gaining insight into local culture. Booking a holiday at Raya Heritage River Sanctuary is an unparalleled choice, ensuring an exceptional and memorable experience.

## Facilities

Resort Villa • Modern • Wellness • Vill'otel (Like a Hotel!) • Shared Pool • Ideal for Kids • Ideal for Teens • Wi-Fi/Internet • Air-Con • Walk to Village • Walk to Restaurant • <1hr to Airport • Coffee Machine • Safety Deposit Box • Hairdryer • All Bedrooms En-Suite • Smart TV • TV • Lift • Wheelchair Access • Spa/Massage • Gym/Fitness Room • Parking Space • On-Street Parking • Walking/Hiking Paths • Cycling • Stalking/Hunting • Outstanding Landscapes • Outdoor Pursuit & Activities • Tourist Towns & Villages • Historical Sites • Romantic • Security Guard

# Interior & Grounds

## The Suite

- Spacious suite with 1 bathroom with a walk-in shower
- Seating area and terrace

### Additional amenities

- Desk
- Safety deposit box
- Upper floors accessible by stairs only
- Flat-screen TV
- Wake-up service
- Sofa
- Outdoor furniture
- Towels
- Seating Area
- Socket near the bed
- Tea/Coffee maker
- Refrigerator
- Minibar
- Tile/marble floor
- Electric kettle
- Sofa bed
- Single-room air conditioning for guest accommodation
- Telephone
- Cable channels
- Wardrobe or closet
- Interconnected room(s) available
- Satellite channels
- Air conditioning
- Hand sanitiser



## Location & Local Information

Raya Heritage enjoys a fabulous location, twenty minutes from the heart of Chiang Mai, a captivating city nestled in the mountainous region of Northern Thailand. It beckons tourists with its rich cultural heritage, vibrant markets and stunning natural landscapes. A visit to Chiang Mai promises a harmonious blend of ancient traditions and modern charm.

The city's historic centre, encircled by ancient walls and moats, is a treasure trove of temples and landmarks that narrate the story of Chiang Mai's illustrious past. Wat Phra Singh, an exquisite temple dating back to the 14th century, showcases intricate Lanna architecture and houses the revered Phra Singh Buddha. Another iconic site is Wat Chedi Luang, home to the partially ruined yet imposing chedi which stands as a testament to the city's former glory.

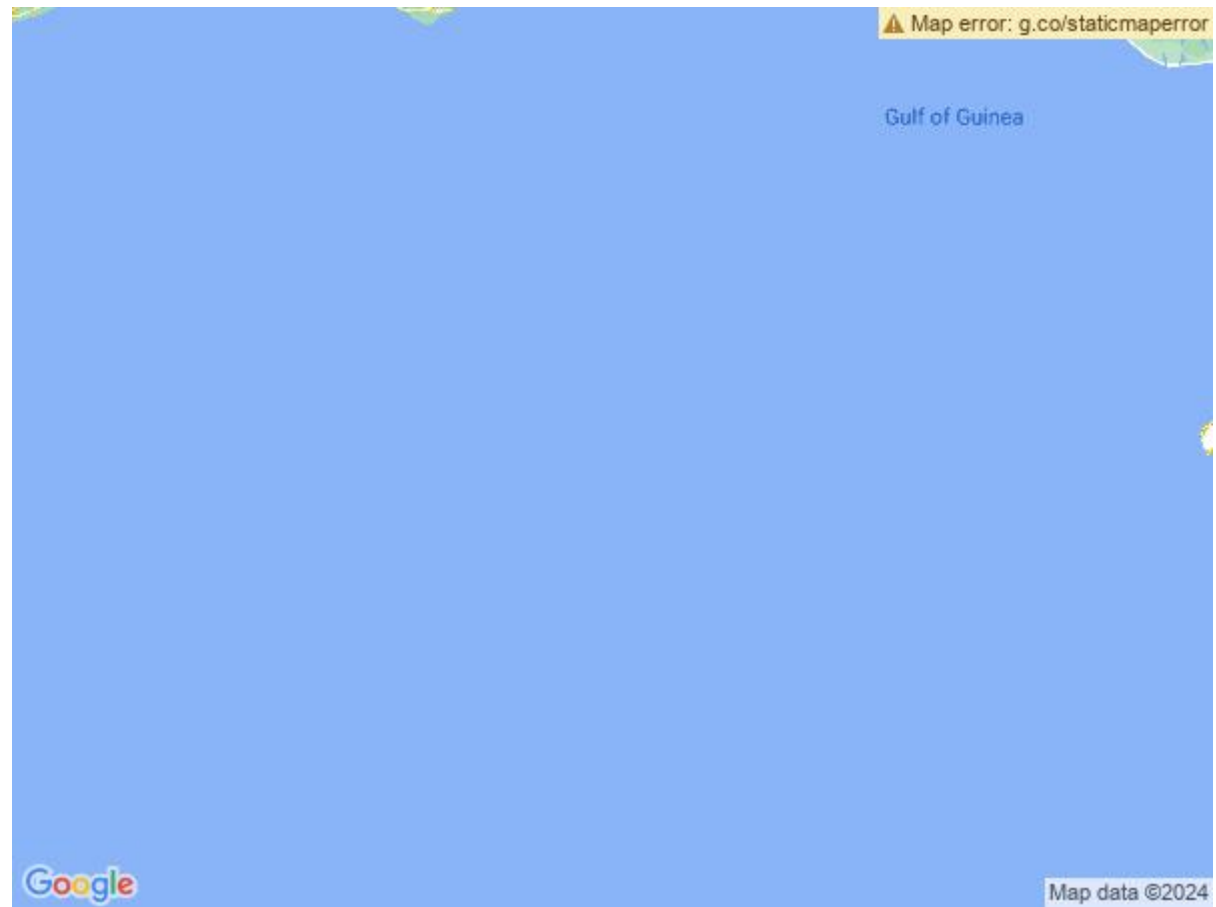
Venturing into the bustling streets, tourists are greeted by the energetic atmosphere of the Night Bazaar, a shopper's haven offering a myriad of local crafts, textiles and delectable street food. The Warorot Market, also known as Kad Luang, is a vibrant hub where visitors can immerse themselves in the authentic local experience, exploring stalls brimming with fresh produce, spices and handmade souvenirs.

For a breath of fresh air and panoramic views, a trip to the Doi Suthep-Pui National Park is a must. The park is crowned by the sacred Wat Phra That Doi Suthep, perched atop a mountain, offering not only a spiritual retreat but also breathtaking vistas of Chiang Mai. Nature enthusiasts can embark on trekking adventures, discovering hidden waterfalls and lush landscapes within the park.

Chiang Mai is renowned for its vibrant festivals, with the Yi Peng Lantern Festival being a highlight. Occurring in November, the skies are illuminated with thousands of floating lanterns, creating a mesmerising spectacle. Songkran, the Thai New Year festival, transforms the streets into a water-filled battlefield as locals and tourists engage in friendly water fights to usher in the auspicious occasion. The Flower Festival held in February is also very popular.

Culinary enthusiasts will delight in the diverse flavours of Chiang Mai's cuisine. From the iconic Khao Soi, a coconut-based noodle soup, to delectable street-side treats, the city's food scene is a gastronomic adventure in itself. Chiang Mai's cuisine includes an exciting blend of Thai, Burmese, Shan and Yunnanese influences. There are plenty of Thai cookery classes available as well as massage courses, Buddhist meditation programmes, textile weaving and language classes.

Chiang Mai captivates tourists with its enchanting blend of historical grandeur, lively markets and natural beauty. Whether exploring ancient temples, engaging in festive celebrations or savouring the local delicacies, visitors are



sure to be captivated by the unique charm of this Northern Thai gem.

Raya Heritage's excursions take you to an organic farming valley with Pakeryaw's family Nu and his family. As Pakeryaw hill tribes, they have owned the farm for over thirty years. You will stop at the highest peak of Thailand with the Stupa, go downhill to the valley farm by truck, enjoy an organic farm tour and a picnic lunch at the little tree house and visit the 'Pa Dok Siaw' waterfall. Another excursion is Sunrise Cycling, experiencing the refreshing atmosphere in the morning with mountain air and a large reservoir and rice fields. You can also learn about local Pong Krai Organic Forest Coffee and wild orchid breeding and take a rickshaw to a local temple and market.

## Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	<b>Chiang Mai International Airport (7.2 km)</b>
Nearest Train Station	<b>Chiang Mai Railway Station (8 km)</b>
Nearest Restaurant	<b>Huern Kham Restaurant (700 m)</b>
Sightseeing	<b>Huay Kaew Waterfall (6 km)</b>
Sightseeing	<b>Museum of World Insects and Natural Wonders (6.5 km)</b>
Sightseeing	<b>Three Kings Monument (6.8 km)</b>
Sightseeing	<b>Suan Nonsee Playground (4 km)</b>

## What we love

- The Kraam Pool Suites at Raya Heritage, designed by the renowned architect Boonlert Hemvijitraphan, offer exquisite decor, wonderful Thai touches and a superb terrace and private pool. Your holiday dreams will be answered!
- Raya Heritage is cocooned by lush tropical gardens on the banks of the Ping River. Your suite sits in the middle of this paradise, the perfect abode for a spot of switch off!
- The location is excellent, just twenty minutes from Chiang Mai's Old Town. The resort provides easy access to major landmarks such as Thapae Gate, Wat Phra Singh and the Three Kings Monument
- Raya Heritage boasts world-class amenities, including three dining venues, an exquisite spa, a fitness room, a beautiful swimming pool and a fab boutique offering superb local crafts

## What you should know...

- The resort welcomes children aged six and over
- Raya Heritage have a fantastic excursion programme which allows you to get a wonderful sense of the local community and the region's beauty
- The Concierge Team is truly outstanding. You only have to ask and they will do their very best to make sure your dreams come true. There are only thirty eight suites and you will be truly pampered!

# Terms & Conditions

- Arrival time: 2 pm
- Departure time: 12:00 (Noon)
- End of stay cleaning included?: Yes. However, guests are required to leave the accommodation clean, tidy and in the same condition as on their arrival. Any extra cleaning, laundry, maintenance and/or rubbish disposal required will be charged against the security deposit.
- Linen & towels included?: Yes, including towels
- Energy costs included?: Yes, included in the rental price
- Minimum stay: 3 nights
- Changeover day: Flexible
- Pets welcome?: Not allowed
- Smoking Allowed?: Not permitted
- Insurance: It is recommended that all guests take out insurance to cover against potential cancellation and any accidental damage caused during your stay at the property.
- Internet access?: Yes, wi-fi internet connection is included in the rental price
- Other 2: Only children 6 and older are allowed
- Other 3: No Shows - In the event that guests do not arrive or arrive later than the confirmed arrival date, the resort reserves the right to charge for 100% of the total value of the accommodation reserved.