

# Bangkok Tips

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## Restaurants

### *Thai*

FACE Suk Soi 38 <http://www.face-bangkok.com/>

Lean on tree Sukhumvit Soi 18

Balee Laos Sukhumvit Soi 16

Gardens of Dinsor Palace <http://www.thegardenspalace.com/>

River Tree House <http://www.baanrabiangnam.com/home.php3>

Wine I Love you – Emquartier

[https://www.tripadvisor.com/Restaurant\\_Review-g293916-d4224350-Reviews-Wine\\_I\\_Love\\_You-Bangkok.html](https://www.tripadvisor.com/Restaurant_Review-g293916-d4224350-Reviews-Wine_I_Love_You-Bangkok.html)

Sit & Wonder Soi 55 (close to BTS Thong Lo)

[http://www.tripadvisor.com/Restaurant\\_Review-g293916-d4306866-Reviews-Sit\\_and\\_Wonder-Bangkok.html](http://www.tripadvisor.com/Restaurant_Review-g293916-d4306866-Reviews-Sit_and_Wonder-Bangkok.html)

Baan Khanitha

<http://www.baan-khanitha.com/venues.php?branch=suk23>

Suda (beside Hemingways – By BTS Asoke)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kg8fJb62Kqc>

### *German*

Bei Otto, Sukhumvit Soi 20

<http://www.beiotto.com/>

### *International*

No Idea Gastro & Pub , Soi 22 <http://noideabkk.com/>

Karma Kamet Diner (very nice place, well hidden...)

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Karmakamet-Diner/446021698824192>

### *Argentinian / Steak House*

El Gaucho

<http://elgaucho.asia/>

Close to Terminal 21 BTS Asoke or in Thonglor Sukhumvit Soi 55

### *Italian*

Rossanos Soi 21 (Asoke area)

[https://www.tripadvisor.se/Restaurant\\_Review-g293916-d1053260-Reviews-Rossano\\_s-Bangkok.html](https://www.tripadvisor.se/Restaurant_Review-g293916-d1053260-Reviews-Rossano_s-Bangkok.html)

About Eatery (mitt emot Rossanos)

Piccaco – Suk soi 16 <http://www.pizzazobistro.com/>

Antonios, Soi 33 (luxury)  
<http://www.antoniosbkk.com/>

*Spanish*  
El Mercado <http://elmercadobangkok.com/>

*Swedish*  
Restaurant Cajutan Suk Soi 18 <http://cajutan.com/sv/om-cajutan/>

*Indian*  
MAYA at hotel Holiday Inn Sukhumvit Soi 22  
Rang Mahal at hotel Rembrandt Suk Soi 18  
<http://www.rembrandtbkk.com/restaurants/>

*Vietnamese*  
Le Dalat Soi 23  
<http://www.ledalatbkk.com/>

*Chinese*  
Hong Bao, Soi 39  
[http://www.hongbaorestaurant.com/?page\\_id=2](http://www.hongbaorestaurant.com/?page_id=2)

*Sea food*  
The Raw Bar, Soi 55

*Japanese*  
<http://bk.asia-city.com/restaurants/bangkok-restaurant-reviews/ten-sui>  
or  
Hotel Mariotte close to Swedish Embassy BTS Nana  
[http://www.tripadvisor.com/Restaurant\\_Review-g293916-d953542-Reviews-Tsu\\_Japanese\\_Restaurant\\_at\\_the\\_JW\\_Marriott\\_Hotel\\_Bangkok-Bangkok.html](http://www.tripadvisor.com/Restaurant_Review-g293916-d953542-Reviews-Tsu_Japanese_Restaurant_at_the_JW_Marriott_Hotel_Bangkok-Bangkok.html)

*Korean*  
Din Tai Fung – Nice Dim Sum – at floor 7 Central World

*Vegetarian*  
<https://www.tripadvisor.com/Restaurants-g293916-zfz10665-Bangkok.html>

### **Sky- rooftop bars**

Above 11, Suk Soi 11  
Moon Bar and Vertigo Banyan Tree  
Octave at Mariotte hotel Suk Soi 57 (nearest BTS Thonglo)  
Mode Sathon Hotel  
<http://www.bangkok.com/magazine/the-roof.htm>

Lebua (luxury) and Scirroco  
<http://www.lebua.com/sky-bar>

### **Foot massage**

DARA Massage, BTS Thong Lo, Suk Soi 55

### **Pedicure/manicure/hair cut**

BUYA Salon at Exchange Tower – BTS Asoke exit 6

Hair cut/ highlights) (ask for Pik)

Ten Ten Nail and Spa along Sukhumvit <http://www.nailspa-bangkok.com/>

### **Shopping**

EM Quartier BTS Phrom Phong

Terminal 21 BTS Asoke

Central World

Central Embassy

MBK (copy products)

Paragon

Silom Village – Asian handicrafts etc

Chatuchak weekend market

### **Cinema**

Emprivé Emporium BTS Phrom Phong

Toyota Cineart Emquartier BTS Phrom Phong

Terminal 21 floor 5 BTS Asoke (don't miss the public toilets in this shopping mall)

### **Things to see & do**

Khaosan Road [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Khaosan\\_Road](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Khaosan_Road)

Chinatown

River and canal boat cruise at Khao Praya

Brunch at Oriental hotel <http://www.tripadvisor.com/ShowUserReviews-g293916-d1068563-r160174463->

[Lord Jim's at Mandarin Oriental Bangkok-Bangkok.html](http://www.mandarinoriental.com/bangkok/fine-dining/)

<http://www.mandarinoriental.com/bangkok/fine-dining/>

Asiatique by the river (opens at 5 pm)

Cykla med Arne

[www.bangkokbybike.com](http://www.bangkokbybike.com)

### **Bang Krachao**

Biking

MRT to Klong Toey, then taxi to the pier and boat transfer to Bang Krachao.

MOCA Museum

### **Parks**

Lumpini Park - public park MRT station Lumpini

Benjakiti Park opp. Column Tower nearest BTS Asoke exit head for Hotel

Park Plaza follow along 500 m to the right

Benjasiri park by Emporium Suites (smaller park)

### **Family / Kids fun**

Caturday Cat café [Address](#): 10400, 115 Phayathai Rd, Thanon Phetchaburi, BTS Ratchathewi

Hello Kitty House address: Pathum Wan (BTS National Stadium)

**Golf courses** (tried and appreciated)

Lam Luk Ka Country Club (1,5 hr from BKK)

Royal Lakeside Golf Club (1 hr from BKK)

Thana City (30 min from BKK)

Summit Windmill Golf Club (1 hr from BKK)

Bangkok Golf Club (1 hr)

The Vintage Club

Subhapruek Golf Club (1-1,5 hr from BKK)

**Outside Bangkok**

Kirimaya (very nice course, 2-2,5 hrs north of BKK)

Black Mountain - Hua Hin (very nice)

Banyan – Hua Hin (very nice)

Burapha (fantastic – near Pattaya)

Grand Prix (2,5 hours north of BKK)

**Outside of Bangkok*****By car***

Mae Phim, Lomtalay Chalet 3,5 hours by car

Hua Hin, 3 hours from BKK by car (hotel Devasom, Grand Centara ...)

Koh Chang 5,5 hours by car and ferry from BKK, – Chill resort, KC Grande, Kacha

Khao Yai National park 2 hours north of BKK by car – Kirimaya resort

Resort Chonburi 2 hrs, Tamarind private villa

Souchada Resort & Spa, Saraburi (nov-dec sun flower fields are in full bloom)

***By flight***

Koh Samui – Samui Buri Beach hotel (nice), Laem Yai Beach

Centara Grand Beach hotel Krabi

Khao Lak, Phuket hotel: Paradise Khao lak, Laguna resort...

Chiang Mai/Chiang Rai/Golden Triangle/Mae Hong Soon (tribe village w Long necked women)

Hat Yai and the island Koh Lipe – Mountain resort