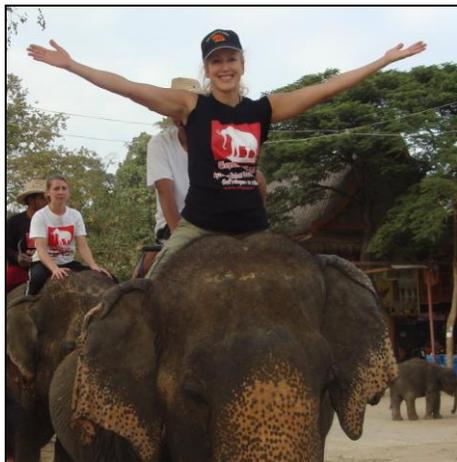


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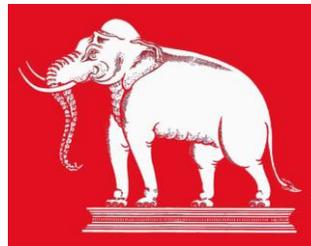
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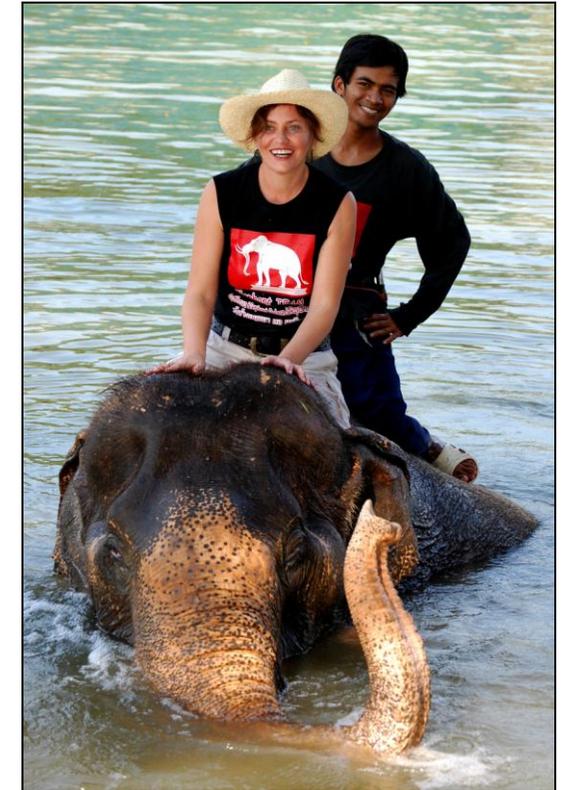
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Asian elephants are on the brink of extinction; however the unique vision of one man, Laithongrien Meepan, founder of the Prakochaban Foundation, is ensuring that elephants survive into the future with innovative programs. We are setting a new standard of care and training, both for elephants and for their mahouts. We intend the success of our programs to improve the work of others in Thailand and around the world who are working in this area.



WHAT MAKES US UNIQUE

The fragmentation of the elephant culture in Thailand and the low economic status of the mahout has resulted in difficult times. We run many programs to restore the former place mahouts and elephants held in Thai society, as honored members.

These programs include,
 -Supporting the best practices of the mahouts, where the bond between

man and elephant is based on mutual, respect, understanding and communication.

- The most successful captive elephant breeding program in the world, 63 successful births since 2000
- Rehabilitation of abused and killer elephants
- Growing food for elephants that has the highest nutritional content. As well as researching and providing special elephant supplement food
- Recycling elephant dung to make fertilizer
- Assisting in wild elephant rescues
- Retiring old elephants
- Providing tourist rides in a model environment
- Lobbying the government for greater protection of elephants
- Promoting history, culture and traditions of elephants in Thailand



PACKAGES

We have packages for singles, couples and families. We can also accommodate larger groups. Guided by English and Thai speaking professionals, will ensure you leave with a wonderful insight into this fascinating world of elephants.

All packages include air-conditioned accommodation, Elephant Team T-shirt, comprehensive handbook all about elephants including their husbandry, history, culture, elephant commands and other useful information. Meals are delicious and included in the price. And most importantly of course an elephant for you to get to know and take care of.

From around 4000 baht per person per day we can guarantee you the experience of a lifetime. As we operate under a non profit foundation all the money goes back to the elephants to improve their lives.

It was an awesome and unforgettable experience living with the elephants, I WILL BE BACK!. Carmen Bright, Australia, (Elephant Team member)