

RA SĀ NAN DĀ

PHANGAN ISLAND

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Rasananda Phangan Island Gives Back To The Local Community

25 May 2009, Bangkok – In mid-May Rasananda Resort Manager Charles Bertschy led staff, local hoteliers and business owners as well as residents in a clean-up of Tong Nai Pan Noi Beach. The monthly event is one of the resorts community involvement activities sponsored by the Resorts 'Project L.O.V.E.' – LOVE is an acronym for Leaders Offering Value to the Environment. "I am honored to have the opportunity to support the community in such a simple yet, important way. It is awe inspiring to see more than 100 people from all walks of life come together and care for the environment. The interaction of the local community with our staff and guests is also an opportunity to enhance our guests cultural awareness of Thailand and provide an even more interesting stay." - as noted by Mr. Bertschy.

PROMOTION

Two Islands - One Amazing Holiday

Experience the best Thailand has to offer by choosing the Twin Islands Package.

Begin your holiday by experiencing the vibrant night life of Chaweng Beach and escape to the tranquility of a Charming Village room at none other than Award Winning Buri Rasa Koh Samui. Tranquil, peaceful and exotic, while being only steps away from the action of Chaweng. On day two you will journey by sea to the jungle paradise of Koh Phangan for two nights of beach relaxation at Rasananda Koh Phangan where you will be treated to a Garden Suite with your very own pool. As your holiday escape draws to a close, you will return to Koh Samui for one more night at Buri Rasa, with just enough time to do all the shopping you need to do for family and friends prior to your journey onward. 5 Days and 4 Nights await your discover and experience at an exclusive price of only 49,999 THB. This holiday is exclusive to guests booking direct via reservation@burirasa.com or reservation@rasananda.com. All accommodations charges, taxes, service charges, transportation fees are inclusive, as is daily breakfast for two. Restrictions to dates may apply. Email for details today!

Resort Update & Information

Ranking – At Rasananda, we do not consider ourselves a Resort ranked by stars rather one classified as a Unique Luxury Island Getaway offering Personalized yet Relaxed atmosphere. We are committed to being the most unique experience in Koh Phangan.

Villas & Suites – All Villas and Suites are complete and operating at 100% functionality. Some accessories & small furnishings continue to arrive and will do so throughout 2009 due to import delays. This has no effect to the guest stay.

Food & Beverage – We will operate one All Day Dining Outlet in 2009, Bistro @ The Beach offer a full selection of International fare under the direction of our foreign Chef. The wine lounge is also open and very popular.

Activities & Excursions – The remote nature of Phangan makes relaxing on the beach and ideal past time but rest assured we have a wide range of options for guests such as kayaks, snorkels and rafts all complimentary with additional excursions available.

Rasananda's Luxury Cruiser – The Resorts 37ft boat will be in operation by 1 July 2009.

Due to the overwhelming success the resort has experienced tied with a more conservative approach due to the global economic crisis, some services originally planned are not yet optimal. Demand from guests and meeting guests needs have been our number one focus. Rasananda is operating at high capacity and thus it has been difficult to attend to the fine details of service and facility while serving the needs of Resort guests. *All agents and supporters of Rasananda are encouraged to communicate clearly with guests prior to travel that Rasananda is a new resort and improvements to details both facility and service will take place throughout the year, which is why we have advantageous promotions available to all business partners throughout 2009.*

About Rasananda Phangan Island – Rasananda has been voted one of the top beach resorts in the world. Rasananda offers 44 villas & suites, ranging in size from 100 – 260 square meters of indoor and outdoor living space, all with private pool. Guests will be in awe of Rasananda's Signature 'blissful dreams' mattress adorned with 500 thread count bed linens. Hardwood floors, Thai teakwood furniture accented with hand woven silks and cottons with such modern comfort as 32" flat screen LCD satellite television, and home theatre making for a most enjoyable in-room experience. Inclusive features are twice daily housekeeping, Rasa Host service and complimentary hi-speed WI-FI. Other facilities waiting to be discovered include a fantastic beachside restaurant, an extensive wine & champagne lounge, a swim-up 'glass' pool bar, signature spa, library, gift & gourmet shop and fitness facility & sea-view yoga platform.

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