

Best Shopping

Supercheap - *Thepkrasattri Rd - north of Phuket City*
Wines, prescription drugs and whatever else you can find in this labyrinth of a store.

Makro - *Wichitsongkram Rd. (4020)*
Warehouse style shop on the road between Phuket City and Patong near Central.

Dons Mall - *Sai Yon Rd. Rawai*
Great steaks so we are told.

Best brekkies

Geo Guesthouse Restaurant - *Soi Sansabai. Patong*
130 baht or 150 with unlimited tea or coffee.

Tavern on the Hill - *21 Hasipee Rd Patong*
175 baht but you need to be a hearty eater for it has everything.

Footrot Flats - *Nanai Road, Patong*
If you have a big stomach try the 190 baht gut buster, otherwise the 150 baht brekky will suffice. The staff are still being trained to get the orders right but the cook knows what she's doing.

Agree or disagree with these recommendations, or would you like to add a few more to the list?

Just email us at "top5@andamanpost.com" and let us know where you have achieved a great deal or had a fantastic meal.

Top Things TO Do

Phuket Fantasea - *Kamala*
Haven't heard of anyone say this is not a good show. Tickets available through all travel agencies

Gibbon Sanctuary - *Soi Namtok Bang Pae*
Set up in 1992 by zoologist TD Morin but now run by the Wild Animal Rescue Foundation of Thailand, the sanctuary retrains gibbons to live back in the wild. About 70 gibbons onsite, you can't actually go in, defeats the purpose of returning to the wild. Bang Pae waterfall is next door.

Khao Khad Lookout - *Off Pattana Uthit 1 Rd., Panwa*
Great 360 degree views from Phuket City to Panwa Cape

Thalang National Museum - *Pakhlok Rd., 200 metres east of Heroines Monument, Thalang.*
Showcase of Phuket's history and culture.

Phang Nga Bay - *Various travel agencies*
Half Day or day trip to this stunning part of the world. Not to be missed for anyone visiting Phuket. A photograhper's delight.

Kamala Lawn Bowls - *Behind Phuket Fantasea, Kamala*
A surprisingly relaxing way to spend an afternoon. The only lawn bowls green on the island and due to its location, the place is quiet and peaceful. Monday afternoon is a good time to catch a few like minded souls there.

Live Entertainment

Coyote Bar - *Soi Sea Dragon, Bangla Rd., Patong*
Consistent, play covers, the resident band are a happy bunch and they get a lot guest singers coming in to jam with them.

Jammin - *Phuket City*
Mainly Thai with a sprinkling of Westerners. The place rocks.

Rock City - *Beach Road, Patong*
Local and western bands, good venue. They have a tribute band each month and the style is heavy rock.

Saxophone Bar - *Beach Road, Patong*
Jazz, Funk and Soul, and Blues. Another new venue a couple of doors away from Rock City. Capitalise on having a very successful pub by the same name in Bangkok by way of having bands to import on a regular basis.

Two Black Sheep - *172 Rat-U-Thit Rd., Patong*
Some of the new owners are accomplished musicians so it is very focused on music quality. Acoustic music in the early evening followed up by a resident house band.(*They seem to have tempoarily failed to renew their Entertainment licence*)

TAVERN on the HILL Restaurant & Bar

High in the hills above Patong relax and enjoy the views of Jungle and Sea.
Cool breezes and Ice Cold Beers make for a perfect place to chill out.

Highly acclaimed real Thai food.
Selection of international dishes.
Various wines and spirits.
Friendly and attentive staff.
Large servings; moderate prices.
Roof garden and outside sitting.
Pool table and bar games.

21 Hasip Pee Road, Patong
Telephone: 076 296 527

Great All Day Breakfast, Back Bacon, "English" Pork Sausage, Black Pudding,
Pork Pies, Ribs, and Steaks. Home Made Pies - **Sunday Roast**
English owned and managed.

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