

Jalan Satok Sunday Market



This vibrant Sunday market along Jalan Satok, comes alive Saturday afternoon when local traders from the outskirts of Kuching peddle their wares.

Catch a glimpse of the fat squirming grubs, siet, or unique wild ferns "midin" and other jungle produce sold in makeshift stalls by the roadside, or simply on empty rice sacks lain on the ground.

The place truly comes alive with a riot of colours, smells and dialects as the locals converge to buy their weekly produce.

Traders sell handicrafts, clothes, fresh produce, food and drinks and much more. This is also an excellent excuse for picture taking opportunities.

Take an outing to the market, and be prepared to face a bevy of smiles, fierce haggling and friendly faces in the true Sarawakian warmth and charm.

KEY TIPS

Once you've worked up an appetite strolling through the market, head for one of the local Chinese coffee shops for breakfast. The perfect way to start the day, if you ask the regulars, is with a cup of strong Sarawakian coffee and a pau, or bun, stuffed with savoury meat.

HOW TO GET THERE

By Foot or Taxi.

The Jalan Satok Sunday Market is at the junction of Jalan Satok and Jalan Palm, opposite the Miramar Cinema.

By Bus

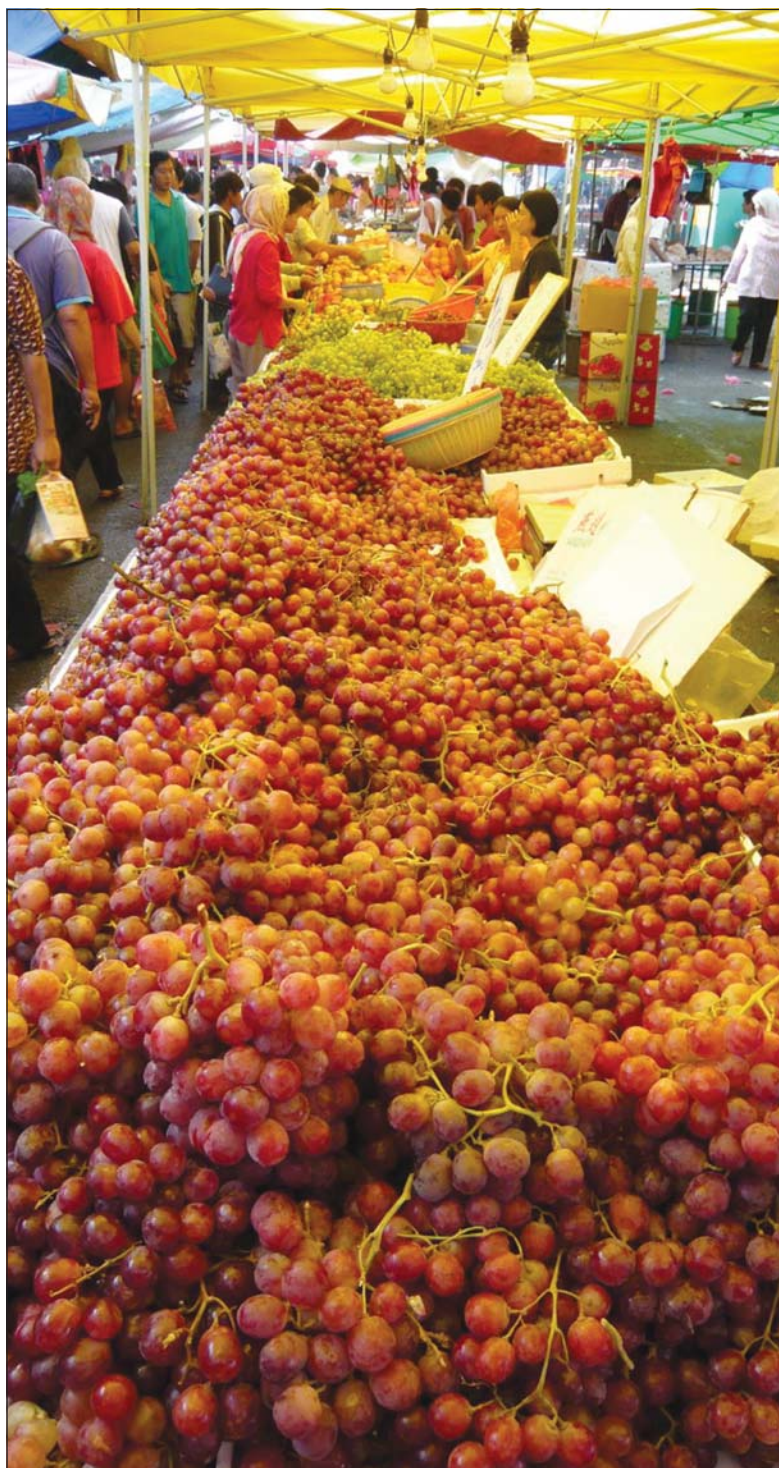
Buses 4a and 4b from the Matang transport Company bus station on Jalan P. Ramlee or from the post office go to the market. It is a 5 minute bus ride.

WHO TO CONTACT

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ACCOMMODATION OVERVIEW

Kuching, Sarawak's state capital, offers a full range of accommodation, from basic backpacker's hostels to 5-star hotels.



WHERE TO STAY

Winner Hotel
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Hotel Deleton
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Best Western Kinabalu Daya Hotel
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The Palace Hotel
Phone: 6 088 217 222
Fax: 6 088 211 600

Hotel Shangri-La
Phone: 60 088 212800
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Likas Square Business Suites
Phone: 60 088 252233
Fax: 60 088 251122

Tang Dynasty Hotel
Phone: 60 088 263389 / 251155
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Beverly Hotel
Phone: 60 088 258998
Fax: 60 088 258778

Promenade Hotel
Phone: 60 088 265555
Fax: 60 088 246666 / 253980

Hyatt Regency Kinabalu
Phone: 60 088 221234
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Le Meridien Kota Kinabalu
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Nexus Resort Karambunai
Phone: 6 088 411222 / 411030
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Phone: 60 088 327888
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