



Written for whoever has been landed with organising the trip. It covers where to go, when, what a week costs for a group of 8 to 32, how to book it and how to run the golf when you get there. Prices are our estimates for the 2026/27 season, worked out from the published rates we hold for 43 Thai courses.

1 WHERE TO GO

Pick one base and stay in it. Moving a big group between hotels costs you a round. These four regions suit a society best.

Region	Suits	From the airport	Courses
Pattaya	Groups and value. The most courses within 45 minutes of one base.	1 h 25 min from Suvarnabhumi (BKK)	35
Hua Hin	Quality courses and a quieter seaside town. The shortest wet season.	2 h 45 min from Suvarnabhumi (BKK)	11
Bangkok	The famous clubs and short trips. Stay near your courses: traffic is heavy.	26 min from Suvarnabhumi (BKK)	67
Phuket	Golf with a beach holiday. Fewer courses, the highest prices.	51 min from Phuket (HKT)	8

2 WHEN TO GO

November to February	Dry and the most comfortable. The busiest and dearest months, for golf, hotels and flights. Book six to nine months ahead.
March to May	Hot. Play early: book the first tee times of the day.
June to October	The wet season: afternoon showers more than washouts, and the cheapest months. Hua Hin has the shortest wet season; Phuket the longest.

3 WHAT A WEEK COSTS

Seven nights and five rounds, per golfer, in Thai baht. Each range runs from low season (May to October) to high season (November to February).

Region	3-star hotel	4-star hotel	5-star hotel
Pattaya	THB 22,000 – 30,000	THB 26,000 – 36,000	THB 32,000 – 49,000
Hua Hin	THB 23,000 – 31,000	THB 27,000 – 37,000	THB 33,000 – 49,000
Bangkok	THB 26,000 – 32,000	THB 30,000 – 38,000	THB 36,000 – 51,000
Phuket	THB 23,000 – 33,000	THB 27,000 – 40,000	THB 33,000 – 52,000

The whole group, four-star hotel

Region	12 golfers	16 golfers	24 golfers
Pattaya	THB 312,000 – 432,000	THB 416,000 – 576,000	THB 624,000 – 864,000
Hua Hin	THB 324,000 – 444,000	THB 432,000 – 592,000	THB 648,000 – 888,000
Bangkok	THB 360,000 – 456,000	THB 480,000 – 608,000	THB 720,000 – 912,000
Phuket	THB 324,000 – 480,000	THB 432,000 – 640,000	THB 648,000 – 960,000

Included in these figures: green fees, a caddie for every golfer and the customary tip, hotel with breakfast (twin share) and transfers. Not included: flights, meals and drinks, carts, club hire and single rooms.

These are our estimates, not a quote. Clubs give group rates from about eight golfers, which only show up in a real quote. Roughly £600–£900 per golfer for the four-star week at 44 baht to the pound.

4 WHEN TO DO WHAT

9 to 6 months before	Agree dates and rough numbers with the group. Ask for a quote. For November to February, book now: the good courses fill early.
6 to 4 months	Collect deposits from members before you pay yours. Agree the drop-out rule before anyone pays. Book flights (see below).
8 weeks	Final numbers, the room list (who shares with whom) and everyone's flight times.
2 weeks	Handicaps, the draw for each day and the competition plan. Send the member briefing sheet (last page).
On the trip	Cash for caddie tips, about THB 400 to 500 a round per golfer.

5 FLIGHTS

- Ten or more passengers on the same flights usually counts as a group booking. The airline's group desk holds the seats for a deposit and the names follow nearer departure. It is not always cheaper than booking early one by one, so compare.
- Golf bags: check each airline's sports-equipment rules before you book. Some carry a golf bag in the checked allowance, others charge a fixed fee.
- Members on different flights each need their own airport pick-up. Put every arrival time in your enquiry.
- Everyone needs a passport valid for at least six months, a visa or visa exemption for their nationality, and the Thailand Digital Arrival Card, filed online at tdac.immigration.go.th within three days before landing.

6 ON THE COURSE

- Flights are three to five players. Plan the groups for each day before the club does it for you.
- A caddie is compulsory for every golfer at almost every course. The tip, about THB 400 to 500 a round, is paid in cash to your caddie after the round.
- Carts are compulsory at weekends at many clubs, and at some each golfer takes their own. Weekdays are cheaper and quieter: keep the golf Monday to Friday where you can.
- A round takes four and a half to five hours. Take the earliest tee times you can get; the heat builds from late morning.
- Dress code: collared shirt, tailored shorts or trousers. No denim.

7 RUNNING THE COMPETITION

- Stableford works best: a wide handicap range, heat and courses nobody knows produce some grim medal cards.
- An order of merit over the week keeps everyone interested, rather than one big day.
- With 24 or more golfers, ask for a shotgun start on a weekday so everyone finishes together. Clubs with 27 or 36 holes can take a big field without closing the course.
- Nearest-the-pin and longest-drive markers are standard: tell the club which holes when you confirm.
- Most clubs will lay on a room for the prize-giving if you eat there.

Get a quote

Send us your dates, numbers, rounds, room split and handicap range, and Golfasian, our golf trip partner in Thailand, replies with real group prices. It is free, with no obligation.

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Member briefing: golf in Thailand

From your organiser. Please read before you travel.

- Passport valid for at least six months from arrival. Check the visa rules for your passport.
- File the Thailand Digital Arrival Card at tdac.immigration.go.th within three days before you land.
- Bring cash for caddie tips: about THB 400 to 500 a round, paid to your caddie after each round.
- Dress code: collared shirt, tailored shorts or trousers. No denim.
- It is hot. Sun cream, a hat, two gloves and more water than you think.
- Bringing clubs? Check the airline's golf-bag rules. Hiring costs about THB 1,500 to 2,500 a set; tell the organiser if you need left-handed clubs.
- Travel insurance that covers golf equipment and medical care.
- Join the group's WhatsApp or LINE chat for tee times and pick-ups.

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