Aberdeen 1773 Fishing Heritage

Sampan & Houseboat Tour

with audio guide

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Take a cruise with **SeayouExplorer**, as we bring you back in time, to the origins of Hong Kong

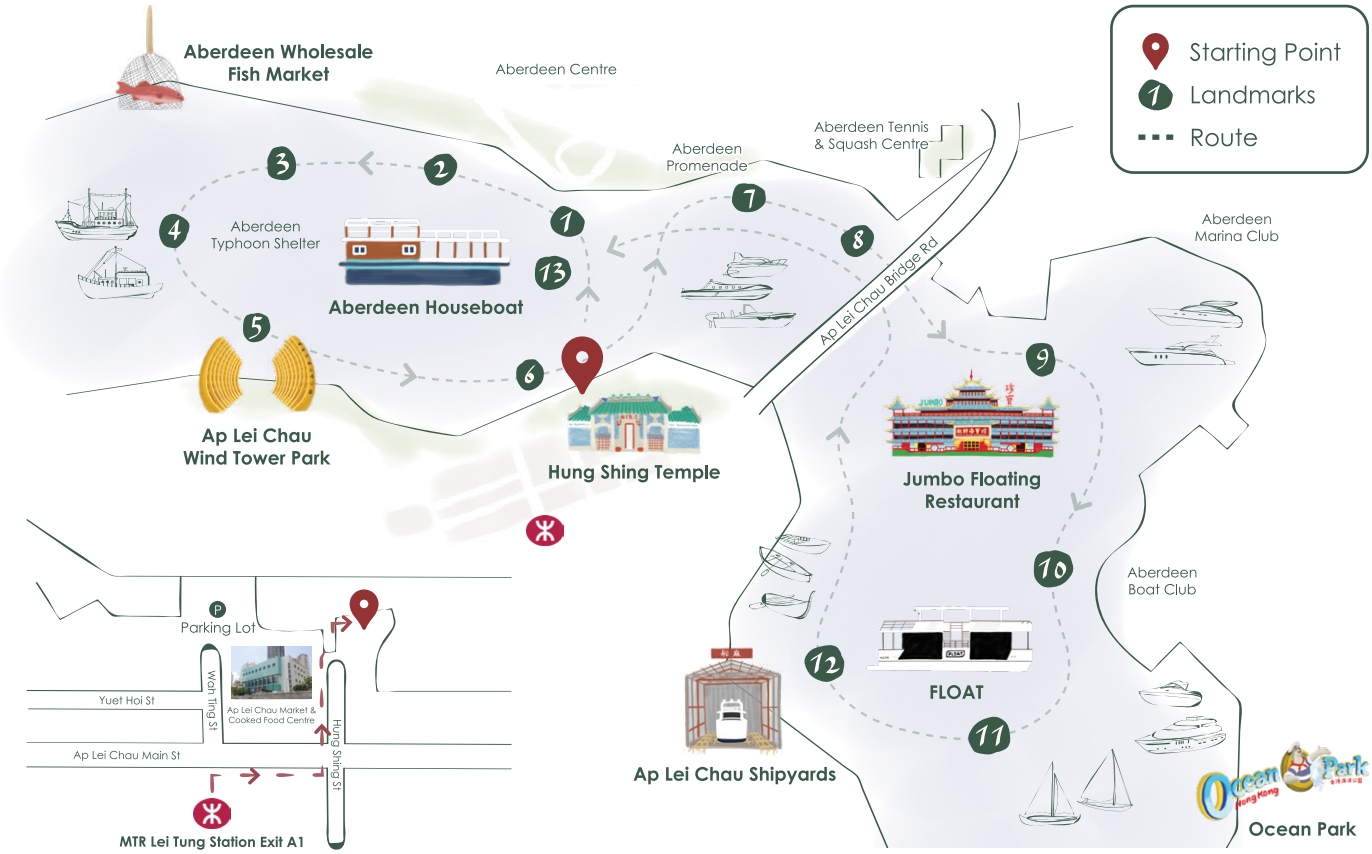
Get on board the unique sampan boats, as we cruise through different local landmarks around the charming and traditional Aberdeen fishing village.

While cruising, try immerse yourself in the area's rich culture and history, through our exquisitely designed audio guide, where you will listen to folk-tales, lullabies and narratives of the area. If you're lucky, you may be able to witness traditional dragon boat trainings or live fish trade in action!

Highlights

- 1 hour trip around Aberdeen Fishing Village
- A peek into the traditional fishing custom and culture as you step into a traditional houseboat with cultural relics on display
- Classic sampans with different themes
- Individual audio guide in Cantonese, Mandarin, English and Japanese
- Spectacular photo opportunities
- Complementary drinks and local snacks on board
- Delicious traditional boat noodles available for lunch inclusive tour, specially prepared in a mobile sampan kitchen

Explore the vibrant fishing village...



Itinerary

- Sampan pickup at Hung Shing Temple, Ap Lei Chau
- 30 minutes audio-guided tour around 13 landmarks, each with their own unique story and cultural significance
- 30 minutes houseboat visit, with cultural exhibits on display
- Additional 30 minutes stay for an authentic boat noodle experience (lunch tour)
- Return to Hung Shing Temple

Tripadvisor

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"This tour takes you back to another time and way of life that is disappearing."

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"An unique experience to know more about the history of Hong Kong. Who could imagine a small sea port could turn into such a modern beautiful city. Do try the boat noodles which is fantastic. My kid loved it."

Sampan

A small, traditional Chinese wooden boat that has braved many vicious storms.

Sampans are usually 6 metres in length and propelled by poles, oars or fitted with motors. On average they can carry about 10 passengers.

"Sampans are people's means of living. It is a signature of old Hong Kong."

Houseboat

Boat dwellers, the Tanka people, used to live in houseboats. At its peak, the population living in houseboats stood at 28,000. They formed a tight community and had their own unique customs.

Visit our houseboat, where we have prepared various cultural exhibits for you to take a glimpse of what the fishermen life was like before.

Lunch Option Available

Traditional Boat Noodles :

- Cooked in a mobile Sampan Kitchen
- Fish soup base, with assorted toppings, i.e. roast pork & goose, fish slices and fishballs

More about the Sampan Kitchen :

There once were 20 sampan kitchens around the harbour, serving quick meals for fishermen. However, as the government stopped issuing licences, there are only 2 remaining in Aberdeen.

What to bring

Sunglasses

Camera

Sunscreen

Jacket

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SCAN to book

* The average cost of a sampan cruise is HK$200. Free of charge for children aged below 3.
* Starts from 10:00 -18:00, lunch option available only in the 11:00 -12:30 slot, for more details please scan the QR code above.