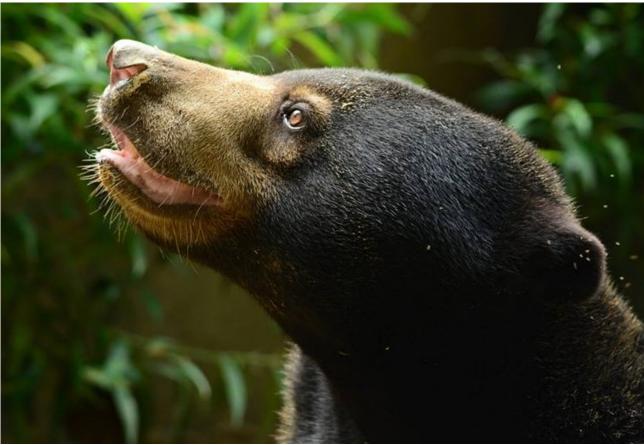
# The Sun Bear Voice

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## **BEAR STORY**

**LIFE AS A BEAR** 

My name is Ronnie, and this is my story of my life as a bear at Bornean Sun Bear Conservation Centre.

I am one of 45 bear residents at Bornean Sun Bear Conservation Centre. There's two other Ronnies in the centre, so sometimes they may refer to me as "Ronnie Boy" in order to not get confused. Who's the other two? Well, one of them is Ronnie girl. She must be cute. The other Ronnie is also a "Ronnie Boy" but he's actually a well-grown man, not a bear, working in the centre.

Sometimes I see the staff staring at me and observing me. Some say that I'm handsome. Some say that I look like a pit bull. They say that I have beautiful blue eyes that can be seen when the sunlight hits them. What I know is that I'm handsome and I have a muscular body. Calling me cute would definitely offend me.



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By now you must be asking yourself, "Why is Ronnie here and not in the forest?". Well, I was kept in a small concrete floor cage together with a friend, Diana at a resort in Tawau. We were kept to be displayed to the resort's visitors and the small cage was my "home" for years. Luckily for both of us, Bornean Sun Bear Conservation Centre rescued us in 2013 and I have been in good hands since then.



When I arrived at the centre.

I was diagnosed with heart problem by the vet during my medical checkup. The centre has been taking extra care of my diet to ensure a healthy and balanced is provided to me. My favourite fruit is definitely bananas! During fruiting season they would provide us with local fruits, which I love! However, I don't really enjoy pumpkin. I would leave it and only eat them when I'm really hungry later on. One time, one of them gave me a pill millipede, which I guess is a food source for us Sun Bears? It smelled funny. I squashed it, left it and don't even bother to eat it since it doesn't look tasty like a banana.

How do I spend my time? I love hanging around especially in my basket, like in the first picture. Unlike other bears that sleep in the basket, I would sit at the edge of the basket and balance myself by holding on to the wall with my long claws. I love chilling there and just enjoy watching the keepers. I would also watch them when they're cleaning the cages next to mine, and sometimes I would follow the brush that's cleaning the wall next to me. They smell funny.

Sometimes they would make special toys for me to play with during my free time. I am usually very focused on only one toy at a time. If I'm not done with an enrichment, I won't be bothered by another enrichment. However, I will surely move on to the next enrichment when I'm done.

One time, I was given an Aussie dog ball. I love that toy! The ball was filled with my meal, porridge. I tried pouring the porridge like how I would do when drinking coconut water but I got startled when the porridge dripped on my body. Silly me! I tried many ways to get my porridge and finally found the best way for me which was to roll the ball, lick the porridge that poured out, roll, lick, and repeat until the ball was empty. Yummy!

Another enrichment they always give me is the nest ball. It's a ball that looks like a nest made of weeds with a sweet surprise inside. Usually I'll get bananas and some honey. Yum!



A freshly made nest ball.

One day, I was given another Aussie dog ball. Inside, I saw a nest ball. Hmm this is tricky. I must get this! But wait, did my neighbour, Bermuda get the same thing? I climbed up my cage to peek at him and saw him totally focused on a similar ball like the one I got. I must get my treats before he does! Bermuda always thinks he's a more macho guy than me.

I immediately went back to my ball and clawed my way into the hole of the ball to get the weeds out. By the first minute, a small nest ball came out. Turns out, the nest ball is three times smaller than the normal ones but there's more inside the Aussie dog ball. The next one was a little harder but by the fourth minute I managed to get it out and already devoured the second piece of banana. The last mini nest ball was out after five minutes and a half since I started. This enrichment was harder than usual which usually took less than a minute but good things don't come easy!



Me focusing on getting my treats before Bermuda gets his.

I love almost all of the enrichments they give me because enrichment means more treats for me! However, I don't really enjoy the termite mounds they give me. They were kind of a bore to me. I got excited at first, scratched it a bit but then just leave it. I only destroyed it during the night when I got bored.

The toys they give me really help to get rid of my boredom. The toys give me something to focus on so I won't get easily stressed out.

By now you must have another question, "Why hasn't Ronnie been released back to the forest?". Well, there are a few criteria in order to be a good release candidate but for now, I haven't fully met the criteria. I am still thankful to everyone in the centre that made sure me and my friends (Bermuda included) are in the best possible environment for now. In my dreams, I am running and climbing all the tress with yummy fruits high up in the tree.

Thank you everyone who is reading my story about my journey and thank you for contributing in any small way you can, to ensure a happy life for my friends and I in the centre.

#### Joe's Arrival



Joe was handed over to BSBCC in January 2019.

An one year old, male Sun Bear cub just arrived at the BSBCC. This brings to a current total of 46 rescued Sun Bears at BSBCC. Joe (Rescue No.61) was found all alone crying in the forest. His history is still remained unknown. A person rescued him and sent him to Lok Kawi Wildlife Park in March 2018. Joe has safely settled in BSBCC quarantine. He weighs 22.8 kg.



Getting comfortable in the basket.

The team will now be looking after little Joe around the clock. There is a long way to go for Joe but he deserves a better life!! Stay tuned with BSBCC to get follow ups on Joe story.

For more information and to support us in our conservation efforts in rehabilitating rescued Sun Bears like Joe, feel free to email us at <a href="mailto:info.bsbcc@gmail.com">info.bsbcc@gmail.com</a>.

## **BEAR STORY**

#### A BRAVE HEART: KUDAT'S STORY



Kudat happily playing with water in an enrichment made for him.

Every individual has a story to tell, therefore it is only right that a bear's story is told; a life behind iron bars displayed for people to see, exploited as money boosters through mistakenly presented as something they are not. This particular case involves two Sun Bears who were previously displayed as Giant Pandas. One of them was Kudat, a 9 years old adult male Sun Bear who currently lives at the Bornean Sun Bear Conservation Centre (BSBCC). Kudat was rescued from a private mini zóo in a district named Kudat, within northern Sabah, where he was kept alongside another adult female Sun Bear named Panda. They were both kept in a small cement-floored cage together, where they were fed chicken meat everyday, which was clearly an unfit diet for the Sun Bear. Kudat was named after the district where he was rescued from, although he originally was from Tawau.



Kudat and Panda were kept on display as Giant Pandas in a private mini zoo in Kudat district in Sabah

It is heart-wrenching to hear that these animals were exploited merely for human's greed. These animals deserve to be in the wild where they can enjoy being in the forest. According to the rescue report, both bears came from Tawau and were still infants when they were presented as gifts to the zoo's owner back in 2008 (most likely involving a lot of money). From then on, these bears were labeled as "Pandas" and became the main attraction of the zoo. Fortunately in 2010, the bears surrendered to the Sabah V Wildlife Department before being sent to BSBCC. A hopeful journey for these bears has then began. When they first arrived at the Centre, they were quite tame and adapted to the new environment very fast. In terms of size, both bears were much bigger compared to other bears of the same age, which was probably due to their heavy consumption at the mini zoo previously.





**Top:** Kudat and Panda's first arrival in BSBCC **Bottom:** Exploring the basket where he often sits in

For the bears to be reintroduced to the forest, it takes patience and a whole lot of courage but it is rewarding to see. Being only steps away from the outside, it took some time for Kudat to brace himself and explore his new surroundings for it was pure fear that kept him inside. The bear keepers and volunteers tried various ways to lure him out of his den from drizzling honey on the ramps and forest floor, to placing food as incentives for him to come outside. These tricks did not only help to trigger his sensory smell, but also encourage the bear's curiosity of the situation. At first, he only took food that was close enough for his paw to grab without stepping outside of the den's door. He also showed unnatural stretching to grab the food on the ramp whilst keeping his back feet in the door to his den. After some time, he would come out of his den only to grab the food and quickly went back inside.





**Top:** Kudat exploring the forest enclosure **Bottom:** Look at how good Kudat climbing up on trees



Kudat is savouring every bit of the sugar cane treat

It took a good two weeks or so for him to have the courage to explore the outside world. We were overjoyed and proud of him! It was touching and rewarding to see him finally roaming around and exploring the greeneries. From only stepping on cemented -floor everyday, he finally got to feel the forest floor. From being cautious of his surroundings, he got more comfortable and acclimated by day. He even climbed up trees and scraped dead logs in the enclosure. He was first released in Pen D of the forest enclosures at the centre before he was moved to Pen L. Recently, due to required maintenance work in Pen L, he had to be abstained from going out into the forest enclosure for some time. However, he is now free to go out again and climb trees, dig and play in the mud like any bear should be able to. We are hoping for more happy stories for more of our beary friends!



Great job, Kudat! He's finally out in the forest

### **BEAR STORY**

#### BJ THE BEAR MAKES NEW FRIENDS



n 2<sup>nd</sup> of March 2017, a Sun Bear cub was handed over to the Sabah Wildlife Department named BJ. He was found after being purchased in Sonsogon village, Pitas, and was sold for the price of RM 300 and then was kept as a pet. He arrived at BSBCC on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of November, 2018. He is a two year old, sub adult male bear weighing 32.20kg.



Hanging out on the hammock together

After living alone in a cage for quarantine purpose, BJ was finally free from trauma and now has made some friends for the first time in his life. On the 14<sup>th</sup> of December 2018, BJ was integrated into a larger social group of female bears – Kina, Sika, Soo and Diana, who would help him adjust to his new life and learn how to be a bear again!

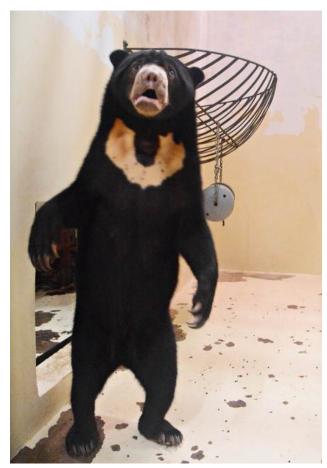
Here we can see how the introduction went:



Integration started with a little pawing.



Integration with Kina.



Sniffing the new surrounding.

As soon as BJ saw his new friends, he stood up on his hind legs, began sniffing and pawing them to start play fighting! They showed off their strong canines and sharp claws to each other!



Wrinkly smile on BJ's face

He was such a handsome and kind bear towards the group. It is good to know that he is welcomed by them and they also rely on each other for comfort, protection and love. Although Sun Bears are by nature solitary animals in the wild, the bond between a mother and her cub is strong during the time they are together. During the integration, Sun Bears can learn from each other as they communicate and play together.

BJ has proven himself to be a friendly bear. He usually smiles with a few wrinkles on his face showing.



Exploring around.

It is great that BJ has accepted this wonderful new friendship. Kina and Sika are BJ's bear play friends.

Sometimes, BJ wants to play with Soo and Diana, but both of the female bears seem uninterested. Once BJ started sharing the large dens with the other female bears, he immediately began exploring. He found the simple pleasure of good friends. He is certainly a happy go lucky bear who loves running around the dens and convinces the others to play with him by sniffing or pulling them. He is always filled with curiosity and enjoys exploring the enrichment around the dens.

They spend their days wandering around the dens, digging up the dead wood, climbing on the structural enrichment and sharing their toys. They are doing things together and seem to enjoy each other's company.

For the rest of their first week together, there was no aggression found as they were more accepting towards each other and it did not take too long for them to become social. Now he has four lovely female bears to keep him company. It was a delight to see him grow into a healthy and loving bear where he could truly be himself.

Funds raised are used to better the lives of all bears. Click here to visit our Adoption Page or scan on the QR code.



## **EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES**

# **GROUP VISIT Politeknik Sandakan CSR**



We would like to express our deepest gratitude to the students of Politeknik Sandakan for the CSR (Community Service Responsibility) programme which was conducted in BSBCC on January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019. Twenty-five students of "Kelab Mesra Alam" (Environmental Friendly Club) accompanied by two lecturers were given some briefing about the Centre and a guided tour to the observation platforms before they were divided into groups to help out with our maintenance and education department. Thanks again for the assistance in preparing our outreach programme materials and cleaning up the Centre's entrance walkway!



Guided tour to the observation platforms







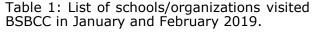
**Top:** Ms. Gloria giving some insights about the Centre **Middle:** Students helping out in preparing outreach materials **Bottom:** Scrubbing off the mosses on the Centre's walkway

## **EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES**

#### **OUTREACH PROGRAMMES**

 $oldsymbol{1}$ t was also a great opportunity to share our work on Sun Bear conservation among oil palm plantation managers and workers during a Safety and Health Campaign organised at the IOI Leepang Palm Oil Mill, Kinabatangan, Sabah on the 14th February BSBCC's representative, Ganang shared on challenges currently faced by Sun Bears in Sabah and BSBCC's efforts to protect them during the talk session. An exhibition booth was also set up to display information and specimens related to Sun Bears and BSBCC's efforts in protecting them. A group of kids from the plantation school came to visit the booth to learn about Sun Bears too! Among other governmental department and NGOs present were Sabah Wildlife Department, Sabah Forestry Department, Fire and Rescue Department, Sukau Health Clinic, Sukau Police Station HUTAN-Kinabatangan Orangutan Conservation Programme (HUTAN-KOCP).

On 20<sup>th</sup> of February 2019, BSBCC joined an outreach programme to SK Lahad Datu IV in the district of Lahad Datu, Sabah. The outreach which coincided with the school Environmental Science Day also participated by HUTAN-KOCP in which the school's programme received an outstanding reception among the teachers and more importantly, the students. The programme was filled with several educational activities such as talks for the Science Club students, handicraft booth and exhibitions, interactive games for the students. It was a great experience for both the organizers and also students to participate in programme and it is really hope that the successfully achieved programme objectives; and most importantly is to educate the younger generations to care and love to our wildlife and environment.



Schools/ Organizations	No. Pax	Date
Politeknik Sandakan	27	30 <sup>th</sup> January
SMK Sandakan Bestari, Sandakan	32	2 <sup>nd</sup> February
Kolej Komuniti Sandakan	16	4 <sup>th</sup> February
Politeknik Muadzam Shah, Pahang	43	20 <sup>th</sup> February







**Top:** A group photo with kids from the plantation Humana school

**Middle:** Mr. Haniff showing the students of Science Club SK Lahad Datu IV the difference of size of a Sun Bear to the other 7 species of bears

**Bottom:** Interacting with plantation workers IOI Leepang Palm Oil Mill, Kinabatangan at BSBCC booth

### NOTABLE VISITOR

## Deputy Permanent Secretary of MOF Sabah

As a good start for this year of 2019, BSBCC has been visited by a delegation from Deputy Permanent Secretary of Ministry of Finance Sabah, Datuk Peter Thien on the 4<sup>th</sup> of January. The delegation consisted of Datuk Peter Thien himself while being escorted by Deputy Director of Sabah Wildlife Department, Puan. Jum Rafiah Abd. Sukor and several more officials had been guided personally by Dr. Wong Siew Te, the founder and CEO of BSBCC. They enjoyed a good sharing session as they went to observation platform seeing the bears in natural forest enclosure and also interacting with some visitors from foreign countries. We gladly express our biggest gratitude for the delegation's visit to our centre.



Dr Wong shared some info of the anatomy of Sun Bears



Dr. Wong handed the framed picture of a Sun Bear and several more goodies to Datuk Peter Thien as a sign of appreciation for the visit

### Ministry of Infrastructure Development

n this date of 21<sup>st</sup> January 2019, BSBCC got visited by a delegation of officials from Ministry of Infrastructure Development and the department under it. The officials were Dr. Ismail S Charles, Permanent Secretary of Ministry Of Infrastructure Development, Puan Norlijah Hj Danin, Deputy Permanent Secretary of Ministry Of Infrastructure Development, Mr. Leonard Poyong, Director of Sabah State Railway, Mr. Mohd Jasmin Julpin, Assistant Senior Manager Board of Directors of Sabah Ports, Ir. Edward Lingkapo, Deputy Director of Malaysian Public Works Department and Mr. Maswandi Maimoon, Deputy Director of Sabah Ports. The delegation was escorted by the staff led by Madam Risnayati to have a toured guide to observation platforms. We are pleased to have the visit from the delegation and would love to express our biggest gratitude for it.



Mdm Risnayati giving some explanation on the observation platform



The officials posing with a framed picture of Bintang as our expression of gratitude for the visit

## **VOLUNTEERS & INTERNS**

currently houses 46 rescued Sun Bears in our two bear houses and quarantine а facility. Each day, the once captive Sun Bears are provided ample food and activities to stimulate healthy bear behaviour. Volunteers and interns help our keepers to achieve our goals in looking after the welfare of these bears and helping them in their rehabilitation process.

#### **BSBCC Volunteer Programme**

BSBCC continues to receive help from volunteers across the world. The BSBCC volunteer programme, conducted in collaboration with APE has been Malaysia, active throughout January and February 2019. Volunteers in this programme were supervised by BSBCC staffs with much-appreciated assistance from the APE Malaysia team. Besides helping the keepers in caring for the bears at the Centre, volunteers also helped to spread awareness on the plights of Sun Bears through the education booth at our visitor Centre.

#### **Internship at BSBCC**

BSBCC welcomes students from any local and international institutions for their internship at the Centre. Interns will have the opportunity to learn about the rehabilitation of once captive Sun Bears. Interns will also study the importance of bear enrichment and of cleanliness of the facility. They will also have a rare opportunity to learn about the behaviours of this little known species up close.

#### **BATs** group

The BATs group programme at BSBCC will learn about Sun Bear ecology, helping in basic building techniques and develop their teamwork and leadership skills in the challenging environment.

Table 2: List of volunteers and interns in January and February 2019.

Name	Volunteer / Interns	Country	Duration
Thao Berger (APE Malaysia)	Volunteer	French	6 <sup>th</sup> —31 <sup>st</sup> Jan
Ida Andersen (APE Malaysia)	Volunteer	Sweden	6 <sup>th</sup> Jan— 7 <sup>th</sup> Feb
Ieva Fedorova (APE Malaysia)	Volunteer	Sweden	6 <sup>th</sup> Jan— 7 <sup>th</sup> Feb
Jackson Milburn (APE Malaysia)	Volunteer	Australia	6 <sup>th</sup> —31 <sup>st</sup> Jan
Grace Prince (APE Malaysia)	Volunteer	Australia	6 <sup>th</sup> —31 <sup>st</sup> Jan
Cristle Jennifer Starr (APE Malaysia)	Volunteer	Australia	6 <sup>th</sup> —17 <sup>th</sup> Feb
Jessica Louise Dixon (APE Malaysia)	Volunteer	Australia	6 <sup>th</sup> —17 <sup>th</sup> Feb
Tan Yu En	Volunteer	Malaysia	6 <sup>th</sup> Feb— 9 <sup>th</sup> Mar
Yew Chung International School (BATs group)	Volunteer (17 pax)	Shanghai, China	21 <sup>st</sup> -24 <sup>th</sup> Jan



Group photo of the BATs Group volunteers from Yew Chung International School.

If you would like to make a difference and enjoy the experience of a lifetime, please join us. Learn about our volunteer programme on our website www.bsbcc.org.my/volunteer.html or email us at info.bsbcc@gmail.com for further enquiries.

Wong Siew Te, CEO and Founder of BSBCC

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## **VOLUNTEER CORNER**

## **Q & A SESSION**

Question: Why you love making enrichment for the rescued bears?!



Enrichment making in progress.

Thao: Enrichments are a lot of work, you spend weeks thinking about it and realizing them. But, in the end, once you see the bear playing and using it, you feel so much satisfaction and joy! Seeing other people think about a way to make the bears happier is so wonderful and shows how much they care for them.



Grace (left), Jackson (middle), and Mizuno (right) making sure the building structure is solid enough before giving it to the bears



Ida (left), Roger (middle), and Ieva (right) doing the leaf Jacuzzi.

Ieva: I like to make enrichment for the bears because after all the work you have done and give bears the enrichment you can see them enjoy it and play with it then you can see how such a small thing can improve their day and when I see that I tell that it is worth all the work and struggle it took making it.





**Top:** Logan and Romolina enjoying the leaf Jacuzzi. **Bottom:** Ida, Brandon, Poh Sim, and Roger (left to right) working hard in assembling the wooden structure



Ida preparing materials for the sensory enrichment

Ida: I love seeing them react to new enrichment because some get curious some get really excited and its fun because you never know how they will react. But also I think the best part of making them is to know that this will stimulate their senses.



Jackson and his tool handling skills.

Jackson: Despite intellectually knowing why the bears must be kept as they (and agreeing with the methods), I still feel bad for the bears outside of their natural roaming habitat. To have the chance to get them a glimpse of a small taste of their home brings a great deal of pride. I want to help these bears and seeing them enjoy something I helped build is a great achievement. This is certainly nothing like I have done back home.



Grace with a handful of newly collected ginger leaves

Grace: My favourite enrichment to give to the bears are the hessian sacs which are full of dried leaves and spice powder. This acts as sensory enrichment for the bears introducing new smells to there environment. It is amazing to watch how each bear reacts to the different smells. Some of them are scared while the others investigate the contents of the bag and few like Amaco took the bag back to her basket and laid on it.



Volunteers together with the bear house staffs in making structural enrichments

## **BSBCC ADOPTION PROGRAMME**

Welcome a Sun Bear into your family, class, club or corporation by adopting a Sun Bear or buying a gift of Sun Bear medicine, food, or toys to show you care and support the valuable work of BSBCC.

Adopting a bear is a great way to learn about Sun Bears while helping BSBCC meet the costs of rehabilitation. Funds raised by the adoption program are used to better the lives of all bears.

#### **Gifts With Meaning**







A pot of honey

A hammock

Food for 1 week





Medication for 1 year

An enrichment toy

Find out how to adopt a Sun Bear from our website:

http://www.bsbcc.org.my/adopt-abear.html

## Share Bear Choose one of the

Choose one of the Sun Bears:







Kala

**Fulung** 

Montom







Boboi

Kitud

Mary

## List of adopters in January and February 2019:

- 1. Jennifer Logan-Porter
- 2. Benjamin Hammer
- 3. Akmal Mohd Isa
- 4. Simon Spiers
- 5. Jia Yip
- 6. Allie Gebauer
- 7. Monk Paul Stanley
- 8. Robert Saunders
- 9. Amanda Morrison
- 10. Ben Cohen
- 11. Chew Seen Yee
- 12. Tai Anissa Meredith
- 13. Teoh Ah Lek & Ho Kooi Hua
- 14. Tam Mee Fung & Ho Koon Ming
- 15. Calver Jasmine
- 16. Thao Berger
- 17. Adam Kupka
- 18. Lorena Travaglio
- 19. Vergan Farr
- 20. Rosalind Holt
- 21. Nurul Anith binti Abu Bakar
- 22. Alan Kneisz
- 23. Helen Dixon
- 24. Ethan Spaanjaars
- 25. Julia Dittberner
- 26. Destination Asia Destination Management SB
- 27. Carlotta
- 28. Skyler & Tanner
- 29. Paul Berger
- 30. Lewis Hitch

## **BEAR SHOP**

#### **MERCHANDISES**

Whether it is for you or a gift for your loved ones, all purchases help us to protect, save and enrich the lives of the endangered Sun Bears.

Logo



**Hand-made Bear Clay** 

MYR83.00 (Medium) Size: 6.8cm(L)x5.5cm(W)x4cm(H) Colour: Khaki

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MYR 40 (Logo & Sunbearo) MYR 45 (Fina)



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MYR 25.00 Colour : Khaki, Black, Grey, Dark blue \*Quick drying lightweight cap only available in Dark Blue colour



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MYR 35.00 (Kids) Size: XL, L, M, S, XS Colour : Blue, Pink



Sun Bear Chest-Mark T-shirt (Black only)

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MYR 35.00 (Kids) Size: XL, L, M, S, XS



Fina

Save Sun Bear T-shirt (Black, Green, White)

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MYR 35.00 (Kids) Size: XL, L, M, S, XS



Polo T-shirt (Black, Grey)

MYR 52.00 (Adult) Size: XXXL, XXL, XL, L, M, S, XS



Bear Standing

Bear Sitting



Coins Bag

MYR 25.00 Size: 9.5cm(H)x9.5cm(L)



Size:



**Card Magnet** 

MYR 2.50

9cm(H)x5.5cm(L) (Bear Cartoon) 5.5cm(H)x9cm(L) (Debbie)

Bear Cartoon

Debbie



Clay Magnet



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MYR 45.00 (Bear Walking) Size:30cm(H)x8cm(L) MYR 38.00 (Bear Standing) Size:19cm(H)x8cm(L)

Soft toy

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- Do not support any wildlife trade
- Contact us if you find any illegal activities (poaching, trading, etc)
- Learn more about Sun Bears and their habitat
- Follow us on social medias and help us spread the word
- Donate through our website
- Adopt a bear through our website, or at our Centre
- Volunteer!

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