

Travel the length of the Abatan River and experience spectacular sceneries, rich biodiversity, unrivaled tranquility and charming simplicity of community life in Bohol. Stop at each town and be fascinated with the best they can offer.

HOW TO GET THERE

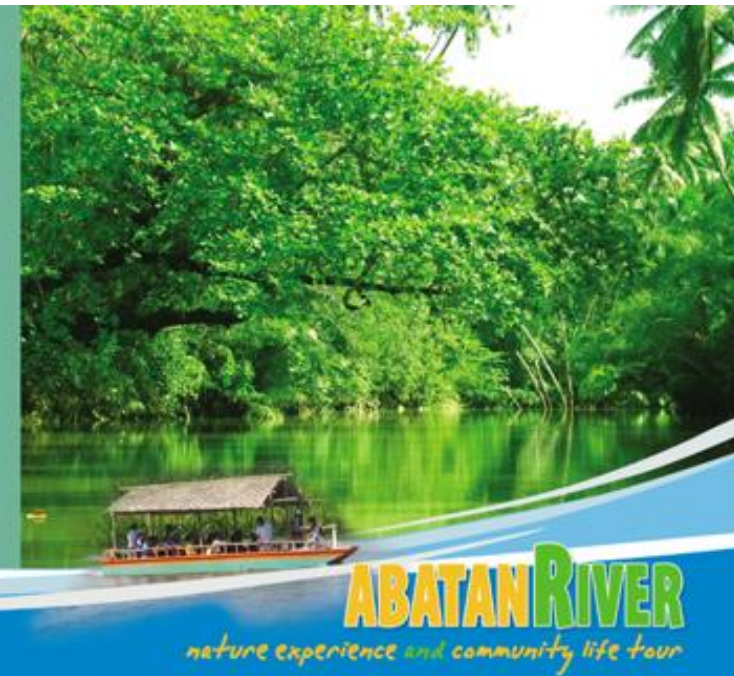
The Main Village Center of the Abatan River Community Life Tours is located in the National Highway of Salvador Cortes, Bohol, Philippines. It is about 10 kilometers or 10 to 15 minutes travel from Tagbilaran City seaport and airport and approximately 45 kilometers or 30 to 40 minutes from Tubigon seaport. Taxi, van for hire, motor taxi, tricycle and public utility jeepneys and buses ply from Tagbilaran City to the Main Village Center. Public Utility vehicles (bus & van for hire) regularly plies from Tubigon to Tagbilaran City.



In 2008, the Abatan River Development Management Council (ARDMC) formulated and adopted the Abatan River Master Plan which highlights community life tour as its ecotourism development strategy to sustainably manage the Abatan River. The multi-stakeholder approach in developing the Abatan River aims to encourage community participation in the conservation, preservation and management of the environment and cultural heritage in the area while generating income for the locals.



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CORTES

Theatrical ritual rites of passage to the Abatan River officiated by the legendary Princess Wadji, warrior and guardian of Abatan River



MARIBOJOC

Traditional lei-giving to guests with musical accompaniment



ANTEQUERA

Novelty handicraft dance show with audience participation



BALILIHAN

Dalit-Panamilit: A 10-minute cultural show on Balilihan lifestyle



CATIGBIAN

Welcome ritual to the kingdom of Ga-am



ABATAN RIVER TOUR

retracing the path of Boholano ancestors while experiencing nature and more.