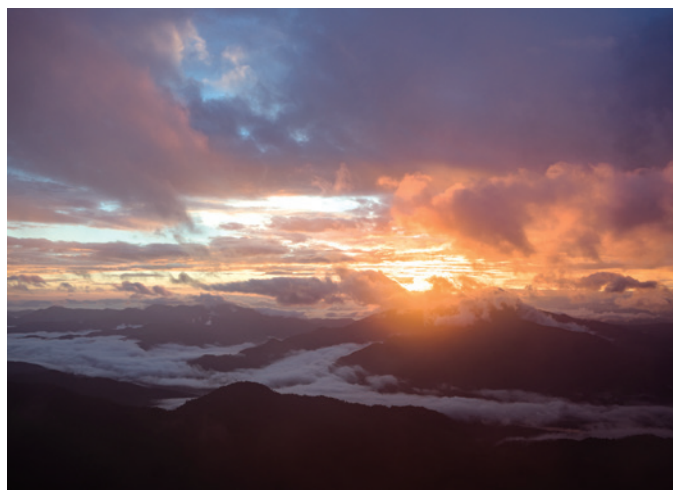


# 到泰國感受溫暖的冬季 Embrace the warmth in Thailand



每年十一月至四月的冬季，絕對是去泰國的最佳時間，特別是熱愛高山大海的朋友。

泰北位處山區，一踏入由十一月開始的花期，墨西哥太陽花、玫瑰、鬱金香、櫻花等花海處處可見，鮮豔非常，震撼程度絕不遜於其他地方。每年二月初，泰北清萊更有花卉節，除了賞花，還有文化表演、本地手作市集等，非常熱鬧。

冬季時份，泰北郊區天氣涼快清爽，最適合去郊外舒展身心，更可登頂欣賞絕美日出，或直接在野外露營，在沒有光害的環境下欣賞滿天星。

泰南有不下三百個潛點，海水清澈，能見度極佳，而且生物種類繁多，因此一直是備受重視的世界級潛水熱點。每年冬季，泰南一帶的國家公園重新開放給遊客觀光；無論是水肺潛水還是浮潛，都大有可能在安達曼海和泰國灣邂逅難得一見的海洋生物。此外，遊客可選擇到國寶級的潛水熱點斯米蘭群島，享受數天船宿潛水體驗，也可到泰國灣的龜島日潛，傍晚回來在沙灘上邊享受泰式按摩，邊享受醉人黃昏。

Thailand is the perfect getaway during the winter season from November to April, especially for lovers of

the ocean and mountains.

Come November, an explosion of a wide variety of dazzling flowers like Mexican sunflowers, roses, tulips, cherry blossoms, etc begins to be seen everywhere in the mountainous North and is as stunning as can be found in anywhere else. You can also pay a visit to the popular Chiang Rai Flower Festi-



val for flower viewing in February every year, featuring cultural performances and local handmade markets.

The Northern countryside is cool and refreshing during winter, making it the best place to relax the body and soul; you can even hike up the mountain for the breathtaking sunrise, and go camping and stargazing without light pollution to truly enjoy the wilds.

With over 300 dive sites, all having clear water, great visibility and diversified marine lives, southern Thailand has always been one of the world-renowned diving destinations. During winter, the once closed national parks are now re-open to tourists, and scuba divers and snorkelers will stand a good chance of meeting some of the most unexpected ocean creatures by diving in the Andaman Sea and the Gulf of Thailand. You can spend a few days trying liveaboard diving at the diving hot spot of the Similan Islands, another national treasure of Thailand, or go for a day journey to dive at Koh Tao, enjoying your evening at the beach for a soothing Thai massage at sunset.