

FOREWORD FOR KINMEN TRAVEL
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Jinsha Township has a variety of cultural and recreation resources, including: Ronghu Park, Shanhou Folk Culture Village, Mashan Observation Post, Xiangshan Jiangang Temple, Lee's Residence of Hsishanchien, Honoric Arch for Chen Zhen, Tomb of Chen Jian, etc. The area of national park covering the Township includes Mt. Taiwu area and Mashan area, containing attractions including King Lu's Grave of Ming Dynasty, Wu-Wang-Zai-Ju Inscribed Rock, Taiwu Mountain Qingtian Hall, 823 Artillery Battle Museum and more. With systematic linkage, the various sights will obtain advantages for the development of tourism; and the construction of Kinmen Cultural Park will also become another tourist attraction with its complete cultural exhibition. The constructions of the Jinsha Great Buddha and stone Guanyin statue as well as the religious park will allow Kinmen to revive as a holy Buddhist place.



More about Jinsha sights

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Kinmen Street Foods | 金門小吃



Rocky Oyster Dishes
Kinmen's Rocky Oysters come in smaller sizes due to the floods and ebbs as well as the unintended growth on stone pillars. The Rocky Oysters come in firm texture and enriched taste without a hint of unpleasant taste. Rocky oysters made into fritter, added to Vermicelli or fried noodles, or served with fried egg would make the snack a must-have in the visit to Kinmen!

Beef Noodles
When visiting Kinmen, visitors should try the local beef noodles. The beef from yellow cows bred in Kinmen and grew up eating Kaoliang lees gives a tender and juicy texture, and the noodles absorbing essence of beef has a chewy touch. Both combined shows the great local taste of Kinmen!

Clay Oven Rolls (Shaobing)
After baking, the layers of flaky pastry clay oven rolls exude the fragrance of sesame and lard. The pastry and its stuffing made with green onions and pork hind leg combined give off the salty and crunchy taste, making people reminisce the taste afterwards. In addition to the salty rolls, visitors must not leave without having maltose-stuffed sweet rolls.

Fried Bread Sticks (Youtiao)
Unlike Taiwan's fried bread sticks deep-fried until crispy and wrapped in shaobing, Kinmen's fried bread sticks are softer, more solid, and tough with textures similar to doughnuts. Kinmen's fried bread sticks are delicious no matter it is eaten alone or with a bowl of delicious Cantonesse Porridge filled with types of ingredients.

Kinmen Souvenirs | 金門伴手禮



Handmade Vermicelli
The manual steps of vermicelli are always emphasized. First, flour and water or essence are mixed in appropriate ratio for making an elastic dough. Kinmen's suitable water quality and climate along with traditional manual procedures are characteristics allowing "Kinmen Vermicelli" to obtain remarks of "texture never overcooked" and "great taste with premium quality".

Gong Tang Candy
Gong Tang Candy is the tribute for offering to the royals at Minnan regions in Ming Dynasty, which features manual pounding and hammering of the peanut candy. With delicate and exquisite taste, melt-in-your-mouth flaky texture, crispy and fragrant feature, as well as authentic and pure quality, Gong Tang Candy has become one of Kinmen's specialties.

Beef Jerky
The beef jerky is made from Kinmen beef. Kinmen's clean spring water without pollution makes the environment best for breeding beef cattle. The beef has a distinctively chewy texture, making the jerky made of such beef to come with moisty without dried or overcooked textures. The original flavor beef jerky with scent of Kaoliang liquor and made under outstanding credibility is popular among people!

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- Sounds of Battlefield -

01 Mashan Broadcasting and Observation Station



Mashan Observation Post is the stronghold nearest to the shores of Kinmen and Xiamen which served as the key military point for observing the military activities over the sea across the strait, earning it the name of "Most Critical Sentry of the World". In the observation post was Mashan Broadcasting Post referred by the locale as the "Propaganda Post". The deceased star singer Teresa also were involved in a propaganda broadcasting to the forces on the opposite shore twice at the Mashan Broadcasting Post.



02 Mashan Triangular Fortress



Originally named "the Invincible Fortress", Mashan Triangular Fortress is located on the northeast shore of Kinmen. The fortress is constructed through the stacking solid granite rocks, yielding a majestic and sturdy exterior. After the renovation in 2012, in addition to the fortress itself, the surrounding area was added with signboards, landscape platform built with sculpted woods, sandpits for resting, wooden grill maze, etc. for additional amusement.



03 Chuan Xing Fort



"Chuan Xing Fort (E-037)" is situated on the shore Hushan Bay at Houbian in Jinsha Township. This three-story fortress is dug with tunnels connecting the underground fortresses on left and right and gained its name for the bunker's appearance resembling a battle vessel. Alternatively, it is referred to as "Hushan Fortress". Following renovation, it was officially opened on January 18, 2019, giving it the novel vitality. This Fortress is a case for military ruins rejuvenation.



04 Shishan (Mt. Lion) Howitzer Front



located at Lion Mountain behind Kinmen Folk Culture Village is the only remaining howitzer base built in a tunnel. The tunnel was converted into a site for tourism in 2011 with complete base facilities and weaponry exhibits kept. The star of the show is the 8-inch Howitzer, a powerful weapon with a firing range of 17 km which contributed to the success of 823 Artillery War. The power of the howitzer is the evidence of the fierce battle.



05 Wulong Mountain Chenggong Fortress



Wulong Mountain is the best high ground on the northeast shore of Kinmen. Formerly used as the military observation and command post and artillery base, this fortress is not repositioned as Wulong Mountain recreation area. Wulong mountain after planning is now redefined as "Wulong Mountain Recreation Area" on the "Jinsha Township Blue Ribbon Landscape", becoming an important sight on the recreation axis on left shore of Jinsha Township.



06 Tianpu Ancient City



Tianpu is located on the shore of east Kinmen. Due to its strategically important geographical location, an inspection agency fortress was built here along with the ones at Fengshang, Guanao and Chengkeng posts in Ming Dynasty for warding off Japanese pirates. Following the station by national garrison in 1949, it was renovated into a military fortress. The tunnels underneath Guanri Gate (East Gate) is under a reconstruction recently, and is expected to be the popular check-in spot in the future!



- Nature and Humanities -

07 Kinmen County Forestry Research Institute



Kinmen County Forestry Research Institute located in Kinmen Forest Recreation Area is formerly the nursery for small-girth trees affiliated with Kinmen County Government. In 1951, Kinmen Agricultural and Forestry Research Institute specialized in agronomical crops, tree nursery & afforestation and animal husbandry as well as research and promotion. In 1955, in response to the needs in forestry, Kinmen County Forestry Bureau was officially established on May 1st of the same year.



08 Xiyuan Salt Field



"Xiyuan Salt Field" is established through rejuvenation to the existing idled spaces of old complexes at Xiyuan Salt Field. The spirit of reuse can be witnessed here. Following with the local cultural museum project by Council for Cultural Affairs, Executive Yuan, the Farm is planned as Xiyuan Salt Industry Culture Farm, allowing visitors to appreciate the great scenery of salt fields and witness Kinmen's salt industry with history for more than 700 years.



09 Kinmen Cultural Park



Kinmen Cultural Park was built at Shamei on east of the island to pass on the culture of Kinmen. The "History and Folklore Museum" was open to the public in December, 2010, exhibiting historical sites, buildings and crafts, enabling visitors to see another side of Kinmen other than being a battlefield.



10 Colored Wall of Tianpu Reservoir



As there were traces of Eurasian otters at Tianpu Reservoir in the past, setting of an oversized otter sculpture was made. In addition, the water diversion valve room next to the reservoir is mounted with gradient glass windows in blue, green and yellow. Its lively tone design not only makes it a popular spot for pictures and check-ins, but also a setting various couples visit for taking wedding pictures.



11 Fongsiang Woods



With has a beautiful shape and distinct characteristics exhibited in four seasons, the maple woods in the growing seasons of spring and summer grows fresh green leaves, allowing visitors to bathe in the full vitality as the sunlight beams through the leaves. During the walk, visitors may obtain a refreshed mind through the maple scents sensed in every breath. There are large areas of maple forests in Bishan allowing visitors to have different feelings toward nature as they visit at different seasons.



- Historical Village Sites -

12 Shanhou Folk Culture Village



Shanhou Folk Culture Village was built in the 26th year of Guangxu Era in the Qing Dynasty (1895). It occupies a vast area with its 16 two-courtyard Minnan architecture, 1 classroom bungalow and Wang's ancestral hall. The 18 buildings are collectively called "Eighteen Rooms". To see a complete village with intact old houses in your visit to Kinmen, visitors must not miss the Kinmen Folk Culture Village in Jinsha Township!



13 Chen Qing-Ji Western-style House



Chen Qing-Ji Western-style House was built in 1928 with wood, masonry and builders coming from Quanzhou. There are twelve rooms inside. Plaques of "Shang Guo Yi Ze (Follow the relic of the ancestor who served as imperial chancellor)" and "Wu Gong Yan Pai (Derived from Su's Ancestral Hall)" on the lintel along with flowers on the wall and fruit-themed colorful glazed tiles present a great example of the feature in East and West cultures. Several scenes of the movie "Paradise in Service" were shot in this western-style house.



14 Ruiyou School



Ruiyou School was built in 1934 by commission of Chen Rui You to his fellow villager Chen De-Xing. The front of the academy is built imitating the Western Baroque architectural. With its hip roof in high-rising proportion, the building is extremely gorgeous. On the roof are great touches of national flags and flags of Kuomintang (KMT), fine clay sculptures of Indian policemen, flowers, cranes, etc.



15 Yangzhai Old Street



Yangzhai Old Street in Jinsha Township was a military key point where the Jindong Division was stationed in the past and was also the place of entertainment and consumption for soldiers at that time. As several scenes of the 2013 movie "Paradise in Service" were shot here, Kinmen County Government mediated in the effort to preserve the movie set, allowing visitors to go through the time tunnel and stroll at the field of Kinmen in the past.



16 Shamei Old Street



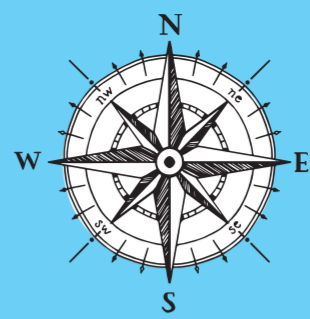
Formerly named "Bagua Street", Sha Mei Old Street is one of the earliest streets in Kinmen. Many spots on this Old Street are remained at its form from 30 years ago. This was the most bustling place in Kinmen where stationed soldiers visit for picking up groceries and watching movies; within the street hides a secluded corner with Middle East ambiance, which is further called "Little Morocco in Taiwan".



17 Six Section Grand Abode of Huang Hsuan-Hsien



Huang Hsuan Hsien was born in the mid-Qianlong Era, and his descendants gained success at their expatriate as businessmen in NanYang. The Huang residence is a Minnan architecture consisting five courtyards surrounded by wings on the side, which allowed it to gain its name of Six Courtyard Grand Abodes. The abode features the dragon and swallow ridges on front and back halls connected in coordination with the horseback styled ridge on gable roof, grill on the facade decorated with exquisite wood carvings, and the waterwheel block decorated with paintings and collages of flowers and birds, showcasing the strength of the expatriate Chinese and the feelings for making Huang's ancestors illustrious.



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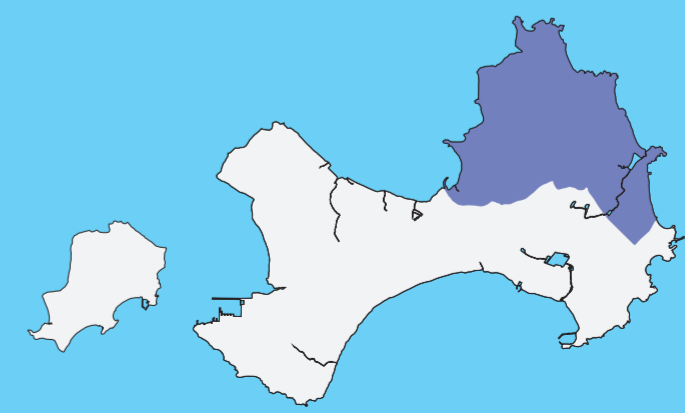


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