

Index

A

accommodation 127
 activities 128
Anemone Reef (Him Jom) 42
Ang Thong National Marine Park 97
Ao Cheweng 97
 Ao Phang-Nga Bay 40
Ao Siam 38
 attractions 128

B

barracuda 119
Beacon Beach 70
Beacon Point 69
 best dives 19
Black Rock 92
 blacktip shark adventure 50
 bombing the reefs 89
Bommies 72
Boulder City 65
Bungalow Bay 38
Burma Banks 93

C

cave dives
 North Tip 35
 White Rock 105
 Chumphon Pinnacle 109
 climate 15
 clownfish 71
 coral facts 117
Coral Gardens 64
Coral Island (Ko Hi) 41
 coral products 124
 culture 15
 customs 123

D

DAN 30
 deep dives
 North Tip 35
 South Tip (Ray Bahn) 34

Dee Scarr 117
 departure tax 124
 dining 128
 dive operators 132
 dive training & certification 20
 diving
 best dives 19
 history 11, 13
 pre-trip preparation 30
 rating system 29
 tech diving 109
 training & certification 20
 what to bring 19
 when to go 18
 dolphins 70

drift dive
 Ang Thong National Marine Park 97
 Hin Wong Pinnacle 103
 Red Rock (Shark Island) 102
 Sail Rock (Hin Bai) 98
 Southwest Pinnacle 102

E

Eastern Gulf 112
East of Eden 66
 electricity 124
Elephant's Head (Hin Pesar) 69
 entry requirements 123

F

Fan Forest Pinnacle 86
 fire coral 118
Five Islands 96
 food 128
 full moon 99

G

gateway city
 Phuket 16
 geography 14
Green Rock 108
 Gulf Coast 96

H

Hardeep 115
 hazardous marine life 117
 health & safety 28
Hin Daeng 61
Hin Muang 60
Hin Pae (Long Beach) 51
Hin Wong Pinnacle 103
 history 11
HTMS Khram 112
HTMS Kut 113

J

Japanese Garden 105
 jellyfish 118

K

Kawthaung 84
King Cruiser 44
Ko Bida Nai 56
Ko Bida Nok 54
Ko Bon 73
Ko Bon Pinnacle 74
Ko Dok Mai 41
Ko Ha 49
Ko Ha Islands 58
Ko Khrok 113
 Ko Nang Yuan 101
 Ko Pha-Ngan 94
Ko Rin 114
Ko Rok Nai 59
Ko Rok Nok 60
 Ko Samui 94
Ko See 48
Ko Tachai 75
 Ko Tao 101
Ko Torinla 78
Ko Turinla Ridge 78
Ko Yung 50
Ko Yung Pinnacle 49
 Krabi 47

L

language 16
lionfish 118
live aboards 20
Lucy's Reef 36

M

Mango Bay 107
Maya Bay & Corner 53
medical facilities 30
Mergui Archipelago 83
money 124
**Moulin Rouge (Should I Stay
or Should I Go?)** 88

N

'**Noi**' Dives, The 39
**Northeast Little
Torres Island** 93
Northern Reef Pinnacle 86
North Tip 35
**North Twin Island
(West Ridge)** 89
North Twin Plateau 91

P

Pattaya 111
Petchburi Bremen 115
Phi Phi Islands 47
**Phi Phi Shark Point
(Hin Bida)** 57
photography 23
photo notes 7
Phuket 16
Pinnacle, the 73
population 15
protected species 27

R

Racha Islands 33
rating system for dives
& divers 29
recompression facilities 30

Red Rock (Shark Island) 102
Richelieu Rock 77

S

safety 130
Sail Rock (Hin Bai) 98
scorpionfish 119
seahorses 66
sea turtles 27
sea urchins 119
Shark Fin Reef (Hin Pae) 65
Shark Point (Hin Mu Sang) 43
sharks 118
sheer walls
 Hin Daeng 61
 Hin Muang 60
 North Tip 35
shopping 128
Similan Islands 63
Similan Islands National Park 63
snapper alley 71
snorkeling 22
Songraki Reef 72
Southern Sites 58
South Tip (Ray Bahn) 34
Southwest Pinnacle 102
Staghorn Reef 36
stonefish 119
strong currents
 Ang Thong National
 Marine Park 97
Ao Chaweng 97
Black Rock 92
Five Islands 96
Hin Wong Pinnacle 103
Northeast Little
 Torres Island 93
North Tip 35
North Twin Plateau 91
Red Rock (Shark Island) 102
Sail Rock (Hin Bai) 98
Songraki Reef 72
South Tip (Ray Bahn) 34
Southwest Pinnacle 102
Three Islets 91
Turtle Rock 70
Surin Islands 76

Surin South Point 80
Swift Passage 80

T

telecommunications 126
Thailand
 climate 15
 culture 15
 geography 14
 getting around 122
 getting there 121
 history 11
 language 16
 population 15
Three Islets 91
time zone 124
Tim Rock 7
tourist office 130
Trang 58
tsunami 35
Turtle Ledges 81
Turtle Rock 70
Twins (Bay #1) 106

U

underwater photography 23

W

weights & measures 126
Western Rocky Island 84
West of Sweden 68
whale sharks 45
White Rock 105
wildlife 129
wreck dives
 Ang Thong National
 Marine Park 97
Hin Wong Pinnacle 103
Red Rock (Shark Island) 102
Sail Rock (Hin Bai) 98
Shark Fin Reef (Hin Pae) 65
Southwest Pinnacle 102
West Of Sweden 68

THIS IS NOT
THE END

lonelyplanet.com



**CHAT TO OTHER TRAVELLERS - GIVE US FEEDBACK - GET EXTRA
DESTINATION INFORMATION - BOOK FLIGHTS, ACCOMMODATION
AND EVERYTHING ELSE - PLAN TRIPS - BUY THINGS - AND MORE**