Your local guide to Fort Kochi

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Events

All events

- Every evening
  about 5.59pm
  Sunset over the water
  The sun sets into the Arabian Sea off Fort Kochi Beach, behind the Chinese fishing nets. Walk the seafront path while the fishermen raise and lower the nets, then eat at the stalls along the walkway that cook the day's catch.

- Every Friday
  6.30pm
  Friday Harmony
  Every Friday at 6.30pm, anyone can climb the stairs to the Mehboob Memorial Orchestra's office near Aspinwall Junction to sing or listen. Singers of every age take turns at karaoke in Hindi, Malayalam and Tamil, in memory of Bayi Mehboob, Kochi's own ghazal singer.

Walks

All walks

- 40 min walk 2.7 km · 5 stops
  Places of Worship Walk
  Five temples between Amaravathi Road and Jew Town, under three kilometres.

- 15 min walk 1.1 km · 6 stops
  Mattancherry Food Walk
  Lassi and sweets along Palace Road, in a loop back to the start.

- 20 min walk 1.4 km · 12 stops
  The Palace & Synagogue Walk
  Synagogue Lane and Jew Town, ending at the palace.

- 5 min walk 300 m · 3 stops
  The Ultimate Bookshop Walk
  Two bookshops and the post office, three hundred metres end to end.

Walking time at an easy pace, not counting stops.

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Everything on one map

Every place on this site, drawn on one map of Fort Kochi and Mattancherry.

177 places · 35 streets · 19 historic

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All Places

Eat & drink

47 places

Arasta FortkochiArrow MarkB For BiriyaniBalan Chettan KadaCafe 27Café Le TeCafe Sol e MarCanvas Restaurant & PizzeriaChez TeapotClub House RestaurantCoz LayoverEzekiel House Residence and CafeFort Paragon Restaurant by Calicut ParagonFrancisFrench ToastFusion BayGelato PillaiHotel Aryaas ParkHouse of CommonsJetty RestaurantKashi Art Cafe and GalleryKayees Rahmathulla CafeKerala Cafe (Rose Street)Kerala State Beverages Corporation OutletLassy HouseLet's KimchiLoafers Corner CafeLos angeles Café Fort KochiLoving Earth CafeMocha Art CafeNettoor

Toddy ShopNooriya HotelO Porto Bar by Mai House Heritage Hotel, Fort KochiPandaris Biriyani & CaterersPandhal Café & DeliRavis Coffee WorksRawal Lassi JointRinoos cool barSamridhi@KochiScandy - Ice Candy - Fort KochiSeagullSolar CaféSri Krishna CaféTibet KitchenTibetan Chef's RestaurantTrouvailleVijaya Lakshmi Bhavan

All 47 places to eat & drink

Art

22 places

ABC Artroom Venue, WatermetroArchaeological Site Museum, Mattancherry PalaceArmaan Collective & CafeArthshila KochiArtiko.talesCube artSpaceDavid Hall-Art Gallery & CafeDraavidia Arts GalleryErnakulam District Heritage MuseumForplay SocietyGallery OEDGreat K V Kathakali CenterGuardians of Fort Kochi (mural)House Of Vandy Fort KochiIndo-Portuguese MuseumKashi Hallegua HouseLila – Curated ExperiencesMaritime MuseumMehboob Memorial OrchestraMuziris Contemporary KochiPoovath Street murals (Poovath Street open park)Thudippu Art and Cultural Centre

All 22 art places

Historic

19 places

Althara Bhagavathy TempleBastion BungalowChinese fishing nets / Vasco da Gama SquareCochin Thirumala Devaswom TempleDharmanath Jain TempleGaruda KovilHead Post Office, KochiHoly Cross Church (Coonan Kurisu Palli), MattancherryJail of Freedom Struggle, Fort KochiKeraleswaram Siva TempleMahadev TempleMullakkal Vana Durga TemplePalliyarakkavu TempleParadesi SynagoguePazhayanur Bhagavathy TempleSanta Cruz Cathedral Basilica, Fort CochinSree Veera Venkateshwara TempleSt. Francis CSI ChurchSt. Paul's Public School

All 19 historic places

Outdoors

14 places

Bolghatty IslandChellanam Beach KochiFort Kochi BeachKumbalangiKumbalangi Bioluminescence PointPallathu Raman Memorial HallParade Ground and the VOC GatePuthanthodu BeachPuthuvype BeachSecret Routes KayakingValappu Beach (also called Falcon Beach)Vasco da Gama SquareVeli GroundVypeen Island

All 14 outdoor places

Getting around

14 places

Cheranelloor Water Metro StationCochin International AirportCustoms Boat JettyEloor Water Metro StationFort Kochi Water Metro StationHigh Court Water Metro StationKakkanad Water Metro StationMattancherry Boat JettyMattancherry Water Metro StationMulavukad North Water Metro StationRo-Ro Ferry Jetty, Fort KochiSouth Chittoor Water Metro StationVypin Water Metro StationVyttila Water Metro Station

All 14 ways of getting around

Event venues

13 places

111 Markaz & Cafeaikyam spaceAnand WarehouseAspinwall HouseBMS WarehouseDevassy Jose & SonsGarden Convention CentreKara. Hotel. Fort KochiPepper HouseSMS HallSt. Andrew's Parish HallVallabhdas Kanji Limited (VKL Warehouse)Willingdon Island Warehouse

All 13 event venues

Shops

7 places

Idiom Book SellersKaycee CorporationKochi BooksPreethi StoresShantilal S MithaiwalaShri Ashapura Sweet House & Lassi CentreVinod Sweets

All 7 shops

Libraries

4 places

Govinda Pai Memorial LibraryHerschel Memorial LibraryIqbal Library and Reading RoomSaraswatha Association Library

Streets

35 places

AB Salem RoadAlathukutty RoadAmaravathi RoadBastian StreetBazaar RoadBishop Kureethara RoadBurgher StreetCalvetty RoadDutch Cemetery RoadElphinstone RoadFosse RoadGujarati RoadJew StreetJew Town RoadKB Jacob RoadKL Bernard Master RoadLalan RoadLilly StreetNapier StreetPalace RoadParade RoadPeter Celli StreetPrincess StreetPullupalam RoadQueiros StreetRidsdale RoadRiver RoadRose StreetSaint Francis Church RoadSynagogue LaneT.D. North StreetTM Muhammad RoadTower RoadTown Hall RoadVeli Road

All 35 streets