

Area Recommendations

GÖCEK

Göcek, situated between the ancient Lycian cities of Telmesos (Fethiye) and Kaunos (Dalyan), was once known as Daidala (Daydala) in ancient times. The name "Göcek" emerged with the settlement of nomads in this area. Renowned for its exceptional bays, islands, tranquility, and upscale marina, Göcek captivates visitors from around the world.

DALYAN

Göcek is positioned on the primary channel connecting Köyceğiz Lake to the Mediterranean. İztuzu Beach, where the Dalyan canal meets the sea, is a nesting site for sea turtles, specifically *Caretta Carettas*. Additionally, the ancient city of Kaunos is situated in the Dalyan region.

KAYAKÖY

Kayaköy, characterized by its impressive architectural design, narrow streets, churches, and natural surroundings, is an ancient Greek village. Positioned within the first-degree archaeological and urban site, Kayaköy is a historical destination that is a must-see.

KABAK COVE

Kabak Koyu, accessible only by walking or jeep due to its steep slopes, boasts rich vegetation preserved from the Ice Age. The absence of ice formation during that period contributed to its lush surroundings. When observed from Faralya village or the Lycian Way, Kabak Koyu provides a tranquil retreat. Additionally, the white sandy beaches of Xanthos and Patara, along with the breathtaking sunset view at Knidos, are other noteworthy places to explore during your stay.

ÖLÜDENİZ

Ölüdeniz attracts thousands of tourists annually with its extraordinary natural marvels. The Ölüdeniz lagoon is situated to the west of the beach, surrounded by hills adorned with pine trees, featuring a narrow passage to the open sea. This protected area is a genuine natural wonder, showcasing a beautiful sandy beach and inviting warm turquoise sea. It has consistently earned a spot on the list of the world's most beautiful beaches. Visitors can enjoy activities such as paragliding and other recreational pursuits in this picturesque setting.

BUTTERFLY VALLEY

Butterfly Valley is situated in the town of Ölüdeniz in the Fethiye district of the Muğla province. Designated as a first-degree world-protected area in 1995, the town has been off-limits to any construction since then. Nestled at the foot of Babadağ, recommended for world heritage protection, the valley is encircled by cliffs reaching heights of 350 meters. Its name is derived from hosting over 80 species of butterflies, with the tiger butterfly being the most well-known among them.

SAKLIKENT CANYON

Saklıkent, stumbled upon by a shepherd recently, spans approximately 15 kilometers and is situated in the ancient city of Tlos in the Fethiye district of Muğla. Functioning with the features of a national park, Saklıkent Canyon stands out as a distinctive piece of nature. It holds a serene atmosphere and is notable for the gazebo restaurants lining the riverbanks, creating an impressive and peaceful setting.

