

# Bali Thai

#B1-06, Jurong Point Shopping Centre, 1 Jurong Point West Central, Singapore 648886

**SETTING:** As a mall restaurant, it does not pretend to be anything otherwise. But once you break free from the hoards of roaming bargain hunters, the bright and pleasant interior settles you down for a treat.

**FOOD:** And that you will certainly find in this gastronomic rendition of cultural plurality. Serving both Thai and Indonesian food, it does not aim to bring the two together. Authenticity is the key here, and both cuisines are brought forth in all their full glory. Tom yam soup is a fiery way to start the meal, great with the complementary Indonesian crackers. You might want to hold back on the latter and devote more attention to main courses at hand. Thai chilli fish lights up the table, and your palates, with its rush of crimson spices, while the ayam panggang is tender and moist. The unusual combination of long beans and salted egg is definitely worth sampling, and the cumi bakar (Indonesian grilled squid) is a definite lock on the menu. More interesting dishes include the cumi Kalimantan (breaded squid), or the prawn cakes with sugar cane stem served with a Thai sauce. Top off a meal with nasi kuning (Indonesian saffron rice) or pad thai (Thai fried noodles) and you've got a sure winner on your hands.

**WINE:** This being a halal restaurant, you will be out of luck if you ask for a wine list. Stick to the lime juice.

**SERVICE:** Even with a full house, the food comes quickly and the service is competent.

**PRICE:** Figure on spending about \$25 a head when dining in a group of about four.



Tel: 792 6953

Map ref: OC9

Reservations: Lunch and dinner recommended

Dress code: Casual

Lunch: 11am-3pm

Dinner: 6pm-10pm

Last orders: 2.30pm, 9.30pm

Other opening hours: Sat & Sun 11am-10pm

Closed: Chinese New Year

Set meals: No

Buffet: No

Vegetarian menu: No

Use of MSG: Yes

Smoking areas: No

Mobile phones allowed: Yes

Amenities: No

Serves alcohol: Yes

Lounge/bar: No

Corkage charged: No

Car valet: No

Established: 1998

Credit cards: AE, D, V, MC

Previously listed: '00-'01

## Specialities

- Thai chilli fish
- Tahu telur (beancurd fried with egg)

