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Haman-gun

함안군 · Haman-gun

You left your plans at home, right? Then you're all set.



Hi there!
I'm **Dokko**, your guide at Amudena.
I'm actually a burr seed, the kind that hitches a ride on passersby's clothes and travels.
This time, I'm sticking to you!

"Amudena" is Korean for "anywhere." Wherever the wheel lands, that's where you're going.



함안 말이산 고분군 *Haman Marisan Gobungun · Marisan Tumuli* · Photos: Korea Tourism Organization (KOGL Type 1)

Amudena travel rules



Just four promises before we go!

NO apps
Phone for calls and camera only! Let the rest take a nap.

NO reservations
Pick your stay and your meals when you get there. Kinda exciting, right?

NO GPS
Find your way with a paper map and by asking the locals.

NO expressways
National and local roads only. You see more when you go slow.

How to use this book



Stay 1 **Eat 1** **Café 1** **See 1** Stay 1, Eat 3, Café 1, See 2...
calling things by number is handy.
Like "Call Stay 3!"

- We haven't been there ourselves. But you can call and judge for yourself. So what will you choose?
- We left out prices on purpose. If you're curious... yep, call them.
- As of October 2026. Different from what you see? That's travel too!
- Bring your own paper map. I'm a seed, so I don't have one. I just stick on and go.

In a hurry? Start here

112	119	1330
Police	Fire & Ambulance	Tourist Info

Your embassy

U.S. Embassy (24h for emergencies)	02-397-4114
British Embassy	02-3210-5500
Embassy of Canada	02-3783-6000
Australian Embassy	02-2003-0100

What's Haman-gun like?



I'll tell you just a little of what I know.

The land of ancient Ara Gaya. In Gaya-eup, the Marisan Tumuli line the ridge of a hill.

Haman-myeon has Mujinjeong Pavilion, and Daesan-myeon has Agyang Ecological Park along the Namgang River.

Haman watermelons are famous! The Haman World Watermelon Festival is held in spring.

#Ara Gaya #Marisan Tumuli #Haman watermelon

This year's festival calendar

1.23 – 1.25	함안곶감축제 *Haman Gotgam Chukje · Haman Dried Persimmon Festival*
5.1 – 5.3	함안군민의 날 *Haman Gunmin-ui Nal · Haman County Day*
5.1 – 5.3	함안세계수박축제 *Haman Segye Subak Chukje · Haman World Watermelon Festival*
10.9 – 10.11	함안 국가유산야행 *Haman Gukga Yusan Yahaeng · Haman National Heritage Night Tour*

💡 **TIP!** Dates change every year. Quietly check with 1330 before you go.

Where to sleep?



I only picked places with phone numbers.
Whether there's a free room...
you'll have to call to find out!

💡**TIP!** Addresses are kept in Korean so you can show them to locals.

Stay 1

S타임모텔 *S Time Motel*

A motel on Bangmok 1-gil in Gaya-eup. Licensed in 2024, with 24 rooms.

Tel	**055-582-6969**
Type	Inn (yeogwan)
Rooms	24 rooms
Address	경상남도 함안군 가야읍 방목1길 45 Licensed 2024

Stay 2

더 헤밀톤 호텔 *The Hamilton Hotel*

A hotel on Sinsan-ro in Sanin-myeon. Licensed in 2023, with 29 rooms. Ipgok Culture Park is in the same Sanin-myeon!

Tel	**055-583-5700**
Type	Hotel
Rooms	29 rooms
Address	경상남도 함안군 산인면 신산로 207-1 Licensed 2023

Stay 3

베스트모텔 *Best Motel*

A motel in Gunbuk-myeon. Licensed in 2019, with 19 rooms.

Tel	**055-582-7676**
Type	Lodging (other)
Rooms	19 rooms
Address	경상남도 함안군 군북면 함안산단1길 10 Licensed 2019

Stay 4

하휴당 *Hahyudang*

A farm-stay in Yeohang-myeon with just 2 rooms.

Tel	**055-582-9801**
Type	Farm-stay
Rooms	2 rooms
Address	경상남도 함안군 여항면 주서1길 122-25 Licensed 2016

Where to sleep? (cont.)

Stay 5

함안 아이씨모텔 *Haman IC Motel*

A motel on Sambong-ro in Gaya-eup. Licensed in 2023, with 17 rooms.

Tel	**055-584-8400**
Type	Lodging (other)
Rooms	17 rooms
Address	경상남도 함안군 가야읍 삼봉로 521-6
	Licensed 2023

What to eat?



I can't tell if they're famous, either.
Just remember one signature dish and go!
This guide also includes 2 cafés.

Eat 1

악양루 중화요리 *Agyangnu Junghwa Yori · Agyangnu Chinese Restaurant*

A Chinese restaurant on Beopsu-ro. Octopus jjamppong is the signature, plus seafood tray jjajang. Closed Mondays.

Tel	**0507-1325-2285**
Signature	낙지짬뽕 *Nakji Jjamppong · Octopus spicy seafood noodles*
Also	Seafood tray jjajang · Sweet-and-sour pork · Udong, etc.
Hours	11:00~19:00 · Break 15:00~16:30 · Last order 18:30 May close early on weekends when ingredients run out
Closed	Every Monday
Address	경상남도 함안군 법수로 589

Eat 2

쾌지나칭칭 *Kwaejina Chingching*

A barbecue restaurant in Gaya-eup. King pork grill is the signature, plus a spicy version. Open every day.

Tel	**055-585-3777**
Signature	왕돼지구이 *Wang Dwaeji-gui · King pork grill*
Also	Spicy king pork grill · Kwaejina lunch set · Korean pork belly, etc.
Hours	11:00~21:50
Closed	Open every day
Address	경상남도 함안군 가야읍 새터길 168-2

Eat 3

무진정돌짜장 *Mujinjeong Doljjajang · Mujinjeong Stone-pot Jjajang*

A Chinese restaurant on Goesan 4-gil. Stone-pot jjajang is the signature, plus whole octopus jjamppong. Closed Mondays. Mujinjeong is on the same road!

Tel	**055-584-3888**
Signature	돌짜장 *Doljjajang · Stone-pot black bean noodles*
Also	Sichuan stone-pot jjajang · Sichuan jjamppong · Whole octopus jjamppong · Chili sweet-and-sour pork, etc.
Hours	Weekdays: 11:00~19:00 · Last order 18:30 Weekends: 10:30~19:00 · Last order 18:30 May close early when ingredients run out
Closed	Every Monday
Address	경상남도 함안군 괴산4길 6

Eat 4

함안냉면 *Haman Naengmyeon · Haman Cold Noodles*

A naengmyeon place in Beopsu-myeon. Haman spicy cold noodles are the signature, plus hanwoo jeon. Open every day.

Tel	**055-584-2033**
Signature	함안비빔냉면 *Haman Bibim Naengmyeon · Haman spicy cold noodles*
Also	Haman cold noodles in broth · Hanwoo jeon · Hanwoo yukhoe bibimbap, etc.
Hours	10:30~20:00 (last order 19:30)
Closed	Open every day
Address	경상남도 함안군 법수면 석무길 130

What to eat? (cont.)

Café 1

커피와소나무 *Keopi-wa Sonamu · Coffee and Pine Tree*

A café on Gwangjeong-ro in Gaya-eup, with vanilla lattes too. Open every day.

Tel	**0507-1441-5858**
Signature	아메리카노 *Americano*
Also	Café latte · Vanilla latte · Caramel macchiato, etc.
Hours	10:00~19:00
Closed	Open every day
Address	경상남도 함안군 가야읍 광정로 145

Café 2

카페1946 *Café 1946*

A café on Hageom-gil. Homemade ssanghwa tea is the signature, plus a tiramisu latte. Closed Mondays.

Tel	**055-582-7766**
Signature	수제쌍화차 *Suje Ssanghwacha · Homemade ssanghwa herbal tea*
Also	Homemade ginger tea · Americano · Tiramisu latte, etc.
Hours	10:00~21:00 · Last order 20:30
Closed	Every Monday (open if Monday is a public holiday)
Address	경상남도 함안군 하검길 125-3

Where to go?



I picked just 5 spots.
We'll meet the rest on the road.

See 1



함안 말이산 고분군 *Haman Marisan Gobungun · Marisan Tumuli*

The Marisan Tumuli in Gaya-eup. Walk around anytime.

Time	**Always open**
Closed	Open every day
Address	경상남도 함안군 삼기길 91 말이산고분군전시관

See 2



무진정(함안) *Mujinjeong · Mujinjeong Pavilion*

Mujinjeong on Goesan 4-gil in Haman-myeon. Drop by anytime. Mujinjeong Doljjajang is on the same road!

Time	**Always open**
Closed	Open every day
Address	경상남도 함안군 함안면 괴산4길 25

See 3



악양생태공원 *Agyang Saengtae Gongwon · Agyang Ecological Park*

An ecological park in Daesan-myeon. Always open.

Time	**Always open**
Closed	Open every day
Address	경상남도 함안군 대산면 하기2길 208-49

See 4



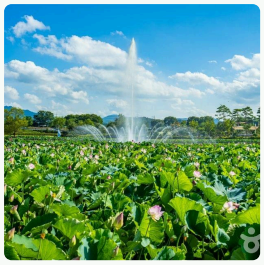
입곡문화공원 *Ipgok Munhwa Gongwon · Ipgok Culture Park*

Ipgok Culture Park in Sanin-myeon. Always open. The Hamilton Hotel is in the same Sanin-myeon!

Time	**Always open**
Closed	Open every day
Address	경상남도 함안군 산인면 입곡공원길 224-41

Where to go? (cont.)

See 5



함안 연꽃테마파크 *Haman Yeonkkot Tema Pakeu · Haman Lotus Theme Park*

A lotus theme park in Gaya-eup. Stroll it anytime.

Time	**Always open**
Closed	Open every day
Address	경상남도 함안군 가야읍 가야리 233-1

Don't miss it on market day



Markets are the best way to see the neighborhood.
Market days are the 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, and 30th at Gaya Market, and dates ending in 3 and 8 at Chilwon Market!

가야상설시장(가야시장) *Gaya Sangseol Sijang (Gaya Sijang) · Gaya Permanent Market (Gaya Market)*

Market days	**Every month on the 5·10·15·20·25·30**
Type	Permanent market + 5-day market (5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th)
Sells	Produce, meat, seafood, processed food, shoes, household goods, restaurants
Stalls	89
Address	경상남도 함안군 가야읍 가야8길8

칠원공설시장 *Chirwon Gongseol Sijang · Chilwon Public Market*

Market days	**Every month on the 3·8·13·18·23·28**
Type	5-day market (days ending in 3 and 8)
Sells	Produce, meat, seafood, processed food, clothing, shoes, household goods, restaurants
Stalls	36
Address	경상남도 함안군 칠원읍 서남3길 14 (시골막창전문)

💡 **TIP!** There may be markets not listed here. Ask a local, "여기 장 언제 서요? (yeo-gi jang eon-je seo-yo?)"

Ask the locals



The answers aren't in this book.
The locals know the real ones.

💡**TIP!** Show the Korean sentence as is, or read it out loud.

Q1 **말이산 고분군은 어디서부터 걸으면 좋아요?**
ma-ri-san go-bun-gu-neun eo-di-seo-bu-teo geo-reu-myeon jo-a-yo?
Where should I start walking at the Marisan Tumuli?

Q2 **함안 수박은 언제가 제일 맛있어요?**
ha-man su-ba-geun eon-je-ga je-il ma-si-sseo-yo?
When are Haman watermelons at their best?

Q3 **악양생태공원 노을은 몇 시쯤 가면 좋아요?**
a-gyang-saeng-tae-gong-won no-eu-reun myeot si-jjeum ga-myeon jo-a-yo?
What time is best for the sunset at Agyang Ecological Park?

Q4 **연꽃테마파크 연꽃은 언제 피어요?**
yeon-kkot-te-ma-pa-keu yeon-kko-cheun eon-je pi-eo-yo?
When do the lotuses bloom at the lotus theme park?

Q5 **가야시장 장날엔 뭘 먹어 보면 좋아요?**
ga-ya-si-jang jang-nal-len mwol meo-geo bo-myeon jo-a-yo?
What should I try on Gaya Market days?

Q6 **여기 사람들만 아는 해 지는 자리가 있어요?**
yeo-gi sa-ram-deul-man a-neun hae ji-neun ja-ri-ga i-sseo-yo?
Is there a sunset spot only locals know?

Dues ledger



Keep money talk tidy!
Treasurer, we're counting on you.

Treasurer _____ Members ____ Dues per person _____ KRW

Date	Details	Money in	Money out	Balance

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