



**NOTES OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF ROYAL HUA HIN (RCRHH) WEEKLY MEETING:  
Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

Time: 11:00h-13:30h

Location: Mosaic Room, Amari Spa & Resort

**Attendance:**

Members: 26

Guests: 11

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| • District Governor Lt General Kanit Jamuntra | RC Ratchaburi     |
| • Khun Chadarat Jamuntra                      | RC Ratchaburi     |
| • Carol Ward -                                | RC Aireborough UK |
| • Roger Ward -                                | RC Aireborough UK |
| • Lizzy Ginsel                                |                   |
| • Domonique Zuber                             |                   |
| • Frank Anderson                              |                   |
| • Lyn Anderson                                |                   |
| • June Rees                                   |                   |
| • Richard Rees                                |                   |

President Brian Anderson opened the meeting with the Thai National Anthem and acting SAA Paul Grab introduced the guests as above.

President Brian Anderson welcomed DG Lt Kanit and his wife Chadarat from the Rotary Club Ratchaburi for his annual club visit RCRHH and went on to say this was the DG's second visit to our club in this year. His previous visit was at the Inauguration dinner in July 2018.

President Brian presented to the members a potted history of the DG's family and activities in visiting the 101 Rotary clubs in District 3330 here in Thailand. This was supported by some excellent pictures of the DG and his wife during these activities.



President Brian informed the DG that the RCRHH was chartered in April 2010 and currently has 51 members, 39 male and 12 female representing 15 different Nationalities.



RCRHH has to rotaracts Webster University Thailand and Stamford International University, RCRHH has also five (5) sister clubs listed below:

- RC Waikiki District D5000 USA (2011)
- RC Bandar Sungai Petani D3300 Malaysia (2014)
- RC Chetelhem D9810 Australia (2017)
- RC Patong Beach D3330 Thailand (2017)
- RC Samui Phangan D3330 Thailand (2018)

President Brian informed the DG that currently in the three bank accounts, projects, Education and administration there was over 3 million THB.

President Brian asked Michel Zuber and his wife Dominique to come forward. They had raised 32000 THB by selling items brought from Turkey in Switzerland over the Christmas period.



President Brian thanked them for their generous gift and the money would be added to the RCRHH accounts.

President Brian introduced President Elect Napa Keawtem introduced the three (3) committees and sub committees she leads:

- Service project committee
- Education sub committee
- Environmental sub committee

President Elect Napa also mentioned the members that make up those committees.



President Elect Napa then informed the DG of the following projects the RCRHH had been involved with in 2018 and future projects planned for 2019 and beyond.

- Nerve Stimulator Hua Hin Hospital
- Beach Cleaning Stamford University
- Thoracic Society Tuberculosis Screening joint project with RCHH
- World Cleanup day Sai Noi Beach

- Brain Based Learning Nongkhon School playground, Monkey Library and swimming pool improvements
- All for one and One for all Stamford University
- Flexible Fiber Optic Bronchoscope for Hua Hin Hospital joint project with RCHH
- Children's Day Bicycle donation RCHH

Future Projects include:

- Computers for Hua Hin Hospital
- Environment AI sustainable concept
- Rotary Learning Centre Nongkhon School

President Brian then introduced Rotarian Keith Humphries Special Education Consultant University of Hong Kong. Keith introduced himself and the work he has been undertaking in Hong Kong and the work he would like to continue here in Hua Hin at the Panyanukul School to develop teaching techniques for children with disabilities.



Keith informed the DG that there is a new definition of the word disability in the western world and China but not here in Thailand. Disability used to be based on a medical classification however the new UNESCO definition says education should be based on self-directed learning. The student is in control.





President Brian asked two new members to the RCRHH Richard Rees and June Rees to come forward. Past President Birger supported by DG Lt Kanit Jamuntra and President Brian presented both Richard and June with their Rotary pins and their certificates. Past President Birger also presented a copy of the RC four (4) way test.



DG Lt Kanit Jamuntra addressed the RCRHH members and Guests and stated that as always he is happy to visit the RCRHH because the club is very active in the local community and always seems a happy club.

He was surprised to learn that the RCRHH has two addition English speaking clubs at Patong and Kh Samui-Phangan.

Of the 101 Rotary clubs in district 3330 only four clubs had a membership of more than 50 members so he was very proud that RCRHH was one of those clubs.

DG Lt Kanit Jamuntra thanked the hard work of its members with the extensive and varied projects we were involved in and considers all the members of the RC as friends.



Rotarian Alan Brown made a special presentation to both DG Lt General Kanit Jamuntra and his wife Chadarat of unique gifts that cannot be found in shops. These consisted of a wooden pen made from the wood of the laburnum tree and a key fob made from Scottish heather.



There being no other business President Brian called for lunch.