



Rotary



**NOTES OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF ROYAL HUA HIN (RCRHH) WEEKLY MEETING:
Tuesday 15th January 2019**

Time: 1200h-1400h

Location: Mosaic Room, Amari Spa & Resort

Attendance:

Members: 22

Guests: 10

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| • Carol Ward | - | RC Aireborough UK |
| • Roger Ward | - | RC Aireborough UK |
| • Bjarne Oelandic | - | Nagu Finland |
| • Damilo Proietto | - | Sicily |
| • Riha Frave | - | Munich Konigsplatz Germany |
| • Rini Bussehers | - | Holland |
| • Freddy Lienhard | - | RC Zurich West Switzerland |
| • Michael Rutzen | - | Germany |
| • Dietmar Steudten | - | Germany |
| • Annelie | - | Sweden |
| • Frank Anderson | - | Kalamalka Lake Canada |
| • Gary Hall | - | Hua Hin |

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

President Brian then informed the members and guests of the RI Monthly Theme – Vocational Service which are as follows:

- Adhering to and promoting the highest ethical standards in all occupations,
- Recognizing the value of all useful occupations,
- Contributing one's vocational talents to meeting the needs of the community.
- Rotary's commitment to Service above Self is channeled through Five Avenues of Service:
 - Club
 - Vocational
 - Community
 - International
 - Youth.

President Brian then ran through the club upcoming events, which are all on Club Runner (CR).

Today – Surf 102.5 FM with Richard Buckle

17 Jan – Hua Hin Public Private Partnership, MOU

22 Jan – Board Meeting

29 Jan – Club Assembly

31 Jan – Fine Art Exhibition at Stamford International University 12:30-14:30

5 Feb – Chinese New Year, no club meeting

8 Feb – RCRHH Annual Multi Rotary Club Family and Friends Night with both Rotaract Club Installations

10 Feb – RC Bangkapi Annual Children's Day Out, Regent Beach Cha-am 9:00

12 Feb – RC Nedlands & RC Joondalup visit from Perth, Australia

19 Feb – Mahka Bucha Day, no club meeting

26 Feb – RCRHH Annual Children's Day at Panyanakul School
(RC Chiang Mai International visit)

President Brian informed the meeting of the DG on the 11th of January 2019 which was well attended and further mentioned that the RCRHH was only one of four RC in district 3330 in Thailand that had over 50 members which is a great achievement. President Brian also informed the meeting that the DG had presented the RCRHH with the Rotary Foundation RFSM/EREY pins for 100% club member participation having donated at least USD 100 per member. These were available for Rotary members of RCRHH through President Brian.

President Brian talked about the RC Bangkapi Annual Children's day out, Regents Beach Cha Am on the 10th February 2019.

Rtn Benjamas informed the meeting about RCRHH being invited to sign and MOU with the Hua Hin Municipality. This event is one of five (5) Hua Hin Municipality events that are planned in 2019. The events are designed to preserve the environment, promote good health and make Hua Hin a better place.

President Brian informed the meeting that the club assembly on the 29th January was to inform it's members and guests of the activities the RCRHH were involved in. RCRHH allows guests to attend these meetings. This is the 2nd of the quarterly club assemblies.

President Brian informed the meeting that the original planned visit with RC Chang Mai International would be changed as this coincided with the Annual Children's day at Panyanakul School.

President Brian then introduced today's guest speaker Richard Buckle from Surf 102.5 FM.

President Brian informed the meeting that Surf 102.5 FM had over the years supported a number of RCRHH events both by advertising and attending these events.



Richard informed the meeting that K, Pongsawatch started Surf FM 18 years ago in the year 2000.

By 2015 the radio was not really listened to and had clearly lost direction, making no income.

Our adventure began on 1st November 2015.

Surf 102.5 actively supports Hua Hin businesses, charities and involves the local community.



- Richard informed the members that the breakfast show Started 3 years ago with Steve Johnston, the show is now presented by Andy Curtis Monday -Thursday
- Richard & Leigh broadcast live from the Siam Bakery every Friday morning. Marriott have just signed a new agreement for 2019

Many guests have been interviewed on the show live and recorded pod casts. A recent has seen the radio station record and play clips made with the International School Hua Hin that are themed around the United Nations seventeen (17) goals for the environment and sustainable living that were written and presented by the students from the above school.

Richard informed the Members that surf 102.5 FM would hold a pop quiz on the 7th February to help raise funds for a new antenna to help improve the radio shows broadcasts.

President Brian thanked Richard for an interesting presentation and hoped surf 102.5 would continue to support the RCRHH and play more rock and roll.

There being no other business lunch was called.

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