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Rotary on Samui June 2023

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Thank you for your continued interest in our work. If you have received this in error or are no longer interested please accept our apologies and unsubscribe from the link at the bottom of the page.

Our next friendship meeting will be Tuesday 20 June at the slightly later time of 5:30 pm at the usual venue Sea Sun Cafe & Restaurant. More details below

Everyone welcome

Windfield International School **Annual Charity Gala and Art Auction**

In support of Rotary's Support4Autism project

Come support a great cause while enjoying a night of entertainment, fun, and appreciating beautiful art, at Windfield International School's most important fundraising event of the year! Don't miss the spectacular fire show at 8:30 pm that will leave you in awe! Artwork from Windfield's talented students will be up for auction showcasing their creativity, and supporting this wonderful cause.



The Door Samui, Lamai



June 23rd, from 6:30 pm to 11:00 pm.



Entrance: Free





Defibs 4 Samui Project

Last month Past President Stephen First from Rotary Club Hong Kong South and Samui President Adam Preston travelled to Koh Phangan island to present 2 AEDs to the government hospital. Thank you RC Hong Kong South. A truly international effort by Rotary #RotaryServeToChageLives #peopleofaction









Swim 4 Life Project

Let's work together to stop child drowning related deaths in Thailand มาร่วมอาสาด้วยกันเพื่อลดอัตราการสูญเสียเด็กจากการจมน้ำในประเทศไทย

2020 the World Health Organization reported that Thailand is still "number one" for child deaths by drowning in ASEAN. In fact, the WHO says that the country's child death by drowning rate is twice as high as the world's average! Help us reverse this trend which has only got worse during the years of Covid lockdowns and school closures.

With no public swimming pool on Samui there is little opportunity for children in local schools to learn basic water safety. We are blessed with beautiful beaches but without swimming and safety classes, the sea is as much a hazard as a blessing for local children.

It costs just 2,000 THB (aprox. 58USD, 86AUD, 54EUR, 46GBP) to put a child hrough our 12 week drowning prevention program Swim4Life. Please follow the link to donate today.

Donate to our Swim4Life Project today via <u>Weeboon Thailand's Crowdfunding</u>
<u>Platform..</u>Read more on on website <u>Swim4Life Project</u>









EFR and SSI Certified Lifeguards at your service

Three days of intensive training completed. Thank you Rotarians and supporters for dedication and hard work. Big thanks and humble gratitude all donors especially <u>Karen Richards</u>, <u>Live Play Work Australia</u> also <u>First Aid Training Bangkok Co. Ltd.</u> and <u>International School of Samui</u> for making this happen







Food 4 Life Project - Rise Against Hunger

Fellow Rotarian Capt. Dol Adinan recently reached out to us with an offer that we could not refuse. Capt. Dol is Past President of Rotary Club of Plutaluang, Sattahip and Chairman of Disaster Aid Thailand (DAT)

Having read about our Food4Life project our friends at RC Plutaluang offered us 9 boxes of fortified meals to help families still recovering from the effects of the Covid-related lockdowns and business closures.

Each box contains 36 sealed packs so a total of 324 packs which we will be

distributing to the most needy very soon.





Community Outreach

Tuta has recently moved back from Koh Phangan to live with her mother on Samui. Now with daily moisturising her skin is much better and she has a new doll which she takes everywhere. Since returning to Samui, Rotary has organised transport for Tuta to attend the Learning Center for Magical Autistic Children a safe space where she gets essential exercise, socialization with other children as well as participating in a range of learning activities. All made possible by a very kind monthly donation to Rotary from a kind and generous sponsor.

In May for the first time Tuta attended Rotary Support4Autism swimming program every Wednesday at Windfield and she had a lovely time floating and kicking around the pool.





Feedback from May's Friendship Meeting

Thinking about our local environment

At last month's meeting we had a packed agenda with guest speakers Brent from <u>Trash Hero Koh Samui</u>, John and Jinta from <u>EcoThailand Foundation</u> on Koh Phangan and Adam Gale from <u>Live Play Work</u>, <u>Australia</u>.

We were delighted to welcome President of Rotary Club Vasco Port Town, Goa, India with friends and families who was able to feed into the discussion on environmental protection and sustainability in their own popular tourist destination.

There are over 46,000 Rotary clubs worldwide, with a membership estimated at 1.4 million individuals. Why not join us and help make a difference. Email us to find out more.











Donate today via Thailand's Crowdfunding Platform Weeboon

Next Friendship Meeting

Tuesday 20 June 5:30-7pm Sea Sun Cafe, Bang Rak Visitors and residents alike - everyone is very welcome.







The Cancer Care Charity Fun Run is back, and it's going to be even more exciting this year! Join us on 24th June 2023 at the Nathon Pier and run for fun while raising awareness and supporting a this important cause.

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1930 First Rotary Club established in Bangkok 1955 H.M. King Bhumibol Adulyadej, graciously consented to become the Royal Patron of Rotary Thailand 1980 Golden Anniversary 50 years of the Rotary Thailand. Their Majesties King Bhumibol and Queen Sirikit presided over the function. 1990 H.R.H. Princess Maha Chakri Sirindhorn attends to celebrate the 60th anniversary of Rotary Thailand and becomes an Honorary Member of RC Bangkok. 2018 Rotary Club of Samui-Phangan joins the worldwide Rotary family - one of 360 clubs in Thailand

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