

Rotary



**WEEKLY MEETING OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF ROYAL HUA HIN – AMARI HOTEL
TUESDAY APRIL 26, 2022
GUEST SPEAKER – SOMPRATANA NAWONG - E-JAN THAILAND**

ATTENDEES: 28
MEMBERS: 16
GUESTS: 12

Meeting opened with the National Anthem. PP Napa Keawtem introduced the following guests:

- President Aree Mitoopatum – RC Hua Hin
- PP Suwit Rienroongrueng – RC Hua Hin
- Rtn Petite Kamoltip – RC Hua Hin
- Sompratana Nawong – E-JAN Thailand
- Cheewapan Chatsuthipong – E-JAN Thailand
- Tassuma Smarnmitr – E-JAN Thailand
- Thongchai Kaewchingduang – E-JAN Thailand
- Sahachat Limcharoenpakdi – E_JAN Thailand
- Suphapit Lawrence – Thailand
- Mukmanee Prongduangsri – Thailand
- PP Dr Andrea Degan – Switzerland
- Heidi Seifert

PP Napa Keawtem then read a letter of appreciation from Dr. Keith Humphreys commending P Phil Lawrence's dedication of service to the Rotary Education Center and Thai Voices projects.

Phil welcomed all attendees.

ROTARY AROUND THE WORLD

Rotary Club of Royal Hua Hin

Fellowship Evening Surf and Sand April 5th

A pleasant evening well attended by members and guests. A smorgasbord of tasty European, Thai, Indian food was served accompanied with sufficient supply of libations. A good time was had by all.



RCRHH 12th Birthday Party - April 12th – Khao Tao Beach

The Rotary Club of Royal Hua Hin enjoyed a social evening on the beach in Khao Tao to celebrate its 12th Birthday. The event was attended by 28 members and guests and the occasional persons wandering along the beach who enjoyed a social get together in a relaxed setting.



Rotary District 3330 Upcoming Events:

District Training May 13 – 15th 2020 - Cha Am - Methavalai Hotel

- 16 club members registered and 5 Rotaractors Stamford International University
- The main event is on Saturday 14th May which is the DTA. Registration for the event starts at 08:00 to 08:30hrs with the conference starting at 08:45.
- There will be English translation during the morning sessions, after lunch there will be English sessions on various subjects in the break out rooms.
- 6:30pm to 10:00 pm District Governor's Installation Ceremony



Rotary District 3330 | IMAGINE ROTARY | DTA Cha-am 2022 Gems of Love

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District Conference Assembly June 24th - 26th 2022. Phuket Patong Beach Duangjitt Hotel

- Booking now open. P Phil Lawrence will send out a general invite to members for registration by May 10th.



Additional Scheduled Events:

- May 1st BCCT Boat Trip
- May 3rd Fellowship Evening Whale Hotel
- May 8th Sang Foundation Growing Greener Communities
- May 10th Weekly Meeting Natsumi Felgate Royal Coast Riviera Club
- May 13th – 15th DTA – Cha Am Methavalai Hotel
- May 17th Board Meeting
- May 24th Weekly Meeting Club Assembly
- July 23rd Installation Dinner

E-JAN – Sompratana Nawong – Guest Speaker



E-Jan’s objectives are mainly help people in need all over Thailand. It’s structure consists of 50 employees utilizing 16 million followers on social media, of which 12.6 million are on Facebook with the balance coming from Insta-gram, Twitter, YouTube and others.

Khun Sompratana began the presentation by describing that the current conditions at the Anuban Nongkon school in Hua Hin for special needs children are unacceptable. There are currently 50 children having 9 different disabilities in one 48 sq. meter room.

E-Jan has made contacts with several high-profile people and entities to get the project started. To date it has raised 10 million baht of which 1.2 million baht was raised through T-Shirt sales alone. Land consisting of 3 rai has been given by the Ministry of Education which is located near Black Mountain. The total budget for building the school is 16 – 20 million baht.

The school will consist of 8 main classrooms designed to support a special needs curriculum, along with disability bathrooms, canteen, kitchen, and a teacher’s room. Construction is scheduled to start in June 2022 and is to be completed in 7 months. An additional 3 months

will be needed to furnish the school. Once complete, the government will fund the on-going costs and school expenses.

E-Jan is asking RCRHH to help fund the construction of a “Sensory Room”. Construction cost for the room is 800K Baht and for the room technology and furniture it’s 200K Baht. Total 1 million Baht. PP Napa Keawtem will contact E-Jan by May 25th to inform them that there is a definite commitment to fund 500K Baht next year towards room construction, technology, and furniture.



At E-Jan's request, RCRHH has obtained booth space at the upcoming DTA next month in Cha-Am for selling T-Shirts and other goods to raise funding for this project. The actual designs on the T-Shirts were done by the special needs students who will be part of the project.



Next Meeting – May 10th