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THE ROTARY CLUB OF BANGKOK SOUTH



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Meetings:
Friday
12.15 pm.

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Carrado Jay Boccia Jim Thompson - The Mystery

No 2525

28 March 2014

Richard Harvey Music Alters Everything

Richard Harvey gave an enlightening and humorous speech to the club.

He is a BAFTA Award winning British musician and composer, originally of the mediaevalist progressive rock group Gryphon. He is best known now for his film and television soundtracks which include "The Legend of Suriyothai" and "King Naresuan".

There are 150,000 Karen refugees in the camps on the Thai/Burmese border, including many thousands of young children. The refugees cannot help themselves by leaving the camps in search of work.

They are not allowed to move on from the camps or look for local jobs, and there is no going back to the burnt villages and landmine-strewn fields of their homeland. They are effectively trapped between two countries; outside Burma, yet not really inside Thailand.

Richard and a group of musicians were convinced that music could provide a way to help the children of these communities and established the MAE (Music Alters Everything) Foundation.

In 2011, the first thousand musical instruments, together with songbooks, were delivered to music teachers within the camps.

The teachers were also provided with battery powered audio equipment. The charity has been delivering further musical instruments every year since.

The charity also sends volunteer music teachers to the camps, so every child can have access to music and the chance to learn to play.



They provide support for the creation of workshops inside the camps where refugees can develop the skills to make musical instruments that can be exported to bring in a reliable income stream.

Article by CP Geoffrey Carter





Flashback



Ask people to smile and this is what you get...



Patrick Gauvain, our newest Rotarian

Remember to be nice to the Meeter/
Greeter... It could be you next week...



The True Taste of Real Coffee





Saint Joseph's Home

Rotary Club of Bangkok South District 3350 together with Rotary Club of Betong District 3330 presented Christmas and New Year gifts to the

children and the elderly of Saint Joseph's Home on 28 December 2013.



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Khun Khob's Club Almanac # 2525 – 28 March 2014

Attendance for 21 March 2014: 63%

Present 42, Make-up 9, Absent 30, Exemption 27, Total 108

Visiting for 21 March 2014

From Abroad

John Chirgwin RC Matha's Vineyard, USA

Invited Guests:

David Shackleton
Dylan Jenkins
Gregor Dixon
Huge Baxter
Jan Brodiz
Lars Hansen
Patrick Gauvain
Ron Howard
Virendra Arora

Introduced by:

PP Don Lavoie
Ron Livingston
PP Don Lavoie
Ron Livingston
Jan Akerman
P Michael Schulz
PP Niti Meyer
Poul Weber
CP Geoff Carter



Club Calendar

Friday, 04 April 2014– Luncheon

Christian Brunner
The International Red Cross, its link to International Law and the National Red Cross Societies

Friday, 11 April 2014 – Luncheon

Classification Interviews

Friday, 18 April 2014 – Luncheon

Adel Meer
IFC's operations in Thailand and Myanmar - building global partnerships locally

Friday, 25 April 2014 – Luncheon

Andrew Durieux
ASEAN 2015 – is it all its made out to be

Recent Makeups

RC Eastern Seaboard, 13/03/14: PP Sean Brady

Makeup credits

Program, 11/03/14: PDG Alex Mavro, AG Andrew MacPherson, Colin Hastings, Dana Caron, PP Don Lavoie, Jon Plate, PP Mark Butters, PE Mike Doyle, PP Narinder Sachdev, IPP Nick Pisalyaput, Paul Russell, Prasert Mangkornkarn, Rakesh Sodhia, Thanakorn Telan

Board, 17/03/14: Adrian Topham, Chris Thatcher, Dean Outerson, Douglas Riach, P Michael Schulz, PE Mike Doyle, Nathan Christoff, IPP Nick Pisalyaput, Rakesh Sodhia, Stuart Lucani, Tim Cornwall, Vitool Tantaranunont

Special Dates to Remember

Tuesday, 1 April 2014
18.30

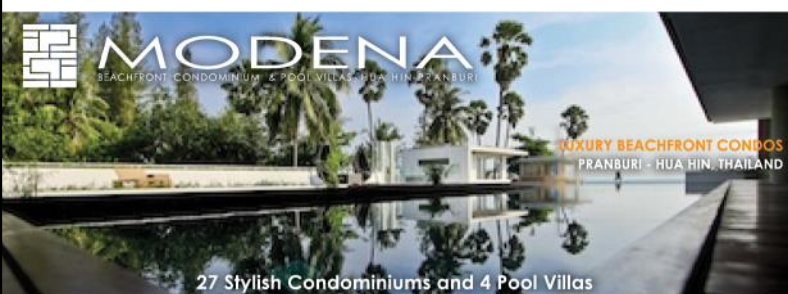
Indus Restaurant
Sukhumvit Soi 26
Come along for the best in Indian Cuisine at an amazing place with friends from Bangkok South

Saturday, 28 June 2014

Installation Ball
Dusit Thani Hotel

For Bangkok South Events

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