



## MEETING EVERY SUNDAY AT 11.00 AM AT GRAND SOLE HOTEL, PATTAYA 2ND ROAD

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Pattaya Expats Club are honoured and happy to have the support and advice from a number of Thai dignitaries. In the following find a list of the people who constitute the Honorary Board Advisors to Pattaya Expats Club.

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### Members of the Volunteer "Production Team":

Capt Dechasa Tonsung-nern, Sriprai Mayne, Pirunya Anuntakool, Darren McGarry, Ossi Viljanen (Head Pro, Golf Section, Finnish Language Section), Dave Wilson, Bob Donald, John Coughtrie, Maria Socorro, John Morris.

### PATTAYA EXPATS CLUB

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### THE GOLF SECTION OF PATTAYA EXPATS CLUB

- Substantial discounts on almost all golf courses in the wide Pattaya area. For more info call Ossi Viljanen, Head Pro of the Golf Section Tel.: 0-8185-19620

## CLUB INFO

**MEMBERSHIP:** New membership cards are laminated at the meeting. Bring 1 passport photograph for a renewal and 2 to become a new Member. Life Membership is 600 Baht.  
**DISCOUNTS:** Over 200 outlets offer discounts to members of the Pattaya Expats Club. Visa runs, restaurants, attractions, shops, sporting activities and much more, even beer bars. There is a list on the website.  
**HEALTH INSURANCE:** the Club group discount policy from Thai Insurance Co. Ltd., is now the Club's official health insurance policy. It saves up to 60% on individual purchase. You must be younger than 60 though to join and up to 65 to renew via AA Insurance Co Ltd.  
**WEBSITE:** The Pattaya Expats Club has a great website with lots of information. The website has an average of 20,000 visits a day. www.pattayaexpatsclub.info. Register for our FREE weekly E Newsletter online on the home page by submitting your first name and email address.

### MEETING PROGRAMME FOR SUNDAY 2 MAY 2010

*This week we will be meeting in our normal room on the Mezzanine Level.*

**Our Main Feature on 2 May** – We are lucky to have him back at the Club again, Dr. Sunya who is one of the pioneers of Pattaya who had this dream to establish good medical facilities in Pattaya and eventually built the Pattaya International Clinic (1974), later evolving into the Pattaya

International Hospital (1992). He is now the CEO of the PIC group, consisting of the Pattaya International Hospital (PIH), the PIC Kitchen, Sugar Hut, Jazz Pit and Superfood.

This week, Dr. Sunya will be speaking about Virus and Influenza injections.

He is a wonderful and entertaining speaker. Also PIH adds the natural environment in its healing process and focuses on preventive care. Dr. Sunya with 30 years of experience is a visionary man of pure gold and let us warn you not to underestimate his golfing abilities, as he is also called "Mr. Fitness"

**Club News & Notices** Every week we have our Club News and Notices. Updates will also be presented by our President, Niels Colov.

**NEWS... Meeting Entry Fee, 120 B from Sunday 4 April.** We now have a one tier price, for members and the public. Our Club Treasurer requests that as many as possible come with exact entry fee, with 20 B in change, to avoid shortages in giving change out for 120 B tickets. Early queue entry time is 1030am and catering to start at 1045am.

Meeting Manager's are **Jahir Khan, Richard Ravensdale, Eddie Wheeler & Dave Wilson (who is now off**

**to Canada for a few months)** who plan the meetings and link the programme announcements – give them any programme content you'd like to include on the day and as they are the representatives of our Board of Trustee's, bring to their attention any club policy matters.

**Open Mic Forum** – This week, **Brian Maxey** is the moderator who will 'referee' and encourage discussion in our famous Open Microphone Forum. The questions are from and answered by our live audience. It's a lively mutual exchange of information, with a little humour and advice from Asia hands and expats in the meeting room. Its not a knowledgeable stage presentation, it's the PEC Members programme segment, for all those practical questions on life in Thailand in general, and in Fun-Town in particular.

**Life Membership** is just 600 Baht and only by personal application at any meeting of the Club. This one-time joining fee provides a **Photo-ID Card** – no renewals needed, and offers many member services, entry to our weekly lucky draw, discounts from some area businesses as well. Bring two very small photos and your card will be prepared and laminated right away by our club staff. Our membership table is open from **1030am until 12 noon**. **Have you lost your PEC Life Member Card?** We can trace records in our database and via paper application forms, to re-issue a card, for a trace service fee of **100 Baht**. (It is not refundable if we are unable to confirm a previous life membership.)

## PEC, EH !

Pattaya Expats Club has 5 Help Lines. Call **084 3489 501** for general enquiries. For Christian spiritual comfort call **Father Theo Lewis 087 133 1601**. Legal emergencies either call Lawyer **Khun Katrena Wannasakda 089 244 9709** or **Khun Suthipong Trakulsak, 081 914 8193**.

### PEC CORPORATE SPONSORS

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## PEC Visa Advice Desk

Darren McGarry from Key Visa Company attends Pattaya Expats Club on the "Visa & Immigration Information Desk" with all the latest updated information to answer all Club members queries.

## Association of Thailand Expats Clubs

Pattaya Expats Club: 0-8434-89501.  
www.pattayaexpatsclub.info  
Chiang Mai Expats Club: 0-8532-10273  
www.chiangmaexpatsclub.com  
Koh Samui Expats Club: 0-8189-45323.  
www.samuiexpats.com  
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## PEC Free Lucky Draw Prizes

Each Sunday Meeting given by: The Nutrition Club, Globetrotter Restaurant, Euro-Optic.