



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

### MEETING PROGRAMME FOR SUNDAY 27 JUNE 2010

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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](http://www.pattayaexpatsclub.info). Register for our FREE weekly E Newsletter online on the home page by submitting your first name and email address.

**Our Main Feature on 27 June** - This week we have a doubleheader, two speakers for the price of one! Opening up is Insurance expert **Peter Smith** owner of brokerage **AA Insurance**. He has been a club supporter and advertising sponsor since the club's early days and we are now into the 6<sup>th</sup> year of our group health policy via AA. Bring all your Insurance questions on any kind of policy area, examples - motor, house

and condo, golf, boats. He has now built the business into a multi city concern with branches now in Pattaya, Jomtien, Bangkok, Chiang Mai, Hua Hin and Udon Thani!

Followed by **Special 2<sup>nd</sup> feature speaker** - our Anglican vicar of Pattaya parish St Georges, Father Theo Lewis who has a rather wicked wit, is doing a follow up to last year's PEC talk about Death and Dying in Pattaya. Fr. Theo will add 10 mins of new material regarding his more recent experience's with death, but "not his own as yet", as he writes. "A few tips concerning arranging a funeral in this city. Also a couple of useful warnings that may help to prolong life in this make believe paradise. I want also to ask if anyone is interested in starting a business here since Pattaya is in urgent need of a western style undertaker. I could help set it up since I appear to have all the information. Much better business than a bar, just look around the club meeting at all the potential clients! Blessings!" So a bonus this week after our Insurance theme - Fr Theo's amusing stories on the perennial theme of death and dying. See his articles on PEC website.

**audience.** It's a lively mutual exchange of information, with a little humour and advice from Asia hands and expats in the meeting room. It's 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. Also during this session if you are new in town or to the meeting, feel free to grab the microphone and introduce yourself to the group and ask any questions you may have.

**Club TV Reports.**  
Our PEC weekly meeting content has a generous segment on **Pattaya People Television**, (both Sophon cable, Channel 12 & BTV Channel 4). If you live outside Sophon & BTV areas view this club resource via your PEC too. Go to [www.pattayapeople.com](http://www.pattayapeople.com) and scroll down to bottom left of homepage past the print new to 'Pattaya expats Club - TV' display and view current meeting report or any of an archive of past meeting report video clips. **PATTAYA PEOPLE TELEVISION** is now in Naklua on Banglamung Cable TV (channel 12). Also BTV channel, 5, has radio station "Yes2day - Pattaya People Radio - 96FM").

We meet at the **Grand Solé Hotel**, 2nd Rd. **Entry Tickets are sold from 10:30AM - 12.30PM. Speakers from 11:30 am, with Brunch, from 10:45 am till 12.30pm.** Entry is now 120 Baht for all, (brunch included), which also pays for our excellent technical presentation facilities of the Grand Solé Hotel function room. The table plan is usually in friendly format tables for eight or ten - so please allow the 'gaps' to be filled by new arrivals at your table. We are a friendly **Expats helping Expats advice forum**.

## PEC, EH !

Pattaya Expats Club has 4 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 Visa Advice Desk

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