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Today's Topic: "Peace Fellows"

MEETINGS : EVERY FRIDAY AT NOON

DISASTER MANAGEMENT & TRAINING

Paul Barker took us on an energetic and creative journey into his world of crisis management and his conviction that in his profession, checklists do not work during a crisis.

Taking from his blog and talk, it is clear Paul believes that while checklists have a function, not in a crisis as no two are ever the same and need to be acted upon differently.

Everyday management and crisis management follows some of the same basic principles but there is one major difference – get a management decision wrong and it could cost jobs and money; get a crisis management decision wrong, and it could cost lives.

Using an example from an earlier stage in his career, Paul had us imagine we were leading a small firefighting team and you have arrived at one of two different fires.

You only need to make one quick, simple decision: risk the lives of your team and send them into the building, adopting an 'offensive' plan or do you adopt a 'defensive' plan and tackle the fire with water jets through the windows from the safety of the garden

The answer he revealed, is to ask questions. What time is it? What day is it? What is the weather today? Is it a holiday? Is this area well-to-do? Is a car in the drive? Are doors or windows open?

A decision, he added, during a crisis is often based on both known and assumed information as there is not enough time to get all the facts and as such there is a need to work based on what is known and can be assumed. Then based on that information, the next question, what is the potential escalation and situation in one hour? In five minutes? Tomorrow?

From there, plan to prevent the 'potential' escalation from occurring. If people could die, adopt a more offensive plan and be prepared to take a greater risk to achieve that goal. If no lives are at risk or no lives can be saved, adopt a more defensive plan.

Known, assumed, potential, three steps to take in collecting information before making a crisis management decision.



The answer to his example... on this sunny weekday in an upmarket part of town with no car in the driveway and all windows and doors closed, assume nobody is inside and therefore do not risk the lives of the team to rescue their TV set.

Paul then went on to talk about airline situations and the need for questions, rather than a checklist reiterating his key message, do not give your crisis management team a list of answers, give them a list of questions.

Using the recent Malaysian Airlines missing flight as an example, he went through a series of questions and how the airline failed to have answers for many of his questions in time to have an effective crisis response.

Will there be survivors? What survivor-care facilities are available at the airport? What survivor care resources do we have at this airport? Can we expect families to be waiting or arriving at the airport soon? What will be the highest priority needs of the survivors? Medical care? Repatriation with luggage? Customs and immigration clearance? Reunions? How many calls of enquiry from families and friends can we expect?

An interesting insight into his profession, his talk left all of us with a simple idea for dealing with problems. Ask questions about what is known, can be assumed and what is the potential harm and with as many answers as possible, decide as to what to do or not do.



SNAPSHOTS FROM RCBS LUNCH, 19 JANUARY 2018

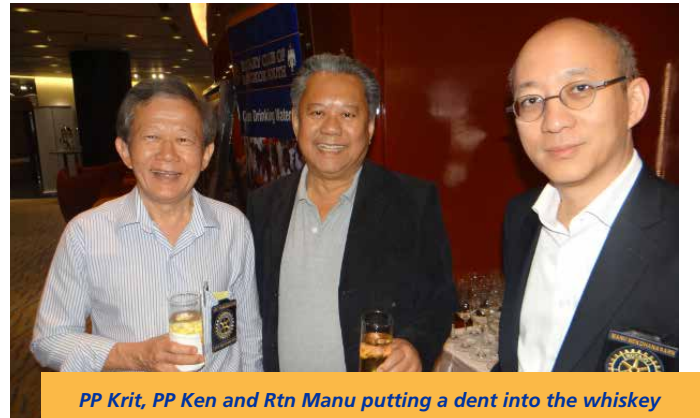


Les Walsh, our golf tournament organizer and P Dougie

To be inducted next week Michael, inducted this week Rtn Worrakit and PP Michael



Former Rtn Bernard and PP Philip



PP Krit, PP Ken and Rtn Manu putting a dent into the whiskey



Rtn Worrakit Pholsawad being welcomed into the club by P Dougie



PP John won Eddie's Memorial Charity draw and promptly gave it to the golf tournament

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FELLOWSHIP NIGHT

On Thursday 18 January, we held our 2nd Fellowship Night of this Rotary year.

Seventeen Rotarians and nine guests enjoyed a range of gin cocktails, red and white wine, and delicious Hor d’oeuvres, courtesy of our hosts at the appropriately-named, and brand-new watering hole, Iron Balls Gin Parlor.

Many thanks to Admin Director Rtn Alastair Timblich who organized a great evening of fellowship at a new venue that is a bit off the “regular Bangkok South circuit”.



PP Mike Doyle, Tony Brooke, and his father Rtn Peter enjoy an Iron Balls Gin.

PP Narain, Khun Sutheep and PDG Alex seem to be distracted by the lights.



PDG Alex welcomes former Rtn Chris Nicholson

President Dougie, PP Michael and guest Preben Pedersen



Rtn Peter and soon-to-be Rtn Michael



PN Tim and Rtn Mark in good spirits



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26 January 2018

Happy Birthdays:

PP Vichai Tantrativud January 26
Sievrt Larsson January 29

Wedding Anniversary Greetings:

Kurt Wachtveitl January 27

Attendance for 19 January 2018: 63%

Present 32, Make-up 12, Absent 26, Exemption 30, Total 100

Visiting for 19 January 2018

From Local:

IPP Charles Cheung RC Bangkok

From Abroad:

Peter Brooke RC Hunstanton, England
Thierry Gattlen RC Sion, Switzerland

Invited Guests:

Bernard Colin
Michael Graham-Hyde
Scott Ledwell
Worrakit Pholsawad

Introduced by:

Marco Casanova
PP Mike Doyle
P Douglas Riach
PP Mike Doyle

Recent Makeups:

RC Bangkok, 16 January 2018: P Douglas Riach

Makeups:

Golf, 12 January 2018: PE Dean Outerson, P Douglas Riach, CP Geoff Carter, Gerard Gareats, Mark Shaw, PP Michael Schulz, PP Nigel Hardy, PP Ole Madsen, Tim Cornwall

Board, 15 January 2018: Adrian Topham, Alastair Timblich, Dana Caron, PE Dean Outerson, P Dougie Riach, IPP Krin Charnmaytesakul, Mark Wolf, PP Nigel Hardy, Peter Upperton, Prasert Mangkornkarn, Tim Cornwall

Inter-Club Delegation to RC BKK DACH, 17 January 2018:

PDG Alex Mavro, PE Dean Outerson, P Doug Riach, PP Nigel Hardy, PP Peter-Michael Schuster

Fellowship Night at Iron Bar, 18 January 2018:

Alastair Timblich, PDG Alex Mavro, Billy Popham, Carol Kuhn, PE Dean Outerson, P Douglas Riach, PP Mark Butters, Mark Marshall, PP Michael Schulz, PP Mike Doyle, PP Narain Suradejvibul, PP Nigel Hardy, Peter Upperton, Rui Belo, Tevin Baechtold, Tim Cornwall, Worrakit Pholsawad

CLUB CALENDAR

Friday, 2 February 2018 – Manop Udomkerdmonkol on Global and Thailand Economic Outlook 2018

Friday, 9 February 2018 – Jenn Weidman on Avoiding the Meltdown after the Battlefield, be it Pakistan, South Sudan, or a Corporate Boardroom.

Friday, 16 February 2018 – Fellowship Day. Also Coins on Silom and Golf sponsors appreciation day

Thursday, 22 February 2018 – Paul Harris Dinner with PP Sean Brady is the keynote speaker, at The Residence, Grand Hyatt Hotel.

Friday, 23 February 2018 – Peter Coll on Nova Scotia School Foundation and Rotary's involvement.

Friday, 02 March 2018 – Dominic Faulder on his book on Anand Panyarachun.

Friday, 09 March 2018 – the Program Committee is in the confirmation stage with a foreign diplomat who will address us on this day. TBC.

Friday, 16 March 2018 – Dr Bhume Bhumiratana on Cybersecurity

Friday, 23 March 2018 – Dr Bert van Walbeek on Risk Mitigation & Crisis Recovery Management in Thailand

Friday, 30 March 2018 – Tony Campbell on The new gold rush - the regulatory challenges of Bitcoin and other Cryptocurrencies.

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