



Founded in 1964

## President's Message



Dear Past Presidents, Honorary Diplomatic Members,  
IWC Members and Friends,

IWC was established in 1964 and at that time was the largest international club, as there were not many clubs in those days. Nowadays, many nationalities have formed their own clubs, and many non-Thai IWC members have joined their national clubs. This is a normal way of growth and change. Along the way, many Thai laws and regulations have changed, and both the old and the newly-established clubs have to follow these new regulations.

IWC should not allow its long-established reputation to be jeopardized by small misunderstandings. Instead, we should strive to overcome those small obstacles.

Colin Powell, the 65th U.S. Secretary of State, once said:  
*"The Best Method of overcoming obstacles is The Team Method."*

By holding hands and working together, and remembering that we are on the same team regardless of our differences, the International Women's Club of Thailand will prosper and shine.

Looking forward to meeting you at upcoming IWC functions.

Sincerely,

*Tharinee Tavijaroen*  
President

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Please send in your submissions by the 10th of the month so they can be printed in the next month's Bulletin and sent out in timely fashion. Late breaking news and updates will be sent out by e-mail blast, and you can also check our web site for the latest IWC news.

## THE BULLETIN : LOOKING AHEAD

Dear Members,

We are looking for your help in setting up a new team to take care of the IWC web site and the Bulletin. We also welcome your thoughts, ideas and suggestions for the future. Besides the regular announcements and photos, some of our members may like to submit an occasional article, some useful information, photos, etc.

Besides updating the Constitution, it is also time for refreshing the Bulletin with some new energy and fresh thinking. We look forward to hearing from our members, and we will be happy to advise on making the Bulletin the publication you want it to be.

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## MEMBERS

### October Birthdays

4	Lucile Bond	14	Shakuntla Gurbani
4	Namita Kothari	15	Supanee Bencharit
4	Marina Moore	15	Reina Natsuki
6	Nuanchawee Kooviratana Hyde	16	Tammy Ayetut
7	Supa Bow	20	Eka Rumanitha
7	Davinder Thakral	20	Arunee Srifuengfung
8	Juvady Leopairut	24	Eva Sakharet
9	Stephanie Lim	25	Nirupama Chansrichawla
9	Duangnabhar (Lek) Wijitkhuankhan	26	Siriphorn Leenanuchai
10	Esperanca Pilunthanakul	31	M.L.Promsri Pibulsonggram





# October Luncheon

*October Luncheon will be informed by Email blast later due to we still waiting for executive confirmation.*

*Thanks and hope to see everyone at October Luncheon.*

Please make reservations with:  
K. Nora:0819360778:nora.suree@gmail.com  
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You can reserve a table if you are 6 persons or more together.  
Cancellations must be made 3 days prior to the event;  
otherwise you and your guests will owe for the full amount.



# ■ SCHOLARSHIPS

We are very proud of the many girls who have benefited from our scholarship program over the years. They have shown great diligence and perseverance in pursuing their dreams of a good education. We now want to introduce two of our recent graduates.

**Palita Chamsaeng** studied at the primary level at Chumchonbandansai School in Loei Province. Her school heard about IWC Scholarships from Rosa-Luz de Chomjandr, our former member, who was teaching English there. With a GPA of 4.00, Palita was awarded a scholarship. Our support provided her school supplies and uniforms, which helped lessen the burden on her parents.

After finishing her secondary level at Srisongrakwittaya School with a GPA of 3.88, she went to the Faculty of Public Health at Mahidol University and got a Bachelor Degree of Science (Public Health), majoring in Community Health with a GPA of 2.75.

Now she works as a liaison officer at the Faculty of Public Health, Mahidol University. Her job involves the Human Resources and Working System Development Project. It is a coordination between the Thai Health Promotion Foundation, Mahidol University and the Provincial Administration Organization of Ratchaburi.



“I am extremely grateful to IWC for the continuous support which enabled me to succeed in my education. Having been given the opportunity, I wish to help our society in return.”

**Natsupha Wuttirot**, 23, was awarded an IWC scholarship in 2010 when she was in Mathayom Suksa 4 at Debsirin Samutprakarn School. In 2013 she went to Khon Kaen University to study Architecture and graduated on July 6, 2018 with a GPA of 3.32 (Second-Class Honors degree).

“I would like to express my gratitude to IWC for giving me the opportunity to pursue my studies. Your support encouraged me to achieve my goal. I promise that I will try my best to work honestly for the benefit of our community.”

