# Thailand Walking Football Tournament 7<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> December 2024 02/06/2024

### Where is the Tournament taking place?

Jomtien Beach (a suburb of Pattaya).

### Where is Jomtein Beach?

It's on the eastern side of the Gulf of Thailand 150km south of Bangkok

120Km south of Suvarnabhumi International Airport



# How do I get to Jomtien Beach and what does it cost?

Fly into Suvarnabhumi International Airport and make use of a chauffeurdriven car or van (if there's more than 4 passengers) to Jomtien; Cost around \$AU50 one-way.

<u>http://www.jennycarservice-thailand.com/</u> Very reliable and clean vehicles – highly recommended; I only use Jenny's Car Service to and from the Airport!

# Where will I stay and what is the cost?

The organisers have reserved 10 rooms (so far) at the Welcome Jomtien Beach Hotel for \$AU64 per night (incl. Breakfast), for a double or Twin Room. The deposit to reserve a room is \$64.00 (See below). 'First in, best dressed' – don't delay!

### What's the Game Format?

Teams are: 6 v 6 (including Goalie); 3-touch WF only; anyone over 18 years old can play, however younger players **must** play within the spirit of WF and respect older players.

### How do I get to the playing venue?

The playing venue is only about 10-15 minutes from the hotel; we'll organise a mini-bus or Van to transport all players and supporters to and from the Welcome Jomtien Beach Hotel to the playing venue, at a small cost per person. Also, Player Registration is only \$25pp.

## How far is it to the shops, restaurants and beach?

The hotel is only a couple of hundred metres to all the above! Also, it's less than 5km from the vibrant city of Pattaya.

### What's the weather like in Jomtein in December?

December in Thailand is their Winter (dry season), however the temperature is similar to our Sydney Summer.

#### How much are flights?

Depending on who you fly with, flights can be very inexpensive if you're happy to have a brief stop-over in Malaysia or Singapore. It appears AIR ASIA (a low-cost Malaysian airline) or SCOOT (a subsidiary of Singapore Airlines) may be the cheapest option? However, QANTAS, THAI Airways, etc., operate daily flights to Thailand.

### What other teams will be competing?

It's unknown at this stage, as the organisers have reached-out to organisations/teams in Thailand, Australia, England and South-East Asia. TBA.

#### **Thailand Currency**

1 Australian Dollar (\$AU) = 24.45 Thai Baht (THB) as at 02/06/2024.

#### How serious is the Tournament?

Friendly competitive; supporting Thailand WF and having a great holiday close to home!

#### How do I reserve a Room and Register for the Tournament?

- 1) **Reply** with the date you're arriving AND the date you're leaving the Hotel to reserve your room.
- 2)
- 3) Pay \$89 (\$64 + \$25) into the below Bank Account via EFT: C & AJ Parker, BSB: 633000, A/c No. 143648921, Payee Ref. 'Your Name'.

### **Any Further questions?**

Cliff Parker (Australia) – 0416 153 630 – preferred option for Aussies.

Paul Cross (Richmond Sports Bar – Jomtein, Thailand) – 062 492 4203