During the Club’s Sunday Meeting Open Forum, attendees ask their fellow Expats if they can recommend certain types of businesses or where they can locate certain products. To assist other Expats in finding a business or product, we will be listing them here.

**The Club does not sponsor or guarantee satisfaction with any of the listed businesses. The Club receives no monetary or other consideration from these businesses.**

If you wish to recommend a business, please contact us and provide their name, the goods or services provided, and a brief description of your experience with the business. Also, please state whether you have any financial or other interest in the recommended business.

Likewise, if you use one of the listed businesses and are not satisfied with the goods and/or services please advise us of your experience. Generally, we will list businesses that in our sole discretion we consider to be useful to our fellow Expats. You can contact us by email to: info@pattayacityexpatsclub.com.

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**Health Providers** (links to Club webpage that contains list of Expat recommended health care providers)
Air Conditioning Service

Irish Aircon Co., Ltd.
Address: 189 Moo 11 Thepprasit Road, Nongprue, Banglamung, Chonburi 20150
Tel & Fax: 038-411249, Mobile: 089-608-7808
Email: info@irishaircon.com
Website: www.irishaircon.com
European managed airconditioning service and sales. Recommended by many Expats in Pattaya. They will install and service all brands of air conditioning equipment - residential or commercial.

Premi Air
Telephone: 038-375-057, 089-518-7149, 081-906-6751
Website: http://www.premiaircon.com/
European management. Several members recommended their service of air conditioning units.
A SHOP WITH BIG CLOTHING SIZES – A member reports there is a shop where you can get BIG (farang) sizes. The shop has shirts, shorts, T-shirts and is located at the Avenue Shopping mall on 2nd Road – enter the Villa Market through the doors from the mall (there is a wine shop on the left before the entry door) – just after you enter, the shop will be immediately to your left.
Computer Services

"A" - 08-1743-7073. He works out of his home. He comes to your location. He does repair work and can build a desk top computer to your specifications. Several members recommend him, his English is good and his prices reasonable.

Kilin Poolswan - 081-295-3860. He works out of his home - Repair at your home, new desk top computers built to your specifications, WiFi installation. Recommended by several members - English is good and prices reasonable.

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Repair Services

Loetsiri Phanich Ltd., Part. (Glass Repair)
Telephone: 038-426-941, 038-420-424/5, 038-360-168, 038-420-424 (fax)
Suvit Siriphasarntavee, Manager - Mobile Telephone 081-683-3861
241/11-13 Central Pattaya Road (Next to Big C Extra)
Pattaya City, Chonburi 20150
Telephone: 038-426-941, 038-420-424/5, 038-360-168, 038-420-424 (fax)
Expat Remarks: After having condo sliding door blown out by a sudden storm shattering all the glass. We called them the next morning and talked to Khun Suvit (good English) who said they might be able to fix that day. In the afternoon, with another storm approaching we called him, and within 15 minutes he was there measuring and about an hour later he returned with a crew and the panel of glass - by 4pm it was fixed. Total bill was 2,500 baht. I can not imagine any better service.

Leather Repair

Located at the corner of soi Buakhaou and soi 21 (at the side of a foreign currency exchange). Diagonally across from the Bangkok Bank.

Expat Remarks: Over the years I have used this man’s services many times. I have always been impressed by his skills in his chosen field. His prices are embarrassingly cheap. So much so that he really does warrant a decent tip.
### Handymen

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<td>Expat Comment: Expertise- Everything at really cheap prices. Best features: Price, dependability and good command of English. Expat recommending him says, &quot;He has repaired electrical wiring, is the best ever of all I have hired for Jacuzzi cleaning, Repaired furniture for me...broken bed, broken chair. He is there when he says he will be.&quot;</td>
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<td><em>I always recommend Doon, the man I use for literally everything except the one thing he doesn’t do - air conditioning. His crew painted the exterior of my house and I was quite satisfied. His prices are very reasonable too. Whenever I need something done, I always call Doon.</em></td>
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<td>089-080-3209. Advertises for Electric, Water Supply, Pump, Indoor Phone, Painting, In &amp; Out Door Decorate etc. Expat Comments: <em>Jomtien area member has used him for minor plumbing, gate, and glass door repairs and comments that he usually arrives within an hour or two of being called, service satisfactory, and fees reasonable - limited English.</em></td>
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Custom Kitchens

**Planet Kitchen, Ltd.**
Kieran Oldham
Telephone: 081-862-6438  038-252-568
315/55 Thepprasit Road
Does custom kitchens
Expat Remarks:  *Excellent work. May be a bit higher than other companies, but well worth it for having it done properly – he stands behind his work – if his workers don’t do it properly, he has them correct it.*

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Insurance Agents

**AA Insurance Brokers**
Telephone: 038-415-795/6  Fax 038-374-251  Skype: AA Insurance Brokers Pattaya
565/62 Moo 10 (Next to Big C, South Pattaya)
Website: [http://www.aainsure.net/index.html](http://www.aainsure.net/index.html)
They offer all types of insurance. They also have offices in Phuket, Chiang Mai, Udon Thani, and Hua Hin. AA Brokers currently administers the Pattaya City Expat Club's group insurance policy.

**Neng (Chamnong Anusat-utai)**
Telephone: 084-003-6030, 038-427-585, 038-420-707 Fax 038-429-773
E-mail: neng611@hotmail.com
Pattaya Service Center (same office at Pattaya People)
20/15-16 M.10 Soi Day-Night Hotel, South Pattaya Rd.
Neng is an individual broker offering all types of insurance. He is recommended by several Club members. Speaks good English. Sometimes he is traveling, so contacting him by email may be best.

**Wanarom (Wana) Hiranprapakul**
MLG Consulting Service Co. Ltd
63/14-15 Moo 10 South Pattaya Road
Telephone: 038-427-904/5, 038-424-534  Fax: 038-424-535
Email: wanarom@mlgconsultingservice.com
Mechanic - Auto

Khun Sakda
Telephone: 081-715-6819
Expat Remarks: For the past eight years I have been driving an ancient Mazda 626. For the first three years I was constantly being ripped off by mechanics who took money for work which later proved not to have been done. Five years ago I was introduced to a mechanic and I have been constantly amazed by his total honesty and great service. He works from his house which is far from the city center however he will come to your home, leave his car there, and take yours away. He charges foreigners exactly the same as Thais and his work is excellent. He does speak some English however for the initial contact in giving the address it would be helpful to have a Thai speaker call him.
Products/Services

HOUSEHOLD

ARC
Showroom: 389/114 Moo 6, Sukhumvit Road, Naklua, Banglamung, Chonburi 20150
Telephone 038-716-868 or 086-112-8908; Fax: 038-223-893
Website: http://www.pvcwindowsthailand.com/index.html
Windows, sliding doors, home improvement - Located on Sukhumvit Road between Pattaya Nua (North Road) and Pattaya Klang (Central Road). Member purchased sliding glass doors for condominium. Well satisfied with product and installation. Sales person he dealt with was Derek.

HEARING AIDS

DMed Hearing Service
Khun Wallapha (Taan) Vessanont
Telephone: 089-168-6335
Hours: 9am to 6pm Tuesdays and Thursdays (on Mondays & Wednesdays, she has same hours at the Hearing Center in Bangkok Hospital Pattaya)
Located on East side of Sukhumvit Road, almost opposite Pattaya Orphanage.

Khun Taan is a graduate of Burapha University and received her auditory system training from Mukda Pattana-anek, Audiologist and additional training for hearing tests/loss from Interacoustics Company, Denmark. A summary of her presentation to the PCEC on August 15, 2010 can be found in the Club's August 20, 2010 Newsletter - click here, then select Last Week's Meeting under Contents.

PASSPORT PHOTOS

Fotoku Plus – Studio & Digital Output Station
Telephone number is 038-412-612
Hours: 10am to 9pm daily
It is located on the Soi that runs on the North side of Big C North – about half way between 2nd Road and the road that goes past the back side of Big C.
The Expat recommending the shop noted they have a sheet showing the requirements of various countries, i.e., USA, UK, etc. He obtained photos there to renew his USA passport and had no problem with them being accepted.
Storage Facilities

Storage facilities are something that many Expats often inquire about. Although we only have a specific recommendation regarding one of the two businesses listed here, they are the only facilities in Pattaya that we are aware of. You may wish to visit their facilities before contracting for storage. If you should contact or use them, we would appreciate some information on your experience – email: info@pattayacityexpatsclub.com

Pattaya Storage
Located off Threppesit Rd on Soi 10, (143/90) Nongprue, Banglamung Jomtien, Pattaya, Chonburi, Thailand 20150
Tel: English 086-008-0643 cell (MIKE); Thai 081-795-0538 (NAM); Office 038 428-924
Website: http://www.pattayastorage.com/
Email: mikegillark@yahoo.com
Different size storage units available – monthly rental rate

U-Store-It
Telephone: 087-831-7919 (Owner’s name is Lee)
Their brochure states they offer 24 hour security, various size cages from small containers up to furniture from a 2 Bedroom house. Further, they will drop off a container at your location to be filled and then pick it up and take it to their storage facility. They also offer storage parking for motorcycles and automobiles. **They offer Club members a 10% discount. They also offer a discount for long term storage - A member just contracted with them for long term storage and received a 15% discount. The member said the facilities are nice, have ventilation, and CCTV cameras.**

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Tax Preparation Services

Around the time that USA income tax returns are due, we often get inquiries about someone that can prepare USA income tax returns. If not too complicated, several of our members use TurboTax online for preparation and electronically filing their income tax returns. We have no specific information on the following, but they are the only service we are currently aware of for preparing USA tax returns. We would be interested in receiving comments on your experience with any listed by the US Embassy or the other company listed below — also, any other company that you may have dealt with and would recommend to your fellow Expats — send email to info@pattayacityexpatsclub.com

US Income Tax Preparation - US Embassy has list – See below – Call the American Citizens Service office at the US Embassy (02-205-4049) for any updates.

American Embassy
Bangkok, Thailand
American Citizens Services Unit
95 Wireless Road
Bangkok 10330
Telephone (66) (2) 205-4049. Fax: (66) (2) 205-4039
Website: http://bangkok.usembassy.gov

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
By mail for taxpayers outside of the U.S.
Internal Revenue Service
P.O. Box 920
Bensalem, PA 19020
Tel: 215-516-4000
Fax: 215-516-2555

TAX CONSULTANTS/PREPARERS IN THAILAND
The following individuals/companies in Bangkok have indicated that they can provide tax consulting services and assist in the preparation of income tax returns for U.S. taxpayers in Thailand. The list is not exhaustive nor its inclusion meant to be an indication of U.S. Embassy endorsement for the quality of services available.

1. Taxplan Ltd.
   4th Floor, Panunee Bldg.
   518/3 Ploenchit Road
   (Next to Amarin Plaza)
   Tel: 02-251-9832 / 02-251-2323
   Fax: 02-652-0788
   Email: taxplan@taxplan.co.th

2. Nawarat, Williams & Co., Ltd.
   Tax Services for Expatriate Americans
   The Royal Place II
   6/311 Soi Makkadiek Luang 2
   Ratchadamri Road, Lumpini
   Bangkok 10330
   Tel: 02-251-9832 / 02-251-2323
   Fax: 02-652-0788
   Email: taxplan@taxplan.co.th

3. American Taxpayer Services
   Joseph “Joe” Krebs, MBA-CPA
   Krongsak “Sok” Pakawan, PhD-CTA
   Webpage: www.us-taxpayers.com
   Tel: 053-869-155
   Fax: 053-878-638
   Email: krebs.us-taxpayers.com
   pukawan.us-taxpayers.com

JP Rooney & Associates Ltd.
4th Floor, Panunee Building, 518/3 Ploenchit Road, Bangkok 10330
Tel: 02-254-7343, 02-251-2323, 02-251-9832  Fax: 02-652-0788
Email: taxplan@taxplan.co.th  Website: www.jprooney.com
They advertise tax preparation and advisory service for USA.

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## Legal Services

Thai888 Law Co., Ltd offers a 50% discount to PCEC members for preparing a Last Will & Testament (normally 10,000 baht plus and now 5,000 baht). Members obtaining a Last Will & Testament have recommended this service. No Expat reports on other legal services have been received.

They have made arrangements to represent Allison Monkhouse Funeral Directors for the Chonburi-Pattaya area offering Living Will, Executors, Funeral Services, Probate, Repatriation of remains, and disbursement of assets. Please note, their discount offered to PCEC members relates only to drafting a Last Will & Testament. [Click here](#) for a summary of the presentation by Allison Monkhouse’s International Manager in Bangkok.

For information on their firm, visit [http://thai888.com/about.html](http://thai888.com/about.html) or contact Jeab on 080-102-8978 or by email to jeab@thai888.com.