



Mom Tri's Boathouse a favourite with Phuket King's Cup Regatta yachtsmen

Now in its 23rd year, the Phuket King's Cup Regatta 2009 attracted over 1,000 yachtsmen on a record 111 yachts entering the 5-day race event. Moderate to strong winds kept skippers and crew on their toes and a good time was had by all.

Mom Tri's Boathouse, directly on Kata Beach Phuket, a sponsor of the Phuket King's Cup Regatta for over a decade, was honoured to be chosen as the venue of choice for many yachtsmen.

Amongst the participants staying at the Boathouse, Neil Pryde and his Hi-Fi crew, were probably the most elated. Winning the Racing Class King's Cup trophy this year gives Mr. Pryde's a total of four King's Cup victories. This brings him now on an even keel with King's Cup sailing legend Bill Gasson, owner of Big Buzzard.

"This was the best regatta ever" said Neil Pryde as he joined the other 10 King's Cup class winners in front of the stage after the Royal Awards Ceremony.

Mom Tri's Boathouse commemorated His Majesty the King's Birthday with a time honoured tradition – a special toast by the sea during The Boathouse's traditional Regatta beach party on December 4th.

Boathouse owner, architect and entrepreneur Mom Luang Tridhosyuth Devakul (Mom Tri), a co-founder of the Phuket King's Cup Regatta and designer of the King's Cup trophy proposed a toast to wish H.M. The King a Happy Birthday and good health for many years to come.

Over 1,200 guests attended the prize-giving ceremony and beach party which lingered on until late despite the party area becoming increasingly narrower with the incoming tide.

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The provisional dates for the 2010 Phuket King's Cup Regatta are from 4th to 11th December. Bookings for accommodation at the Boathouse can be made via reservations@boathousephuket.com

Photo caption: Mom Tri's Boathouse provided the perfect spot for a relaxing beachfront dinner for Neil Pryde and his crew after the busy week of intense sailing and regatta parties.

[Mom Tri's Boathouse](#) and [Mom Tri's Villa Royale](#) are creations of renowned Thai architect, artist and entrepreneur Mom Luang Tridhosyuth Devakul better known as Mom Tri. Favourites with discriminating visitors, the boutique hotels appear on numerous lists of the world's best small hotels. Three more restaurants were opened the past year: Mom Tri's Oasis, Oasis Spring Tapas Bar and Mom Tri's Boathouse Regatta at Royal Phuket Marina. Restaurant information, menus and maps can be found on www.momtriphuket.com

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