

Dog Rescue Center Samui

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Dear Animal Lovers on Koh Samui,

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We were happy to see that our DRCS-Team managed everything very well during the time my husband and I were in Germany. A big Thank You to everyone who was part of it and helped to make sure that the DRCS operated smoothly.

Unfortunately we have many sad and disturbing happenings to report outside the shelter. Here just to mention a few: One of the most popular Chaweng-Beach-Dogs has been poisoned. Egg from the Chaweng Buri Resort died horribly outside the Als Resort on the beach, after living in the area for about 8 years. One week before this happened the manager from the Malibo called us in to remove all dogs from the beach. We do not think that the Chaweng Buri had anything to do with it since in the past, whenever an animal was in need of help, we got a phone call from them. Egg was well known by many tourists and people working on Chaweng beach (believe it or not - many tourists return mainly to catch up with their beach-dogs and will be devastated to hear the sad news). Dog loving tourists put forward a 10,000 Baht reward for detailed information on who killed Egg.

At First Bungalow on Chaweng Noi Beach, one mother dog and her puppy were also poisoned - the 2nd puppy was saved and will soon fly to its new owners in Austria. We received reports that another mother dog and her 4 months old puppy were probably killed by the management of Lompraya Ferry company down at the Lompraya pier in Maenam after the Temple-Team spent months treating them and insuring their survival.

The two house dogs Max and Maxime from the Imperial Boat House in Chong Mon have disappeared. We were not able to find out if they were simply removed or if they were killed. There is a reward of 3,000 Baht for the clarification of this case.

Unfortunately we were asked to remove our donation boxes from the Mercure Hotel in Maenam and the Imperial Boat House...something our animal friendly tourists never like to hear though...

Fact is, that there is still a lot of mistreatment and poisoning of dogs going on in Samui and the ones above are only a few of many cases we could tell you about. Therefore the DRCS will continue to fight for the dogs and cats that cannot fight for themselves.



Maxime from the Imperial Boat House



Max from the Imperial Boat House



Egg from the Chaweng Buri Resort

Operation list May 2010

Dog (Female)	Dog (Male)	Cat (Female)	Cat (Male)	Other	Total
114	11	18	5	9	157

Thank you very much for all your help. We hope we can count on your continued support so that we can make even more progress in the future. We believe our efforts to make Koh Samui more animal-friendly have made it a happier and safer place for tourists, for which the tourists are grateful. Our four-legged friends are most grateful for your contribution!

Best wishes

Brigitte