



Happy 43rd Birthday Adrian

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If a chef invites you for his birthday, you go. And if an Irish cheflike Adrian O'Herlihy is the birthday kid who invites you, you'd better make sure you go because everybody knows how much fun an "Irish party" can be.

The Pub on Huay Kaew Road, where he celebrated his 43rd birthday, was bursting with people, the food was delicious, and there was enough to feed an entire army.

Chef Adrian used his skills to perfection and fed his guests with everything but

kebab, and people who have gotten to know him during his time in Chiang Mai know that this had nothing to do with his time in Saudi Arabia, but instead it was about the time he spent in a London hotel. As a very young chef, they made him cook kebab for 7 straight months, and this was a lifetime experience he does not wish to repeat - ever again.

Everybody knows that Chef Adrian spends 90% of his time in the kitchen and the surroundings of the Amari Rincome Hotel, but one wonders where he spends the final 10%, since more than 75%

of the guests were female.

So the impact he has made in Chiang Mai is not only culinary but also shows that the social Irishman loves to be around friends.

Everybody at The Pub had a jolly good time, especially with the never-ending fun provided by the 'magic candles' his staff put on the huge birthday cake, which just did not want to stop burning.

Adrian, we all hope that you stay a long time in our midst, that you never lose your sense of humor and are always as creative as we have gotten to know you to be.



Was it a 'lack of power', his 'old age' or the 'magic' that made it impossible for Adrian to blow out the candles? (Photo by Michael Vogt)



From left to right: No doubt about it: Wan, Marion, Rattana, Adrian and Narumon had a jolly good time at the birthday party. (Photo by Michael Vogt)