

"Banpu Table Tennis Club" Players Join 6-month Professional Training Program in China

Three members of Banpu Table Tennis Club (BTTC), supported by Banpu Public Company Limited, travelled to China to join a 6-month intensive training program for professional tennis players at the Zhengding International Table Tennis Training Center (ZITTTTC), Hebei province, China.

"Banpu aims to provide young Thai table tennis athletes the opportunity to enhance their skills through professional-level training programs in China, which is recognized as the world's number one country for table tennis. For four consecutive years, BTTC has supported more than 15 of its members to join these overseas training courses at the ZITTTTC. This year, however, is the first time that the training program is extended from one month to six months, in order allow the youth to gain exposure to cultural, language, and life experience while overcome their limits to reach their full potentials," said Ms. Udomlux Olarn, Head of Corporate Affairs, Banpu Public Company Limited.

Zhengding International Table Tennis Training Center (ZITTTTC) is one of the most respectable table tennis training centers in China, which also served as the official training camp for China's national table tennis team for the 2008 Beijing Games.



PHOTO 1:

Ms. Udomlux Olarn (2nd from right), Head of Corporate Affairs, Banpu Public Company Limited, congratulates with members of Banpu Table Tennis Club: Miss Monsawan Siritapirak (2nd from left); Mr. Komgrit Sangpao (3rd from left); Mr. Suppakorn

Watthanasirichaiporn (far right), on their journey to China for a six-month intensive training program for professional tennis players at Zhengding International Table Tennis Training Center, Hebei province.

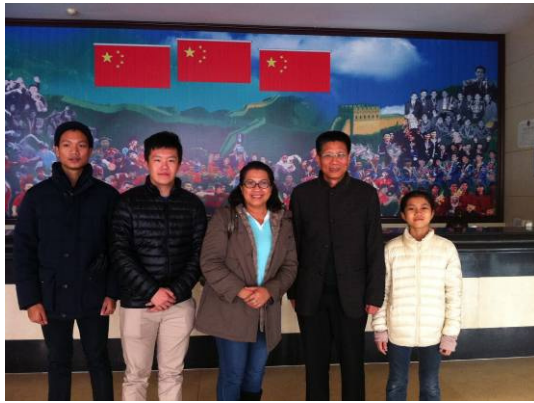


PHOTO 2:

Mr. Jia Yuchang (2nd from right), General Manager of Banpu's Zhengding Power Plant, welcomes Ms. Udomlux Olarn (center), Head of Corporate Affairs, Banpu Public Company Limited, and three members of Banpu Table Tennis Club who are joining the six-month intensive training program for professional

tennis players at Zhengding International Table Tennis Training Center in Hebei province.

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