

Self-defence school helps nab sex offenders in Thailand

Melbourne self-defence school Modern Defensive Tactics Australia (MDTA) has become involved in training the volunteer operatives of The Greyman, a charity group dedicated to stopping the illegal child sex trade of South-East Asia.

The Greyman's volunteers work undercover in countries like Thailand, where young girls are forced into a life of prostitution and harrowing abuse, often at the hands of foreign paedophiles from countries like Australia. As part of a covert unit that works with the Royal Thai Police Anti-Human Trafficking Division,

Greyman operatives provide intelligence and information on trafficked individuals, and support the AHDT in raiding premises where sex-slavery is happening.

As such places are usually run by connected, organised people-smuggling cartels, there are inherent dangers in doing what the 'Greyman' call 'going down the rabbit hole' to get information on individuals who have been trafficked and used in brothels and bars, or put in 'lock-ups'. These are purpose-built concrete prisons where captives may not see the light of day for years, all while facing inhuman sexual

depravity, abuse and torture. This life experience often continues until they are no longer useful, and are then disposed of.

MDTA's defensive tactics instructors train front-line personnel from the law-enforcement and security industries, and are now giving the Greyman the physical and tactical tools they need to counter the potential dangers they face on operations in Asia.

To assist MDTA and The Greyman in their fight against human-trafficking and child sex slavery, you can become an 'Armchair Warrior' by calling 1300 856 538.

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