

The Sound of Silence

Music licensing crackdown leaves bars with few options and empty tills

■ HUA HIN, THAILAND

A renewed attack on bars playing unlicensed music to entertain their customers was launched last week, and the timing of this during low season has left some bars teetering on the edge of extinction as the flow of customers has become a trickle. Police and unknown officials raided many bars to examine the music CDs and other media used to provide atmosphere in their establishments and issued hefty fines to those where they found pirate or copy discs, in some instances threatening staff with jail time until the fine was paid. No exact figures are known as it appears that no receipts were issued for these fines, but figures of 20,000 baht and up have been mentioned. In previous raids over the last couple of years computer and music playing equipment has also been

seized in what some are calling a 'heavy handed' way of dealing with a fairly minor problem.

Certainly the bars that AWOL spoke to were left with a feeling of injustice and helplessness. Several claimed that they only ever played properly bought and licensed discs, but were still hit by fines because some copy discs were allegedly found on their premises. Some also doubted the legitimacy of the raids as they were not given any official paperwork after paying the fine despite asking for it.

Reports of similar raids in Pattaya and Bangkok have resulted in a variety of results for the unfortunate bar owners; a couple of them in Pattaya stood their ground and were attacked by the officials demanding payment, while in Bangkok some 'negotiated' a discount on the 50,000 baht fine

they were hit with, which does suggest that in some circumstances these raids may be a scam.

We would advise that all bar owners obtain the proper licenses and only play the music allowed under those licenses, and ask to see and get copies of official identification of anyone wanting to issue a fine.

See page 2 for a guide to the licences you need.

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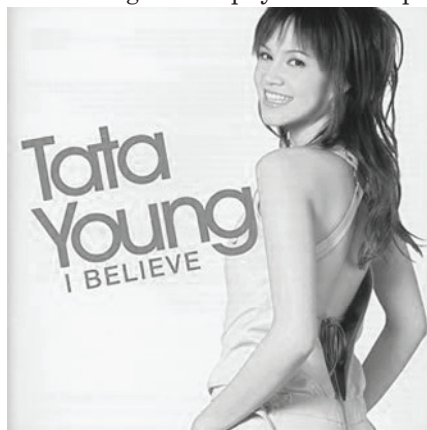
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Thailand music licence guide

What you need to know to avoid heavy fines

Following on from our front page story, here is AWOL's guide to the licences you need to be able to play music publicly. We say *licences* because you do need several. The most important one for playing foreign music, i.e. music not available in Thailand, is the Joint Venture MCT - Phonorights licence, which allows "a non-exclusive right to publicly perform and/or communicate all sound recordings or music videos protected under the Copyright Act and released on any one of the many hundreds of record labels controlled by JV's members, but only in accordance with the terms of the individual licence. There are many classes of licences covering a range of uses of sound recordings and music videos. Licence holders must ensure that they are licensed for the appropriate use or uses. Your JV licence will allow you to play sound recordings in public, under specific terms and conditions according to your particular circumstances."

More information on this licence is available at www.1stopmusic.com, and fees vary depending on the type and size of establishment. However, a Karaoke is charged 5,000 Baht per monitor per annum, while a Bar/Pub/Lounge must pay 200 Baht per seat per annum. For most average sized bars this licence is likely to be around 5000 baht per year.



'I Believe' you need to check the label for Tata Young (above) releases - some are on Thai labels while others are on international ones.

are substantial; the Copyright law allows for fines from 20,000 up to 200,000 baht, but if the offence is deemed to be 'with commercial purposes, the offender shall be liable to imprisonment for a term from six months up to four years or to a fine from one hundred thousand Baht up to eight hundred thousand Baht, or to both.' If any offence that has been discovered and prosecuted is repeated within five years, the fines are doubled. There is a lot of detail in the Act in question - please visit <http://www.thailawforum.com/database1/copyright.html> to view the complete Act.

One thing that everyone should be careful about is 'pirate' or copied discs; even if you have the original disc, when an inspector finds a copy you have broken the law, so make sure that all staff do not bring these onto your premises. Another important point to be aware of is that radio and TV broadcasts of music also require the licences listed. Music stored on computers is also a risk as it can be difficult to prove where it came from; it appears that Thailand means business in cracking down on copyright infringements, so make sure you have all your bases covered.

Please remember that this is only a guide - to be absolutely sure you should contact a lawyer who is qualified to give you advice in this area of law, or at the very least the police, who should be able to give you some guidance.



If you play 'Hotel California' by The Eagles (above) in your establishment (who hasn't?) you will need the correct licence

To legally play music on Thai record labels is a bit more tricky - basically you have to apply to each record company/label for a public performance licence. The biggest Thai companies are GMM Grammy and Sony BMG (Thailand) and licences from these two would probably cover the majority of Thai music, but you must be careful; there are a lot of smaller labels who have released songs that have been hits which may feature on compilations and if your business is found with even one of these songs available to play, you can be fined if you do not have the correct licence. We have not been able to obtain a definitive complete list of the companies to apply to, but understand that about eight licences would be required to be completely covered, which comes to about 8,000 baht per year. The ones that we have uncovered are: GMM Grammy, Sony BMG (Thailand), Universal Music, RS Music, BEC-Tero, PGM, AMI and Green Music, but there are probably other small ones. Best to check the collection of music you have to find out which company distributes them.

The fines for not having the correct licence(s)



The two biggest Thai record companies - GMM Grammy (above) and RS Music (below)



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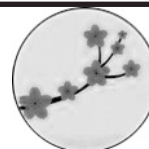
■ FLORIDA, USA

Bianca Holland - WOW! She is a Latina model and actress hailing from Boston, MA., but her roots are Puerto Rican. She's only been modeling for a little over a year but whatever kind of promotion the 24 year old is doing, seems to be working.

Perhaps it's the promoting of herself in bikinis that are way too small for her 34D bust? She now lives in Florida, and her biggest claim to fame is appearing in a Lil Wayne video and as a co-star in the movie Black Licorice. We think there are big things in front of her...



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		Low	High
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Sun	Becoming cloudy	26	34
Mon	Mostly cloudy with t-storms	26	33
Tues	A t-storm around in the p.m.	26	34
Wed	Partly sunny with a t-storm	26	34
Thur	A shower in the morning	26	33
Fri	A shower in the afternoon	26	33

World Weather

Forecast for Friday 5th June 2009

City	Min °C	Max	Conditions
Amsterdam	6	15	Cloudy
Athens	16	30	Fine
Auckland	7	12	Cloudy
Beijing	20	31	Fine
Berlin	8	15	Showers
Buenos Aires	7	16	Cloudy
Chicago	8	20	Fine
Copenhagen	9	13	Showers
Dubai	26	38	Clear
Dublin	9	18	Fine
Geneva	10	22	Fine
Helsinki	3	8	Chance of Rain
Ho Chi Minh	23	31	Thunderstorms
Hong Kong	24	30	Scattered Clouds
Islamabad	25	39	Chance of Rain
Jakarta	24	33	Rain
Jerusalem	19	31	Fine
Johannesburg	6	22	Fine
Karachi	29	36	Fine
Kuala Lumpur	24	33	Rain
London	11	19	Fine
Madrid	19	31	Cloudy
Manila	25	31	Thunderstorms
Mexico City	11	26	Rain
Moscow	9	20	Fine
New Delhi	29	42	Fine
New York	12	21	Cloudy
Oslo	4	15	Chance of Rain
Paris	11	20	Fine
Perth	9	19	Chance of Rain
Phnom-Penh	24	33	Chance of T-storms
Rio De Janeiro	12	26	Mist
Riyadh	28	42	Clear
Rome	15	23	Cloudy
San Francisco	12	18	Cloudy
Singapore	25	33	Thunderstorms
Stockholm	3	11	Chance of Rain
Sydney	11	20	Showers
Tokyo	19	24	Cloudy
Vientiane	23	29	Thunderstorms
Yangon	20	29	Thunderstorms
Zurich	11	20	Showers

Currency Exchange Rates

At 4th June 2009 (mid-market rates)

Code	Currency	Value (Baht)
USD	United States Dollar	34.2548
GBP	Pound Sterling	56.1199
EUR	Euro	48.2835
JPY	Japanese Yen	0.35627
MYR	Malaysian Ringgit	9.81451
SGD	Singapore Dollar	23.7293
BND	Brunei Dollar	23.7293
CNY	Chinese Yuan	4.99693
IDR	Indonesian Rupiah	0.00333626
INR	Indian Rupee	0.728648
KRW	Korean Won	0.0275842
AUD	Australian Dollar	28.1881
NZD	New Zealand Dollar	22.3754
CHF	Swiss Franc	32.0082
DKK	Danish Krone	6.51173
NOK	Norwegian Krone	5.43531
SEK	Swedish Krona	4.56435
CAD	Canadian Dollar	31.0955
AED	UAE Dirham	9.32749
BHD	Bahrain Dinar	91.1079
KWD	Kuwaiti Dinar	119.19
OMR	Omani Rial	89.0869
QAR	Qatar Riyal	9.41079

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 Tourist Police 1699
 Tourist Service Centre 1155
 Missing Persons Bureau 02 282 1815
 Police Station at Hua Hin District 032 511 027
 Cha-Am Police Station 032 471 321
 Hua Hin Hospital 032 511 743
 San Paulo Hospital 032 532 576 to 585
 Hua Hin Red Cross 032 512 567

Useful numbers

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 Hua Hin Immigration Office 032 513 574
 Hua Hin Bus Terminal (non air-con) 032 511 230
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Hua Hin's Hot Topics from HHAD

Once again this week money and the law in all its forms have been dominating the discussions on the forum. In hard times like this that is probably inevitable, although there are always some light hearted corners to escape reality on Hua Hin After Dark.

Examples of this are a number of threads discussing online games that can be played, one involving crushing opponents with a variety of weapons and a dog (if you are lucky!). Also some serious discussions get sidetracked into very amusing chats - this week a thread about General Motors filing for bankruptcy quickly took a turn to nostalgia, and the 'pulling power' of 1960's American classic cars (and their handsome drivers!).

Some hope, as was noted on last week's AWOL headline, in the exchange rate of the baht has been mooted, but on the flip side of that the sometimes convoluted regulations and procedures for 'aliens' to legally remain in Thailand seemed to take another twist, as the rules concerning the 15 day visa exempt stamps obtained at land border crossings were changed again. Also perplexing many folk are the imposition of 24 hour reporting to the local immigration office, with conflicting stories from different posters. One member pleaded for someone to compile an easy to read and use guide to the different visas, but we think that may be a long time coming!

There are a lot of knowledgeable members on HHAD though, who can normally give very accurate advice about what to do, as well as what to watch out for.

Another legal topic, as featured on this week's AWOL front page, is the raiding of the bars in town by police and music licence officials, and this has been met with a mixed response, with some posters decrying the action and others defending it.

The increasingly popular Health Issues sub forum shows that both the people living here and those wanting to visit want to take care of themselves when they are here; questions and topics range this week across the spectrum from massage to 'performance enhancing' drugs to malaria and dengue fever, and as ever there are plenty of members giving good advice and interesting perspectives.

Many expats want to keep in touch with events at home and around the world, so they drop in on the Current Affairs and News sections, which have plenty of mainstream and off the wall topics from around the world. Of course the many members who aren't lucky enough to live in Hua Hin are often reminding those who are what they are missing!

Don't forget next weekend is the Jazz Festival!

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Donkey's years

This means a very long time.

We were asked by an anonymous reader if the British slang term for 'a very long time' was donkey's years or donkey's ears. Our first thoughts were, "donkey's years of course - what would ears have to do with it?". It turns out that this was rather hasty. Donkey's years is now the more commonly used slang term when meaning 'a long time', but donkey's ears, although used little in recent years, has been a jokey alternative for some time - certainly from the early 20th century, viz. E. V. Lucas' Vermilion Box, 1916:

"Now for my first bath for what the men call 'Donkey's ears', meaning years and years."

This slightly pre-dates the earliest printed version that I can find of donkey's years, in the US newspaper The Bridgeport Telegram, 1923:

"With a heavy make-up, you'll be the cutest vamp I've seen in donkey's years."

It is quite likely that donkey's ears was the earlier form and that it originated as rhyming slang, in an allusion to the length of the animal's ears. Donkey's ears/years is often shortened just to donkeys. That is characteristic of rhyming slang, as in syrup (of figs) - wig or plates (of meat) - feet.

Donkey's ears works as rhyming slang whereas donkey's years doesn't. In rhyming slang the last word of a short phrase is rhymed with the word that gives the slang meaning. For example, trouble and strife - wife, apples and pears - stairs, etc. It makes little sense for the phrase to have originated in slang form as donkey's years, as that would rhyme 'years' with 'years'.

The migration from donkey's ears to donkey's years was no doubt aided by the belief that donkeys live a long time. There's some truth in that. Lively Laddie, a donkey who had lived up to his name for many years while plying his trade on Blackpool Pleasure Beach was, until his death at age 62, a contender for the 'oldest living donkey' title.

If you hear a phrase or saying, or find yourself using one and would like to know how it came about, send the phrase to us at awol@huahinmedia.com and we will do our best to print the answer, along with your name.

World pig population shows signs of man-flu pandemic

■ GLOBAL FLU CRISIS

The world's farming communities are braced for a global swine catastrophe as the first man-flu cases are reported among the pig population.

With man-flu symptoms now reported in pigs across two continents there is concern this outbreak will reach pandemic proportions.

"It's extremely difficult to spot," said US pig farmer Brad Shelton, 42. "It might look just like a minor case of the sniffles to the untrained female eye, but you can spot man-flu by the moaning, lolling about and the sufferer's requests for sympathy from the other pigs."

"Keep an eye out for any behaviour that suggests the pig is trying to communicate a sense of their own imminent death, whilst being completely ignored by the females. If you have a sufferer it's best to keep them isolated. Not because of infection, but the symptoms seem to get worse when they know another pig can see them."

Veterinarians have suggested a series of steps that should be taken by you and your other pigs if you suspect your pig has man-flu.

"Female pigs would do well to recognise the suffering of the male, and do their best to comfort them. If the sufferer had any unpleasant upcoming events, it is recommended you tell the pig it no longer has to do them. A blanket, some soup, and complete control over the television has worked well in control groups."

Doctors are recommending vigilance as they seek to eliminate the possibility of a man-flu to pig-man-flu back to man-flu crossover.

"Such a strain could be deadly," said the UK's Chief Medical Officer.

"True, there have not been any actual recorded fatalities from human man-flu, but this is as much to do with the resilience of the male population than the frankly atrocious home medical treatment received by patients."



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■ ZURICH, SWITZERLAND

Car loses all four wheels simultaneously

A car traveling on a motorway in Switzerland lost all four wheels simultaneously, brining it to a sudden, crashing halt in the middle of the highway, police said on Saturday.

The car had just stopped and the passengers had changed from winter to summer wheels themselves - a common task in Switzerland where there is plenty of snow in winter. However, they had used the wrong nuts when mounting the new set.

'When they then drove back on to the motorway, all of the wheels disconnected,' St Gallen cantonal police said in a statement. 'Luckily, no one was injured and no other vehicle was damaged.'

■ GNOSJO, SWEDEN

Unpaid stonemason reclaims gravestone from churchyard

When a Swedish stonemason didn't receive payment for his work he repossessed the gravestone he had made from a churchyard, reports website The Local. The family of the deceased failed to stump up the 10,000 krona (approximately £812) fee for the stonemason's work. He reacted by taking matters into his own hands and retrieving the gravestone from a churchyard in Gnosjo, southern Sweden.

According to The Local, the common-law wife of the deceased man then reported to stonemason to the police for theft.

The out-of-pocket stonemason told Sveriges Radio Jönköping "You cannot steal something that is already yours".

The Local quotes local media as reporting that the stonemason's payment was delayed due to a dispute among the relatives of the deceased.

The grave is currently decorated by flowers and a plinth.

■ QENA, EGYPT

Man cut up over marriage disappointment

A 25-year-old Egyptian man cut off his own penis to spite his family after he was refused permission to marry a girl from a lower class family, police reported on Sunday.

After unsuccessfully petitioning his father for two years to marry the girl, the man heated up a knife and sliced off his reproductive organ, said a police official. The young man came from a prominent family in the southern Egyptian province of Qena, one of Egypt's poorest and most conservative areas.

The man was rushed to hospital, but doctors were unable to reattach the severed organ, and the man is still recovering in the hospital.

■ MILTON KEYNES, ENGLAND

Cancer patient scoops bet win

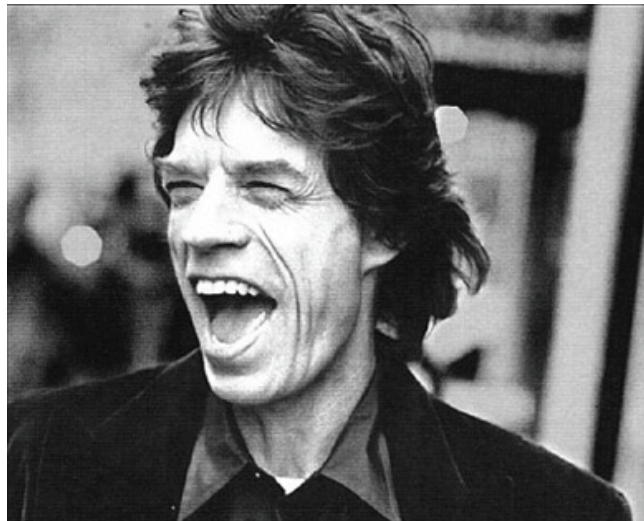
A man diagnosed with terminal cancer has told how he stands to cash in and collect another £5,000 in winnings - after betting he would stay alive.

Jon Matthews, 59, refused to accept his doctor's prognosis that he would be dead within months and decided to bet against it.

Mr Matthews, from Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire, was diagnosed with mesothelioma - a cancer linked to asbestos - in April 2006.

■ LONDON, ENGLAND

Mick Jagger fails in bid to buy £100,000 ice cream van



Sir Mick Jagger imagining the first lick

Rock legend Sir Mick Jagger tried to buy a vintage ice cream van for £100,000 - but got no Satisfaction from the owner.

Guiseppe Della Camera rejected the Rolling Stone's offer so he could keep a promise he has made to daughter Alessia, 12, to drive her to her wedding in the 1954 Morris J wagon.

The 34-year-old café proprietor bought the rusting van for just £2,000 when he found it being used as a chicken coop in a farmer's field 10 years ago.

But even though he's spent £35,000 restoring it, he turned down a £63,000 profit when Sir Mick, 65, worth an estimated £190million, attempted to stop him and buy one recently in London.

English-born dad-of-three Guiseppe, of Streatham, said yesterday: "I was on Wandsworth Common when he came up and told me he'd really fallen in love with my van and offered me £100,000.

"I admit I was tempted. But I told him I couldn't possibly sell it as I've told Alessia it'll be her wedding car one day." He smiled: "I'll just have to sell a lot of £1.50 cones to make up the cash."

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COULDN'T GET OVER THE WATER

These two couples play golf together regularly at their club, and on the sixth hole, a par four, the second shot to the green must carry 80 yards over water. One of the women, Mrs. Smith, for over a year, could never carry the water, and would always hit into it, totally psyched out by the presence of the water.

Her friend in the group suggested that she might want to see a hypnotherapist as rumor was that that could be of help in such a situation. So the woman went to a hypnotherapist for four sessions. In those sessions, the woman was hypnotized and the therapist would “plant suggestions” that when playing the second shot on the sixth hole, she would not see water, but rather a plush green fairway leading all the way up to the green.

About six months later, someone at the club asked whatever happened to Mrs. Smith, that she hadn't seen Mrs. Smith playing golf at the club for almost four months now. She was informed that five months earlier, Mrs. Smith had drowned at the par four sixth!



IMMOVABLE OBSTRUCTION

Sam and Harry are playing one day. On the first hole, Sam hits a wicked slice into the adjoining fairway. The ball hits another player right between the eyes and he drops to the ground.

Sam and Harry rush over to the prostrate man and find him unconscious with the ball laying on the ground between his legs.

Sam screams, "Oh my God, what should I do?"

Harry replies; "Don't move him. If you leave him there he becomes an immovable obstruction and, according to the rules, you are allowed a drop two club-lengths away."



DRINKS AND A WOMAN'S PERSONALITY

Seven New York City bartenders were asked if they could nail a woman's personality based on what she drinks. Though interviewed separately, they concurred on almost all counts. The results:

Drink: Beer

Personality: Casual, low-maintenance; down to earth.

Your Approach: Challenge her to a game of pool.

Drink: Blender Drinks

Personality: Flaky, annoying; a pain in the ass.

Your Approach: Avoid her, unless you want to be her cabin boy.

Drink: Mixed Drinks

Personality: Older, has picky taste; knows what she wants.

Your Approach: You won't have to approach her. She'll send YOU a drink.

Drink: Wine - (does not include white zinfandel, see below)

Personality: Conservative and classy, sophisticated.

Your Approach: Tell her you wish Reagan had had four more years...Alzheimer's and term limits be damned.

Drink: White Zinfandel

Personality: Easy; thinks she is classy and sophisticated, actually has no clue.

Your approach: Make her feel smarter than she is...

Drink: Shots

Personality: Hanging with frat-boy pals or looking to get drunk ... and naked.

Your Approach: Easiest hit in the joint. Nothing to do but wait.

Additional note: If she likes salt on the rim of her Margarita, she swallows.

Your STARS with The Sage

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The Sage is an experienced and well travelled mystic man and has become AWOL's permanent horoscopologist (he prefers that to astrologer), and continues this week to show the upstart ape how it should really be done. However, future predictions will be allowed by the Sage Monkey, courtesy of his owner Ben, just as soon as the sores on his hands have healed. The Sage or the Sage Monkey? You be the judge...



Capricorn

Dec 22 - Jan 19

A hand crank, steel hooks attached at opposite ends of the oral cavity, and sheer mechanical force will soon leave you with a giant smile on your face.



Aquarius

Jan 20 - Feb 18

Don't let negativity win out today, even though it probably will, because you're a worthless human being who most likely doesn't deserve to be happy!



Pisces

Feb 19 - Mar 20

In dog years, your border collie will soon turn 50, which explains the suit and tie, the growing stack of Wall Street Journals, and the rather conservative political worldview.



Aries

Mar 21 - Apr 19

A priest, a rabbi, and a minister will walk into a bar this week, order three stiff drinks, and start crying in the most depressing joke you've ever heard.



Taurus

Apr 20 - May 20

Friends and family members have often compared you to a china doll, but the resemblance will be uncanny next week when your limbs are broken and your head is pulled loose.



Gemini

May 21 - Jun 21

The presence of Mercury in your sign can only mean one thing: The stars have officially run out of euphemisms for discussing your monthly menstruation.



Cancer

Jun 22 - Jul 22

The stars, in their infinite wisdom, recommend that you check yourself this week, as not doing so might lead you to wreck yourself in the near future.



Leo

Jul 23 - Aug 22

Remember: No matter how bad things get, or how hopeless life may seem, you can always go home again and take it out on your family.



Virgo

Aug 23 - Sep 22

You'll soon die of embarrassment, though not before the vibrator-wielding chimpanzees manage to crack through your skull.



Libra

Sep 23 - Oct 23

A bizarre chain of existential mishaps will result in your third viewing of the hit romantic comedy Sleepless in Seattle this week.



Scorpio

Oct 24 - Nov 21

As someone who has never been very comfortable with the sight of blood, you should avoid next Thursday's baby shower at all costs.



Sagittarius

Nov 22 - Dec 21

You'll have your mind blown this week by nothing more than a shotgun slug traveling nearly at the speed of sound.



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Khao Takiab - Kool Town

Learn all about life in the friendly village

Welcome to our expanded 4 page pull out focusing on Hua Hin's nearest neighbourhood and undiscovered gem, Khao Takiab. Every week we will feature news, views, attractions and special offers from the unsung village that is a reminder of what Hua Hin used to be. And there is plenty going on to bely the sleepy fishing village impression, with a host of bars, restaurants, hotels and condominiums, as well as top quality golf courses and pristine beaches.

Cricket Heaven! and Rugby and Golf and Tennis and F1 and....

■ KHAO TAKIAB, THAILAND

No, we haven't suddenly discovered a cricket ground in the village (although that would be nice!) but for cricket lovers, with the ICC World Twenty20 competition starting today (Friday 5th June) we have found a place that will be showing the whole shebang over the next three weeks. Lost Cafe has become the leading venue in the area for live sports, with two different satellite channels as well as multiple screens and comfortable surroundings, topped off with a fabulous choice of international wines, beers and spirits and an enticing menu.

Cricket aficionados will be congregating there every evening, with most matches commencing at either 7.30 or 11.30pm, with only a couple slightly earlier. For the full fixture list, dates, times and venues, please go to the back page where you will also get a short preview and players to watch.

LOST CAFE



ASBA Stadium (above) where the Lions will play in the next couple of weeks, and Felipe Massa on the podium (right) after winning the 2008 Turkish GP

You can be sure that all future sporting events will be well covered at Lost Cafe, and to find out if your favourite will be, why not drop them an email on Lostthecafe@aol.com to ask them? They will be delighted to hear from you, and would be even more so if you drop in to sample their fine establishment and ask in person.

Of course, there are other sports taking place during the competition, and fortunately most of the time they don't clash with the cricket. Lost will be able to cater to the finale of the French Open tennis, any number of golf tournaments, the Turkish F1 Grand Prix and is one of the few places to have coverage of the British Lions tour of South Africa, and that is all just over this next weekend!

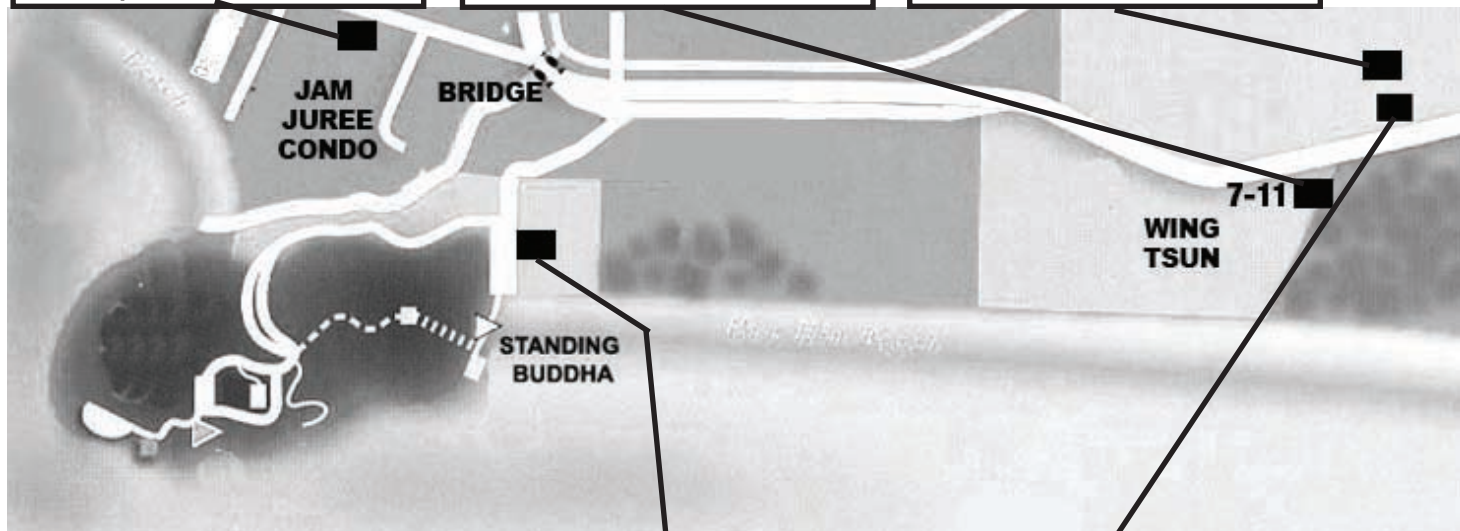


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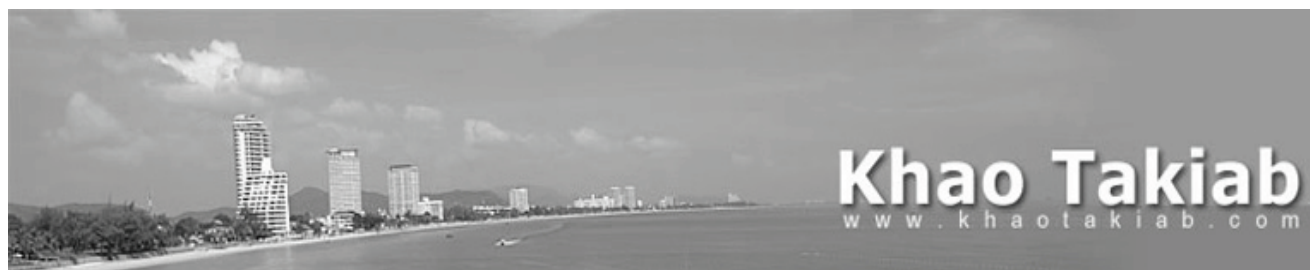
■ **CAMP PALAPON** is the venue for a whole host of Health and Holistic Wellness activities brought to you by Klaus from Wing Tsun Kung Fu - please check the KT Events Calendar on page 14, and contact Wing Tsun by mobile: 086-8039085 or tel: 032-536239, or send an email to office@wt-thailand.com. They also have an extensive website covering their activities at <http://www.wt-thailand.com/>.

■ **THE KHAO TAKIAB GOLF SOCIETY** is run by Bob at Bob and Nok's Bar, and if you saw our article a month or two ago you will know that it can boast of a famous member, none other than Johan Edfors who won the inaugural Black Mountain Masters a couple of weeks ago. If you want to rub shoulders with such

luminaries why not give Bob a call on 089 586 1700, or go and have a drink with him at Bob and Noks Bar (see map above)

■ **WOODY'S RESTAURANT AND BAR** has now opened! Located conveniently near the beach, it is the first choice for food and drink on a hot day by the sea. Very near the famous Standing Buddha and just behind Supatra By The Sea, pop in and try them out!

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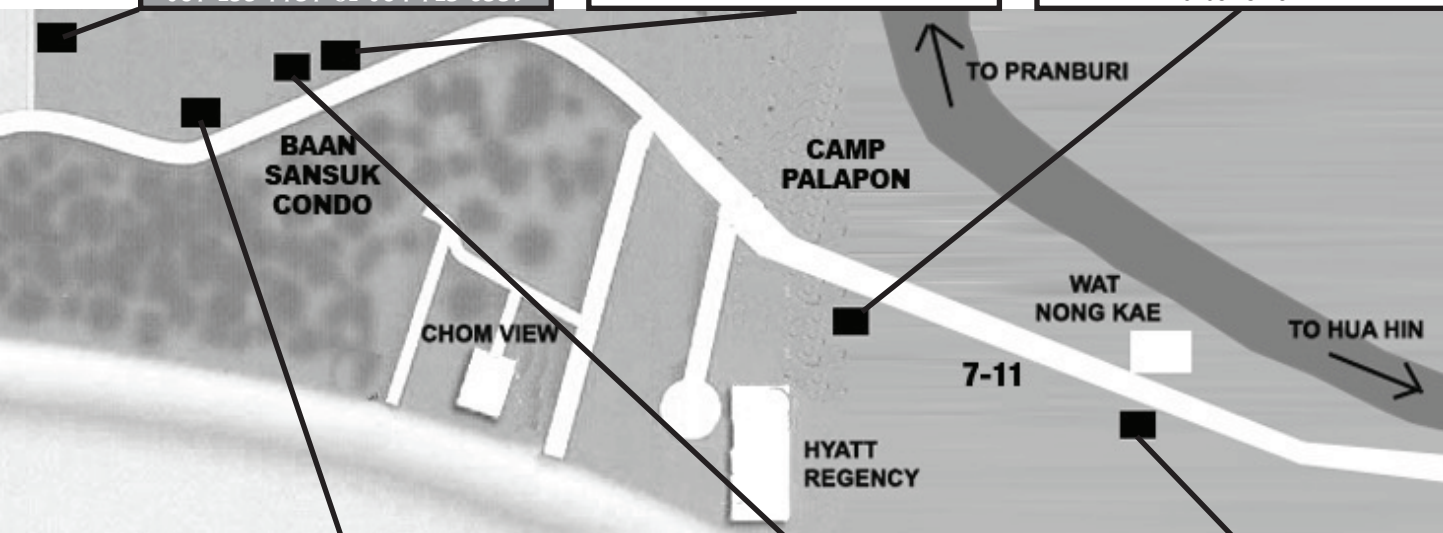


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email: mikesmiththailand@gmail.com

Where is Khao Takiab?

For those of you unfamiliar with KT, just take the road south from Hua Hin for about 6 km until you reach a junction where the main road bends right up and over the railway, with a U-turn underneath, and the leftmost lane before that will take you into the centre of Khao Takiab. As the map above shows, most of the venues to visit in the village are either on the main road that runs through it, or just off it. In the very centre of Khao Takiab, just left of centre of the map where the 7-11 is marked, the road does get quite narrow, so it is advisable if visiting by car to park either just before, where there is plenty of space, or after. At busy times this can be a bottleneck, although fortunately the roads are not that busy that often!



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The KT Events Calendar

Find out what's going on, when it's happening and where it will be in our exclusive Khao Takiab events calendar. If you want to add your event to our month ahead guide, which is updated weekly, just contact us on awol@huahinmedia.com, and we will add your event to the calendar.

JUNE/ JULY

SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WED'SDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Camp Palapon - Tai Chi/Yoga Lost Cafe - Twenty20 Cricket	Sunset B'vard Dinner Club Camp Palapon - Kids Kung Fu Lost Cafe - Twenty20	Camp Palapon - Kung Fu Lost Cafe - Twenty20 Cricket	Darts Camp Palapon - Fitness/ Kung Fu Lost Cafe - Twenty20 Cricket	Pool Camp Palapon - Tai Chi/Yoga Lost Cafe - Twenty20 Cricket	British B'fast Foods offer Camp Palapon - Kung Fu Lost Cafe - Twenty20 Cricket	Oasis Karaoke Camp Palapon - Fitness/ Kung Fu Lost Cafe - Twenty20 Cricket
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
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20	21	22	23	24	25	26
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27	28	29	30	1 July	2	3
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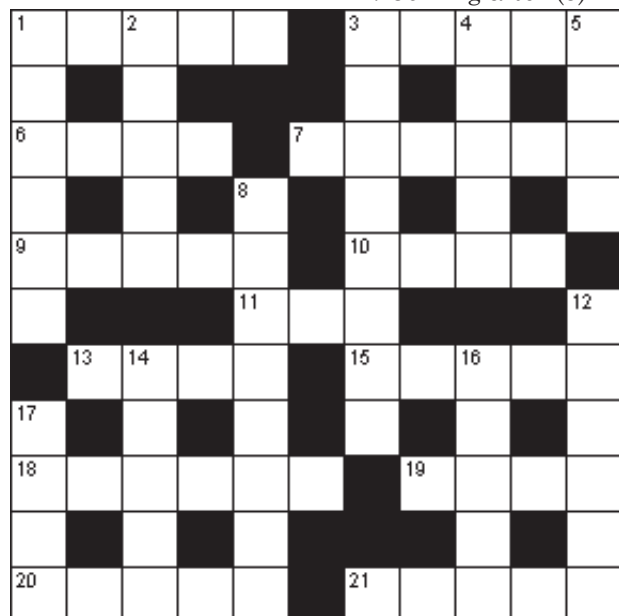
Quick XWord

Across

1. Full of stones (5)
3. Skin of the upper part of the head (5)
6. Child's toy (4)
7. A principal beam (6)
9. Insect stage (5)

Down

10. To the inside of (4)
11. Floor covering (3)
13. Woody plant (4)
15. Misuse (5)
18. Desire for food (6)
19. 12 inches (4)
20. Roofing items (5)
21. Coming after (5)



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Down

1. Bicycle seat (6)
2. Oilcan (5)
3. Curved sword (8)
4. Examine account books (5)
5. Free from contamination (4)

8. Having no name (8)
12. Communication (6)
14. Pertaining to the kidneys (5)
16. German submarine (1-4)
17. Converse (4)

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■ DEAR MARY,

Last night, my 35-year-old Thai boyfriend dropped a bomb. He'd been behaving oddly all week – he seemed stressed and very distracted. But I put his moodiness down to long hours getting his new business off the ground.

After three years with me, he told me he wanted to become a woman. At first I thought he was joking – but he wasn't. He is deadly earnest and has already researched things extensively on the internet and made contact with several doctors in Bangkok.

I am reeling from the shock of it all and feel as if my life has been shot to pieces.

He says he still loves me, but I just can't accept he could do this to me. I almost wish he'd announced he was leaving me for another woman.

Sobbing, Samut Sakhon

Mary says: Dear Sobbing,

If it is any consolation to you at all, you can be safe in the knowledge that your boyfriend will never make it as a woman, as only a man could be this selfish. However as you clearly would like to stay with him, have you considered the possibility of becoming a man? They can do wonders now with medical technology, so perhaps you could propose a 'swap' operation with your boyfriend?

He becomes the caring, attentive girlfriend, while you get to be the oafish, selfish brute...actually come to think of it this might be a great way for couple with problems to proceed, as long as the operations are completely reversible. I might even try it myself! But then again they haven't yet perfected brain transplants have they?

Dear Mary,

I am not a lucky person. I have never won anything, no money, no prizes, no awards, and I have never even had a Readers Digest letter informing me that I might have won their next prize draw. In fact I had a letter from them saying I definitely hadn't. Up until last week I was also a walking contradiction to the unlucky with money, lucky in love saying. I have been jilted at the altar three times, two girlfriends have died in tragic accidents and another one turned out to be a man. However I do believe my luck with money may have changed, as I won the EuroMillions lottery outright last week without even buying a ticket, and now have about £75 million sitting in my bank. Do you think that this sudden piece of good fortune will change my luck with women, and how do I best go about avoiding those who are just after my money? Loaded, Room 90210, Hilton Hotel, Hua Hin, Thailand. Mobile; 081 75 000000

Mary says: Dear Loaded,

I have asked the printers to make sure they do not print the address and phone number you included as we do not want to risk you being inundated with insincere money hungry witches. £75 million is a lot of money and I really think my best advice is that we meet to have a face to face talk. Some general advice on the women front though is DON'T TRUST ANY OF THEM! Except me of course. While I may not be your cup of tea physically, you can trust me as far as you can throw me, and I won't steer you wrong. I could be your business manager if you prefer and can match the £50,000 a week wages I get from AWOL; either way you really shouldn't look anywhere else - some people will tell you anything just to get their hands on your money.

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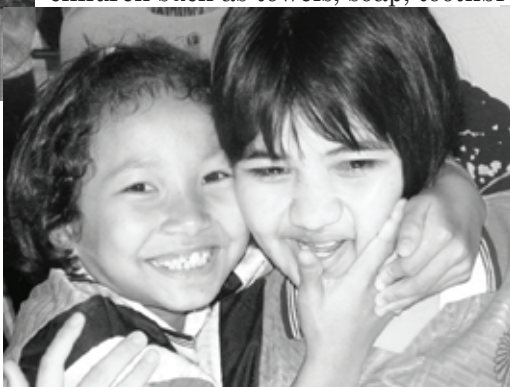
Kom Hom Special Charity @ Petchaburi Special School for special children

The Petchaburi Special School is located on the by-pass close to Hua Hin; it is a residential school for disabled children of various ages ranging from five to twenty five years old. Approximately thirty percent of the children are Down syndrome, with the remainder having a variety of disabilities, but generally having a mental age between five and twelve years, hence they are all very much children. There are approximately two hundred and thirty children at the school with thirty four dedicated teachers and helpers who look after the kids 24 hours per day. When visiting the school and helping you have a very special and gratifying experience, all the children are extremely well behaved and loving with some fascinating characters that we are getting to know quite well now.



The 22nd May 2009 marked the first anniversary of the Kom Hom Charity, in the first year we have raised and donated more than 75,000 Baht through auctions, quiz nights and just through the generosity of people giving. The way we have allocated the funds has been in various forms, some in special lunches and barbeques and some dedicated to more fundamental needs of the children such as towels, soap, toothbrushes, underwear etc.

On Tuesday the 26th May 2009 we presented the proceeds of our recent trek to Bangkok where we purchased most of the above items, we provided lunch for two hundred children at the school and spent time with them all during their lunchtime break. Before



lunch the children filed past the long table full of goodies and small things that will hopefully improve their day to day life at the school, they were excited and smiling, that made it worthwhile. Some of the children had recently returned from their summer break so there were some new faces at the school and they were all a little bit more boisterous than normal.

Thank you to those who helped in the presentation and helped serve lunch to the children on the 26th.

So we are now starting a new year of fund raising, the coffers are



empty again, anyone wishing to associate themselves with the effort to help will be greeted with open arms, it can be individuals, bars or any other organisations, any fund raising ideas, challenges or pure donations are very welcome.

Tel: Brian 0870117080

We are very grateful and thank anyone who has dedicated time, goods or funds in aid of those very Special children.

Thank you to Brian for both his work and submitting this to AWOL



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Hua Hin 8 Ball League

Results

Week 11 27th May 2009

Butterfly Rock 3 - 9 MrDanA

DicksB 4 - 8 LilleMan

SportCentre 7 - 5 Eagle Bar

Pla's Place v Sportcenter Students

Week 12 results next week

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
DicksA	7	6	1	0	16	13
Eagle Bar	8	5	1	2	24	11
Komhom	7	3	3	1	16	9
MrDanA	9	4	1	4	8	9
SportCntr	6	3	1	2	-4	7
LilleMan	9	3	1	5	-12	7
Pla's Place	7	2	2	3	-10	6
B'fly Rock	7	2	1	4	-2	5
DicksB	6	1	1	4	-24	3
SC Stdents	6	1	0	5	-12	2

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 13 10th June 2009

Butterfly Rock v SC Students

DicksA v MrDanA

Pla's Place v Eagle Bar

SportCentre v Komhom

Please note: Sportcenter Students team have changed location to Curls's bar on the Petchkasem Road beside the 7/11 near Soi 80.

Hua Hin Pool Leagues

Hua Hin Pool Billiard League

Results

Matchday 6 29th May 2009

Home	Rks	Pts	Away	Rks	Pts
TW	12	4	LSA	15	4
SUG	20	8	PAT	5	0
JWR	16	5	DA	11	3
LSB	10	2	QUE	17	6
EAG	11	3	LSS	14	5
LST	16	5	JWB	12	3
DB	8	2	SB	18	6
RTB	17	5	OCT	8	3

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	Diff.	Rks	Pts
Queens Flower Bar	6	5	0	1	20	38	10
Lucky Shot Student's	6	4	2	0	14	27	10
Thaiwaii	6	4	2	0	10	15	10
Eagle Bar	6	4	1	1	12	22	9
Sunset Boulevard	6	3	2	1	6	17	8
Return Bar	6	3	1	2	8	14	7
Lucky Shot A	6	2	3	1	6	12	7
Lucky Shot B	6	3	1	2	2	6	7
Lucky Shot Thai	6	3	0	3	-6	-6	6
Octopussy Bar	6	2	1	3	-2	-10	5
Sugar Cane Bar	6	1	2	3	0	-8	4
Johnie Walker Black	6	1	2	3	-4	-12	4
Johnie Walker Red	5	1	1	3	-12	-6	3
Dick's Office B	5	1	0	4	-14	-28	2
Pats Point	6	1	0	5	-16	-32	2
Dick's Office A	6	0	0	6	-24	-49	0

Hua Hin 9 Ball League

Results

Week 12 1st June 2009

Butterfly Rk 14 - 12 SC Students

Mr Dan A 14 - 13 Plas Place

Sportcenter 14 - 12 Dicks A

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 13 8th June 2009

Dicks A v LilleMan

Mr Dan A v Sportcenter

Sportcenter Students v Dicks B

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Sportcenter	8	7	0	1	27	14
Plas Place	9	7	0	2	26	14
LilleMan	8	5	0	3	0	10
B'fly Rock	8	4	1	3	6	9
Mr Dan A	9	4	1	4	0	9
SC Stdents	9	3	1	5	-10	7
Dicks B	8	2	0	6	-20	4
Dicks A	9	0	1	8	-29	1

Next Week's Fixtures

Matchday 7 12th June 2009

Lucky Shot A v Pat's Point

Thaiwaii v JW Red

Queens Flower v Sugar Cane

Dick's Office A v Eagle

JW Black v Lucky Shot B

Lucky Shot Stdts v Sunset B'vard

Return Bar v Lucky Shot Th

Octopussy v Dick's Office B

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League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Free Time	3	3	0	0	16	6
Harleys	3	3	0	0	16	6
Bob/ Noks	3	3	0	0	14	6
S'st B'vard	3	2	0	1	8	4
Oasis Bar	3	1	0	2	-4	2
Thaiwail	3	1	0	2	-4	2
Dara Bar	3	1	0	2	-10	2
R'way Tav	3	1	0	2	-10	2
Chp Chrli	3	0	0	3	-12	0
Dizzy Dolp	3	0	0	3	-14	0

Hua Hin Social Pool League Results

Week 3 – 3rd June 2009

Billys v No Game
 Jungle Juice A v JW Black 12-7
 Sabai v Headrock 10-9
 PP v Limelight 12-7
 Red Bar v U Turn 8-11
 Lazy Daze v Jungle Juice B 5-14
 JW Red v Billys Babes 11-8

League Table

Team	P	W	L	F-A	Pts
J Juice B	3	3	0	38-19	6
J Juice A	3	2	1	32-25	4
Billys Bbes	3	2	1	30-27	4
U Turn	3	2	1	30-27	4
PP	3	2	1	30-27	4
Sabai	3	2	1	28-29	4
Headrock	3	1	2	27-30	2
Lazy Daze	3	1	2	24-33	2
JW Black	2	1	1	20-18	2
JW Red	2	1	1	19-19	2
Billys	2	1	1	18-20	2
Limelight	3	0	3	23-34	0
Red Bar	3	0	3	23-34	0

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 4 – 10th June 2009

No Game v Billys Babes
 Jungle Juice B v JW Red
 U Turn v Lazy Daze
 Limelight v Red Bar
 Headrock v PP
 JW Black v Sabai
 Billys v Jungle Juice A

Results

Wed 3rd June 2009

Dara Bar 9 - 7 Cheap Charlies
 Dizzy Dolphin 6 - 10 Bob & Noks
 Free Time 10 - 6 Sunset B'vard
 Harleys Bar 12 - 4 Railway Tav
 Oasis Bar 11 - 5 Thaiwail

Hua Hin Darts Leagues

Results - Week 15 02/06/2009

Division 1

Dicks B v Scandic Bar A – n/a
 Oasis v Lazy Daze 5-7
 JW Black v JW Red 11-1
 CAT v Paradise 6-6

Division 1 League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	PF-PA	Pts
CAT	12	10	2	0	104-40	22
P'dise	12	7	4	1	107-37	18
JW Blk	12	6	2	4	87-57	14
Scan A	11	7	0	4	81-51	14
Dicks B	11	5	2	4	68-64	12
Oasis	12	2	3	7	59-85	7
JW Red	12	2	1	9	52-92	5
Lazy D	12	1	0	11	22-122	2

Next Week's Fixtures - Week 16 09/06/2009

Division 1

CAT v Dicks Office B
 Paradise v JW Black
 JW Red v Oasis
 Lazy Daze v Scandic Bar A

Next Week's Fixtures

Wed 10th June 2009

Bob and Noks v Free Time Bar
 Cheap Charlies v Dizzy Dolphin
 Railway Tavern v Oasis Bar
 Sunset Boulevard v Harleys Bar
 Thaiwail v Dara Bar

Division 2

Butterfly Rock v Lucky Shot 5-7
 Jaew v Dicks Office A 11-1
 Kom Hom v Kom Hom Ladies 5-7
 Scandic B v Railway Tav 12-0

Division 2 League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	PF-PA	Pts
Lcky S	12	12	0	0	103-41	24
Jaew	12	8	0	4	88-56	16
Scan B	12	7	1	4	82-62	15
Dicks A	10	6	0	4	71-49	12
B'fly Rk	11	4	2	5	69-63	10
Kom H	11	3	1	7	64-68	7
R'way	12	3	0	9	52-92	6
KH Ls	12	1	0	11	23-121	2

Division 2

Scandic Bar B v Butterfly Rock
 Railway Tavern v Kom Hom
 Kom Hom Ladies v Jaew
 Dicks Office A v Lucky Shot

Top 16:

Top 10 -Div 1

Name	Bar	S Win	D Win	S2L	D2L	Tons	140+	180s	Clse	C >100	Pts
Stuart	P	50	36	16	9	68	17	1	45	0	243
Tao	Cat	27	39	10	7	45	11	1	39	1	181
Golf	SBA	22	27	6	10	55	5	0	36	0	161
Mark	O	34	15	8	3	52	8	0	35	0	155
Doug M	P	27	32	8	6	37	3	0	36	0	149
Peter	JWB	36	14	10	3	43	6	1	33	0	145
Bon	DOB	18	34	8	8	36	3	1	29	0	137
Joe	O	15	21	6	7	40	2	0	38	0	129
Bon	Cat	21	28	8	5	23	4	0	23	0	112
Don	Cat	27	17	10	7	25	1	0	24	0	112

Top 6 - Div 2

Name	Bar	S Win	D Win	S2L	D2L	Tons	140+	180s	Clse	C >100	Pts
Danny	LS	50	26	14	12	32	3	0	39	0	176
Cop	SBB	37	24	10	8	23	0	0	38	0	140
Jim	DOA	18	39	4	10	24	2	0	28	0	125
Eero	BR	22	24	8	6	20	1	1	34	0	116
Paul	LS	31	12	10	7	21	2	0	24	0	107
Brian	KH	18	18	6	6	15	1	0	32	0	96

Balloon Chasers Guide

Welcome to the most vital guide around! All the parties, celebrations and balloons you could want (along with some booze and food of course!) Tell us about it by the Thursday before and we will include it here...send some photos and we will do our utmost to publish them; email awol@uahinmedia.com or contact Noi at Sabai Bar (Tel: 086 174 6165).

NEW! Every Friday and Sunday at TNT Bar, Soi Sarakam (runs between Binhabaht and Selakam), live Filipino band from 8.30

Regular Events

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays - Pool Leagues

Tuesdays - Darts League (see p 21 for venues, free food for players)

Fridays - Dick's Office open darts night from 7.30pm

- Bar-B-Q party every week at Le Velo Rouge, Khao Takiab

Sundays - Scandic Bar, Cha Am, open darts evening from 7.30pm . FREE return transport from Dick's Office departs 7pm - please call 089 745 3992 (Anne) or 089 894 4310 (Mack) 3 hrs before to book transport

Hua Hin Golf Society

GENTLEMAN'S TRIP to PATTAYA - 28th JUNE till 2nd JULY

Sign up at Bernys NOW! Departs from the Bazaar Hua Hin on the 28th June. Golf Courses: 29th June Khao Kheow - 30th June Laem Chabang - 1st July Burapha. Departs Pattaya hotels on 2nd July.

This week's results:

2nd June - Black Mountain 41 Entrants

Group 'A' - 0-15 hcp 20 entrants Strokeplay

1st Al Acherman 70 net 11 hcp. 2nd Jon Lundgren 71 net 9 hcp. 3rd Mike Staples 72 net 9 hcp. 4th Tip Gouldby 72 net 13 hcp. 5th Vladimir (g) 73 net 9 hcp. 6th Adrian Legget 74 net 10 hcp.

Group 'B' - 16-36 hcp 21 entrants Stableford

1st Eric Taylor 40 points 18 hcp. 2nd Richard Heath 39 points 21 hcp. 3rd Han Hackvoort 38 points 17 hcp. 4th Chris Davidson 36 points 18 hcp. 5th Tom Killoran (g) 36 points 18 hcp. 6th Craig Morgan 34 points 22 hcp.

Nearest the Pin No. 3 Wij, No. 11 John Rouhiala

29th May - Banyan 46 Entrants - 23 Pairs 2 Ball Texas Scramble

1st Mona de Brot / Peter Bekker (g) 61 net 9 hcp. 2nd Pailin & Mike Humphrey 63.7 net 6.3 hcp. 3rd Chuan Walker / Monta 65.5 net 6.5 hcp. 4th Mike Staples / Andy 66.2 net 7.8 hcp. 5th Jon / Colin Devonshire 66.2 net 4.8 hcp. 6th Tip Gouldby / Jill Moore 67.5 net 6.5 hcp.

Nearest the Pin No. 2 Harri Vaatainen, No. 15 Hans Metzgor

Next week's fixtures:

Tuesday 9th Banyan - Yellow Ball Competition - 4 Player Team

Friday 12th Majestic Creek - Stableford Competition

Butterfly Rock Golf

This week's results:

Monday 1st June Lake View D & A - stableford 18 players

1st - John Callaghan - 36pts (yellow), 2nd - Doug Miller - 34pts (yellow), 3rd - Craig Miller - 34pts (yellow)

Friday 29th May Palm Hills - stableford 7 players

Front 9 - Debs Rawlings - 20pts, Back 9 - Phil Simons - 17pts

Overall - Phil Simons - 36pts

Wednesday 27th May Palm Hills - Stroke Play 15 players

1st Pak Soontommanee (27) - nett 70, 2nd Barbara Anstee (27) - nett 71, 3rd Jim Lynch (21) - nett 72

Forthcoming Fixtures

Monday 8th June Lake View

Wednesday 10th June - Medal at Lake View AC from 10am

Friday 12th June Palm Hills

Transfer Rumours and Done Deals

Done deals:

Gareth Barry from Aston Villa to Man City - £12 million

Rumours:

Samuel Eto'o to Chelsea or Man C
Carlos Tevez and Lucas Neill to Man City

Kaka to Chelsea or Real Madrid
Franck Ribery, David Villa, Glen Johnson and Alexandre Pato to Chelsea

Jose Bosingwa to Bayern Munich
Deco to Inter Milan

Thomas Vermaelen and Giorgio Chiellini to Arsenal

Emmanuel Adebayor to AC Milan
Nemanja Vidic to AC Milan or Barcelona

Xabi Alonso to Real Madrid

Sylvain Distin and Tuncay to Liverpool

Richard Dunne to Spurs

Tom Huddlestone, Jose Manuel Jurado and Alexander Hleb to Aston Villa

Matthew Bates to West Ham

Alan Smith to Blackburn

Nenad Milijas to Wolves or Villa

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Group 1 Table & Fixtures

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Denmark	5	4	1	0	10	13
Hungary	6	4	1	1	6	13
Portugal	5	1	3	1	3	6
Sweden	4	1	3	0	1	6
Albania	7	1	3	3	-3	6
Malta	7	0	1	6	-17	1

Sunday, 07 June 2009

Albania v Portugal, 01:45

Sweden v Denmark, 01:00

Thursday, 11 June 2009

Sweden v Malta, 00:00

Denmark have a chance to go three points clear at the top, while Sweden need to make up lost ground. Portugal need a much better second half of the campaign.

Group 3 Table & Fixtures

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
N. Ireland	7	4	1	2	6	13
Slovakia	5	4	0	1	4	12
Poland	6	3	1	2	11	10
Czech Rep	6	2	2	2	2	8
Slovenia	6	2	2	2	1	8
San Marino	6	0	0	6	-24	0

Saturday, 06 June 2009

Slovakia v San Marino, 22:30

Slovakia will claim top spot as they thrash minnows San Marino.

Group 4 Table & Fixtures

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Germany	6	5	1	0	14	16
Russia	5	4	0	1	6	12
Finland	4	2	1	1	0	7
Wales	6	2	0	4	-3	6
Azerbaijan	4	0	1	3	-4	1
Liechtenst.	5	0	1	4	-13	1

Saturday, 06 June 2009

Azerbaijan v Wales, 22:00

Finland v Liechtenstein, 23:00

Thursday, 11 June 2009

Finland v Russia, 00:30

Finland will be looking to get maximum points, with a huge clash with Russia a must win game. Wales hope to stay in contention.

Group 6 Table & Fixtures

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
England	5	5	0	0	12	15
Croatia	5	3	1	1	6	10
Ukraine	4	2	1	1	2	7
Belarus	4	2	0	2	3	6
Kazakhst'n	5	1	0	4	-10	3
Andorra	5	0	0	5	-13	0

Saturday, 06 June 2009

Belarus v Andorra, 23:00

Kazakhstan v England, 22:00

Sunday, 07 June 2009

Croatia v Ukraine, 01:15

Thursday, 11 June 2009

England v Andorra, 02:15

Ukraine v Kazakhstan, 00:00

Leaders England can virtually assure their place in South Africa with two wins. Ukraine can snatch second if they can beat Croatia and Kazakhstan. Belarus are still a dark horse though.

Group 7 Table & Fixtures

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Serbia	5	4	0	1	7	12
France	5	3	1	1	1	10
Lithuania	6	3	0	3	1	9
Austria	5	2	1	2	-1	7
Romania	5	1	1	3	-4	4
Faroe Isls.	4	0	1	3	-4	1

Sunday, 07 June 2009

Lithuania v Romania, 01:00

Serbia v Austria, 01:30

Thursday, 11 June 2009

Faroe Islands v Serbia, 01:15



Serbia (with Nemanja Vidic, above) should extend their lead at the top while Lithuania can relegate France to third place with a win over Austria.

Group 8 Table & Fixtures

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Italy	6	4	2	0	6	14
Rep. of Ire	6	3	3	0	3	12
Bulgaria	5	1	4	0	2	7
Cyprus	5	1	1	3	-3	4
Montenegro	5	0	3	2	-3	3
Georgia	7	0	3	4	-5	3

Sunday, 07 June 2009

Bulgaria v Rep of Ireland, 00:30

Cyprus v Montenegro, 00:30

Tough game for the Irish but a win will see them top the table. Could well be a draw though. The other game will have no impact other than national pride.

Group 9 Table & Fixtures

	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Netherlands	5	5	0	0	11	15
Scotland	5	2	1	2	-2	7
Iceland	5	1	1	3	-3	4
Macedonia	4	1	0	3	-5	3
Norway	3	0	2	1	-1	2

Saturday, 06 June 2009

FYR Macedonia v Norway, 22:45

Sunday, 07 June 2009

Iceland v Netherlands, 01:45

Wednesday, 10 June 2009

FYR Macedonia v Iceland, 22:45

Thursday, 11 June 2009

Netherlands v Norway, 01:45

Norway will want to improve on their dreadful start but have two tough away games. The Netherlands will virtually seal qualification with two wins, which is pretty much certain already.

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Twenty20 Vision

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ICC World Twenty20 2009

For three weeks from 5 June, the ICC World Twenty20 will see the shortest form of the game return in all its glory to its spiritual home in England. Cricket lovers in Thailand will have to venture to the handful of bars that are showing the tournament, such as the Lost Cafe in Khao Takiab (see pages 12 and 13 for location). A benchmark was set by the first World Twenty20 in South Africa with a tournament that ticked every box, as the new, shorter kid on the cricketing block was a revelatory breath of fresh air.

It attracted one of the biggest audiences ever outside a football World Cup or Olympic Games, along with moments that will live long in the memory: Yuvraj Singh taking Stuart Broad for six sixes in an over; Chris Gayle's blistering 57-ball 117; Sri Lanka smashing Kenya for 260 and India's thrilling last-over victory over Pakistan in the final. In an era of instant gratification, Twenty20 is a thrill-seeker's paradise. Whether it's switch-hits, slog sweeps, toe-crunching yorkers or uprooted middle stumps, crowds love a showman.

Players to watch:

David Warner (Australia) (below) - bludgeoning batsman; **Shakib al Hasan** (Bangladesh) - world's best all rounder; **Eoin Morgan** (England) - shot maker extraordinaire; **Suresh Raina** (India) - run machine; **Kevin O'Brien** (Ireland) - old fashioned slogger; **Dirk Nannes** (Netherlands) - exceedingly fast bowler; **Martin Gupthill** (New Zealand) - powerful batsman; **Ahmed Shehzad** (Pakistan) - youngest (17) player; **Yusuf Abdulla** (South Africa) - surprise choice bowler; **Andre Fletcher** (West Indies) - a flashing blade.



Group A:

India, Bangladesh, Ireland*

Group B:

Pakistan, England, Netherlands*

Group C:

Australia, Sri Lanka, W. Indies*

Group D:

New Zealand, S. Africa, Scotland*

* top two in each group progress

Fixtures (all times Thailand)

GROUP STAGE

Friday, 5 June, Lords

England v Netherlands, 23:30

Saturday, 6 June, Brit Oval & Trent Bridge

Australia v West Indies, 18:30

Bangladesh v India, T B, 23:30

New Zealand v Scotland, 16:00

Sunday, 7 June, Brit Oval

England v Pakistan, 23:30

Scotland v South Africa, 19:30

Monday, 8 June, Trent Bridge

Australia v Sri Lanka, 23:30

Bangladesh v Ireland, 19:30

Tuesday, 9 June 2009, Lords

Netherlands v Pakistan, 19:30

New Zealand v S. Africa, 23:30

Weds, 10 June, Trent Bridge

India v Ireland, 23:30

Sri Lanka v West Indies, 19:30

SUPER EIGHT STAGE

Thurs., 11 June, Trent Bridge

D1 v A2, 19:30, B2 v D2, 23:30

Friday, 12 June, Lords

B1 v C2, 19:30, A1 v C1, 23:30

Saturday, 13 June, Brit Oval

C1 v D2, 19:30, D1 v B1, 23:30

Sunday, 14 June, Lords

A2 v C2, 19:30, A1 v B2, 23:30

Monday, 15 June, Brit Oval

B2 v C1, 19:30, B1 v A2, 23:30

Tues., 16 June, Trent Bridge

D1 v C2, 19:30, D2 v A1, 23:30

KNOCK-OUT STAGE

Thurs., 18 June Trent Bridge

Semi final, 23:30

Friday, 19 June, Brit Oval

Semi final, 23:30

Sunday, 21 June, Lords

Final, 21:00

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