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Khao Tao Rail Crash

Finger of blame pointed at driver by SRT

Left: The crumpled remains of three of the carriages; the one in the centre of the picture has been folded in half as if it were paper *(more photos on page 2)*

■ HUA HIN, THAILAND

The clear up and investigation was still ongoing as AWOL was sent to print but the horrific crash that took place early Monday morning just 100 metres from Khao Tao station has left up to ten people dead and eighty eight injured.

Reports are now saying the initial investigation found that Wang Pong station had alerted Khao Tao station that the Bangkok-Trang train, running at 105 kilometres per hour, had ignored their signalling. Unable to reach the train's officials, Khao Tao officials advised another goods train that was coming to the station to park two kilometres away from the station, when the ill-fated train proceeded on and then derailed.

State Railway of Thailand (SRT) Governor Yuthana Thapcharoen yesterday said that damage from the derailment was estimated at Bt129 million and that the accident happened because the train driver reportedly dozed off. He said the train was supposed to stop at Wang Pong station to collect a document for track-changing but it did not do so. Instead the train ran the stop signal at Wang Pong station and headed towards Khao Tao station at high speed, he said.

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Khao Tao Rail Crash *Continued from page 1*

Eight of the Trang to Bangkok train's sixteen carriages left the tracks, and apparently all of the fatalities were Thai females, including a two year old girl. Six foreigners were among the injured, and all the local hospitals were pressed into service. Many of the survivors have praised the rescue effort, and it is remarkable there were not more deaths given the severity of the accident.

Southern train services were resumed Tuesday at 6am after officials had pulled out the wreckage of the derailed train and repaired the tracks.

Throughout Monday night, officials and heavy machinery cleared the 11 derailed bogies off the track and fixed a 200-metre stretch of the primary track to enable resumption of the train services.

Trains passing through Khao Tao station, however, have been told to use their lowest speed when approaching the station. The repair of the secondary track, whose 180-metre stretch was damaged, would need more time.

Expecting to complete the investigation this week, Hua Hin police investigators interviewed some injured passengers. They would soon summon the Khao Tao and Wang Pong station chiefs, said Hua Hin Superintendent Colonel Krisana Jaemsawang. They have also summoned SRT engineers to give information tomorrow. No charge was filed against anyone yet and police were still looking for the train driver and his substitute driver, he added.

Meanwhile, the Cabinet meeting yesterday discussed the Hua Hin derailment and called for punishment of the train drivers.

Transport Minister Sophon Saram told the meeting that the train, railway and signalling system were in good condition, thus leaving human error as the likely cause of accident. He said that the investigation should be concluded in five days. He pointed out that the derailment occurred on the secondary track, which supported a train running at up to 40 kilometres per hour, whereas this train was speeding at more than 100 kilometres per hour.

Public Health Minister Witthaya Kaewparadai said that after the accident the two train drivers had gone missing. The train technician said that the two drivers were "in a condition causing them to be unable to perform their duties".

PM Abhisit Vejjajiva urged the Transport Ministry to determine how to make train officials more responsible in their duties and to determine how to raise the compensation to the victims, from the current rate of Bt80,000 per victim. In response, the Interior Ministry announced that it was adding Bt10,000 in compensation for each victim.

Some ministers also discussed that in other countries there are two train drivers taking turns. While one was working, the other would rest at home and be ready to take his turn at the designated stop. However, Thai practice usually has two drivers travelling together. They often end up chatting and thus lacking adequate rest.

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Hua Hin weather forecast next 7 days

Day	Conditions	Temp °C Low	High
Sat	An afternoon t-storm or two	24	31
Sun	A thunderstorm or two	24	32
Mon	Low clouds may break	24	31
Tues	A brief shower or two	24	31
Wed	Partly sunny, showers around	25	32
Thur	Humid with periods of rain	24	31
Fri	A passing morning shower	24	31

World Weather

Forecast for Friday 9th October 2009

City	Min °C	Max	Conditions
Amsterdam	9	15	Rain
Athens	16	28	Fine
Auckland	10	17	Rain
Beijing	7	20	Fine
Berlin	13	15	Rain
Buenos Aires	7	20	Cloudy
Chicago	7	13	Showers
Copenhagen	8	12	Cloudy
Dubai	26	36	Clear
Dublin	7	13	Dry
Geneva	16	19	Rain
Helsinki	-1	7	Partly Cloudy
Ho Chi Minh	25	32	Thunderstorms
Hong Kong	23	31	Scattered Clouds
Islamabad	17	30	Clear
Jakarta	25	34	Bright
Jerusalem	18	25	Fine
Johannesburg	15	29	Fine
Karachi	26	34	Fine
Kuala Lumpur	25	34	Fine
London	9	16	Bright
Madrid	16	21	Fine
Manila	25	30	Showers
Mexico City	12	27	Rain
Moscow	9	9	Rain
New Delhi	20	32	Showers
New York	10	22	Fine
Oslo	-2	7	Clear
Paris	16	19	Showers
Perth	11	24	Clear
Phnom-Penh	24	31	Chance of T-storms
Rio De Janeiro	18	28	Thunderstorms
Riyadh	21	35	Clear
Rome	15	27	Cloudy
San Francisco	11	21	Cloudy
Singapore	25	32	Thunderstorms
Stockholm	0	10	Chance of Rain
Sydney	11	17	Showers
Tokyo	18	24	Fine
Vientiane	22	34	Clear
Yangon	24	32	Chance of T-storms
Zurich	14	17	Rain

Currency Exchange Rates

At 8th October 2009 (mid-market rates)

Code	Currency	Value (Baht)
USD	United States Dollar	33.3856
GBP	Pound Sterling	53.2283
EUR	Euro	48.7971
JPY	Japanese Yen	0.371774
MYR	Malaysian Ringgit	9.63289
SGD	Singapore Dollar	23.658
BND	Brunei Dollar	23.658
CNY	Chinese Yuan	4.87617
IDR	Indonesian Rupiah	0.00346828
INR	Indian Rupee	0.698901
KRW	Korean Won	0.0283133
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NZD	New Zealand Dollar	23.9034
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NOK	Norwegian Krone	5.75752
SEK	Swedish Krona	4.737
CAD	Canadian Dollar	30.848
AED	UAE Dirham	9.09058
BHD	Bahrain Dinar	88.7942
KWD	Kuwaiti Dinar	116.727
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Emergency & Useful Numbers

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Traffic Control Centre 197 Highway Police 1193
Tourist Police 1699
Tourist Service Centre 1155
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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

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Hua Hin's Hot Topics from HHAD

The big news of the week has been the railway accident in Khao Tao which appeared on the forum within a couple of hours of it happening. As foreign and local news organisations scrambled for the story the grim details began to emerge and messages of condolence hit the board. These incidents are quite rare in Thailand which is a surprise considering the number of dangerous crossings and the antiquated rail system that runs throughout the country. Many railway crossings in Hua Hin, such as the one on soi 94, have been the scenes of accidents as they have no barrier and are very poorly signposted.

Security around Hua Hin is about to be beefed up as the government enforces the Internal Security Act from Monday 12th. They are taking no chances for the ASEAN summit which will be held from October 25 to 27 in Hua Hin and do not want a repeat of the circus caused by the red shirted Thaksin mob in Pattaya last time. Measures will include restrictions on movement in and out of the city and there will be a heightened police presence so all those that will be using the roads be aware.

Registration for Hua Hin residents to get vehicle stickers has been going on and collection should start this weekend – it looks like we will need them!

Buying a motorbike was the topic of discussion for one reader and many offered a response on their choice of two-wheeled transport. Some have decided to avoid motorbikes all together due to the dangers and the shocking standard of driving in Thailand and others take it all in their stride. One common thought was that small scooters such as Honda Waves and the new range of fully automatic bikes are great for short trips around town but not really suitable for longer journeys where you're likely to get knocked off by idiots in pickups doing 140 or hit enough potholes to give you a hernia!

An ageing discussion generated a good response despite being a little morbid at times. The question was essentially where do you want to be buried, here in Thailand or in your home country? Seeing as the majority of forum members and Hua Hin expats are 'playing their second halves' and many have more ties here than their homelands it was no surprise that they wanted to be buried or cremated here in Hua Hin. Many have lived in town for numerous years, have families, and have grown to call it home ... it's a shame that immigration will never see it that way!

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Cookies Khao Takiab Opening Party

Plenty of fun, food and, of course, balloons at Cookies party last week, as these pictures show. Located on the main road through the village, it is one of a number of new watering holes that have opened recently there. Check out where they are on page 11.

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Have you ever wondered where a certain phrase comes from, or what it really means?
Every week we will expand your knowledge of English and its etymology with a different word or saying. This week it is...

At sixes and sevens

A state of total confusion and disorder, or of disagreement between parties.

This phrase has changed in both form and meaning over the nine centuries or so that it has been in use. It was originally to 'set on six and seven' and is thought to have derived in the 14th century from the game of dice. It meant to carelessly risk one's entire fortune. The earliest citation in print is Chaucer's Troilus and Criseyde, 1374: "Lat nat this wrechched wo thyn herte gnawe, But manly set the world on sexe and seuene." Six and seven is probably a corruption of cinque and sice, the French for the numerals five and six, an idea supported by the OED, which will be good enough authority for most people. If things had stayed that way the origin would be fairly cut and dried and there would be little more to say. However, it is now given as at sixes and sevens, having mutated via at six and seven, and the current meaning is not one of risk.

There's no question of these different versions arising independently, the movement from one to another was gradual and they overlap each other in time. The first appearance in print of at six and seven is in 1535 and the last citation of on six and seven in 1601. The first appearance of at sixes and sevens was in 1670, in Leti's Il cardinalismo di Santa Chiesa, translated by G. H., 1670: "They leave things at sixes and sevens."

There are two other stories that could be the source of this phrase. One is the biblical text - Job 5:19 (King James Version): "He shall deliver thee in six troubles: yea, in seven there shall no evil touch thee." Other than being old and including the numbers six and seven, this doesn't seem to make a very strong claim.

The other is an appealing tale. The mediaeval Livery Companies that were established in London include The Worshipful Company of Merchant Taylors (Tailors) and The Worshipful Company of Skinners (Fur Traders). The precedence of the companies was set in 1515, but these two companies disputed their positions and a compromise was agreed by which they exchange sixth and seventh place each year, at Easter. Given that the Chaucer quotation is earlier, the Livery Company story can't be the source of set on six and seven. It is quite possible though that, having that existing phrase, the coincidence of the dispute being between the sixth and seventh places caused the migration in meaning. If that is in fact what happened then it could be argued that this is how the present day phrase originated.

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OK, folks, panic over. While our suspicions last week that a doppelganger had supplied the stars were proved correct, as Ben, Spanky the Monkey's 'handler' confirmed, the replacement was his slightly less talented younger brother, Hanky the Monkey, named because he has a rather sensitive nose that which is capable of such explosive sneezes that he is in the Guinness Book Of Records. Spanky was apparently 'otherwise engaged' last week, which is monkey handler speak for being completely shagged out after finally scoring with the cute macaque he has the hand shandys for. That might explain the rather odd predictions this week...

Capricorn
Dec 22 - Jan 19
You loudly boast every week again, that these predictions are nonsense, and shouldn't be believed in. But here you are, reading them again... Too bad Lady Fortune is turning a blind eye on your existence.

Aquarius
Jan 20 - Feb 18
If you'd learnt to fish, you wouldn't have to eat the thing; you would've been sitting in a boat drinking beer this weekend. Ah well, at least now everyone thinks you're a family man.

Pisces
Feb 19 - Mar 20
There's no amulet blessed enough to protect you this week. No, it would be better for your family if you'd get a large health insurance in a hurry.

Aries
Mar 21 - Apr 19
If you're one of those who see a computer as a toy, and not as a tool, watch for banana peels on the pavement, for you might end up eating mangoes this weekend. Later in the week it's safe to consider cycling.

Taurus
Apr 20 - May 20
Fourteen, fifteen, , twelve, twenty-one, three, eleven, , six, fifteen, eighteen, , twenty-five, fifteen, twenty-one.

Gemini
May 21 - Jun 21
When talking lucky numbers, may I suggest you abstain from buying lottery tickets? It's a waste of money, and the crooks running the underground lottery are really only after getting rich themselves. Also your lucky number this week is 9,735,264,128 which isn't much good in the lottery anyway.

Cancer
Jun 22 - Jul 22
When you go about town dressed as a clown, people may frown, and you will feel down, but in the end you'll be wearing a crown. Or something like that; there are words with '*own' in your fate this week.

Leo
Jul 23 - Aug 22
Five brown teddies, ten green bottles, or other songs of a similar tune are applicable to your destiny this week when a sniper opens fire on you and your friends.

Virgo
Aug 23 - Sep 22
There's a slight twitch when Spanky the Monkey produces your prediction this week. I don't really know why, but I fear he's just pulling your leg. Or his for that matter.

Libra
Sep 23 - Oct 23
There are no 'r's in the word Mango, no 'o's in the word Papaya, and no fruit in a cobra. But as you're pretty much a genius, there's no point convincing you.

Scorpio
Oct 24 - Nov 21
A secret you've kept for as long as you remember, is likely to come out this weekend. It'll all get too much for you, drinking, and late night dancing with all those young boys. You take off your top and sing YMCA at the top of your lungs!

Sagittarius
Nov 22 - Dec 21
Seventeen years, thirteen days, eleven hours, and some smaller insignificant prime number of minutes us how long it will take you to understand that Spanky the Monkey was right about you: nothing will ever change.

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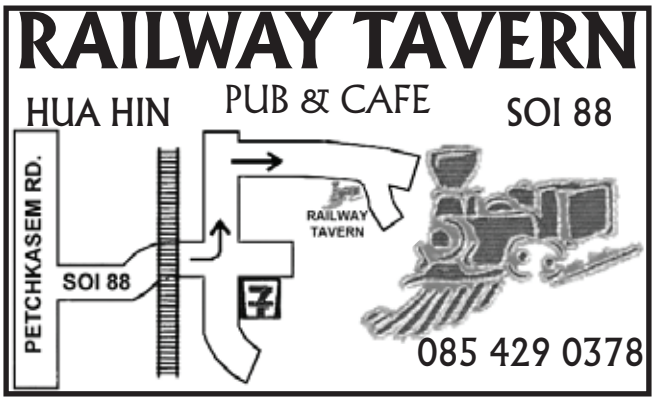

AIRPLANE PROBLEMS

After every flight, pilots fill out a form, called a gripe sheet, which tells mechanics about problems with the aircraft. The mechanics correct the problems, document their repairs on the form, and then pilots review the gripe sheets before the next flight. Never let it be said that ground crews lack a sense of humour. Here are some maintenance complaints submitted by pilots and the solutions recorded by maintenance engineers. By the way, the airline these came from is the only major airline that has never, ever, had an accident.

Pilot: Left inside main tire almost needs replacement.
Engineers: Almost replaced left inside main tire.
Pilot: Test flight OK, except auto-land very rough.
Engineers: Auto-land not installed on this aircraft.
Pilot: Something loose in cockpit.
Engineers: Something tightened in cockpit.
Pilot: Dead bugs on windshield.
Engineers: Live bugs on back-order.
Pilot: Autopilot in altitude-hold mode produces a 200 feet per minute descent.
Engineers: Cannot reproduce problem on ground.
Pilot: Evidence of leak on right main landing gear.
Engineers: Evidence removed.
Pilot: DME volume unbelievably loud.
Engineers: DME volume set to more believable level.
Pilot: Friction locks cause throttle levers to stick.
Engineers: That's what friction locks are for.
Pilot: IFF inoperative in OFF mode.
Engineers: IFF always inoperative in OFF mode.
Pilot: Suspected crack in windshield.
Engineers: Suspect you're right.
Pilot: Number 3 engine missing.
Engineers: Engine found on right wing after brief search.
Pilot: Aircraft handles funny.
Engineers: Aircraft warned to straighten up, fly right, and be serious.
Pilot: Target radar hums.
Engineers: Reprogrammed target radar with lyrics.
Pilot: Mouse in cockpit.
Engineers: Cat installed.
Pilot: Noise coming from under instrument panel. Sounds like a midget pounding on something with a hammer.
Engineers: Took hammer away from midget

HOW THE US STIMULUS PLAN WILL WORK

Three contractors are bidding to fix a broken fence at the White House.

One is from Chicago, another is from Tennessee, and the third is from Minnesota. All three go with a White House official to examine the fence.The Minnesota contractor takes out a tape measure and does some measuring, then works some figures with a pencil.

"Well," he says, "I figure the job will run about $900: $400 for materials, $400 for my crew and $100 profit for me.

"The Tennessee contractor also does some measuring and figuring, then says, "I can do this job for $700: $300 for materials, $300 for my crew and $100 profit for me."

The Chicago contractor doesn't measure or figure, but leans over to the WhiteHouse official and whispers, "$2,700."

The official, incredulous, says, "You didn't even measure like the other guys!

How did you come up with such a high figure?"The Chicago contractor whispers back, "$1000 for me, $1000 for you, and we hire the guy from Tennessee to fix the fence.

""Done!" replies the government official.

And that, my friends, is how the new stimulus plan will work.

WORLDWIDE SURVEY

A worldwide survey was conducted by the UN. The only question asked was:"Would you please give your honest opinion about solutions to the food shortage in the rest of the world?"

The survey was a huge failure...

In Africa they didn't know what "food" meant. In Eastern Europe they didn't know what "honest" meant. In Western Europe they didn't know what "shortage" meant. In China they didn't know what "opinion" meant. In the Middle East they didn't know what "solution" meant. In South America they didn't know what "please" meant.

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■ DEAR MARY,
I am worried about my young son. He has started communicating with Satan. Is this normal in a 10 year old? He's quite a normal little chap except that he insists on writing letters to Satan and asks me to post them for him. From a very young age he always babbled a lot which I initially thought was normal, but now I suspect he was speaking in tongues. He always locks the door to his bedroom, and I hear weird noises and screams, but whenever he is at school and I go into his room, everything is immaculate with no signs of any disorder. What should I do?
Linda Blair, Trang

Mary says:Dear Linda.
As you can tell from my name I was brought up as a good Catholic girl, and in our house conversations with Satan were common when we were growing up. Letters were less so but that is because they had to be written in blood, something that you do not mention, so I think your boy may be getting Satan mixed up with Santa, an all too easy mistake.
What concerns me most about your letter is that there is something very strange about your son's behaviour that doesn't even seem to register with you; the screams and weird noises are probably coming from a horror video game such as Devil May Cry or Alone In the Dark but what is really scary is that you say the boys room is immaculate - this really is extremely abnormal behaviour, and may indeed mean he has sold his soul; I suggest you visit your local church and start investigating exorcism as soon as possible, or you could end up with him doing the ironing and helping, unasked, with the dishes.

DEAR MARY,
I have noticed a change in my partner over the last year. He is becoming over critical and patronising. He has started to spend more time down the pub, has given up on his appearance and has taken up projectile vomiting as a hobby. What is going wrong?
Mrs A Givitsum, Cha Am

Mary says:Dear Mrs G,
I have carefully studied what you have said and I think he shows all the classic symptoms of being Northern. Usually these things are obvious at once but if the person has lived away from the influence for a while it can lie dormant but can suddenly re-awaken if exposed to some catalyst, like strong brown ale or old re-runs of Auf Wiedersein Pet. There is not a lot you can do, as it tends to be hereditary but threatening to cut his nuts off might control it.

DEAR MARY,
My husband has become very secretive and uncommunicative lately. He spends hours locked in the spare room with the computer. He is in a world of his own and talks to himself. He invents fantasy characters and ignores me. Is it just me?
Fretting, Khao Tao

Dear Fretting.
It is easy to blame yourself when these things happen. I am almost positive, from what you say, he has taken up creative writing. You need to act immediately to stamp this out. You need to wean him off the sites, try distracting him by getting him involved in one of the many harmless porn sites available. On-line gambling is another risk-free alternative to the danger of his present activity.

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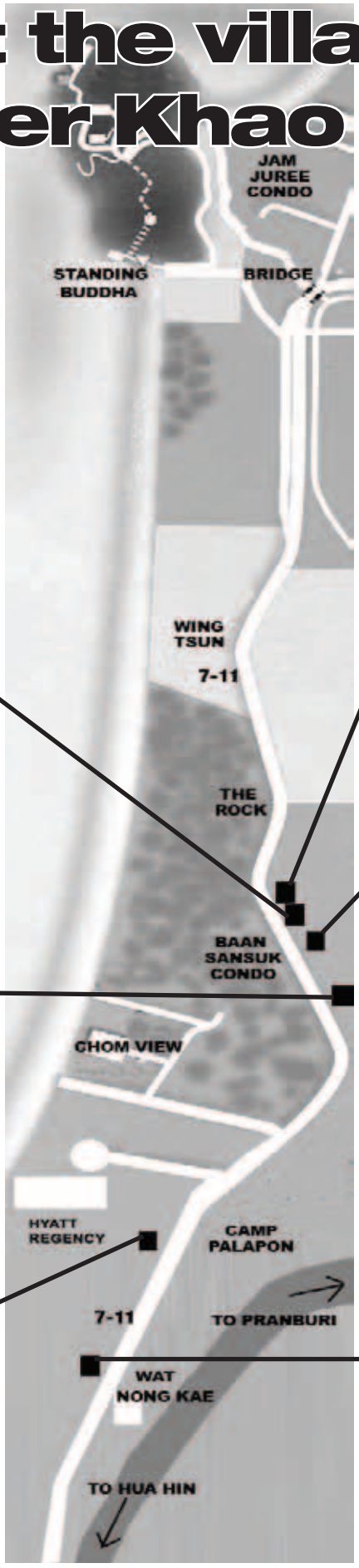

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1	8	3						
					3	8		5
		4	2					3
	5		6		9			8
					7		9	
2	7		8					
					2			
		9		5				

Puzzle 2

9							5	3
	3		6	4		1	2	
4				8		9		
		5				8		
				2	5			
			2		7			
8								
2	7		1			4	9	

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Look for the only possible choice. Sometimes you will encounter the situation where there is only one place a number can possibly go. This is discovered by working systematically through each line and box in turn. Good luck!

Last week's solutions

Puzzle 1

4	6	9	1	7	3	2	5	8
5	8	1	2	6	9	7	3	4
2	7	3	5	8	4	6	1	9
1	5	6	3	4	7	9	8	2
7	2	8	9	1	5	3	4	6
9	3	4	6	2	8	1	7	5
6	9	7	8	5	1	4	2	3
8	4	2	7	3	6	5	9	1
3	1	5	4	9	2	8	6	7

Puzzle 2

1	5	4	8	7	6	9	3	2
7	2	8	9	4	3	1	6	5
6	9	3	1	5	2	8	4	7
2	4	6	5	8	7	3	1	9
8	1	5	3	9	4	2	7	6
9	3	7	2	6	1	5	8	4
5	6	2	4	3	8	7	9	1
4	8	1	7	2	9	6	5	3
3	7	9	6	1	5	4	2	8

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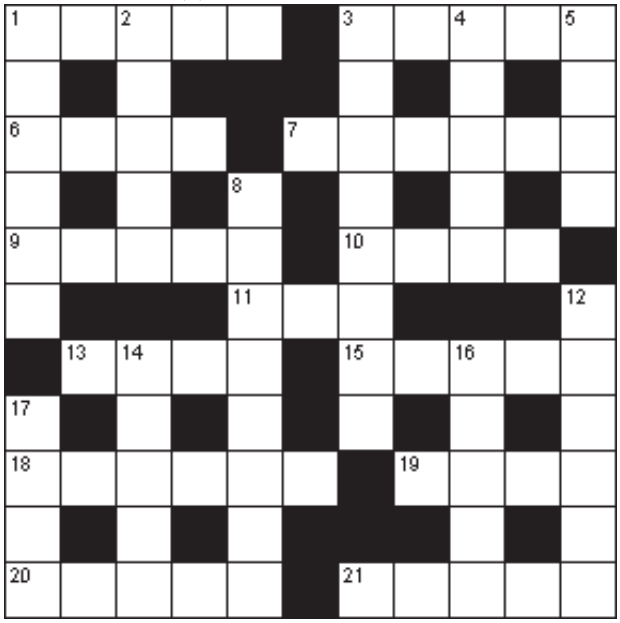
Across
1. Seashore (5)
3. Rescues (5)
6. Stepped (4)
7. Snuggle (6)
9. Adherent of Hinduism (5)
10. Fail to hit (4)
11. Bind (3)
13. Minerals (4)
15. Crest (5)
18. Dared (6)
19. Wish for (4)
20. Faithful (5)
21. Farm birds (5)

Down
1. Easily remembered (6)
2. Nut of an oak (5)
3. Steam-ships (8)
4. Elects (5)
5. Simmer (4)
8. Shell of a nut (8)
12. Kindly (6)
14. Affected by rust (5)
16. Male duck (5)
17. Spoken (4)



Last week's solution right

	1 T	2 O	O	3 T	H	4 L	E	5 S	S	
6 P		W		A		I		T		7 U
8 A	G	E	N	T		9 S	P	E	A	N
P				T		T		L		D
10 E	A	11 S	I	E	R		12 F	L	E	E
R		H		R		13 P		A		R
14 B	E	A	M		15 B	A	R	R	E	L
A		M		16 E		U				I
17 C	O	P	E	D		18 S	P	19 O	O	N
K		O		E		E		N		E
	20 Y	O	U	N	G	S	T	E	R	

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Results
Matchday 24 2nd October 2009

Home	Rks	Pts	Away	Rks	Pts
RTB	6	1	LSA	19	7
SB	12	3	OCT	16	5
JWB	17	6	DB	7	2
EAG	19	7	LST	5	1
LSS	10	3	QUE	17	5
LSB	16	5	JWR	13	3
DA	6	1	PAT	18	7
SUG	10	3	TW	16	5

Next Week's Fixtures
Matchday 25 9th October 2009
Lucky Shot A v Queens Flower
Eagle v JW Red
JW Black v Pat's Point
Sunset B'vard v Thaiwaii
Return Bar v Sugar Cane
Octopussy v Dick's Office A
Dick's Office B v Lucky Shot B
Lucky Shot Th v Lucky Shot Stud

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	Diff.	Rks	Pts
Queens Flower Bar	24	18	4	2	72	150	40
Eagle Bar	24	18	2	4	76	142	38
Lucky Shot A	24	15	6	3	58	118	36
Thaiwaii	24	14	7	3	38	66	35
Sunset Boulevard	24	14	5	5	34	68	33
Lucky Shot Student's	24	13	6	5	42	79	32
Octopussy Bar	24	13	3	8	20	24	29
Johnie Walker Black	24	11	5	8	10	29	27
Lucky Shot B	24	9	5	10	6	3	23
Lucky Shot Thai	24	10	2	12	-10	-10	22
Pats Point	24	9	3	12	-26	-59	21
Return Bar	24	7	4	13	-20	-48	18
Sugar Cane Bar	24	5	3	16	-32	-69	13
Johnie Walker Red	24	4	5	15	-54	-91	13
Dick's Office B	24	1	1	22	-108	-208	3
Dick's Office A	24	0	1	23	-106	-194	1

Hua Hin Social Pool League

Results
Week 20 – 30th September 2009
Jungle Juice A v PP 12-7
Billys v Red Bar 7-12
JW Black v Lazy Daze 11-8
Headrock v JW Red 9-10
Limelight v Billys Babes n/a
U Turn v Jungle Juice B 7-12

Week 21 results next week

Next Week's Fixtures
Week 22 – 14th October 2009
No Game v PP
Sabai v Red Bar
Jungle Juice A v Lazy Daze
Billys v JW Red
JW Black v Billys Babes
Headrock v Jungle Juice B
Limelight v U Turn

League Table

Team	P	W	L	F-A	Pts
J Juice B	18	15	3	197-145	30
JW Red	18	15	3	183-159	30
PP	19	14	5	194-167	28
Sabai	18	11	7	177-165	22
J Juice A	18	10	8	187-155	20
H'drock	19	9	10	190-171	18
U Turn	18	8	10	177-182	16
Lazy Dz	19	8	11	172-189	16
JW Blk	17	7	10	149-174	14
L'light	18	6	12	167-175	12
Red Bar	19	5	14	166-195	10
Blys Bbs	17	6	11	153-170	10
Billys	17	3	14	128-193	6

Hua Hin 9 Ball League

Results
Week 5 05/10/2009
Curly's Bar A 6 - 18 Dicks B
Dicks A 14 - 8 Curly's Bar B
Eagle Bar 16 - 8 LilleMan
Plas Place 10 - 14 Mr Dan A

Next Week's Fixtures
Week 6 12/10/2009
Curly's Bar B v Eagle Bar
Dicks B v Dicks A
LilleMan v Plas Place
Mr Dan A v Curly's Bar A

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Eagle Bar	5	5	0	0	55	10
Mr Dan A	5	4	0	1	16	8
Curly's A	5	3	0	2	-4	6
Dicks A	5	3	0	2	-6	6
Dicks B	5	2	0	3	4	4
Curly's B	5	1	0	4	-15	2
LilleMan	5	1	0	4	-25	2
Plas Place	5	1	0	4	-25	2

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Darts Leagues

Results - Week 11 6/10/2009

Division 1

Oasis v Lazy Daze n/a
JW Red v ThaiWaii 11-7
Lucky Shot v Dicks Office B n/a
Paradise v CAT A 10-8
Scandic Bar A v JW Black n/a

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	PF-PA	Pts
Scan A	8	7	0	1	107-37	14
CAT A	9	6	1	2	108-54	13
JW Blk	8	6	0	2	100-44	12
Lazy Dz	8	6	0	2	87-57	12
P'dise	9	5	0	4	80-82	10
Oasis	7	4	1	2	73-53	9
ThiWai	8	2	0	6	49-95	4
JW Red	9	2	0	7	54-108	4
Lky Sht	8	1	0	7	44-100	2
Dicks B	6	0	0	6	16-92	0

Division 2

Pat Point v Jaew 6-12
Scandic Bar C v Kom Hom n/a
Cat B v Railway Tavern 15-3
Dicks Office A v Jungle Juice 6-12
Kom Hom Ladies v Scandic B n/a

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	PF-PA	Pts
Jaew	9	8	0	1	101-61	16
Cat B	9	7	1	1	121-41	15
Scan B	8	7	0	1	111-33	14
Kom H	8	5	1	2	90-54	11
Scan C	8	3	1	4	70-74	7
J Juice	8	3	0	5	66-78	6
Pat Pnt	9	2	0	7	46-116	4
KH Ls	6	2	0	4	39-69	4
R'way	9	1	1	7	55-107	3
Dicks A	8	1	0	7	39-105	2

Next Week's Fixtures Week 12 13/10/2009

Div. 1: Lazy Daze v JW Black
Scandic Bar A v CAT A
Paradise v Dicks Office B
Lucky Shot v ThaiWaii
JW Red v Oasis

Div. 2: Jaew v Scandic Bar B
Kom Hom Ladies v Jungle Juice
Dicks Office A v Railway Tavern
Cat B v Kom Hom
Scandic Bar C v Pat Point

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Top 10 -Div 1

Name	Bar	Pts
Tao	CATA	166
Golf	SBA	166
Don	CATA	142
Rune	SBA	128
Martin	LD	119
Lek	LD	117
Dicky	JWB	116
Mark	O	105
Noi	CATA	95
Pim	P	94

Top 6 - Div 2

Name	Bar	Pts
Cop	SBB	155
Ball	CatB	151
Sak	SBB	131
Tia	SBC	97
How'rd	KH	96
Muay	JB	93

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Hua Hin & Khao Takiab League 2009

A new season starts on Wednesday 14th October and the first week's fixtures are below.

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 1 14th October

Bob and Noks v Bobby's
Dara v Sunset Boulevard
Dizzy Dolphin v Sports Bar
Free Time v Railway Tavern
Garden Bar 2 v Oasis
Harley's v Thaiwaii

Hua Hin 8 Ball League

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
MrDanA	5	5	0	0	26	10
Eagle Bar	4	4	0	0	18	8
Komhom	4	3	0	1	18	6
Curly's B	5	2	1	2	6	5
LilleMan	5	2	1	2	-2	5
Pla's Place	5	2	1	2	-2	5
Purple Pig	5	1	2	2	-8	4
DicksA	5	1	0	4	-14	2
Curly's A	5	1	0	4	-24	2
DicksB	5	0	1	4	-18	1

Results

Week 5 7/10/2009

Curly's Bar B 10 - 2 Curly's Bar A
DicksB 6 - 6 Purple Pig
LilleMan 6 - 6 Pla's Place
MrDanA 7 - 5 DicksA
Eagle Bar v Komhom n/a

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 6 14/10/2009

Curly's Bar A v LilleMan
DicksA v Eagle Bar
Komhom v Curly's Bar B
Pla's Place v DicksB
Purple Pig v MrDanA

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Regular Events

Daily specials at Belga Cafe & Brasserie
Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays - Pool Leagues
Tuesdays - Darts League (see p 21 for venues, free food for players)
Fridays - Dizzy Dolphin Karaoke/ Live music alternate Fridays (ad p 3)
- Dick's Office open darts night from 7.30pm (ad p 20)
- Bar-B-Q party every week at Le Velo Rouge, Khao Takiab

Saturdays - Beach Hut Bar (ad p 11) live band every week
Sundays - British style Sunday Roasts available at:
Jungle Juice, Soi Selekam (ad p 16),
Dick's Office, Soi 80 (ad p 20),
Ye Olde Buffalo Tavern, Chomsin/Naresdamri (ad p 6),
Jimmy's Soi 102

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

This week's results:
Friday 2nd October Banyan
Results not available
Tuesday 6th October Majestic Creek Monthly Medal + Stableford.
Results not available
Next week's fixtures:
Tuesday 13th Black Mountain - Blind Holes Competition
Friday 16th Royal Ratchaburi - Stableford Competition.

Butterfly Rock Golf

This week's results:
Wednesday 7th October Black Mountain - stableford 20 players
1st Gary Marshall (9) 37pts, 2nd Bob Welsh (10) 36pts, 3rd Timo Ripatti (6) 35pts
Monday 5th October Lake View AB - Stableford 19 players
1st Tony Hallam (19) 38pts (white tee), 2nd Jim Lynch (21) 37pts (white tee), 3rd Paul Williams (2) 35pts (blue Tee)
Friday 2nd October Palm Hills - stableford 10 players
Front 9 19 pts Sven Wermelin (9), Back 9 19 pts Kevin Dwyer (13)
Overall 34 pts Jim Lynch (21)
Wednesday 30th September LandCorp Ryder Cup Trophy
Lake View C & D 22 players per team
Rest of the World bt England 17 - 15
Monday 28th September Lake View C & D - stableford 19 players
1st Peter Dunne (5) 33pts, 2nd Craig Miller (5) 32pts, 3rd Mike Lord (13) 30pts
Forthcoming Fixtures
Monday 12th Oct - Lake View; Stableford
Weds 14th Oct - Bogey format played at Lake View from 10am
Friday 16th Oct - Palm Hills

FRIENDS of AWOL

Bars and Pubs

Beach Hut Bar (p11)
Bob and Noks (p11)
Cookies (p11)
Dick's Office (p20)
Dizzy Dolphin (p3)
Erikssons Wärdshus (p7/19)
Free Time Bar (p17)
Harley's Bar (p5)
Jungle Juice (p16)
JW's (p10)
Lolitas (p10)
Lucky Shot (p16)
Railway Tavern (p9)
Sabai Bar (p15)
The Beer O'clock Club (p11)

Restaurants and Food

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Hua Hin Ham & Bacon (p1)
Kom Hom (p 13)
Lost Cafe (p 11)
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International Matches

(all times local)

Saturday, 10 October 2009
FIFA World Cup European Qualifying
Group 1
Denmark v Sweden, 19:00

Above: Sweden will be hoping that Ibrahimovic is on top form in their vital local 'derby' with Denmark - this match can be seen live at ERIKSSONs WÄRDSHUS with a partisan crowd!

Portugal v Hungary, 20:45
Group 2
Greece v Latvia, 19:30
Israel v Moldova, 19:00
Luxembourg v Switzerland, 16:45
Group 3
Czech Republic v Poland, 19:30
Slovakia v Slovenia, 19:30
Group 4
Finland v Wales, 15:00
Liechtenstein v Azerbaijan, 19:00
Russia v Germany, 16:00
Group 5
Armenia v Spain, 17:00
Belgium v Turkey, 19:45
Estonia v Bosnia-Herz., 17:00
Group 6
Belarus v Kazakhstan, 16:00
Ukraine v England, 16:15
Group 7
Austria v Lithuania, 19:30
France v Faroe Islands, 20:00
Serbia v Romania, 19:30
Group 8
Cyprus v Bulgaria, 18:00
Montenegro v Georgia, 18:00
Rep of Ireland v Italy, 20:00
Friendly Match
Australia v Netherlands, 09:30
Japan v Scotland, 11:20
Norway v South Africa, 15:00
South Korea v Senegal

Tuesday, 13 October 2009
Friendly Match
Iceland v South Africa, 19:10
Wednesday, 14 October 2009
FIFA World Cup European Qualifying
Group 1
Denmark v Hungary, 19:45
Portugal v Malta, 19:45
Sweden v Albania, 19:45
Group 2
Greece v Luxembourg, 19:00
Latvia v Moldova, 19:00
Switzerland v Israel, 19:00
Group 3
Czech Republic v N. Ireland, 19:30
Poland v Slovakia, 19:30
San Marino v Slovenia, 20:30
Group 4
Azerbaijan v Russia, 17:00
Germany v Finland, 17:00
Liechtenstein v Wales, 19:00
Group 5
Bosnia-Herzegovina v Spain, 19:00
Estonia v Belgium, 19:30
Turkey v Armenia, 19:00
Group 6
Andorra v Ukraine, 16:30
England v Belarus, 20:00
Kazakhstan v Croatia, 16:30
Group 7
France v Austria, 19:00
Lithuania v Serbia, 19:00
Romania v Faroe Islands, 19:00
Group 8
Bulgaria v Georgia, 19:00
Italy v Cyprus, 19:00
Rep of Ireland v Montenegro, 20:00
Friendly Match
Iceland v South Africa
Japan v Togo, 11:30
South Korea v Senegal, 12:00

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Premier League Table

	Team	P	GD	PTS
1	Chelsea	8	12	21
2	Man Utd	8	11	19
3	Tottenham	8	7	16
4	Man City	7	7	16
5	Arsenal	7	14	15
6	Liverpool	8	10	15
7	Aston Villa	7	4	13
8	Sunderland	8	3	13
9	Burnley	8	-9	12
10	Everton	7	-2	10
11	Stoke	8	-4	9
12	Wigan	8	-7	9
13	Bolton	7	-1	8
14	Birmingham	8	-3	7
15	Fulham	7	-4	7
16	Blackburn	7	-7	7
17	Wolves	8	-7	7
18	Hull	8	-12	7
19	West Ham	7	-3	5
20	Portsmouth	8	-9	3

AWOL-HHAD Challenge Fantasy League

The current top ten are:

#	Team	GW	TOT
1	Wanderlust United	31	445
2	simply red	76	438
3	Sorco United	56	427
4	Mr ChaAming	69	426
5	Sassy Thai	39	419
6	Jobless Army	44	406
7	I am...Sasha Fierce	29	400
8	mongkol muppets	32	386
9	Gusto Creative	79	383
10	AWOL Wanderers	38	383

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KENYON NAMED AS SUCCESSOR TO LORD VADER

Chelsea Supremo chosen as 'ideal candidate'

■ A GALAXY, FAR, FAR AWAY

CHELSEA chief executive Peter Kenyon is to succeed Darth Vader when the Imperial enforcer steps down from his post next month.

Kenyon said he 'leapt at the chance' of carrying on the work of his mentor and was looking forward to strangling people with his mind.

He added: "Lord Vader had some interesting ideas on recruiting young talent, as do I. Jedi mind tricks and attempting to convert offspring produced mixed results.

"I prefer the more traditional route of throwing huge amounts of cash at foreign teenagers and will only slice their hand off if their agent

Darth Vader minus helmet and Peter Kenyon

is spotted anywhere in the Greater Manchester area."

According to Imperial sources Kenyon plans a three year £24m tie-up with Pepsi, a controversial move as Stormtroopers' uniforms have never carried a sponsors' logo.

But Kenyon did confirm plans for a £220m refurbishment of the Death Star to include four restaurants, a health club staffed by kidnapped princesses in gold lamé bikinis and 38 luxury apartments each with its own massive laser.

He added: "We are going to create the premier venue for conferencing, corporate hospitality and reducing rebel planets to their constituent atoms."

The Galactic Emperor Palpatine said: "I sensed Vader was losing his edge and I need someone who jumps out of bed every morning with a huge smile on his face and says 'what can I do today to help the Dark Side?'."

Diaby Comes Clean About Fantasy Football Scam

■ LONDON, ENGLAND

Arsenal superstar Abou Diaby has made a sensational confession about his own goal against Manchester United, saying that he intentionally scored in a bid to boost his Fantasy Football team. The French International's looping header beat Manuel Almunia and proved to be the winning goal in a hard fought and tense affair.

"Ryan Giggs is my captain so I knew if the ball went in from that free kick, he would get points for the assist. I was angry that he had not started from the beginning as he would not be eligible for a 90 minute bonus. When I headed the ball past Manuel, I only had thoughts for Fantasy Football. I almost instantly regreted it", said the lanky Gunner, who is rumoured to participate in the highly competitive AWOL-HHAD Challenge League (see previous page). "It been a bad season for me thus far as I foolishly thought Everton and Bolton would come out of the blocks quickly. My team is stocked with players from those clubs, which has made me the laughing stock of the Arsenal dressing room. I have already had to use my wildcard, Arsene is not impressed".

Arsenal Assistant Coach Pat Rice refused to come down hard on Diaby claiming, "It's a pandemic among players in the modern game. The lads are just so competitive, the lengths they go to for victory in the most trivial matters seem crazy to a normal person."

"Just last week Robin was caught loosening the screws from Denilson's roller skates before the Annual Arsenal Roller Disco Dance Off. I mean he was willing to seriously injury his teammate and friend to win a giant neck-clock-thing. It doesn't even tell the bloody time", said the infamous Cadbury's Cream Egg aficionado.

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