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Jive Talking

Is the 2010 Jazz Festival happening?

■ HUA HIN, THAILAND

The Hua Hin Jazz Festival has been a fixture on the local, national and international music calendars now for eight years, and 2010 is to be the ninth event in arguably the most important year for the town, as it is celebrating its centenary year.

However, with only eight weeks to go until the scheduled date for the festival given out by the Tourism Authority of Thailand (TAT), which is the 18th, 19th and 20th June, there has been no announcement or any news relating to one of the biggest events to take place in the town every year.

While this isn't the first time this has happened, it leaves little time for people who may want to come here to make their arrangements, or make a decision on whether they want to come. Some will be loathe to book expensive flights and accommodation without knowing for certain if it is happening and who will be performing. If, as

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This week and coming soon

Friday 23rd April - Coyote Party at the Hua Hin Brewing Company (Hilton) from 10.30pm; free entry before 11pm.

Regular Events

Daily specials at Belga Cafe & Brasserie

Everyday Happy Hour at Headrock 10am - 8pm (to 2am Mon & Fri) - 55 baht all beers/selected spirits

Thursdays - First Thursday every month Quiz at Headrock from 8pm; Fortnightly fun quiz and bingo at Kom Hom

Fridays - Dizzy Dolphin Karaoke/ Live music alternate Fridays (ad p 24); Dick's Office open darts 7.30pm (ad p 21)

Saturdays - Beach Hut Bar (ad p 11) live band weekly

Sundays - British style Sunday Roasts available at: Lin's Cafe, Phetkasem Road between Sois 80/78 - (ad p4); Jungle Juice, Soi Selekam (ad p 20); Dick's Office, Soi 80 (ad p 21); Ye Olde Buffalo Tavern, Chomsin Rd (ad p 6)

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

Jive Talking

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has been the case in previous years, the headline artists are of international stature, it seems hard to believe that they have not been booked to appear already, in which case a bigger crowd can be guaranteed if this information is made available as early as possible. If big name artists have not been booked, it would seem to be a little late to do so.

The enquiries made by AWOL have so far only elicited a confirmation of the date the festival is due to happen, and attempts to contact last year's sponsors, Heineken, last year's organisers (Fatima International), the Hua Hin Municipality and last year's promoters (Plus 5) have all drawn blanks. In fact the enquiries seemed to elicit some surprise in some quarters, as if they didn't think there would be any interest, and one employee even said that they weren't sure it was happening this year.

Every year the festival attracts thousands of people to the town, which obviously does wonders for the local economy, and it would be disastrous if either poor organisation or a late cancelling of the event meant those thousands did not come. 'Jazz on the Beach' almost singlehandedly put Hua Hin on the international map so we can only hope that the lack of information available is because negotiations with top artists are still ongoing, and a big surprise is coming.

Keep an eye on our arts and culture guide, Hua Hin Live, on pages 12 and 13, for the latest news on all the local events, as well as logging in to the AWOL forum and website for up to the minute news, reviews, photos and videos of events in and around the town.

Play Page 3

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Play Sports Lounge

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Play with Melinda Messenger

A more recent page 3 icon this week, with a message; which is, don't miss the Play Sports Lounge opening this coming Monday!

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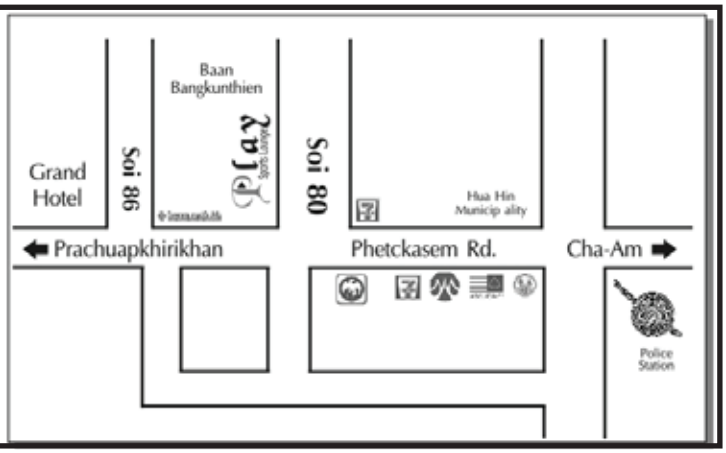

Weather, Money, Information

Local Forecast

Day	Conditions	Temp °C Low	High
Saturday	Partly sunny, showers around	26	34
Sunday	Mostly sunny	26	34
Monday	Partly sunny, showers around	26	34
Tuesday	Mostly sunny	26	34
Wednesday	A thunderstorm or two	26	33
Thursday	Periods of rain	26	32
Friday	A passing morning shower	26	33

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Auckland	14	19	Cloudy
Beijing	5	20	Fine
Berlin	1	11	Cloudy
Buenos Aires	10	18	Cloudy
Chicago	6	13	Cloudy
Copenhagen	2	9	Fine
Dubai	27	37	Clear
Dublin	3	13	Haze
Geneva	6	20	Fine
Helsinki	-1	8	?Rain
Ho Chi Minh	26	36	Fine
Hong Kong	17	21	Clear
Islamabad	18	34	Clear
Jakarta	25	34	Rain
Jerusalem	10	17	Rain
Jo'burg	11	18	T-Storms
Karachi	22	34	Cloudy
Kuala L'pur	24	33	T-Storms
London	5	14	Fine
Madrid	14	17	Rain
Manila	26	35	Cloudy
Mexico City	8	29	Cloudy
Moscow	4	10	Rain
New Delhi	28	38	Haze
New York	6	20	Cloudy
Oslo	-4	8	?Snow
Paris	5	17	Fine
Perth	11	23	Overcast
Phnom-Penh	25	35	?T-storms
Rio	21	37	Haze
Riyadh	23	35	?Rain
Rome	10	19	Rain
San F'cisco	11	18	Cloudy
Singapore	25	32	T-Storms
Stockholm	-3	11	?Rain
Sydney	18	28	Fine
Tokyo	9	11	Rain
Vientiane	21	35	?T-storms
Yangon	26	39	Clear
Zurich	5	16	Fine

Exchange Rates

At Thursday 22nd April 2010
(mid-market rates)

Currency	Value (Baht)
US Dollar	30.99
Pound Sterling	48.74
Euro	42.49
Japanese Yen	33.99
Malaysian Ringgit	9.18
Singapore Dollar	23.03
Brunei Dollar	22.48
Chinese Yuan	4.2
Indonesian Rupiah	2.06
Indian Rupee	0.61625
Korean Won	0.0244
Australian Dollar	29.21
New Zealand Dollar	22.42
Swiss Franc	29.5
Danish Krone	5.52
Norwegian Krone	5.22
Swedish Krona	4.27
Canadian Dollar	31.53
UAE Dirham	7.03
Bahrain Dinar	57.43
Omani Rial	56.62
Qatar Riyal	6.92

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Do you wonder why we say certain things, or what they really mean? Each week we will examine a different word or phrase and tell you how it came about.

This week it is... **Strait and narrow**

A conventional and law-abiding course.

'Straight' is a much more frequently used word than 'strait' these days and so the most common question about this phrase concerns the spelling - should it be 'strait and narrow' or 'straight and narrow'? Well, that depends on just how pedantic you want to be. The source of the expression is the Bible, specifically Matthew 7:13/14. The King James' Version gives these verses as: Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat: Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.

That clearly opts for 'strait' rather than 'straight', as it calls on a now rather archaic meaning of strait, that is, 'a route or channel, so narrow as to make passage difficult'. This is still found in the names of various sea routes, e.g. the Straits of Dover. The 'confined and restricted' meaning of strait still also lingers on in straitjacket, dire straits, strait-laced and straitened circumstances. All of these are frequently spelled with 'straight' rather than 'strait'. These spellings, although technically incorrect, are now widely accepted and only 'dire straights' comes in for any sustained criticism.

The use of 'straight' is quite understandable, certainly in 'straight and narrow'. After all, it means 'direct and reliable', as in the phrase 'as straight as a die', and the imagery of a direct and unwavering route to salvation would have been attractive to Christian believers in the 17th century, when that version of the spelling first appeared. The earliest definitive documentation found comes from The Critical Works of Monsieur Rapin, 1706: "The soul of the common people seems too straight and narrow to be wrought upon by any Part of Eloquence."

This version of the phrase is old enough and close enough in date to the earliest example of 'strait and narrow' found in print as to match it in status. That example is in A Vindication of the Government in Scotland: During the Reign of King Charles II, 1712: "Strait and narrow is the way that leadeth unto life."

'Straight and narrow' is now the more common spelling and you will be in good company if you opt to use it, even though 'strait and narrow' might be a better choice if you want to get high marks in that English language test.

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Weird News

■ WASHINGTON, USA

Police close down 'bestiality farm'

A convicted cocaine smuggler has been arrested for running what US authorities say appears to be a bestiality farm in Washington State in which visitors could engage in all sorts of twisted sex acts with animals.

Douglas Spink was arrested at his ramshackle, heavily wooded compound near the Canadian border along with a 51-year-old tourist from Great Britain who is accused of having sex with three dogs.

Dozens of dogs, horses and pet mice were seized, along with what investigators described as thousands of images of bestiality and apparent child pornography. The mice were euthanised, said Whatcom County Sheriff Bill Elfo, whose office assisted federal agents in the case.

"This stuff is just truly bizarre," he said. "These were mice that had their tails cut off, they were smothered in Vaseline and they had string tied around them."

It wasn't immediately clear whether other zoophilic tourists had been to Spink's farm, but Assistant US Attorney Susan Roe said on Friday, "I expect there may have been other people visiting the property".

Spink has not been charged with any bestiality or child porn charges at this point, only with violating the terms of his supervised release. Stephen Clarke of Peterborough, England, was arrested on state charges for allegedly abusing the dogs.

Authorities searched his farm Wednesday after prosecutors received a tip from a public defender's office in Tennessee. The office reported that Spink had been calling them incessantly about a jailed defendant in a bestiality case in Tennessee.

That man, James Michael Tait, had previously admitted filming a man having sex with a horse in Washington state in 2005. The man Tait filmed died of internal injuries suffered during the incident. He received a minor sentence in the case because Washington had relatively weak bestiality laws at the time.

It's not immediately clear why Spink was calling Tennessee about the Tait case.

When agents searched Spink's home, they found a video of a man sexually abusing dogs - and that man, Clarke, was still on the property, wearing the same clothes as in the video, Elfo said. He was charged with animal cruelty and made an initial appearance in Whatcom County Superior Court on Thursday.

Clarke was given a court-appointed defence lawyer for that appearance only and otherwise does not yet have a lawyer.

Roe said Friday that Clarke had admitted his involvement to investigators.

AWOL Sudoku

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

Puzzle 2 (Hard)

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						2		7
			1	4				8
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Last week's solutions

Puzzle 1

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

Puzzle 2

4	8	2	9	6	5	7	1	3
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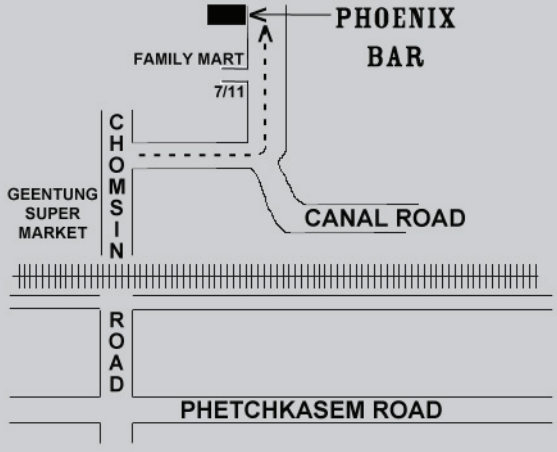

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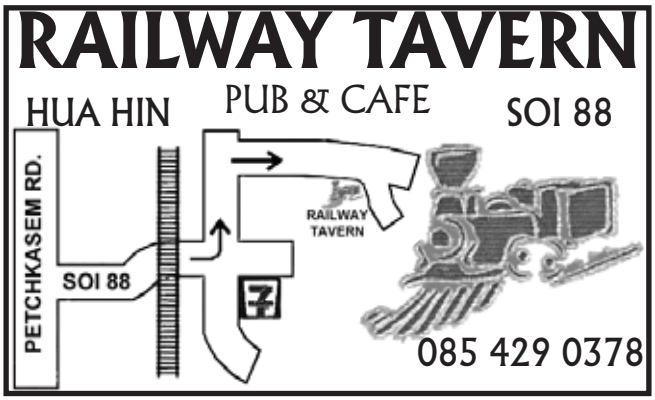

GRANNIE KNOWS BEST

Little Tony was 9 years old and was staying with his grandmother for a few days. He'd been playing outside with the other kids for a while when he came into the house and asked her, 'Grandma, what's that called when two people sleep in the same room and one is on top of the other?'

She was a little taken aback, but she decided to tell him the truth. 'It's called sexual intercourse, darling.'

Little Tony said, 'Oh, OK,' and went back outside to play with the other kids.

A few minutes later he came back in and said angrily, 'Grandma,it isn't called sexual intercourse. It's called Bunk Beds. And Jimmy 's mum wants to talk to you.

ICELAND VOLCANO JOKES

First the economy goes under, now Iceland sets itself on fire. I smell insurance scam!

It's too early to make jokes about the Icelandic ash cloud… we need to let the dust settle first.

It was the last wish of the Icelandic economy that its ashes were spread all over Europe.

Eyjafjallajökull - named when the person writing about it fell asleep on his keyboard.

Iceland Volcano Spews Consonants and Vowels

IRISH DIESEL FITTER

Paddy and Mick were both laid off, so they went to the unemployment office. When asked his occupation, Paddy answered, 'Knicker Stitcher.. I sew da elastic onto ladies' knickers and thongs.'

The clerk looked up Knicker Stitcher on his computer and, finding it classified as unskilled labour, he gave him £80 a week unemployment pay.

Mick was next in and when asked his occupation replied, 'Diesel Fitter.'

Since a diesel fitter was a skilled job, the clerk gave Mick £160 a week..

When Paddy found out he was furious. He stormed back into the office to find out why his friend and co-worker was collecting double his pay.

The clerk explained, 'Knicker Stitchers are unskilled labour and Diesel Fitters are skilled labour.'

'What skill?' yelled Paddy. 'I sew da elastic on da knickers and thongs, Then Mick puts 'em over his head and says: 'Yep, diesel fitter.'

UK ELECTION

Who are you going to vote for?

The Conservatives, Labour or the Liberal Democrats?

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We are sure that many of you spent the last week locked up in your homes, worried to go out without knowing what your stars hold, but never fear, the Sage Monkey is here! They say that knowing your fate can change it, and we have only got to hope that really is the case with this set of predictions...

Capricorn
Dec 22 - Jan 19

Of all the plans you had for what you'd do with a million dollars, serving 12 years for grand larceny was probably last on your list.

Aquarius
Jan 20 – Feb 18

Admitting failure has never been your strong suit. Thankfully, this week's stench will say more than mere words ever could.

Pisces
Feb 19 – Mar 20

The stars predict the beginning of a lifelong romance this week, which just goes to show you how wrong the stars can sometimes be. The little voices inside your head will continue to disagree over what to set fire to first.

Aries
Mar 21 – Apr 20

What others think of you is a constant source of worry, so take heart in knowing that they rarely ever do. The stars would love nothing more than to reveal your future this week, but unfortunately, they're just large luminous balls of plasma held together by gravity in space.

Taurus
Apr 21 – May 21

It might not be today, and it might not be tomorrow, but you'll soon come to regret staging a pie-eating contest to choose a new nanny.

Gemini
May 22 – June 21

You will inspire a new Zen riddle this week when a tree falls on top of you in the woods and there's no one around to hear all the screaming. All the praying in the world can't save you now. Quick, turn to demon worship and the black arts before it's too late.

Cancer
Jun 22 – Jul 22

Love can make a person do all sorts of weird and crazy things, but in your case, it'll mostly involve showering. Alcohol, a case of mistaken identity, and two screaming ends of a pantomime horse will figure heavily this coming Thursday.

Leo
Jul 23 – Aug 22

Exposure to bursts of gamma radiation will soon leave you with the tumor-growing ability of 10 regular men.

Virgo
Aug 23 – Sep 22

While being replaced by a machine is never easy, losing your job to a common office stapler will prove especially difficult to take.

Libra
Sep 23 – Oct 23

You will once again bring out the very best in your local police, fire, and sanitation control departments. Meanwhile, there won't be a dry eye in the house. That's how tear-jerkingly funny your wedding will be.

Scorpio
Oct 24 – Nov 21

Doctors will diagnose you with a new strain of tuberculosis this week, or "Poor Unsuspecting Bastard's Disease" as it'll come to be known.

Sagittarius
Nov 22 – Dec 21

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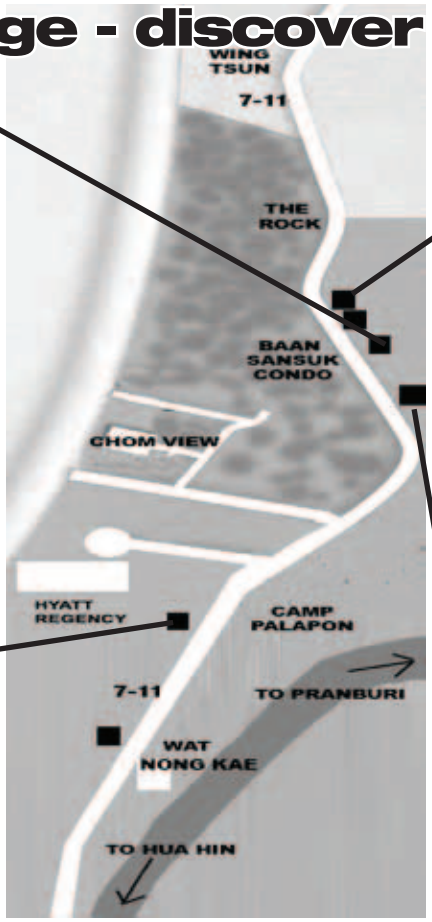

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Ten Famous Misquotes

1. Jim Lovell, "Houston, we have a problem." He actually said: "Houston, we've had a problem."

2. Neil Armstrong, "One small step for man..." He really said: "One small step for a man, one giant leap for mankind."

3. Archimedes, "Eureka!" Having sat in a bath and realised water was displaced by his volume, the story goes that Archimedes ran naked through the streets of Syracuse shouting "eureka!" Unfortunately it is believed to be highly unlikely that this ever happened.

4. Jim Bowen, "Super, smashing, great." As much as we would love Bowen to have said this, he never did. The line was popularised as Bowen's through the satirical television series Spitting Image.

5. Bill Shankly, "Football's not a matter of life or death. It's much more important". The original quote: "Some people think football is a matter of life and death. I don't like that attitude. I can assure them it's much more important than that".

6. Michael Caine, "Not a lot of people know that." This is a line associated with Caine, but it was actually Peter Sellers doing an impression of Caine on the Michael Parkinson show and it stuck with Caine.

7. Hamlet, "Alas, poor Yorick! I knew him well." Most people would assume this is what Hamlet says to the skull in William Shakespeare's play. In fact the line is: "Alas, poor Yorick! I knew him, Horatio - a fellow of infinite jest, of most excellent fancy."

8. Harry Callahan, "Do you feel lucky, punk?" One of Clint Eastwood's most famous lines and one that has been used over and over again. But it's not what was actually said, this is: "I know what you're thinking: 'Did he fire six shots, or only five?' Well, to tell you the truth, in all this excitement I kind of lost track myself. But, being as this is a 44 Magnum, the most powerful handgun in the world, and would blow your head clean off, you've got to ask yourself one question: 'Do I feel lucky?' Well, do ya, punk?"

9. Sherlock Holmes, "Elementary my dear Watson." Now this is a tricky one. Sherlock Holmes writer Arthur Conan Doyle never wrote the famous line in any of his books, so to Holmes purists the line is wrong. But, once again, we can thank movie world for the line. In the final scene of the 1929 film The Return of Sherlock Holmes, the Baker Street detective does say, "Elementary, my dear Watson, elementary."

10. Rick Blaine, "Play it again Sam." Possibly the most misquoted quote of all. Humphrey Bogart's character never says the line in the film, what he says is: "If she can stand it, I can. Play it." Ingrid Bergman's character said: "Play it once Sam, for old time's sake." "Play it Sam, play As Time Goes By."

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Don't Miss This Week

- **'Eclipse' Dance and Music Performance @Vic Hua Hin.** Saturdays 24 and 31 April at 7:30pm. An amazing performance of contemporary drumming, dance and music featuring some of Thailand's finest operatic and performing talents. Don't miss it! Vic Hua Hin Theatre, near the Centennial Park on Petchkasem Road in Nongkae. http://www.vichuahin.com. Tel. 032 817 815.

- **Honda Music Fest@Khao Takiab.** Saturday May 1 from 11:00 am to 2:00am. Free. A full day of Thailand's best Ska, Reggae, and Rap bands, and a separate DJ stage. An excellent show, but prepare yourself for major crowds and traffic out the wazoo. The bill includes BuddhaBless (right), T-Bone, Teddy Ska, Thaitanium (below), and Joey Boy. Altogether a great bill, but something of an endurance test. Most of the online info is in Thai, but you can get the schedule at http://thaiticketmajor.com/concert/honda-summer-fest2010-eng.php

Upcoming

- **Hua Hin Jazz Festival.** Friday 18th to Sunday 20th June. No announcements of artists performing or schedule yet (see front page)

Ongoing

- **Sound Cloud Sundays.** Showcase of original and experimental music in Hua Hin. Every Sunday 2:00 to 4:00 pm. Baan Sillapin Art & Antiques Gallery and Studio. Info at tel. 089 181 6328. Free

- **Art Exhibition by Tawee Kesa-Ngam and Family.** Daily, 9am to 5pm except Mondays, until 31 April. Baan Sillapin Art & Antiques Gallery and Studio Tel. 03 253 4830.

Stage Shows and Special Performances

- **Cicada Market and Performing Arts Fair.** The Venue@Suansri. Fri/Sat evenings from sunset to 12 pm, Sundays from 4pm; Dining, shopping, art, performances, and films in a beautiful park-like setting. A wonderful place to spend an evening.

- **SASI Dinner Theatre. SASI Restaurant.** Nightly at 7:00pm, Dinner with Thai Contemporary theatre performance. Recommended. They have their own theatre troupe, who are quite good.

- **Hua Hin Magic Show, Hilton Hotel.** Thur. to Sat. at 8:00 pm; A full professional magic show. Adults 400 Bt. Children 200 Bt. Tel. 083 503 0999

- **Cabaret Show, Blue Angel Cabaret.** Every night 8pm and 9:46pm. Midnight show on weekends. Something a little different.

Open Jams and Music Showcases

With the end of the high season, most of the weekly jams are rolling it up for the summer. Monday's at Ray's will continue. The good news is that there are now seats for everyone!

- **Monday Jams at Ray's Place Restaurant.** 8:00 pm; Hua Hin's original open jam. Thai and farang musicians, all styles

Nightly Music

100 Pipers Band. 100 Pipers Pub. Nightly exc Mon., starts 11 pm; High-energy Thai country and rock.
Blues, Country, Popular Music. Bentho's Bar. Tuesday's starting at 10pm. Various performers.
Classical Guitar with Ricardo Dioso. Marriott Hotel lobby. Tuesdays, 7-10 pm
Hua Hin Ensemble. Market Village Shopping Mall. Daily (except Monday) 4 to 8 pm; Modern and vintage jazz by Hua Hin's own all-Thai quartet, the Hua Hin Ensemble (sometimes with special friends).
Jazz with the Hua Hin Ensemble. Rest Detail Hotel. Saturday afternoon from 2 pm. Friday to Sunday evenings 7 to 10 pm; Soft jazz for dining and relaxing.
Live Jazz and Popular Music. Dusit Resort. House band play nightly in the Polo Bar, exc.Tues, starts8pm.
LukNam Band, LukNam Pub. Thai Country and Rock. Nightly 10pm until very, very late. It rocks.
Doctor Jazz and Co. Coco 51 Restaurant. Nightly 7-10 pm; Soft vintage and contemporary **jazz.**
Nissa Nyberget and his band. Baan Chang, Cha-am. Nightly exc Sun (jam session) 6 pm to midnight; Live music/ entertainment/ dancing.
Popular, Country, and Oldies. Nokkachan Restaurant and Pub. Nightly from 9pm
Ricardo Dioso, Classical Guitar. The Duke's Restaurant. Nightly exc Tues 7-10 pm. A fine player.
Smoriang Band, Smoriang Pub. Thai Country and rock. Nightly 10pm to ?. Great fun, expect a crowd.
Stoned Head Band. El Murphy's Hotel, Irish Bar, and Restaurant. Nightly from 10pm. Classic rock with Hua Hin's most venerable band. These guys have been around forever, and can really play.
Thai Acoustic Music, TauMai Restaurant. Nightly from 7pm. Tunes from talented singers and guitarists.

Venue Guide

100 Pipers Pub. Petchkasem Rd at soi 68. The door is about 60 metres north of the intersection.
Baan Chang, Cha-Am. On Soi 9 North, ½ block from the beach. There are signs at the intersection with the beach road, and it's the only place on the soi. Tel 085 293 4345 / 087 126 9127
Bentho's Bar, Central Hua Hin. Soi Selakam, heart of the bar district. Stagger about until you find it.
Blue Angel Cabaret, Central Hua Hin. Located just off Soi Bintabaht. From the Hilton, proceed down Bintabaht and turn right at the first (no-name) street. The Blue Angel is about 50 metres down on the right.
Chez Lou Lou, Central Hua Hin. Next to the 7-11 by the Train Station. Tel 089 008 9484. Email loulouboythai@hotmail.fr
Coco 51 Restaurant, Hua Hin north side. Soi 51 at the beach, Hua Hin Tel 032 515597.
Dusit Resort. 1349 Petchkasem Rd. Just north of the 'underpass' near the airport. Tel. 032 520009.
El Murphy's Hotel, Central Hua Hin. 25 Soi Selakam, at 'Little 5 Points' in the heart of the entertainment district. Tel 032 511525
Hi4 Pub. At Hin Nam Sai Suay condominium, Petchkasem Road Soi 7. http://www.hi4pub.co.cc/
Hilton Hotel, Central Hua Hin. Naresdamri Rd in the middle of Hua Hin's tourist district. Tel 032 538999.
Luknam Pub, Western Hua Hin. On the road to Pala U waterfall. Opposite Phoenix Bar.
Marriot Hotel. 107/1 Petchkasem Rd. Tel. 032 511881.
Nokkachan Restaurant and Pub, Khao Takiab. Khao Takiab road corner of soi 83. Near Hyatt Regency.
Ray's Place Restaurant, Central Hua Hin. On the SE corner of Thanon Sra Song and Thanon Amnuaysin. From the central night market, go to the street crossing in the exact middle of the market (Thanon Sra Song). Go one block South, towards the road that runs from the train station to the beach. At the intersection, look to the far left corner. Ray's Place is directly behind the green 'soldiers box'. Tel 081 880 4211
Rest Detail Hotel. Soi 19 at the beach, near the Queen's Park, and the 19 Rai. Tel 02 684 1644
Sasi Restaurant, Khao Takiab. Next door to The Venue@Suansri, on soi Khao Takiab 83. Tel 032 512488 or 081 880 4004. Web www. sasi-restaurant.com, email sasi@sasi-restaurant.com.
Smoriang Pub, South-Central Hua Hin. In the small soi that runs between San Paolo Hospital and the Grand night market. You'll find Smoriang on the left, shortly before you hit the railroad tracks.
TauMai Restaurant. Petchkasem Rd on the ocean side. Two doors north of Index Living Mall.
The Duke's Restaurant, Hua Hin north side. Soi 51 (aka Damronrat Rd.) at the beach. Just off Naebkehardt Rd. Tel 03 251 5787. www.theduke51,com
The Venue@ Suansri, Khao Takiab. On the corner of Khao Takiab Road and 'Soi Hyatt' (soi 83). Tel. 080 536 606. www.cicadamarket.net. Email cicada@cicadamarket.net
Vic Hua Hin Theatre and Patravadi Performing Arts Center, Nongkae (Southern Hua Hin). An astonishing complex on 30 rai of land just 5 minutes south of Hua Hin center. To get there, proceed south on Petchkasem Road past the Market Village shopping mall. Take the 'flyover' to Prachuab Kirikhan and Pranburi. After the flyover, pass the Centennial Park and night market on your right. The entrance is on the right, about 500 metres past the flyover. The sign at the entrance say "Patravadi High School". The theatre itself is the large black building. Tel. 032 827815.

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My parents have recently announced that they want to come and stay with me in Thailand, which has been my home for the last ten years. Where I live in Bangkok is not the most salubrious of areas, and I decided it would be best to take them to one of the foreigner friendly resorts. I have visited several of these now, including Hua Hin, which I had high hopes of being the right destination, as it was a delightful fishing village when I last visited, but have been disappointed to discover that it appears to be over run with hookers, and you can't move on the beach for urinating horses. My parents would be shocked if they saw such filth and depravity and I am really hoping you can advise me where I can take them to avoid such scenes. Many expats rave about Hua Hin but to me it just seems like a second rate Pattaya now. The fact that my parents think I am engaged in missionary work here when I am really running a bar doesn't help matters much - please help.
Mango, Bangkok

Dear Mango,
Hookers you say? Urinating horses on the beach? I think you might be getting a little confused in your old age. Now if you had said the town was over run with horses and the beach full of urinating hookers then I might have agreed with you, but even then I've not even seen a scrum half, although there are plenty of hookers at the local golf clubs. I guess you might have come across a group of them on their way home all needing to relieve themselves...
Strangely your letter echoes a recent piece I read on the internet (a site called Mango Sauce) and my suggestion for the ideal destination subsequently is aimed at that author as well, but it is not in Thailand. I think you should meet your parents in Iran, and explain that your missionary work in Thailand is complete; the chances of spotting a hooker in Tehran are pretty remote I would guess (they hate rugby and golf). Then again, maybe Shoreham-by-sea would be better?

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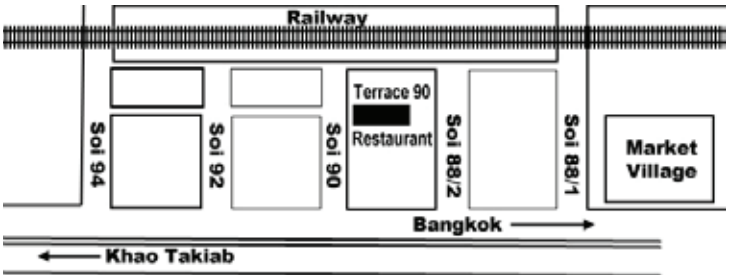

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11. Pugilist (5)
14. Brass instrument (5)
15. Wood file (4)
18. Magical incantation (5)
19. Last letter of the Greek alphabet (5)
20. The history of a word (9)

Down

2. Profit (4)
3. Country (6)
4. Moderate (9)
5. Performer (5)
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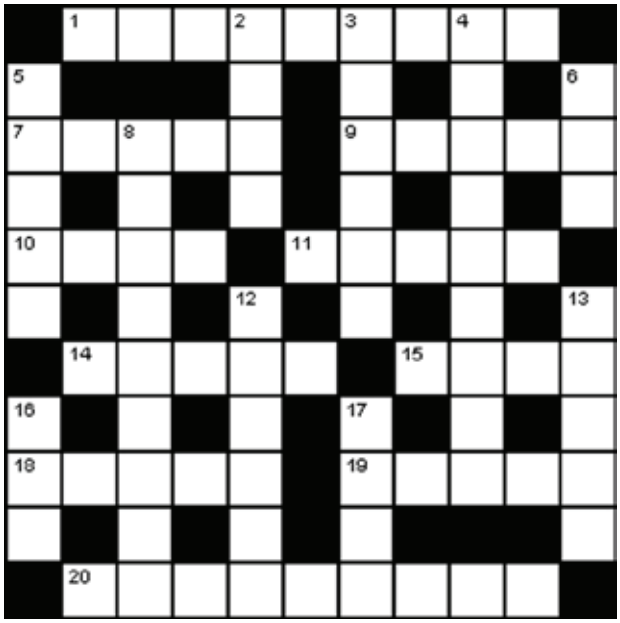

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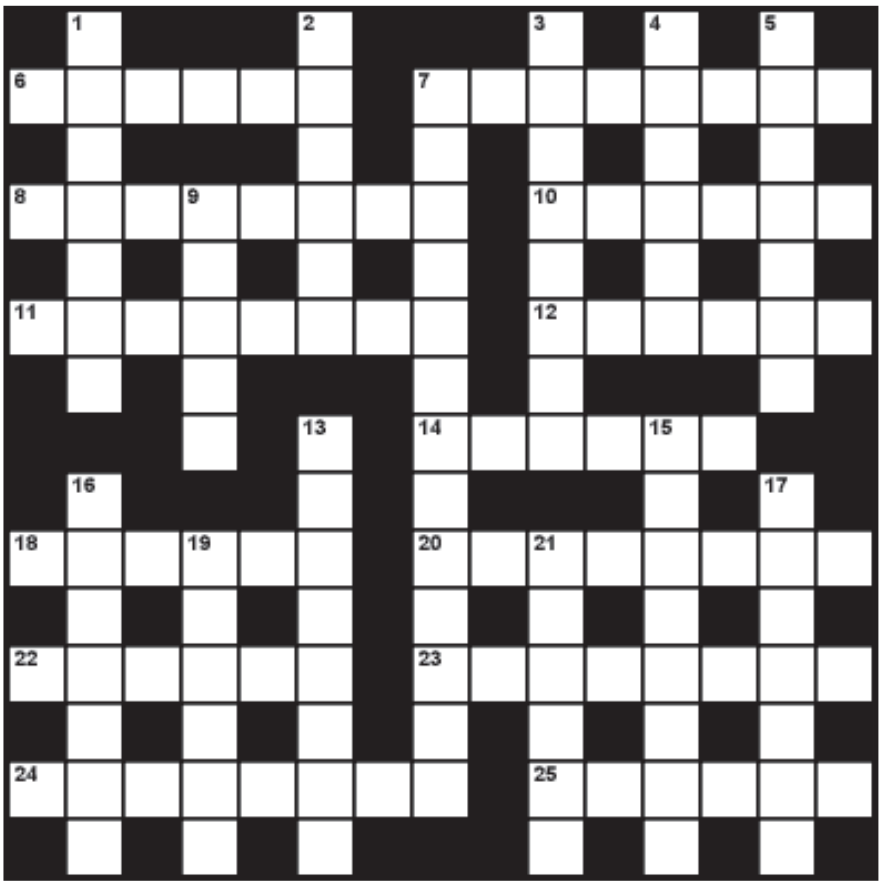

Across

6 Allow most of halo to become deadly (6)
7 Part of army - Royal Engineers soldier comes before soldiers with troop leader (8)
8 Californium unfortunately loses oil to another element (8)
10 A number went into empty trolley (6)
11 Lower the price and make a note of it? (4,4)
12 Miserable, me? Always initially cunning! (6)
14 American leader's wide overseas (6)
18 Young bird and seal, we hear (6)
20 Printout, perhaps, is difficult to reproduce (4,4)
22 Cruise, say, repeated drum (3-3)
23 Curl tree around university employee (8)
24 Reportedly, joint notice is nearly soporific (8)
25 Bear witness at cricket match? (6)

Down

1 Rumour of organs being put in hay (7)
2 Ocean current rising in Amazon in Lent (2,4)
3 Get grime reformed for sand-glass (3,5)
4 Tiny organism to live up in a moat, nearly (6)
5 Put in some bins - tallish (7)
7 Papist monarch to claim 80% for a change (5,8)
9 Somehow knead bare (5)
13 Personal hint (8)
15 Explanations for your money? (8)
16 Another word for New York, New York - so bad with first musical! (7)
17 Pacify animal that surrounds plant with leader of Shanghai (7)
19 Observing what happens without a small bell? (6)
21 Up in villa, I carry what's relating to one's ancestry, maybe (6)

The solution to this puzzle is on page 20.

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Pool Leagues

Hua Hin Pool Billiard League
League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	Diff.	Rks	Pts
Eagle A	15	13	1	1	70	125	27
Lucky Shot Student's	15	11	1	3	42	96	23
Lucky Shot A	15	11	1	3	40	73	23
Oasis	15	10	2	3	34	61	22
Queens Flower Bar	15	10	1	4	40	79	21
Braze Head Tattoo	15	8	4	3	28	64	20
Johnie Walker Black	15	8	2	5	14	28	18
Eagle B	15	8	2	5	12	15	18
Thaiwaii	15	7	3	5	2	-4	17
Sunset Boulevard	15	6	3	6	4	14	15
Johnie Walker Red	15	4	3	8	-22	-38	11
Lucky Shot B	15	4	1	10	-22	-40	9
Sugar Cane Bar	15	3	2	10	-30	-57	8
Dick's Office A	15	2	1	12	-64	-122	5
Dick's Office B	15	1	1	13	-66	-133	3
Return Bar	15	0	0	15	-82	-161	0

Hua Hin Pool Billiard League
This Week's Fixtures
Matchday 16 23rd Apr 2010
Lucky Shot A v Lucky Shot Stud
Lucky Shot B v Braze Head Tattoo
Dick's Office B v Dick's Office A
Sugar Cane v Oasis
Return Bar v Thaiwaii
Eagle B v Sunset B'vard
JW Black v JW Red
Queens Flower v Eagle A

Next Week's Fixtures
Matchday 17 30th Apr 2010
Lucky Shot B v Lucky Shot A
Dick's Office A v Lucky Shot Stud
Braze Head Tattoo v Sugar Cane
Thaiwaii v Dick's Office B
Oasis v Eagle B
JW Red v Return Bar
Sunset B'vard v Queens Flower
Eagle A v JW Black

Results
Matchday 15 16th Apr 2010

Home	Rks	Pts	Away	Rks	Pts
JWR	8	2	LSA	17	6
EB	14	6	QUE	9	2
TW	7	1	EA	18	7
SUG	9	2	JWB	17	6
SB	17	7	DA	7	1
LSB	18	7	RTB	7	1
LSS	14	5	OAS	14	3
DB	3	0	BHT	20	8

Ball In Hand Brunswick Hua Hin & Khao Takiab Ladies League
Results
Season starts next Monday
League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Bob / Nok's	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bobbys Bs	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dara Bar	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dizzy Dolp	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garden 2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kom Hom	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kum Koon	0	0	0	0	0	0
Railway T	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sports Bar	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sunset B'd	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thaiwaii	0	0	0	0	0	0

Next Week's Fixtures
Week 1 26th April 2010
Bobbys Bangers v Bob and Nok's
Dara Bar v Thaiwaii
Dizzy Dolphin v Sunset Boulevard
Garden Bar 2 v Sports Bar
Kom Hom v Railway Tavern

Future Fixtures
Week 2 3rd May 2010
Bob and Nok's v Dara Bar
Railway Tavern v Kum Koon
Sports Bar v Kom Hom
Sunset Boulevard : v Garden Bar 2
Thaiwaii v Dizzy Dolphin

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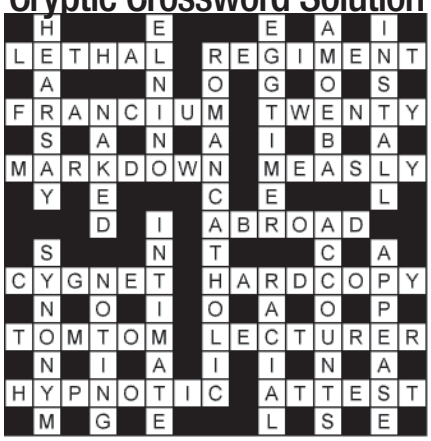

Pool Leagues

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Ball In Hand Brunswick Hua Hin & Khao Takiab League Results

Week 1 21st April 2010

Bobby's Bangers 7 - 11 Bob / Nok's
Dara Bar 5 - 13 Thaiwaii
Dizzy Dolphin 5 - 13 Sunset B'd
Garden Bar 2 9 - 9 Sports Bar
Oasis Bar 9 - 9 Railway Tavern
TNT Bar 1 - 17 Play Sports Lounge

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Play Sprts	1	1	0	0	16	2
Sunset B'd	1	1	0	0	8	2
Thaiwaii	1	1	0	0	8	2
Bob / Nok's	1	1	0	0	4	2
Garden 2	1	0	1	0	0	1
Oasis Bar	1	0	1	0	0	1
Railway T	1	0	1	0	0	1
Sports Bar	1	0	1	0	0	1
Bobby's Bs	1	0	0	1	-4	0
Dara Bar	1	0	0	1	-8	0
Dizzy Dolp	1	0	0	1	-8	0
TNT Bar	1	0	0	1	-16	0

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 2 28th April 2010

Bob and Nok's v Dara Bar
Railway Tavern v Play Sports
Sports Bar v Oasis Bar
Sunset Boulevard v Garden Bar 2
Thaiwaii v Dizzy Dolphin Bar
TNT Bar v Bobby's Bangers

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Hua Hin Social Pool League Results

Week 19 21/4/10

Int/l Butterfly Bar v No Game
JW Red v Lazy Daze A n/a
Billys Babes v Red Bar n/a
Jungle Juice B v PP 11-8
King Ladies v London Bar 9-10
Lord Nelson v Sabai n/a
U Turn v King Bar Men n/a
Limelight v Jungle Juice A 11-8
Headrock v Billys 8-11
Lazy Daze B v JW Black n/a

League Table

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
J Juice B	15	13	2	174-111	26
PP	15	13	2	174-111	26
JW Red	15	12	3	174-111	24
Billys	15	12	3	170-115	24
King Men	15	10	5	153-132	20
J Juice A	15	10	5	152-133	20
Sabai	15	9	6	153-132	18
JW Black	15	9	6	147-138	18
Limelight	13	8	5	130-117	16
Headrock	15	7	8	139-146	14
King Ldys	15	6	9	132-153	12
Lazy Dz A	16	5	11	144-160	10
U Turn	14	5	9	120-146	10
Billys Bbs	14	5	9	119-147	10
Int/l B'fly	16	4	12	124-180	8
Ld Nelson	12	3	9	99-129	6
Lzy Dz Gls	15	3	12	120-165	6
London	14	3	11	113-153	6
Red Bar	14	2	12	107-159	4

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 20 28/4/10

No Game v JW Black
Lazy Daze B v Billys
Headrock v Jungle Juice A
Limelight v King Bar Men
U Turn v Sabai
Lord Nelson v London Bar
King Bar Ladies v PP
Jungle Juice B v Red Bar
Billys Babes v Lazy Daze A
JW Red v Int/l Butterfly Bar

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Mr Dan's Hua Hin 8-Ball League Results

Week 11 21st April 2010

DicksB 5 - 7 LilleMan
MrDanA 8 - 4 Komhom
Pla's Place 3 - 9 Eagle Bar
Curly's Bar A v DicksA
No game Curly's Bar B

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Eagle Bar	10	9	1	0	58	19
MrDanA	10	8	0	2	28	16
LilleMan	10	7	0	3	4	14
Curly's A	8	4	1	3	6	9
Komhom	10	3	2	5	-4	8
Curly's B	9	3	2	4	-10	8
Pla's Place	10	2	2	6	-18	6
DicksB	10	1	2	7	-28	4
DicksA	9	0	2	7	-36	2

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 12 28th April 2010

Curly's Bar B v DicksB
Eagle Bar v Curly's Bar A
Komhom v Pla's Place
LilleMan v MrDanA
No game Dicks A

Mr Dan's Hua Hin 9-Ball League Results

Week 10 19th April 2010

Curly's Bar A 17 - 7 TNT Bar
Eagle Bar 19 - 6 Plas Place
LilleMan 11 - 13 Dicks B
Mr Dan A 11 - 12 Curly's Bar B
No game Dicks A

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Eagle Bar	9	8	0	1	77	16
Dicks B	9	6	0	3	14	12
LilleMan	9	5	1	3	-4	11
Mr Dan A	9	4	1	4	6	9
Plas Place	9	4	1	4	-30	9
Curly's A	9	4	0	5	-1	8
Curly's B	9	3	0	6	-12	6
Dicks A	8	2	2	4	-17	6
TNT Bar	9	1	1	7	-33	3

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 11 26th April 2010

Curly's Bar A v Dicks A
Dicks B v Mr Dan A
Plas Place v LilleMan
TNT Bar v Curly's Bar B
No game Eagle Bar

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Results Week 11 20th April

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Lucky Shot v Lazy Daze - n/a
JW Black v Scandic A 13-5
Oasis v Cat A 8-10
Jungle Juice v JW Red - n/a
Kom Hom v Paradise - n/a
Cat B v Scandic B 13-5
Kom Hom Ladies v Dicks B - n/a
Thai Waii v Jaew 10-9

Division 1 League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
JW Blck	9	8	1	0	127-35	17
Lazy Dz	9	6	1	2	104-54	13
Scan A	8	6	1	1	87-57	13
Oasis	8	6	0	2	92-52	12
CAT A	9	4	1	4	93-69	9
Paradise	9	4	1	4	87-75	9
CAT B	9	3	2	4	82-80	8
Lucky S	9	2	0	7	57-105	4
ThaiWai	9	1	1	7	43-119	3
JW Red	9	0	0	9	28-134	0

Division 2 League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
J Juice	9	9	0	0	124-38	18
Sabai	9	6	1	2	105-57	13
K H Ls	9	5	1	3	86-76	11
Jaew	9	5	0	4	105-57	10
Dicks B	8	4	1	3	74-70	9
Dicks A	9	4	0	5	78-84	8
KomHom	9	4	0	5	67-95	8
R'way T	8	3	0	5	50-84	6
Bobbys	9	2	1	6	64-98	5
Scan B	9	0	0	9	39-123	0

Next Week's Fixtures Week 12 27/04/2010

Division 1

Scandic Bar A v CAT A
Lazy Daze v JW Black
Paradise v Lucky Shot
JW Red v ThaiWaii
CAT B v Oasis

Division 2

Jaew v Dicks Office A
Kom Hom Ladies v Jungle Juice
Bobbys Bar v Railway Tavern
Sabai Bar v Kom Hom
Dicks Office B v Scandic Bar B

Individuals

Top 10 Division 1

	Name	Team	Pts
1	Ball	Cat A	187
2	Dicky	JWB	185
3	Martin	JWB	173
4	Hans	JWB	169
5	Mark	O	156
6	Noi	Cat B	141
7	Noom	P	136
8	Golf	SBA	126
9	Martin	LD	119
10	Joe	O	118

Top 6 Division 2

	Name	Team	Pts
1	Stuart	JJ	166
2	Oil	JJ	133
3	Lee	KHL	108
4	Jim	DOB	105
5	Muay	JB	99
6	Howard	KH	98

Hua Hin Golf Society

This week's results:

6th April - Black Mountain 43 Entrants - Stableford

Group 'A' 0-18 hcp 31 entrants

1st Jim Gilmour 40 pts 13 hcp. 2nd Michael Lausch 40 pts 9 hcp. 3rd Pekka Hogman 40 pts 10 hcp. 4th Karri Matti 38 pts 9 hcp. 5th Billy Porter 35 pts 13 hcp. 6th Eric Taylor 34 pts 16 hcp.

Group 'B' 19-36 hcp 12 entrants

1st Ben van Amelsvoort 38 pts 21 hcp. 2nd Yurthar Brook 35 pts 21 hcp. 3rd Jan Lyngam 32 pts 24 hcp. 4th Rob Darlow 31 pts 19 hcp. 5th Tien Pruden 31 pts 36 hcp. 6th Rob Pruden 26 pts 23 hcp.

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9th April - Eagle Milford 21 Entrants - 3 Person teams. Texas Scramble (7 teams)

1st Usko, Jua, Kirsi 62.7 hcp 4.3, 2nd Kari Matti, Pekka Hogman, Jon Lundgren 62.8 hcp 4.2, 3rd Wij, Timo, Michael Lausch 63.2 hcp 3.8, 4th Don Horton, Jean Claude, Rob Darlow 63.2 hcp 9.8, 5th Petra, Han, Berny 64.8 hcp 9.2, 6th Jaap, Peter Good (g) Ben Amelsvoort 66.7 hcp 11.3, 7th Peter Tydeman, John Rea, Garrett Olsen 70 hcp 12

Next week's fixtures:

Monday 26th Chiang Mai - Alpine
Tuesday 27th Chiang Mai - Highlands
Wednesday 28th Chiang Mai - Royal Chiang Mai

Butterfly Rock Golf

This week's results:

19th April Lake View A B - stableford 18 players

1st Andrew Dickson (9) 37pts, 2nd Peter Dunne (5) 37pts, 3rd Alan Rawson (15) 33pts

16th April 12 Players

1st Fred Kroll (21) 39 points, 2nd Steve O'Brien (12) 39 points, 3rd Andrew Dickson (9) 35 points

16th April Palm Hills - stableford 15 players

Front 9 21 pts Nid Byrne, Back 9 20 pts Rod Gretton, Overall 35 pts Nid Byrne. Rod Gretton. Phil Simons

April 14th Black Mountain - stableford 19 players

1st David Leaver (14) 35pts, 2nd Paul Williams (2) 34pts, 3rd Brian Humphries (18) 33pts

12th April Lake View AB - stableford 20 players

1st Andrew Dickson (9) 36pts, 2nd Craig Miller (5) 35pts, 3rd Deb Rawlings (34) 5pts, 4th Fred Kroll (21) 34pts, 5th David Leaver (14) 34pts

Forthcoming Fixtures

Mon April 26th Stableford at Lake View from 10am
Wed April 28th Stableford at Sawang from 10am
Friday May 1st - Palm Hills

Football Preview

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Saturday, 24 April 2010

Man Utd v Tottenham, 18:45

This should be a full blooded affair with both teams desperate for the win; United to keep the pressure on Chelsea, and Spurs to maintain their advantage for 4th place. Expect a better performance from the home side and a win.

Bolton v Portsmouth, 21:00

Bolton will probably regard themselves as safe, while Pompey are now just going through the motions before the FA Cup Final, although we suspect Grant will throw in some youngsters and gee up his team to be playing for their place there. Draw.

Hull v Sunderland, 21:00

Hull have really got to get a result here and next week at Wigan to have any chance of survival. Sunderland are safe and are very hit and miss at the moment, but have been a key element in who will survive in their last few matches. We suspect an unsatisfactory draw.

West Ham v Wigan, 21:00

With their vastly superior goal difference and good recent results, the Hammers have their fate in their own hands. A win here would put massive pressure on their opponents to get a win next week against Hull. Home win.

Wolves v Blackburn, 21:00

Wolves desperately need to pick up a win soon as while they have been getting creditable draws they really need to get more of a cushion to feel safe. However this has the distinct aroma of another draw in the making.

Arsenal v Man City, 23:30

This has the makings of a classic - Arsenal are nailed on for third place barring a massive upset while City are looking to be in the box seat for fourth place. Ironically they will be looking to arch rivals to help them get that against their own opponents nemesis. City to edge a thriller.

Premier League Table

	Team	P	GD	Pts
1	Chelsea	35	54	77
2	Man Utd	35	51	76
3	Arsenal	35	39	71
4	Tottenham	34	28	64
5	Man City	34	27	62
6	Aston Villa	35	15	61
7	Liverpool	35	24	59
8	Everton	35	9	54
9	Birmingham	35	-8	47
10	Fulham	34	-2	43
11	Stoke	34	-4	43
12	Blackburn	35	-16	43
13	Sunderland	35	-7	41
14	Bolton	35	-25	35
15	Wigan	35	-33	35
16	Wolverhampton	35	-23	34
17	West Ham	35	-19	31
18	Hull	35	-40	28
19	Burnley	35	-37	27
20	Portsmouth	35	-33	15

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Aston Villa v Birmingham, 18:00

Villa still have faint hopes of Champions League football next season but we think it will be the Europa League for them. This game will thus be all about local pride and bragging rights, and should be a thunderous affair. Sit on the fence time - draw.

Burnley v Liverpool, 21:00

It is hard to see Burnley getting enough points from their remaining matches to stay up, and today could, in theory, be the day that they are relegated, possibly regardless of this result. As it stands we think they will fight hard and get a draw.

Everton v Fulham, 21:00

Fulham will have all eyes focused on their Europa League semi final and fear of injury will probably deter the necessary full blooded performance required here. Everton win.

Chelsea v Stoke, 22:00

Stoke have far exceeded most expectations and can play with the freedom that comes with mid table safety. Chelsea have been struck by nerves recently and this will be edgy for them. A shock win for the away side.

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4	Mr ChaAming	66	1980
5	Huahindick	36	1955
6	Sorco United	63	1937
7	Wanderlust United	93	1868
8	Gusto Creative	57	1867
9	AWOL Wanderers	56	1839
10	Thailand Lover	33	1838

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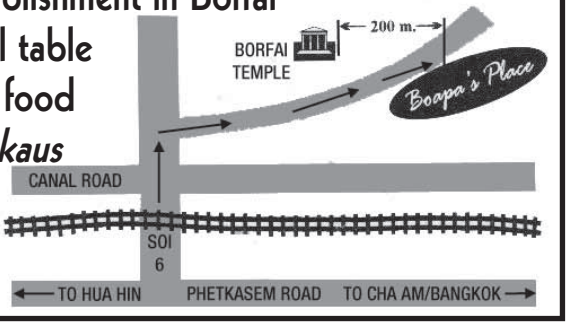

Blame It On The Ash!

EPL Managers find new ready made excuse

■ LONDON, ENGLAND

As the volcanic ash cloud emanating from Iceland wreaks havoc on the airline industry, failing Premier League managers leaped on the chance to have a new excuse for their team's poor results.

After the defeat at home against their city neighbours, Manchester City boss Roberto Mancini (below), said, "The match should have been abandoned; by the time that red haired fella scored my players couldn't see anything for all the dust in their eyes."

"Look boss, I've told you twice, take off that ridiculous bloody scarf!"

After suffering defeat in the London derby against Tottingham Hotflushes, Chelsea manager Carlo Ancellotti said that the red card received by his captain, John 'Mr Chelsea' Terry was a travesty caused by the ash cloud; "JTsey never touched him", he whined, "and it was a shadow from the cloud that the referee saw, not a studs up two footed lunge."

Another Italian manager feeling the effects of the ash was Gianfranco 'Mister Nice' Zola (below) as he

saw his team slump to defeat at Liverpool. "How issa I meant to deala witha thees - itta takea usa ninea hours to getta to Liverpool becausea we can'ta fly. And thena we forgetta de black armabands thatta we always havea to wear at Anfield - my players can'ta be expected to play under thosea conditiones." He then grinned like an inane chimp and added, "Butta everything issa OK and nice."

Having lost two games in a row and virtually ending their title hopes, it was unsurprising to see Arsene Winger jump on the ash bandwagon after his team's incredible collpase against Wigan. "My players were already devastated that they couldn't fly home to France and Spain for a couple of days, and zen ve have to go to ze armpit of ze vorld and are expected to be able to hold on to a two goal lead against a team worth less than Cesc Fabregas' big toe!"

When asked why he chose to play the simply hopeless Fabianski in goal as opposed to the slightly better Almunia, Wenger exploded, "Why, it was the ash of course!" and stormed off.

Fans and pundits are waiting with baited breath to see how Sir Alex Ferguson will manage to blame the ash if his side loses out in the title race, while in the Championship the Football League are awaiting legal action any day now from Sheffield United as they again blame anything other than themselves for their failure.

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