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A Helping Hand

Fun leads to funds for local orphanage

■ HUA HIN, THAILAND

Amid all the doom and gloom brought on by worldwide recession and currently the deadly clashes in Bangkok, it is heartwarming to be able to bring you a story that counterbalances all that.

Representatives from The Ball in Hand/Brunswick Pool League, went to The Mercy House Orphanage in Pranburi last week to donate Baht 40,000 for books and clothing for the new school year. In addition a TV and computer were donated by Bob Wright and Steve Geddis respectively, both Khao Takiap residents.

The funds were raised by donating all the league fees paid by the participating bars from the men's and ladies leagues, with some bars also having collection boxes. Sunset Boulevard in Khao Takiap raised over 24,000 Baht alone from its pool team and customers during the last 6 months. Keith Eck from the Ball in Hand in Bangkok, the league sponsor (far left) covers the costs of running the league.

The donations were gratefully received by the orphans who sang a 'Thank You' song in English and Thai to the representatives, Jim Morrisey (Oasis Bar) back second left, Bernie Gallacher (Garden Bar 2) third left, Bob Wright (TV) middle and Mike Smith, (Sunset Boulevard) far right.

The Orphanage is a privately run facility run by Khun Wichai and his family and houses 23 orphans between the ages of 7 and 17.

Mike Smith, league organizer said 'It was a very moving afternoon and I think it gives a real purpose to having a pool league. I really enjoyed myself today and we hope to be back later in the year to help with some more equipment needed by the kids.'

Anyone wishing to subscribe to the Mercy House Newsletter can contact Mike at mikesmiththailand@gmail.com; if you want to make a donation go to any of the bars in the Brunswick Ball in Hand Pool League (see pages 20/21).

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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

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Play with Megan Gale

Former supermodel who retired at the tender age of 33 in 2008, Megan Gale is trying to make her way as an actress and in the media, and it appeared as if she had a breakthrough when she was cast as Wonder Woman for George Miller's movie version of 'Justice League of America' but unfortunately for her (and us) the project has been put on hold. Perfect casting though...

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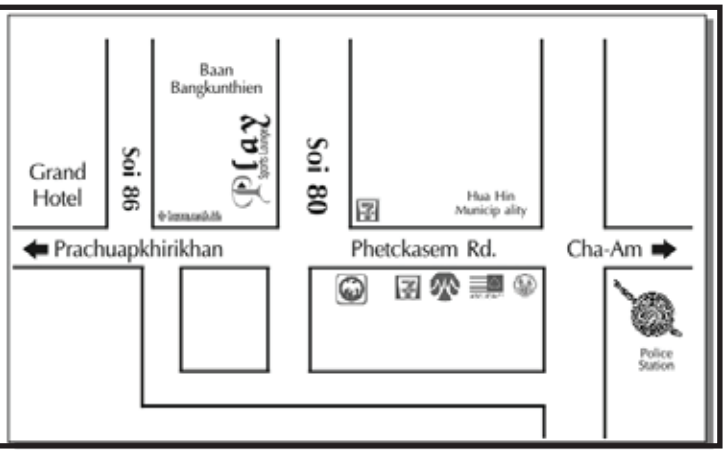

Weather, Money, Information

Local Forecast

Day	Conditions	Temp °C Low	High
Saturday	An afternoon t-storm or two	28	34
Sunday	An afternoon t-storm or two	28	34
Monday	A few showers in the morning	27	33
Tuesday	A couple of morning showers	28	32
Wednesday	Mostly cloudy with a shower	28	33
Thursday	A morning t-storm; cloudy	27	32
Friday	Cloudy and humid	27	33

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Amsterdam	6	20	Fine
Athens	15	24	T-storms
Auckland	9	17	Rain
Beijing	18	34	Cloudy
Berlin	10	19	Rain
Buenos Aires	12	21	Cloudy
Chicago	9	23	Cloudy
Copenhagen	12	18	Rain
Dubai	28	40	Clear
Dublin	11	19	Bright
Geneva	9	15	Cloudy
Helsinki	13	26	Clear
Ho Chi Minh	26	37	T-storms
Hong Kong	26	31	?T-storms
Islamabad	25	40	Clear
Jakarta	26	34	Rain
Jerusalem	13	22	Fine
Jo'burg	7	22	Fine
Karachi	26	38	Fine
Kuala L'pur	26	34	T-storms
London	15	23	Bright
Madrid	11	27	Fine
Manila	28	36	T-storms
Mexico City	12	29	Rain
Moscow	10	24	Fine
New Delhi	28	43	Fine
New York	13	27	Cloudy
Oslo	10	21	Clear
Paris	9	21	Cloudy
Perth	11	23	?Rain
Phnom-Penh	26	36	T-storms
Rio	17	24	Showers
Riyadh	27	43	Clear
Rome	9	20	Rain
San F'cisco	10	18	Cloudy
Singapore	26	34	T-storms
Stockholm	8	19	Sctd Clds
Sydney	12	18	Showers
Tokyo	19	29	Fine
Vientiane	25	36	?T-storms
Yangon	26	35	T-storms
Zurich	7	12	Rain

Exchange Rates

At Thursday 20th May 2010 (mid-market rates)

Currency	Value (Baht)
US Dollar	31.07
Pound Sterling	45.14
Euro	38.55
Japanese Yen	34.37
Malaysian Ringgit	9.09
Singapore Dollar	22.63
Brunei Dollar	22.08
Chinese Yuan	4.21
Indonesian Rupiah	2.04
Indian Rupee	0.605
Korean Won	0.0235
Australian Dollar	26.79
New Zealand Dollar	21.55
Swiss Franc	27.4
Danish Krone	5
Norwegian Krone	4.85
Swedish Krona	3.89
Canadian Dollar	30.19
UAE Dirham	7.04
Bahrain Dinar	57.57
Omani Rial	56.76
Qatar Riyal	6.94

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032 532 576 to 585
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Hua Hin Tessabahn 032 511 047
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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.... **If you can't stand the heat, get out of the kitchen**

Don't persist with a task if the pressure of it is too much for you. The implication being that, if you can't cope, you should leave the work to someone who can.

This is widely reported as being coined by US President Harry S. Truman. That's almost correct, but in fact Truman was known to have used it at least as early as 1942 - before becoming president.

Here's a citation from an Idaho newspaper The Soda Springs Sun, from July that year:

"Favorite rejoinder of Senator Harry S. Truman, when a member of his war contracts investigating committee objects to his strenuous pace: 'If you don't like the heat, get out of the kitchen'."

He used a version slightly nearer the one most often used nowadays, in 1949, after becoming president, when warning his staff not to concern themselves over criticism about their appointments:

"I'll stand by [you] but if you can't take the heat, get out of the kitchen."

Truman was well-known as a plain-speaker, in a way that politicians in our more media-sensitive age rarely are. This was celebrated by Merle Miller, who published a set of interviews with him - called Plain Speaking: An Oral Biography of Harry S. Truman, in 1974.

It includes this unambiguous gem, which would hardly get past the presidential spin-machine these days:

"I didn't fire him [General MacArthur] because he was a dumb son of a bitch, although he was, but that's not against the law for generals. If it was, half to three quarters of them would be in jail."

The other phrase associated with Truman that has entered our language is 'the buck stops here'.

Another linguistic quirk concerning Truman is the spelling of his name. The 'S' isn't short for anything - it is just 'S', and by normal grammatical convention it wouldn't be followed by a full stop (period). Truman always signed his name with a full stop though.

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Weird News

■ LAKE GARDA, ITALY

Brits float across Lake Garda in a bouncy castle

A dream trip for some might be kayaking down the Amazon or hot air ballooning across Africa – but for one trio of young men it was paddling across Lake Garda in a bouncy castle.

The three realised what we imagine was a childhood dream in a leisurely two hours – paddling and sometimes just letting the following wind carry them on the 8km (five-mile) trip.

And if the Londoners hadn't already turned enough heads in their tailor-made red and yellow castle, they managed to gatecrash an international sailing regatta during their attempt.

Trainee solicitor Jack Watkins, 25, and engineers Chris Hayes, 24, and Dave Sibley, 25, all from Clapham, south London, are now the first 'sailors' to cross the lake on such a vessel.

'Great Britain has such a great tradition as a seafaring nation and we really feel we have played no role at all in adding to this,' admitted intrepid waterman Mr Hayes. 'That said, it was possibly the most fun we have ever had and we really never believed this most frivolous of dreams would ever be realised,' he added.

Their bizarre journey was made possible as part of carmaker Honda's Live Every Litre project.

The manufacturer has given people a chance to live their dream trips for a documentary, with those picked being filmed travelling around in its new Honda CR-Z hybrid coupe.

■ BEIJING, CHINA

Chinese man Wang Mou 'posed as a woman and married men for money'

A man has been arrested in China for allegedly posing as a woman in order to marry men for their money. 18-year-old Wang Mou had reportedly married three men already this year.

The Dahe Daily reported that after getting married, Wang subsequently fled with the engagement money. Wang reportedly got into the marriage scam when, in February, a woman who had promised to find him a job instead sold him as a wife.

'She cheated me, but I found a chance to escape then realized I could use the same shortcut to make some money,' Wang said.

'A lot of people mistake me for a woman on first sight,' Wang added.

After the first marriage, he then sold himself, with the help of an accomplice, to two further men for £1,000 a time.

He was caught after fleeing on the day of the third wedding by local women, who turned him over to the police when they realised he was a man.

AWOL Sudoku

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Puzzle 1 (Easy)

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Puzzle 2 (Hard)

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		3						7
7	4		9					

Last week's solutions

Puzzle 1

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

Puzzle 2

5	4	1	6	7	2	8	9	3
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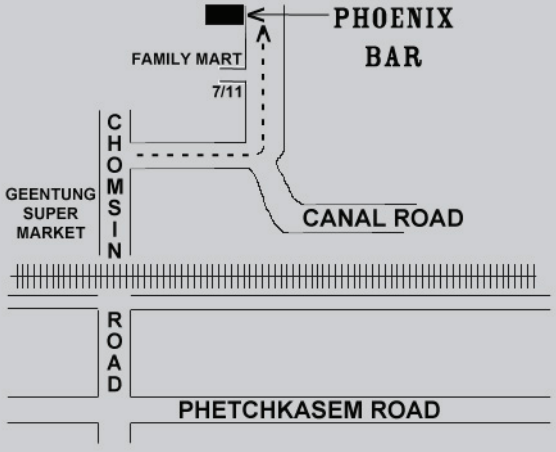

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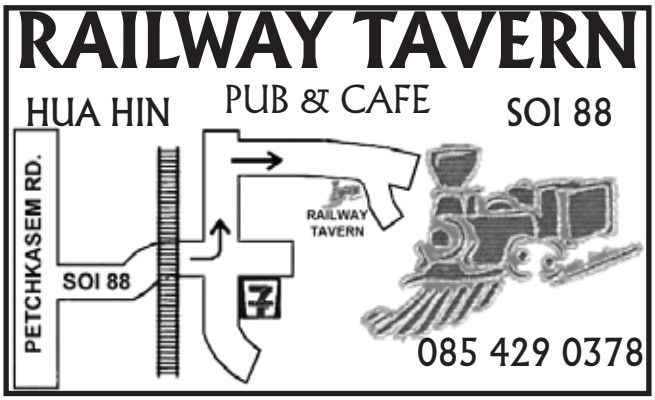

POPE VISITS CORNWALL

One day the Pope was visiting the UK and after a rough week of meeting Archbishops and other religious figures, he decided to go down to Cornwall.
When he arrives in his popemobile he sees a man in the water, struggling for his life aginst a shark. Upon a closer look he notices that it is Gordon Brown.
Horrified he starts to call for help when a speedboat stops alongside Gordon, with David Cameron and Nick Clegg on board. Nick leans over and pulls him out. Then Cameron and Clegg begin to beat the shark to death with baseball bats.
The two men notice the Pope and land the boat on the beach.
The Pope says to them, "I know that there has been a lot of attention and a lot of strife in this election but I can see that you men respect each other and would help each other in their hour of need. You have my blessings"
Then the Pope backs up and drives out of sight.
Cameron asks, "Who the hell was that?"
"That was the Pope Mr Prime Minister, he is all knowing, in touch with God and the Leader of the Catholic Church," said Nick.
David says, "Well that's all very well but he doesn't know a thing about shark fishing. How's the bait holding up?"

THE CORRECT WAY TO CALL THE POLICE

George Phillips , an elderly man, from Meridian, Mississippi,was going up to bed, when his wife told him that he'd left the light on in the garden shed, which she could see from the bedroom window. George opened the back door to go turn off the light, but saw that there were people in the shed stealing things.
He phoned the police, who asked "Is someone in your house?"
He said "No, but some people are breaking into my garden shed and stealing from me."
Then the police dispatcher said "All patrols are busy. You should lock your doors and an officer will be along when one is available.."
George said, "Okay."
He hung up the phone and counted to 30. Then he phoned the police again.
"Hello,I just called you a few seconds ago because there were people stealing things from my shed.. Well, you don't have to worry about them now because I just shot and killed them both, the dogs are eating them right now." and he hung up.
Within five minutes, six Police Cars, a SWAT Team,a Helicopter, two Fire Trucks, a Paramedic, and an Ambulance showed up at the Phillips' residence, and caught the burglars red-handed.
One of the Policemen said to George , "I thought you said that you'd shot them!"
George said, "I thought you said there was nobody available!"

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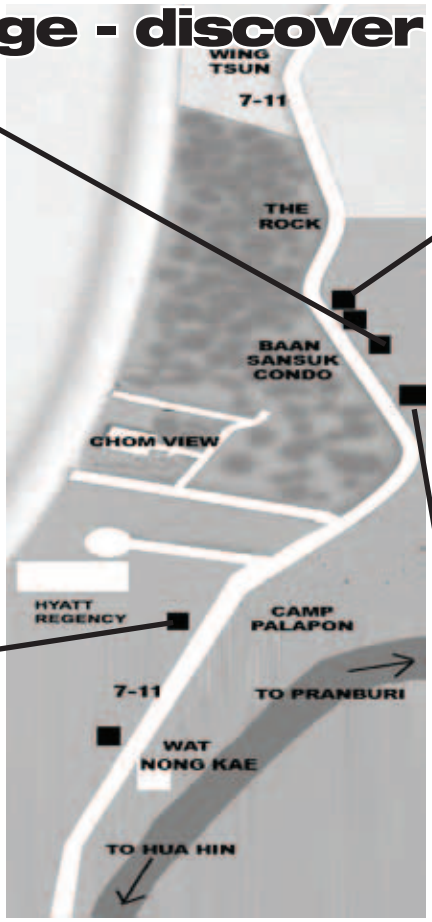

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Capricorn Dec 22 - Jan 19
It may be years before your coworkers treat you with respect again, but it will have been worth it for the brief time spent inside the panda suit.

Aquarius Jan 20 – Feb 18
Please stop referring to your bouts of gastrointestinal flatulence as "turning on the ol' wind farm." That's not helping anyone.

Pisces Feb 19 – Mar 20
You've never thought of yourself as an innovator in livestock genetics, as you have regular sex with them just like anybody else.

Aries Mar 21 – Apr 20
Enlightenment and confusion will both be yours this week, when a tree falls in the woods only to make the sound of one hand clapping.

Taurus Apr 21 – May 21
After years of zoological study and careful consideration, you've decided that what separates us from the animals is a clever system of ditches and barriers.

Gemini May 22 – June 21
Bowing to public pressure, manufacturers will soon introduce a new version of you that's both environmentally friendly and completely free of pesticides.

Cancer Jun 22 – Jul 22
Wilderness sports may be growing in popularity, but people are not yet ready to appreciate your expertise at trout-shotgunning.

Leo Jul 23 – Aug 22
Children are our the world's greatest natural resource. Keep a stockpile of them in your basement in the event of an emergency.

Virgo Aug 23 – Sep 22
There's something the stars have been meaning to tell you about elephants, but you'll soon find out for yourself.

Libra Sep 23 – Oct 23
Plastic bags can wreak havoc on the environment, especially if like you, people keep using them to suffocate trees.

Scorpio Oct 24 – Nov 21
And to think you laughed when your high-school yearbook named you Most Likely To Be Responsible For The Extinction Of The Frigate Bird.

Sagittarius Nov 22 – Dec 21
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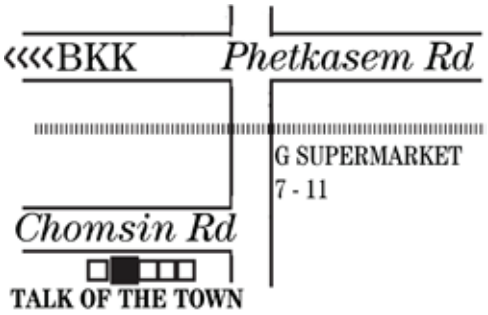

World Cup Bribery Scandal
Triesman loses job for saying Russians are corrupt

■ LONDON, ENGLAND

Lord David Triesman was forced to resign as chairman of the Football Association and England's 2018 World Cup bid for saying something that experts have officially recognised as a fully qualified replacement for the Pope-Catholic/Bear-Having-a-Shit paradigm.

Professor Henry Brubaker of the Institute for Studies, said: "Given the ongoing destruction of bear habitats and the fact that the Pope is mentally incompetent, we now believe that 'Do Russians Like Bribery?' is - in terms of statistical probability - a far more robust proposition."

He added: "In fact, during that last sentence I received a text message from my opposite number at the Institutski for Studskies offering me £250,000 to shut my face."

A spokesman for the Russian Football Association said: "I would be to giving you a statement, but most unfortunately I find myself facing some shortness this month in terms of the cash money.

"If we could please be finding your way to handing me nice plastic shopping bag filled with 50,000 dollars American. Also, my wife will be very much requiring to need a ticket to see Mr Michael Bublé at The Royal Albert's Hall, while my daughter is keen to be enjoying from you a pair of the most groovy blue jeans."

There are growing fears the Triesman outburst could scupper England's World Cup bid, while experts warned that the Russians would now be forced to double the size of their bribes.

But a senior Fifa insider stressed: "If I was English I'd worry a bit less about some puffed up little bureaucrat trying to impress his latest hump and a bit more about the fact that your country is still full of morons who love to get drunk and knock seven bells out of foreigners."

Tom Logan, football corruption analyst at Donnelly-McPartlin, said: "The key mistake Lord Triesman made was accusing the Spaniards of bribery. What he should have said was, 'the Russians are bribing the referees while the Spaniards are going to stick half a dozen little spears into their backs before thrusting a sword between their shoulder blades in front of a crowd of baying savages who take three days to bring you a cup of coffee when they're not trying to screw your wife.

"That would have been absolutely fine."

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Don't Miss This Week

- **'Sudsakorn, a Thai Musical' @Vic Hua Hin. Started Saturday 15 May, running through 12 June.** A new show by Patravadi Theatre featuring a classic Thai epic poem set to Western style music. The title character, the son of the mermaid, is sent on a magical quest to find his father. Sort of like Finding Nemo. Shows start at 7:30pm, with warm-up music by the Hua Hin Sound Cloud Project at 6:30. Tickets: 1000B, 800B, 500B (Full-time Students 150B) are available at www.totalreservation.com, hotline 02833 5555, and at the venue. Vic Hua Hin Theatre, near the Centennial Park on Petchkasem Road in Nongkae. *http://www.vichuahin.com*. Tel. 032 817 815. (Promotional poster shown below)

Upcoming

- **Hua Hin Jazz Festival.** Friday 18th to Sunday 20th June. Check out the AWOL website (www.awolonline.net/hhlive.html) for the full schedule, although this is still liable to change; international headliners are Lee Ritenour, Eric Marienthal, Jeff Lorber and Jimmy Haslip.

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

- **CLOSED FOR THE SEASON.** With the exodus of players and audience for the low season, Hua Hin's vibrant jazz jam scene is quiescent, after attaining unprecedented popularity. Look for things to kick up again around late November. Until then, KEEP THE FAITH BABY!

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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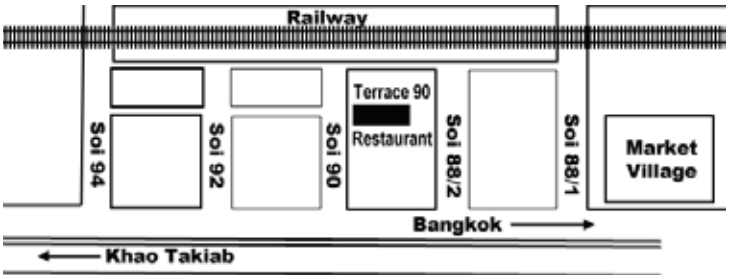

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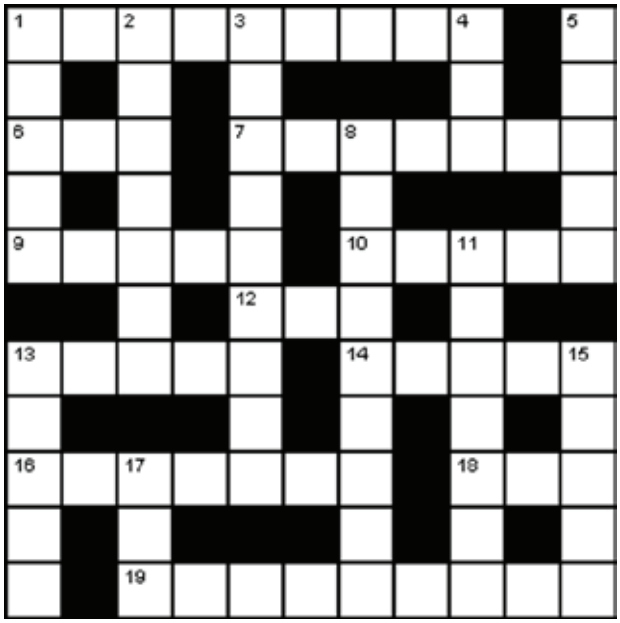

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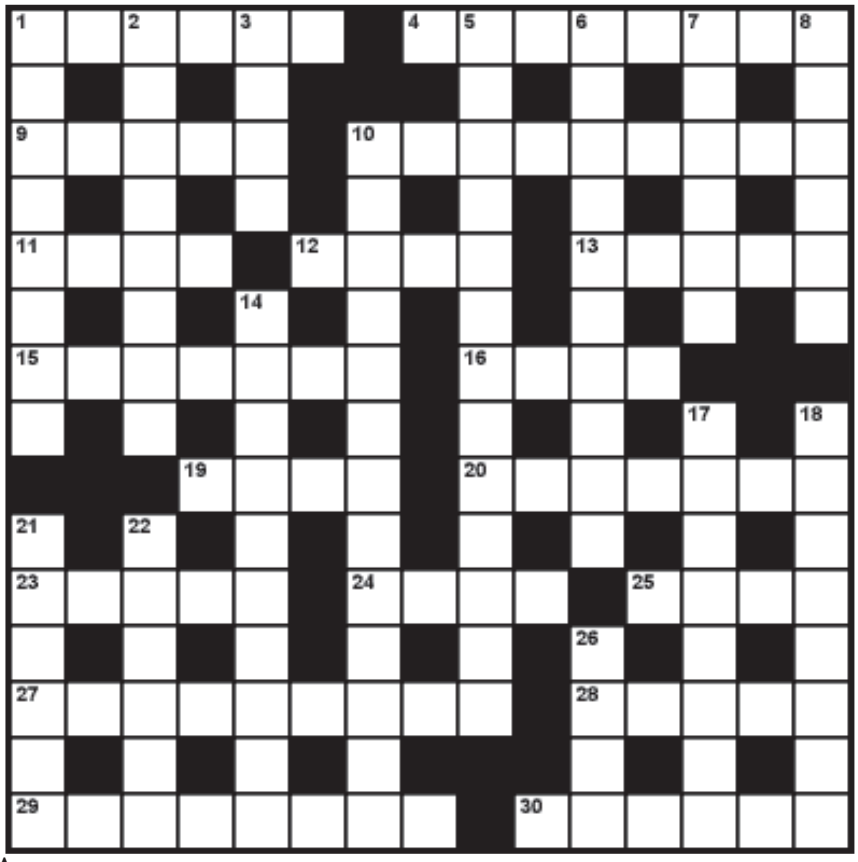

Across

1 Raged wildly at student's top marks (6)
4 Mother's in room with new astronaut (8)
9 You French left - number's up for plant (5)
10 I'm graduate with weapon, showing lack of stability (9)
11 Impel University to return example of Romeo (4)
12 Big creature I follow still (4)
13 Common for University to be taken in by American gangster? (5)
15 Joint broadcasts before Blimp, say (7)
16 A fellow in church and small restaurant (4)
19 At one time in lemon centre (4)
20 Gets the hang of degree (7)
23 Solver reportedly wise to follow custom (5)
24 Remain at rest (4)
25 Daughter left equipment to go back (4)
27 Ely's Abbot disturbed one working with horses (6-3)
28 To be part of hex is terrifying! (5)
29 Held back wait in colour (8)
30 Go to serve (6)

Down

1 "Ultra" gut could make you throaty (8)
2 Symbolic narrative is completely bloody, including egghead (8)
3 Partly moves python's spot (4)
5 Ban Olympic cup making this sort of business (6,7)
6 Will not run quickly after shade (10)
7 Bold human - fully? Only in part (6)
8 Require the French irritation (6)
10 In exile, without iron, taking bottle opener that cannot be described (13)
14 Brown bread rises under probability (10)
17 Certain new feed in it (8)
18 Is nothing dead? Dead when apart (8)
21 S.U. Bar collapses - with last hammer from treasurer (6)
22 Pester donkey after injury (almost) (6)
26 Starts to desperately evade bank, taking what one owes (4)

The solution to this puzzle is on page 20.

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Pool Leagues

Ball In Hand Brunswick Hua Hin & Khao Takiab Ladies League Results
Week 4 17th May 2010
Bob and Nok's 6 - 6 Garden Bar 2
Bobbys Bangers 5 - 7 Happy Tav
Sports Bar 2 - 10 Railway Tavern
Sunset B'd 7 - 5 Lord Webb
Thaiwaii 4 - 8 Kom Hom

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Kom Hom	4	4	0	0	12	8
Sunset B'd	4	3	0	1	4	6
Bob / Nok's	3	2	1	0	6	5
Garden 2	4	2	1	1	2	5
Railway T	3	2	0	1	12	4
Dara Bar	3	2	0	1	6	4
Happy Tav	2	1	0	1	-2	2
Lord Webb	3	0	1	2	-8	1
Sports Bar	4	0	1	3	-12	1
Talk / Town	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bobbys Bs	3	0	0	3	-10	0
Thaiwaii	3	0	0	3	-10	0

Next Week's Fixtures
Week 5 24th May 2010
Talk of the Town v Sports Bar
Garden Bar 2 v Bobbys Bangers
Happy Tavern v Dara Bar
Kom Hom v Bob and Nok's
Railway Tavern v Sunset Boulevard
Lord Webb v Thaiwaii

Hua Hin Pool Billiard League Results
Matchday 19 14th May 2010
Braze Head Tat 4 - 4 Queens Flower
Dick's Office A 2 - 6 Thaiwaii Bar
Eagle A 8 - 0 Dick's Office B
JW Red 2 - 6 Lucky Shot Students
Lucky Shot B 3 - 5 Eagle B
Oasis 6 - 2 JW Black
Sugar Cane 5 - 3 Lucky Shot A
Sunset B'd 7 - 1 Return Bar

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	Diff.	Pts
Eagle A	19	15	2	2	80	32
Lucky Shot Students	19	14	2	3	52	30
Oasis	19	13	2	4	44	28
Queens Flower Bar	19	12	3	4	44	27
Lucky Shot A	19	12	3	4	42	27
Braze Head Tattoo	19	10	5	4	30	25
Thaiwaii Bar	19	10	3	6	14	23
Johnnie Walker Black	19	10	2	7	16	22
Eagle B	19	10	2	7	8	22
Sunset Boulevard	19	8	3	8	4	19
Johnnie Walker Red	19	5	3	11	-28	13
Sugar Cane	19	5	2	12	-30	12
Lucky Shot B	19	4	1	14	-32	9
Dick's Office B	19	3	1	15	-72	7
Dick's Office A	19	2	2	15	-78	6
Return Bar	19	1	0	18	-94	2

This Week's Fixtures
Matchday 20 21st May 2010
Dick's B v Lucky Shot Students
Eagle A v Eagle B
JW Red v Queens Flower Bar
Lucky Shot A v Braze Head Tattoo
Lucky Shot B v Oasis
Return Bar v Dick's Office A
Sugar Cane v Sunset Boulevard
Thaiwaii Bar v JW Black

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Next Week's Fixtures
Matchday 21 28th May 2010
Dick's Office A v JW Red
Eagle B v Sugar Cane
JW Black v Braze Head Tattoo
Lucky Shot A v Thaiwaii Bar
Lucky Shot Students v Eagle A
Oasis v Return Bar
Queens Flower Bar v Lucky Shot B
Sunset Boulevard v Dick's Office B

Cryptic Crossword Solution

G	R	A	D	E	S	■	S	P	A	C	E	M	A	N
U	■	L	■	S	■	■	■	U	■	O	■	A	■	E
T	U	L	I	P	■	I	M	B	A	L	A	N	C	E
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Pool Leagues

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Ball In Hand Brunswick Hua Hin & Khao Takiab League Results

Week 5 19th May 2010

Dizzy Dolphin Bar 6 - 12 Dara Bar
Garden 2 10 - 8 Bobby's Bangers
Oasis Bar 13 - 5 Bob and Nok's
Play Sports Lounge 10 - 8 Thaiwaii
Railway Tavern 4 - 14 Sunset B'd
Sports Bar 9 - 9 TNT Bar

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Play Sports	5	4	0	1	24	8
Dara Bar	5	4	0	1	20	8
Oasis Bar	5	3	1	1	18	7
Sunset B'd	5	3	0	2	16	6
Thaiwaii	5	2	2	1	8	6
Garden 2	5	2	2	1	2	6
Railway T	5	2	1	2	2	5
Bobby's Bs	5	2	0	3	2	4
Bob / Nok's	5	2	0	3	-14	4
Dizzy Dolp	5	1	1	3	-12	3
Sports Bar	5	0	2	3	-18	2
TNT Bar	5	0	1	4	-48	1

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 6 26th May 2010

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

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Hua Hin Social Pool League Results

Week 23 19/5/10

Billys Babes v No Game
London Bar v Headrock n/a
King Bar Men v JW Black n/a
Int/l Butterfly 13 - 6 King Ladies
JW Red 7 - 12 Jungle Juice B
Jungle Juice A 11 - 8 Billys
Lazy Daze A 10 - 9 Lord Nelson
PP 12 - 7 Limelight
Red Bar 7 - 12 U-Turn
Sabai 11 - 8 Lazy Daze B

League Table

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
PP	22	19	3	104	38
Jung Juice B	22	19	3	80	38
Sabai	22	14	8	44	28
Jung Juice A	21	14	7	33	28
Billys	20	13	7	40	26
King Men	20	13	7	29	26
JW Red	20	12	8	44	24
Limelight	19	11	8	14	22
JW Black	18	11	7	14	22
Lazy Daze A	21	10	11	0	20
U-Turn	19	9	10	-23	18
Headrock	20	8	12	-20	16
Int/l B'fly	22	8	14	-48	16
London Bar	19	7	12	-23	14
King Ladies	22	6	16	-52	12
Lazy Daze B	21	5	16	-58	10
Billy's Babes	20	5	15	-60	10
Red Bar	20	5	15	-64	10
Lord Nelson	18	4	14	-54	8

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 24 26/5/10

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

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Mr Dan's Hua Hin 8-Ball League Results

Week 14 19th May 2010

Curly's Bar B 6 - 6 Pla's Place
DicksB 4 - 8 MrDanA
Komhom 6 - 6 DicksA
LilleMan 6 - 6 Curly's Bar A
No game Eagle Bar

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Eagle Bar	12	11	1	0	72	23
MrDanA	13	11	0	2	42	22
LilleMan	12	7	1	4	-4	15
Komhom	13	5	3	5	0	13
Curly's A	12	5	2	5	-2	12
Curly's B	12	4	3	5	-8	11
Pla's Place	12	2	3	7	-20	7
DicksB	12	1	2	9	-36	4
DicksA	12	0	3	9	-44	3

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 15 26th May 2010

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

Mr Dan's Hua Hin 9-Ball League Results

Week 12 17th May 2010

Curly's Bar A 10 - 15 LilleMan
Dicks A 7 - 16 Eagle Bar
Plas Place 9 - 15 Curly's Bar B
TNT Bar 14 - 12 Dicks B
No game Mr Dan A

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Eagle Bar	11	10	0	1	87	20
LilleMan	11	7	1	3	3	15
Dicks B	12	6	0	6	0	12
Mr Dan A	10	5	1	4	16	11
Curly's B	12	5	0	7	-9	10
Dicks A	11	4	2	5	-20	10
Plas Place	11	4	1	6	-38	9
Curly's A	12	4	0	8	-10	8
TNT Bar	12	3	1	8	-29	7

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 13 24th May 2010

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

Darts Leagues

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Results Week 15 18/05/2010

Division 1

CAT B 8 - 10 Paradise
JW Red 2 - 16 Scandic Bar A
Lucky Shot 13 - 5 JW Black
Oasis 10 - 8 Lazy Daze
Thaiwaii 6 - 12 CAT A

Division 2

Dick's Office B 12 - 6 Bobby's Bar
Kom Hom 10 - 8 Dick's Office A
Railway Tavern 0 - 18 Jungle Juice
Sabai Bar 5 - 13 Jaew Bar
Scandic B 3 - 15 Kom Hom Ladies

Division 1 League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
JW Black	13	9	2	2	96	20
Scandic A	13	9	2	2	64	20
Oasis	13	9	0	4	58	18
CAT A	13	8	1	4	46	17
Lazy Daze	13	7	1	5	20	15
Paradise	13	6	1	6	12	13
CAT B	13	4	2	7	-28	10
Lucky Shot	13	5	0	8	-42	10
Thaiwaii	13	3	1	9	-90	7
JW Red	13	0	0	13	-136	0

Division 2 League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Jungl Juice	13	13	0	0	148	26
Sabai Bar	13	8	1	4	56	17
Jaew Bar	13	8	0	5	56	16
KomH Ldys	12	7	1	4	12	15
Dick's B	13	7	1	5	10	15
Kom Hom	12	7	0	5	-14	14
R'way Tav	13	5	0	8	-68	10
Dick's A	13	4	0	9	-34	8
Bobby's	13	2	2	9	-50	6
Scandic B	13	0	1	12	-116	1

Next Week's Fixtures Quarter Final Cup 25/05/2010

CAT A v CAT B

Kom Hom Ladies v Paradise

JW Black v Lucky Shot

ThaiWaii v Jungle Juice

Individuals

Top 10 Division 1

	Name	Team	Pts
1	Ball	Cat A	289
2	Dicky	JWB	246
3	Mark	O	238
4	Golf	SBA	214
5	Martin	JWB	207
6	Joe	O	191
7	Noom	P	188
8	Noi	Cat B	173
9	Hans	JWB	169
10	Cop	SBA	161

Top 6 Division 2

	Name	Team	Pts
1	Stuart	JJ	261
2	Oil	JJ	226
3	Pob	JB	140
4	Muay	JB	139
5	Jim	DOB	127
6	Nam	BB	125

Hua Hin Golf Society

This week's results:

18th May - Lake View One Group Only Group 0-36 hcp 34 entrants Stableford Competition

1st Berny Morgan 37 points 21 hcp. 2nd Bob Deasey 36 points 15 hcp. 3rd Bob Hilling 36 points 14 hcp. 4th Michael Lausch 34 points 9 hcp. 5th Don Horton 34 points 16 hcp. 6th Jill Moore 34 points 14 hcp.

Nearest Pin No. 8 Colin Devonshire, No. 17 Peter Tydeman

14th May - Majestic Creek One Group Only Group 0-36 hcp 18 entrants Stableford Competition

1st Hans Van Der Voort 39 points 29 hcp. 2nd Ayyub Mian 36 points 14 hcp. 3rd Michael Lausch 36 points 9 hcp. 4th Sheila Bird 36 points 24 hcp. 5th Kari Matti 35 points 8 hcp. 6th Berny Morgan 34 points 21 hcp.

Next week's fixtures:

May 2010

Tue 25th Black Mountain 10:30 2 Ball Best Ball Stableford

Fri 28th Kaeng Krachan 7:45 Stableford

Butterfly Rock Golf

This week's results:

17th May Lake View AB - stableford 17 players

1st - Paul Williams (2) - 39pts
2nd - Mike Lord (11) - 37pts
3rd - John Anstee (21) - 37pts

14th May Lake View CD - stableford 12 players

1st - Andrew Dickson (7) - 35 points
2nd - Dick Owen (4) - 33 points
3rd - Martin Lewis (16) - 31 points

14th May Palm Hills - stableford 9 players

Front 9 - 19 pts - Rod Gretton. Brian Humphries
Back 9 - 18 pts - Brian Humphries
Overall - 37 pts - Brian Humphries

12th May Palm Hills - stableford 10 players

1st - Pak Soontornmanee (26) - 37pts
2nd - Nid Byrne (19) - 36pts
3rd - Jim Lynch (21) - 28pts

Forthcoming Fixtures

Mon May 24th Stableford at Lake View AB from 10am
Wed May 26th Stableford at Black Mountain (Blue Tees) from 12.00
Friday May 28th - Palm Hills

World Cup 2010

With only three weeks to go to the start of the 2010 World Cup (11th June), AWOL is going to devote this page to the tournament, with every week bringing previews, news, information, fixtures and results.

This week we are going to look at half of the groups, A to D, and next week groups E to H, and try to predict the outcomes.

Group A - France, Mexico, South Africa and Uruguay

No fix of the draw in favour of the hosts as they have a very tough task to even get a point, let alone qualify. Tough to pick the favourites to go through though, as none of the other three were sparkling. However on paper France and Mexico seem to have the pedigree and experience required.

Fixtures (all times Thai)

11 June 2010
South Africa v Mexico 21.00
12 June 2010
Uruguay v France 01.30
17 June 2010
South Africa v Uruguay 01.30
18 June 2010
France v Mexico 01.30
22 June 2010
Mexico v Uruguay 21.00
France v South Africa 21.00

Group B - Argentina, Greece, Nigeria and South Korea

Another group that is likely to be close, and again none of these sides really shone in qualifying, although neither Korea nor Nigeria lost a game, but both were in relatively easy groups.Argentina have looed all over the place while both they and Greece only just squeaked in at the last. However our picks are Argentina and Nigeria.

Fixtures (all times Thai)

12 June 2010
Korea Republic v Greece 18.30
Argentina v Nigeria 21.00
17 June 2010
Argentina v Korea Republic 18.30
Greece v Nigeria 21.00
23 June 2010
Nigeria v Korea Republic 01.30
Greece v Argentina 01.30

Group C - Algeria, England, Slovenia and USA

Probably the easiest group that England could have wanted, although they will have to be wary of the relative unknowns of Slovenia. England and Slovenia are our picks to qualify.

Fixtures (all times Thai)

13 June 2010
England v United States 01.30
Algeria v Slovenia 18.30
18 June 2010
Slovenia v United States 21.00
19 June 2010
England v Algeria 01.30
23 June 2010
Slovenia v England 21.00
United States v Algeria 21.00

Group D - Australia, Germany, Ghana and Serbia

Another tight group and there will be some excellent players on view here. All these teams qualified with ease, but both Germany and Ghana will be missing key players in Ballack and Essien. Perennial dark horses Serbia look to have a strong squad and we are picking them and Germany to make it.

Fixtures (all times Thai)

13 June 2010
Serbia v Ghana 21.00
14 June 2010
Germany v Australia 01.30
18 June 2010
Germany v Serbia 18.30
19 June 2010
Ghana v Australia 21.00
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Ghana v Germany 01.30
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All you have to do after registering free is pick a team consisting of 1 goalkeeper, 4 defenders, 3 midfielders and 3 strikers. You have no budget to worry about, but you are initially only permitted to pick 1 player from any of the represented countries.

You are able to make as many changes to your teams lineup as you like, as often as you like, leading up to the start of the championships. However, as soon as the first game kicks off all teams in the competition will be frozen. On completion of the Group stage, each team will be permitted to make up to 5 transfers in total throughout the remainder of the tournament.

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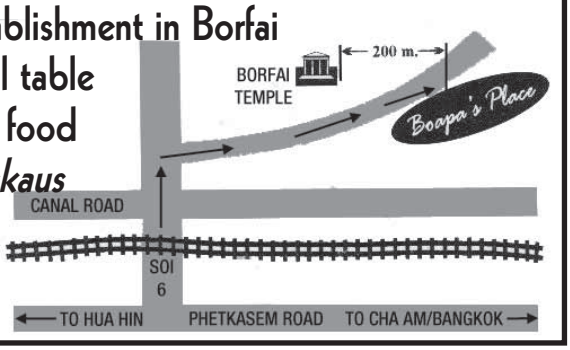


CAPELLO NAMES PROVISIONAL EXCUSES

■ LONDON, ENGLAND

ENGLAND manager Fabio Capello has announced his provisional list of 30 excuses for crashing out of the World Cup in June. This will be whittled down to 23 after a series of friendlies establish which of them sound the most convincing and hopefully involve the Germans.

Capello said: "England has a great history of international footballing buck-passing and I'm confident we have a golden generation of limp rationalisations involving refereeing decisions. Blaming somebody else is coming home."

The squad of excuses contained no surprises, although 'Debilitating erections caused by dreams of Trevor Brooking' was an unexpected late inclusion. Meanwhile 'Exhaustion after a long league campaign screaming at referees for awarding a throw-in' is aiming to appear in its fourth World Cup and 'Being distracted by the thought of screwing everybody else's wife' was named captain as expected.

Capello said the squad was good enough to aim for a reason why they did not reach the semi-finals and would be disappointed if it had to trot out the same pathetic old crap in the group stages.

But he warned that England's group C opponents had some outstanding excuses of their own, adding: "America will use its 'Terrible domestic league' early in the game while Algeria will look to utilise 'Being partially French' which generally explains all manner of awfulness.

"But personally I am very excited that playing a World Cup on the African continent gives us our first ever opportunity to build a dynamic and unstoppable excuse based on 'antelopes'."

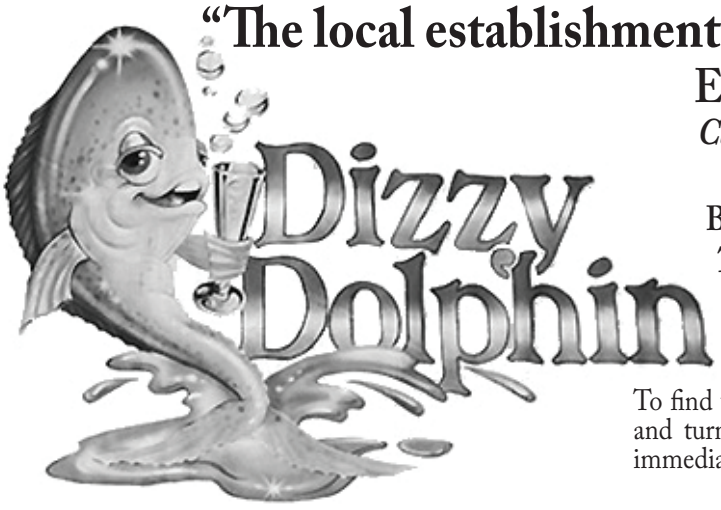
World Champs England to trial use of English players

■ LONDON, ENGLAND

Following their success in the Twenty20 World Cup final, new world champions England have announced the next step in their development will include the use of players born in England.

'England' beat Australia in the final of the competition by 7 wickets and with 3 overs remaining thanks in no small part to sort-of-English run scorers Pietersen, Kieswetter and Morgan. However, critics of the side have pointed out that a victory using players about as English as Robert Mugabe is not the same as one using home grown talent. An ECB spokesperson responded to the criticism telling us, "Just look at our name, we are the 'England and Wales Cricket Board', so we have a long and proud history of using the talent from other countries to our own advantage. Yes, we considered a name change to 'South Afengland and Ireland', but we have decided our long term aims are better served by going with the more risky option of selecting players that are actually English. I just hope the fans are ready to accept the fact that we're going to be truly awful during this transitional phase in our development."

The trial use of English players in the England team is to begin almost immediately, with South African England coach Tim Flower telling reporters there is now a "solid base from which to build". He said, "Did you know that 9% of our runs in the final were scored by English born players, so that is obviously a solid base from which to build. We want that figure as high as 25% by the next tournament with the long term aim to see over 50% of runs scored by the England cricket team scored by an English player. And I can assure you, that despite what you might think having heard his post-match interviews, Paul Collingwood is 100% definitely English."



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