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San Miguel are new sponsors of darts and pool

■ HUA HIN, THAILAND

In a deal that has taken several months to conclude, San Miguel were this week announced as the new sponsors of the Hua Hin Darts League and the Hua Hin Social Pool League.

A statement from the pool and darts league organisers read:

"San Miguel have agreed to sponsor both the Hua Hin Darts League and Hua Hin Social Pool League with immediate effect (Editors note: The teams involved can be seen in the tables on pages 21 and 22).

San Miguel are buying all the trophies and providing a beer deal in these bars on match nights. They call it "The Bucket" – buy 4 bottles of San Miguel and get 1 free.

San Miguel will be the sole sponsor of the pool league and joint sponsor with the darts league existing sponsor www.thaieiendom.com or as most people know him "Mack" from Scandic Bar in Cha Am. This is indeed also the venue of the darts Cup Final on Tuesday 13th July between Jungle Juice and JW Black – supporters are most welcome.

The following week, Tuesday 20th sees the end of the current darts season with the Top 16 singles championship and presentation of all trophies at JW's. Again all spectators are most welcome. Food will be provided."

Looks like buckets of fun are going to be had every Tuesday and Wednesday evening!

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Fun Forum Finds Fans!

■ HUA HIN, THAILAND

Last Friday night, an informal get together was held at Ye Olde Buffalo Tavern for the members of Hua Hin's latest online chat board, the AWOL Forum. A fantastic spread of free food was put on by Bill and Lorraine, our hosts, and the banter, chat, jokes and even some singing went on well into the night. Oh, and there was a little bit of drinking as well. The forum has been growing steadily since it was born earlier this year, and so far is a much friendlier, less hostile place than many internet forums, and indeed the emphasis is on fun while hopefully being informative. Of course any forum is only a sum of its contributing members, so on the face of it we have a right weird bunch!

Subjects range across many areas, with space to comment on local, national and international events, sports, health, humour and pretty much any stuff you care to think of. Latest topics include a light hearted thread looking at the best way to deal with the 'Callers' you find in the town centre (see page 14 for more on that!), an ongoing discussion on the controversies and possible outcomes of the world's financial and political problems, comments on the World Cup and in particular England's non-performance, a jokes thread which is not for the easily offended and a plethora of peculiar, weird and funny stories.

You don't have to register to be able to read all this, just go to the forum index page at www.awolonline.net/forum and click away to your heart's delight, but if you have a story to share, information to impart, a joke to jolly our day or want to engage in friendly debate or banter then it is a simple and quick procedure to join up, and of course, its free! Once you have registered, you have access to the private messaging system, you can upload a picture to use as your avatar and you can paste web addresses in your post which become automatic links, and with audio and video links will play the clip right there in the forum - no need to open another window!

Give the AWOL Forum a try - it really isn't a bunch of nerds who never meet anybody, as last Friday proved!

If you want to join or just look at the forum, go to *www.awolonline.net/forum* and discover what other AWOL readers are doing, and help us become an even better resource for the local community.

The AWOL Forum - for the geek in all of us!

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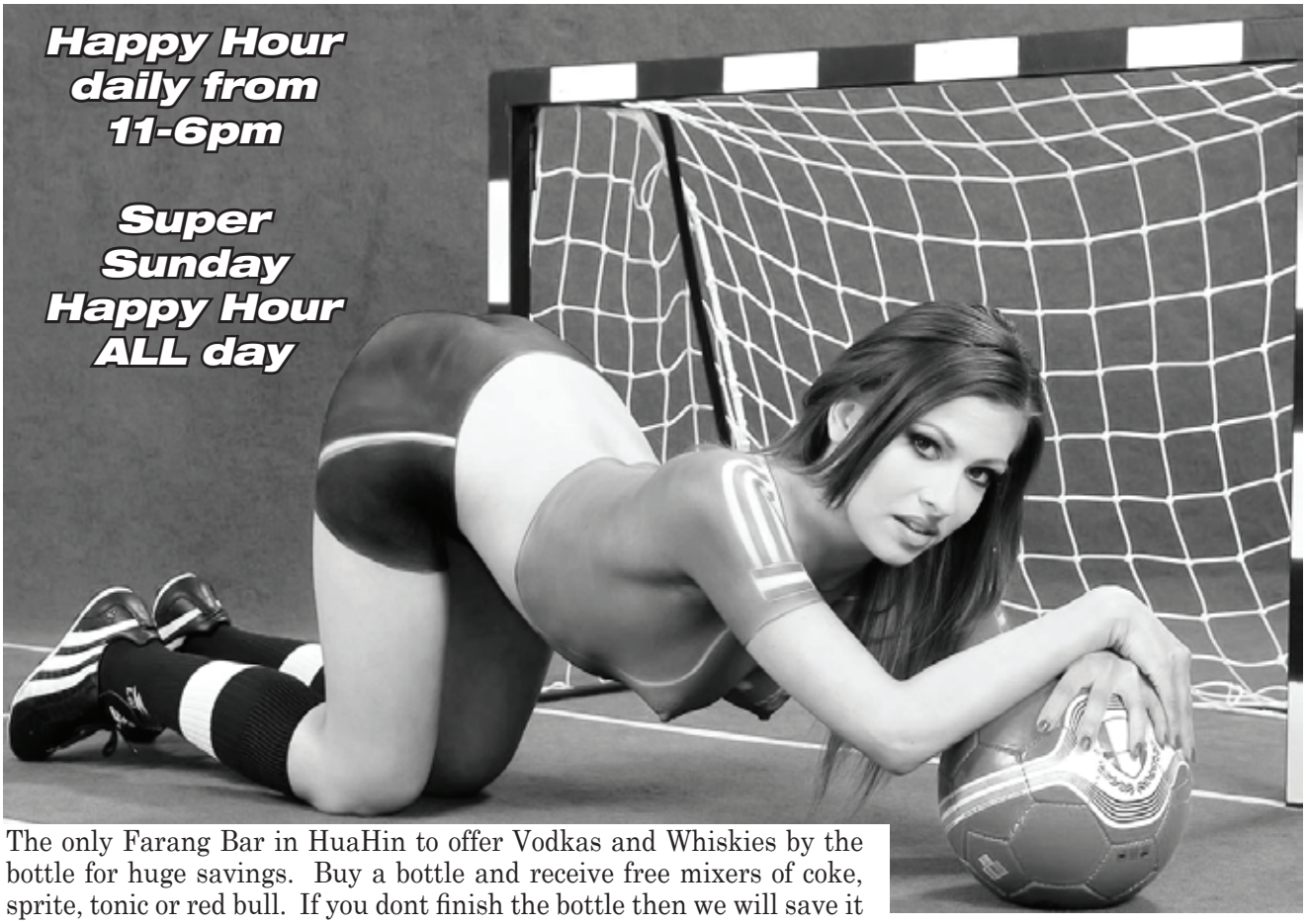
Play Sports Lounge

Play with Body Paint

One way or the other a new name is going to be acclaimed as World Champions at the World Cup in South Africa this Sunday, and we are putting our bet on Spain, represented on this page by an unknown beauty who agreed to be painted in the Spanish 'strip'.



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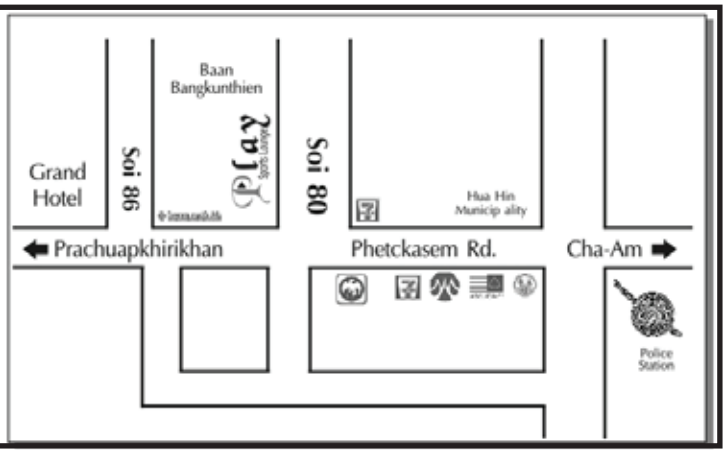

Weather, Money, Information

Local Forecast

Day	Conditions	Temp °C Low	High
Saturday	An afternoon t-storm or two	26	34
Sunday	Spotty showers	26	34
Monday	An afternoon shower	26	35
Tuesday	Spotty showers	26	34
Wednesday	A shower in the morning	26	33
Thursday	A touch of afternoon rain	25	33
Friday	A little rain in the morning	26	33

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Auckland	4	13	Fine
Beijing	23	31	Cloudy
Berlin	14	29	Cloudy
Buenos Aires	5	15	Fine
Chicago	22	29	T-storms
Copenhagen	12	20	Fine
Dubai	32	42	Clear
Dublin	13	19	Cloudy
Geneva	15	33	Fine
Helsinki	11	26	Sctd Clds
Ho Chi Minh	24	32	T-storms
Hong Kong	30	35	Sctd Clds
Islamabad	27	41	Clear
Jakarta	25	33	Rain
Jerusalem	19	29	Fine
Jo'burg	7	16	Cloudy
Karachi	30	34	Rain
Kuala L'pur	25	33	Rain
London	15	24	Bright
Madrid	24	39	Fine
Manila	26	32	Cloudy
Mexico City	14	26	Rain
Moscow	19	27	Rain
New Delhi	31	38	T-storms
New York	25	32	Cloudy
Oslo	12	21	Clear
Paris	19	33	Fine
Perth	6	13	?T-storms
Phnom-Penh	24	33	?T-storms
Rio	13	29	Cloudy
Riyadh	32	45	Sctd Clds
Rome	18	28	Fine
San F'cisco	12	21	Cloudy
Singapore	26	33	T-storms
Stockholm	14	22	Sctd Clds
Sydney	11	17	Showers
Tokyo	24	31	Rain
Vientiane	24	34	?T-storms
Yangon	25	31	?T-storms
Zurich	14	30	Fine

Exchange Rates

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Currency	Value(Baht)
US Dollar	31.29
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Euro	40.46
Japanese Yen	36.18
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Singapore Dollar	23.04
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Chinese Yuan	4.28
Indonesian Rupiah	2.07
Indian Rupee	0.59625
Korean Won	0.0228
Australian Dollar	27.5
New Zealand Dollar	22.41
Swiss Franc	30.35
Danish Krone	5.24
Norwegian Krone	4.89
Swedish Krona	4.1
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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.. **Top dog**
One who is dominant or victorious.

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'Top dog' is synonymous with the similar, if now archaic, phrases, 'upper dog' and 'over dog'. It is also the antonym of 'under dog' (now usually spelled as a single word) and its synonym, 'bottom dog'.
We have here a golden opportunity for those who consider plausibility to be enough evidence to hang a phrase derivation on and the following explanation has been widely repeated. When wooden planks were sawn by hand, two men did the job using a two-handed saw. The senior man took the top handle, standing on the wood, and the junior took the bottom, in the saw-pit below. Add to this the fact that the irons that were used to hold the wood were called dogs and that the bottom position was much the more uncomfortable, and we can jump from this scene to the origin of 'top dog' and 'underdog'.
That may be true. The problem with it as an explanation is that no one has found evidence to back it up. There are printed references to saw-pits and to this form of work going back to the early 15th century in England and the 19th century in America. None of these makes any mention of 'top dog' or 'under dog'.
It is hardly likely that everyone, including Shakespeare, who referred to saw-pits in The Merry Wives of Windsor, 1600, would have ignored these colourful phrases had they been in use at the time. For example, this extract from the 1876 Yale Review describes saw-pits in some detail makes no mention of 'top dog':
"The saw-pit was a rude structure about seven feet high, made of strong posts set in the ground wide enough apart to hold one or two pieces of heavy pine timber, and the sawyers, one above and one beneath, sawed out one hundred feet per day."
In fact, there are no known references to 'top dog' or 'under dog' in the context of wood sawing until well after the practise was superseded by mechanical sawing.
What citations there are to these terms that date from the days that the pits were still in use all refer to fights of some sort, particularly dog fights. The earliest record found of a figurative use of 'top dog' is a 20th century one, in The Speaker; a review of politics etc., 1900:
"The most popular argument in favour of the war is that it will make the individual Briton top dog in South Africa."
There are several earlier examples of a related phrase - 'tip-top dog' and these all relate to actual prize fighting or hunting dogs. For example, from The Sporting Review, 1840:
"Even a good judge may be unable to form an accurate estimate of a dog's olfactory powers, Should there be no tip-top dog at hand to compare with, the only other criterion ... is the manner of finding game."
The move from 'tip-top dog' to 'top dog' is quite easy to accept and, while the saw-pit theory as the origin of 'top dog' and 'under dog' is attractive, the complete lack of evidence to support it renders it as mere speculation. There appears to be little reason to doubt that 'top dog' had a literal derivation - 'a dog that is top'.

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Weird News

■ GLEES AND WASSENACH,, GERMANY

Feuding villages settle scores through wheelie bin race

Two German villages are planning to try settling a centuries-old row over which one is best with a race to see whose wheelie bins are fastest.

The villages of Glees and Wassenach, in western Germany, have had a long-running spat over which is better - at everything from ploughing the straightest lines to making the biggest sausages.

Now the dispute has moved into the relatively obscure field of downhill wheelie bin racing - in which competitors speed down a hill clinging to the back of their council-provided waste receptacles (above).

But officials have discovered that some contestants have already been resorting to nefarious means to gain an advantage.

'They are supposed to be exactly as the council provided them, but we have found one or two trying to improve their chances with unapproved adaptations like skateboard wheels,' commented one official.

Impressively, the results of the race will be screened nationwide on a cable and satellite channel.

■ BURY, ENGLAND

Swearing parrot f*s off (that's flies off)**

When Melissa Todd bought Charlie the parrot she was warned he was fond of the F-word - so much so that he became a YouTube hit and was about to make his TV debut. However, she was also assured by the pet shop that one talent the African grey did not have was the ability to fly – but the cheeky bird has put that claim to flight and disappeared.

Now Ms Todd is involved in a desperate hunt for Charlie, who vanished on Monday from her home in Bury, Greater Manchester, after hearing a loud noise.

Next week, Charlie is appearing in a TV documentary called My Pet Shame about embarrassing animals. It sees experts try to break his swearing habit on the show. But if he is not found soon he will miss his follow-up appearance on the show to test whether his behaviour has been changed.

'He does swear but he also picks up things from the television and talks about himself,' said Ms Todd.

'The advice they gave worked for a while but he's reverted to swearing again,' she added.

AWOL Sudoku

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Puzzle 2 (Hard)

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Last week's solutions

Puzzle 1

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

Puzzle 2

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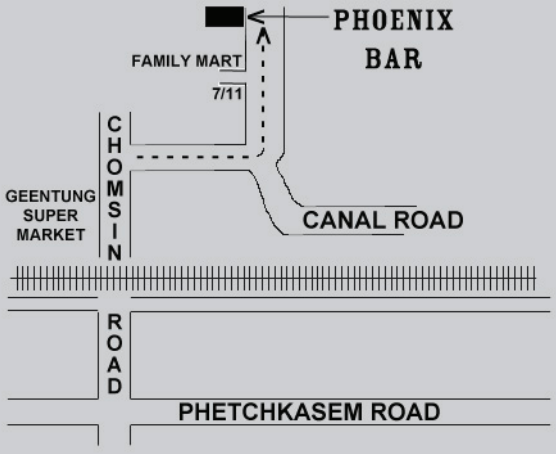

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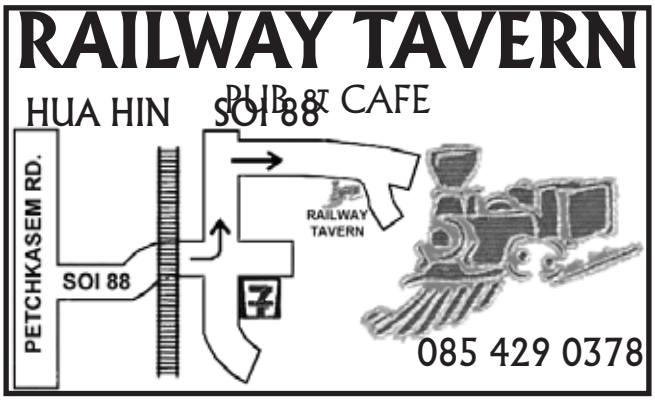

A TRIP TO ROME

A woman was at her hairdresser's getting her hair styled for a trip to Rome with her husband.. She mentioned the trip to the hairdresser, who responded: "Rome? Why would anyone want to go there? It's crowded and dirty. You're crazy to go to Rome. So, how are you getting there?"
"We're taking Continental," was the reply. "We got a great rate!"
"Continental?" exclaimed the hairdresser. "That's a terrible airline. Their planes are old, their flight attendants are ugly, and they're always late. So, where are you staying in Rome?"
"We'll be at this exclusive little place over on Rome's Tiber River called Teste." "Don't go any further. I know that place. Everybody thinks its gonna be something special and exclusive, but it's really a dump."
"We're going to go to see the Vatican and maybe get to see the Pope."
"That's rich," laughed the hairdresser. You and a million other people trying to see him. He'll look the size of an ant. Boy, good luck on this lousy trip of yours. You're going to need it."
A month later, the woman again came in for a hairdo. The hairdresser asked her about her trip to Rome.
"It was wonderful," explained the woman, "not only were we on time in one of Continental's brand new planes, but it was overbooked, and they bumped us up to first class. The food and wine were wonderful, and I had a handsome 28-year-old steward who waited on me hand and foot. And the hotel was great! They'd just finished a $5 million remodeling job, and now it's a jewel, the finest hotel in the city. They, too, were overbooked, so they apologized and gave us their owner's suite at no extra charge!"
"Well," muttered the hairdresser, "that's all well and good, but I know you didn't get to see the Pope."
"Actually, we were quite lucky, because as we toured the Vatican, a Swiss Guard tapped me on the shoulder, and explained that the Pope likes to meet some of the visitors, and if I'd be so kind as to step into his private room and wait, the Pope would personally greet me. Sure enough, five minutes later, the Pope walked through the door and shook my hand! I knelt down and he spoke a few words to me." "Oh, really! What'd he say?"
He said: "Who f***ed up your hair?"

COWBOY

A woman went into a bar in Texas and saw a cowboy with his feet propped up on a table. He had the biggest feet she'd ever seen. The woman asked the cowboy if it's true what they say about men with big feet. The cowboy grinned and said, "Sure is, little lady! Why don't you come on out to the bunk house and let me prove it to you!" The woman wanted to find out for herself, so she spent the night with him. The next morning she handed him a $100 bill. Blushing, he said, "Well, thank ya Ma'am. I'm real flattered. Aitn't nobody ever paid me fer mah services before. The woman replied, "Don't be flattered. Take the money and buy yourself some boots that fit."

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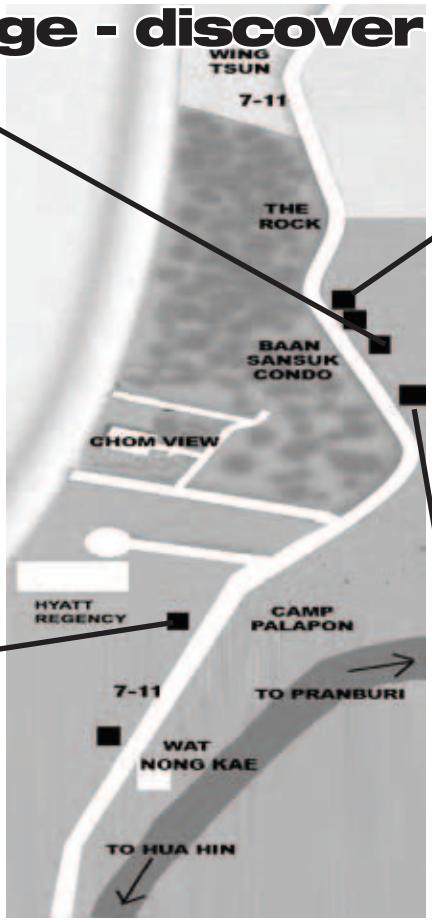

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Capricorn Dec 22 - Jan 19
Heartbreak is in the stars for you this week when the woman of your dreams confesses she cannot love a man with such an unholy appetite for pie.

Aquarius Jan 20 – Feb 18
You've had your picture in the paper before, but never in connection with a catastrophic bridge collapse; maybe it is time for that diet and exercise blitz you have been thinking about.

Pisces Feb 19 – Mar 20
Remember, it's not how hard you beat the goat, but whether the goat you're beating is on fire.

Aries Mar 21 – Apr 20
You're finally entering the period of life in which the things that you want to do greatly outnumber the things that you will eventually do.

Taurus Apr 21 – May 21
The way to respond to a stupid question is to pretend not to hear it, which is why your friends all seem to have hearing problems.

Gemini May 22 – June 21
An elite squad of international assassins will target you in an effort to make sure that the secrets behind your famous chili stay secret.

Cancer Jun 22 – Jul 22
Everyone has one of those uncles who knows how to use a rifle, add a deck to the house, and catch a trout—everyone, that is, except for your nephew.

Leo Jul 23 – Aug 22
After everyone has spoken, there will be an awkward, 90-second silence, at which point people will agree that you've been eulogized enough.

Virgo Aug 23 – Sep 22
The debate on whether we have a shame- or a guilt-based society is complicated when, due to some odd circumstances, you kill a man by shitting your pants.

Libra Sep 23 – Oct 23
Once again, you'll be surprised by how many of your troubles can be traced back to that smelly old couch.

Scorpio Oct 24 – Nov 21
Though it's noble that you became an accounts adjuster to make the world a better place, it remains unclear exactly how that's going to happen

Sagittarius Nov 22 – Dec 21
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This week and coming soon

William Tell Restaurant - All day breakfast 99 baht, plus Swiss food specials (see ad p 23)

Down Town Bar, Soi Selakam Karaoke every Tuesday and Friday in July. Also Buy 2 drinks have 1 FREE at any time, every day.

Dolphin Bar All beer 50 baht for the duration of the World Cup (ad p 17) plus HD coverage of all matches.

Play Sports Lounge - Free shooters when your selected team scores during a live World Cup match

Regular Events

Every Sunday and Thursday at Dolphin Bar - Western food plus a beer for only 95 baht (see ad p 17)

Every day at Dizzy Dolphin - Happy Hour between 3 and 7pm; buy three beers get one free; gin, vodka and rum mixed drinks only 55 baht

7 days a week Bobby's Bar, Soi 102. from 10 - 6 3 for 2 on all small beers and shorts (liquor). All day British Breakfast only 99 bt. (ad p 23)

Every day 10am to 6pm at the Beer O'clock Club 55 baht beers (ad p 10)

Daily specials at Belga Cafe & Brasserie

Everyday Happy Hour KomHom, Soi 102 from 4 to 6pm - Beat the Bar for cheap drinks! (ad p 18)

Everyday Happy Hour Buffalo Tavern 4.30 - 6.30pm (ad p 6)

Mondays -Headrock 10am til close - 55 baht all beers/selected spirits

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

Terrace 90 Every Friday 6 - 8.30pm 199 baht Buffet (ad p 15)

First Friday every month - Headrock Pub Quiz

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

World Cup 2010

All the matches are being shown on Thai TV, but commentary will only be in Thai. Many bars have paid extra to bring alternative coverage in High Definition, including several of those who advertise in these pages. Please check wih the venues to see what they are offering.

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Ongoing

Stage Shows and Special Performances

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Thai Bossa and Pop Music, Absorba Restaurant. Every night from 7 to 10 pm
Modern Thai Popular Music, Thonglor Pub. Every night, from 9 pm 'til closing

Venue Guide

100 Pipers Pub. Petchkasem Rd at soi 68. The door is about 60 metres north of the intersection.
Absorba Restaurant. Petchkasem Rd, on the left just before the King's Palace.
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.
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
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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.
Nokkachan Restaurant and Pub, Khao Takiab. Khao Takiab road corner of soi 83. Near Hyatt Regency.
Plearnwan Vintage Village, Hua Hin north side. Petchkasem Road at Soi 40. You can't miss it. It's really unusual building.
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.
Stone Head Tavern. On the south east corner of Petchkasem and Chomsin Roads (at the traffic light), 2nd floor. Enter from Chomsin.
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
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■ DEAR MARY,
I have been encountering a number of problems on my visits to Hua Hin, which I have asked advice about from the members of the excellent AWOL forum, and have been directed to ask you, so i hope you can help me. Whenever I walk around the town, I get accosted by all manner of people trying to sell me something; hundreds of tailors, massage girls, tuk tuk drivers, 'motosai' riders, taxi drivers, and not to mentio the flower sellers and ladyboy cabaret performers. Is it something about the way I look or act that has them homing in on me like bees to a fragrant flower? I often feel like the Pied Piper as I lead these poor people around my tour of the town. What advice can you give me, and other visitors to the town to politely decline their services and to ensure they don't ask me again the next time?
Manny, Hua Hin

Dear Manny,
I have been following your 'Hua Hin for new residents' thread on the AWOL forum with interest and amusement, and did actually come to Ye Olde Buffalo Tavern last Friday to see you, but alas you were not there. I think you have discovered by now that your attire can put off some 'hawkers' but gain more attention from others, so scrap the tight fitting orange trousers unless you like that. Some expats are very successful with the appearance of being, or actually being, permanently sozzled, with the latter being more effective as it not only puts off most of those listed but even if it does not you very likely don't see or hear them anyway. Others have tried some realistic looking stick on skin diseases which can be very effective, while the tried and trusted formula is to adopt both of the above and put on a British regional accent, such as Welsh, Scottish, Liverpudlian or Geordie. Failing that ride around on a bicycle wearing a striped shirt and a beret, with strings of onions and garlic around your neck.

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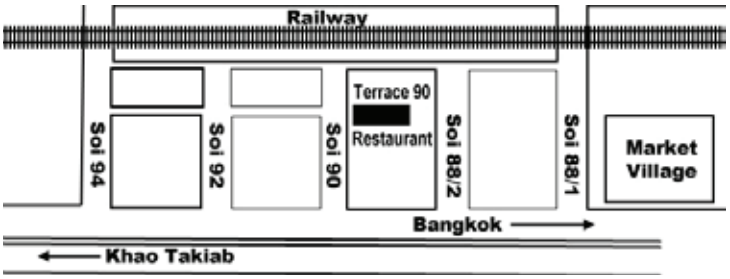

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12. Maelstrom (6)
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18. Trench (5)
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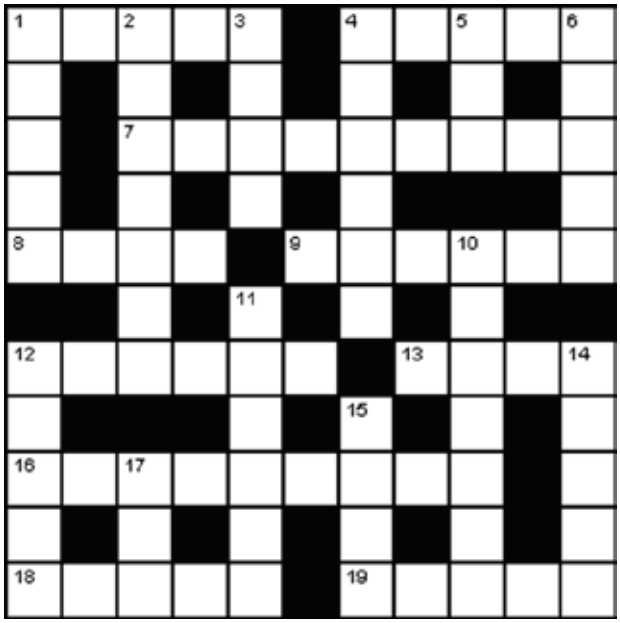

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5. Fuss (3)
6. Composition (5)
10. Abbreviate (7)
11. Gusto (6)
12. Lacking taste (5)
14. Journal (5)
15. Stupefy (4)
17. Furrow (3)

Last week's solution

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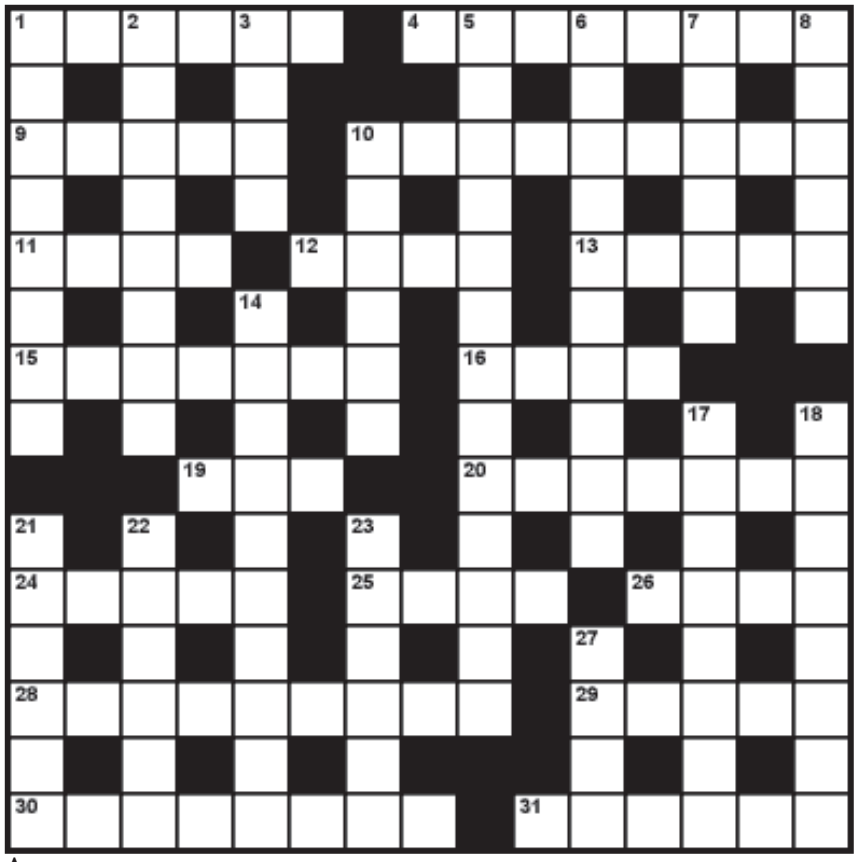

Across

1 A short distance for Michael and Ronald, we hear (6)
4 Colour of the wife, almost deformed! (3-5)
9 Drink - my game (5)
10 Fruit of business leader with row that shows the vertical (5,4)
11 Some fade - always trade! (4)
12 The kind type? (4)
13 Liberal leader, with Oliver, is sweet on a stick (5)
15 A bird - like a dog - might (7)
16 Spots a Chinese leader at the north-east (4)
19 I will be unwell (4)
20 Returning part of landlord's set, so hide female innkeeper, perhaps (7)
24 Starts to use Shanghai's underground after lunch - it's common! (5)
25 Dynasty of first queen in middle-age (4)
26 One not telling the truth about lithium and a redhead? (4)
28 Clothes for girl that's into music? (4,5)
29 Tests former partner - a heartless mistress (5)
30 Members of religious group are somehow heartbroken after losing oak (8)
31 One with white skin might get no bail (6)

Down

1 Reduce the price of first modern vessel, being depressed (4,4)
2 Chinese leader, a politician, nearly gains crooked drive (8)
3 An animal outside an American state produces agate (4)
5 I cut fisherman off gambling devices (5,8)
6 Strange blob in drink - ship shows lack of stability (10)
7 I, Cecil, could create a hanging frozen spear (6)
8 Girl's name which is evenly distributed? (6)
10 Group of humans - Pope created the French (7,6)
14 Large room for prophet with slight change inside, making religious exclamation (10)
17 Japanese food made from airy kite? (8)
18 Iron in ethanol initially, so drink! (8)
21 Uproar caused by rhyming words? (6)
22 A tense time to come (6)
23 Shape of first question in a sure production (6)
27 Betray what a shop might do? (4)

The solution is on page 20.

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Ball In Hand Brunswick Hua Hin & Khao Takiab Ladies League Results
Week 11 5th July 2010
Railway Tavern v Garden 2 n/a
Sports Bar 5 - 7 Happy Tavern
Sunset Boulevard : 2 - 10 Dara Bar
Talk of the Town 4 - 8 Bob & Nok's
Thaiwaii v Bobbys Bangers n/a
The Lord Webb 5 - 7 Kom Hom

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Bob / Nok's	11	10	1	0	34	21
Dara Bar	11	10	0	1	48	20
Kom Hom	11	6	2	3	2	14
Garden 2	10	5	3	2	28	13
Railway T	11	6	1	4	18	13
Sunset B'd	11	4	2	5	-10	10
Happy Tav	11	3	4	4	-14	10
Thaiwaii	10	3	2	5	-2	8
Bobbys Bs	10	2	2	6	-18	6
Lord Webb	11	2	1	8	-30	5
Sports Bar	10	1	2	7	-22	4
Talk / Town	11	1	2	8	-34	4

Next Week's Fixtures
Week 12 12th July 2010
The Lord Webb v Talk of the Town
Bob and Nok's v Bobbys Bangers
Railway Tavern v Kom Hom
Sports Bar v Garden Bar 2
Sunset Boulevard : v Happy Tavern
Thaiwaii v Dara Bar

Hua Hin Pool Billiard League Results
Matchday 26 2nd July 2010
Dick's A 1 - 7 Braze Head Tattoo
Eagle B 6 - 2 Return Bar
JW Red 5 - 3 Sunset Boulevard
Lucky Shot A 6 - 2 Eagle A
Queens Flower Bar 3 - 5 JW Black
Sugar Cane 4 - 4 Dick's Office B
Thaiwaii Bar 4 - 4 Oasis

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	Diff.	Pts
Eagle A	26	20	3	3	96	43
Queens Flower Bar	26	16	5	5	60	37
Lucky Shot A	26	16	5	5	58	37
Oasis	26	16	5	5	56	37
Lucky Shot Students	25	16	4	5	56	36
Braze Head Tattoo	26	13	8	5	42	34
Johnnie Walker Black	26	14	3	9	24	31
Thaiwaii Bar	26	13	5	8	18	31
Eagle B	26	14	3	9	10	31
Sunset Boulevard	26	11	4	11	4	26
Sugar Cane	26	7	4	15	-36	18
Johnnie Walker Red	26	6	6	14	-42	18
Lucky Shot B	25	6	4	15	-34	16
Dick's Office A	26	3	3	20	-96	9
Dick's Office B	26	3	2	21	-94	8
Return Bar	26	1	0	25	-122	2

This Week's Fixtures
Matchday 27 9th July 2010
Braze Head Tattoo v Thaiwaii Bar
Dick's Office B v Eagle B
Eagle A v Sunset Boulevard
JW Black v Lucky Shot A
Lucky Shot B v Dick's Office A
Oasis v JW Red
Queens Flower Bar v Return Bar
Sugar Cane v Lucky Shot Students

Next Week's Fixtures
Matchday 28 16th July 2010
Dick's A v Queens Flower Bar
Eagle A v Lucky Shot B
JW Red v Sugar Cane
Lucky Shot A v Oasis
Lucky Shot Students v JW Black
Return Bar v Dick's Office B
Sunset B'd v Braze Head Tattoo
Thaiwaii Bar v Eagle B

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K	■	P	■	X	■	E	■	I	■	B	■	C	■	L
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Pool Leagues

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Ball In Hand Brunswick Hua Hin & Khao Takiab League Results

Week 12 7th July 2010

Bob / Nok's 8 - 10 Bobby's Bangers
Play Sports Lounge 13 - 5 TNT Bar
Railway Tavern 5 - 13 Oasis Bar
Sports Bar 3 - 15 Garden Bar 2
Sunset B'd 10 - 8 Dizzy Dolphin
Thaiwaii 11 - 7 Dara Bar

League Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Play Sports	12	9	2	1	46	20
Sunset B'd	12	8	1	3	40	17
Garden 2	12	7	3	2	36	17
Thaiwaii	12	6	4	2	30	16
Oasis Bar	12	7	1	4	40	15
Dara Bar	12	7	1	4	38	15
Bobby's Bs	12	5	2	5	-6	12
Bob / Nok's	12	5	0	7	-18	10
Dizzy Dolp	12	4	1	7	-14	9
Railway T	12	4	1	7	-20	9
Sports Bar	12	0	3	9	-64	3
TNT Bar	12	0	1	11	-108	1

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 13 14th July 2010

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

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Hua Hin Social Pool League Results

Week 30 7/7/10

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

League Table

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
PP	28	25	3	146	50
Jung Juice B	27	24	3	109	48
Jung Juice A	27	19	8	45	38
JW Red	28	18	10	74	36
Sabai	26	17	9	46	34
King Bar Men	27	17	10	27	34
Limelight	26	16	10	20	32
Billys	26	15	11	28	30
Lazy Daze A	28	14	14	6	28
Int/l B'fly Bar	28	13	15	-22	26
JW Black	27	12	15	-9	24
U-Turn	27	12	15	-35	24
Headrock	28	11	17	-30	22
Red Bar	27	9	18	-65	18
London Bar	24	8	16	-32	16
Lazy Daze B	27	7	20	-85	14
King Ladies	25	6	19	-65	12
Billy's Babes	25	5	20	-73	10
Lord Nelson	23	4	19	-85	8

Next Week's Fixtures

Week 31 14/7/10

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

Mr Dan's Hua Hin 8-Ball and 9-Ball Leagues

Both these leagues have now finished. The meeting held last Monday agreed on a few points, the most important of which was to set the date for the next season start. This will be **Monday 26th July for the 9 Ball**, and **Wednesday 28th July for the 8 Ball**. Any teams wishing to join the league must contact Dan at Mr Dan's before **Wednesday 14th July** and pay their registration fee to be entered into the league.

It is anticipated that there will be about ten or twelve teams in each of the leagues.

Current teams signed up, or expected to are:

Dick's Office
Mr Dan
Boapa's Place
Eagle Bar
Kom Hom
LilleMan
Pla's Place
Maria's
Breakfast Club
Donkey's Rest
Dolphin Bar
Play Sports Lounge
TNT

If you are not on this list and would like to join one or both of the leagues, or you are on the list and do not wish to take part, please contact Dan on 085 060 4527 as soon as possible or better still go and see him at Mr Dan's to discuss any of the issues or to ask questions about the league. We will update team news as we get it.

Darts Leagues

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Results 6/07/2010
Cup Semi Finals
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JW Black beat CAT A

1st Leg Division2 runners up v 2nd from last Div 1
ThaiWaii 9 - 9 Kom Hom Ladies

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Division 1 Final Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Oasis	18	14	0	4	108	28
Scandic A	18	13	2	3	94	28
JW Black	17	12	2	3	104	26
CAT A	18	12	1	5	64	25
Lazy Daze	18	9	1	8	18	19
Paradise	17	8	1	8	14	17
CAT B	18	6	2	10	-30	14
Lucky Shot	18	7	0	11	-44	14
Thaiwaii	18	3	1	14	-128	7
JW Red	18	0	0	18	-200	0

Division 2 Final Table

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Jungl Juice	17	17	0	0	208	34
KomH Ldys	18	12	1	5	34	25
Sabai Bar	18	10	1	7	50	21
Jaew Bar	17	10	0	7	64	20
Kom Hom	18	10	0	8	-8	20
Dick's A	18	8	0	10	0	16
Dick's B	16	7	1	8	-4	15
R'way Tav	17	6	0	11	-104	12
Bobby's	18	2	2	14	-108	6
Scandic B	17	2	1	14	-132	5

Individuals - Top 16
The players below have qualified for the competition on 20th July; please inform Barry or Jill at JWs if you are unable to play.

	Name	Team	Pts
1	Ball	Cat A	389
2	Stuart	JJ	381
3	Mark	O	348
4	Dicky	JWB	319
5	Oil	JJ	312
6	Golf	SBA	300
7	Martin	JWB	296
8	Joe	O	260
9	Noom	P	250
10	Rune	SBA	221
11	Howard	KH	213
12	Martin	LD	210
13	Cop	SBA	205
14	Muay	JB	194
15	Steve	DOA	172
16	Brian	KH	161

Next Week's Fixtures 13/07/2010
Cup Final
JW Black v Jungle Juice to be played at Scandic Bar

2nd Leg Division2 runners up v 2nd from last Div 1
Kom Hom Ladies v ThaiWaii at Kom Hom

See the front page for news of the new sponsorship deal with San Miguel. Both the darts and pool leagues run by Barry and Jill are included, and there will be special deals available on match nights.

Hua Hin Golf Society

This week's results:
3 Day Results - Pattaya 2010
1st Peter Oosterbaan 102 pts, 2nd Cornelis Ringnaldo 99 pts, 3rd Roger Donaldson 99 pts, 4th Hans Van Der Voort 97 pts, 5th Billy Porter 96 pts, 6th Peter Tydeman 94 pts
30th June: Burapha A & B 45 entrants Stableford
1st Peter Oosterbaan 37 pts 21 hcp. 2nd Hans Van Der Voort 34 pts 28 hcp. 3rd Cornelis Ringnaldo 33 pts 13 hcp. Roger Donaldson 33 pts 6 hcp. Peter Tydeman 33 pts 19 hcp. Calum MacDonald 33 pts 12 hcp.
Nearest Pin No. 3A Mario Biccai, No. 6A Al Acherman. No. 3B Alan Rawson, No. 8B Arthur Van Vliet
29th June: Laem Chabang A/C 46 entrants St'ford
1st Billy Porter 43 pts 13 hcp. 2nd Ulf Sparvman 35 pts 2 hcp. 3rd Peter Oosterbaan 33 pts 21 hcp. 4th Mike Chesters (g) 32 pts 8 hcp. 5th Mike Zimmerman 32 pts 9 hcp. 6th Cornelis Ringnaldo 31 pts 13 hcp.
Nearest Pin No. 2A Kari Matti, No. 7A John Walker, No. 5C Mick Gorst, No. 8C David Buchan
28th June: Pattana A & B 47 entrants Stableford
1st Roger Donaldson 37 pts 6 hcp. 2nd Rob Darlow 36 pts 19 hcp. 3rd Cornelis Ringnaldo 35 pts 13 hcp. 4th Dickie Bird 35 pts 10 hcp. 5th John Walker 35 pts 2 hcp. 6th Peter Tydeman 35 pts 19 hcp.
Nearest Pin No. 3A Peter Tydeman HOLE IN ONE, No. 8A Ulf Sparvman, No. 3B & No. 7B Roger Donaldson
Next week's fixtures:
Tue 13th Kaeng Krachan 7.45 Stableford
Fri 16th Lakeview C/A 9.00 Throw Out Tournament

Butterfly Rock Golf

This week's results:
5th July Lake View CD - strokeplay 14 players
1st - Andrew Dickson(6) - nett 73
2nd - Paul Williams (1) - nett 76
3rd - David Rawlings (18) - nett 77
2nd July Palm Hills - stableford 8 players
Front 9 - 19 pts - Jim Lynch. Dermot Murphy
Back 9 - 17 pts - Jim Lynch
Overall - 36 pts - Jim Lynch
2nd July Lake View AB - stableford 9 Players
1st - Doug East (14) - 40 points
2nd - Mike Lord (11) - 38 points
3rd - Alan Rawson (13) - 36 points
30th June Royal Ratchaburi - stableford 22 players
1st - Pak Soontornmanee (23) - 36pts
2nd - Dermot Murphy (18) - 35pts
3rd - David Rawlings (19) - 34pts
Forthcoming Fixtures
Mon July 12th Stableford & Skins at Lake View AB from 10am
Wed July 14th The Jack Curran Trophy
Stableford format at Lake View AB from 10am
Friday July 16th - Palm Hills

World Cup 2010

World Cup fixtures
(all times/dates Thailand)
Sunday, 12 July 2010
Final
Netherlands v Spain

An all European final is a rarity in World Cups but maybe should not come as so much of a surprise given the weather conditions in South Africa, which have been similar to those that most European teams play under week in week out.

Many picked the Netherlands as likely contenders before the tournament and for once they have fulfilled their promise and have not descended into infighting and public disagreements.

Their football has been quick and precise in attack but they are definitely suspect in defence, as have most teams in this tournament. It would be fair to say that, in general, the standard of play at this World Cup has not been as high as either expected or in previous tournaments. This may be the combined effect of both the weather and the new ball, which has been roundly criticised.

Spain were widely expected to do well in this tournament and beating the impressive Germans must leave them as favourites for this game, although there really isn't much to choose between the sides.

Spain have only just done enough so far, and while that will do them again, this will be a stern test, but defensively they do look more solid than the Dutch.

Fernando Torres has looked a pale imitation of himself so far, but fortunately David Villa has been on fire; maybe this occasion is the time for the real Torres to show up?

So we have a Dutch team which is slightly shaky at the back, pretty impressive in attack and very solid in midfield, against a Spanish team that doesn't appear to have yet reached their potential, with several players still to show us their best. We think they will need to if they are to lift the Cup for the first time, and this will be very very close either way.

Spain to take inspiration from Rafael Nadal (no, not Benitez!) and make it a great summer for the country. Anyone for Pamplona?

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World Cup Fantasy League

Below is the top six in the 'AWOL in South Africa' mini league, and the standings are up to and including the semi final games. Just the final left in the competition now so one of the top 3 are the most likely winners now. lost cafe have had the edge from very early on and it is going to take quite a remarkable performance from only one or two players to overhaul them, but stranger things have happened. Final table in next week's AWOL.

Pos	Overall	Team name	Pts
1st	2518th	lost cafe	220
2nd	8247th	khao takiab kickers	199
3rd	9437th	Frankies 11	196
4th	10676th	Nightwatch	193
5th	19989th	SM lightners	174
6th	41346th	AWOL Wanderers	140

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RONALDO BABY PUNCHES MIDWIFE

'Mini-Ron' dives into the world

■ NEW YORK, USA

RONALDO'S baby son punched a midwife within seconds of being born before feigning a calf injury, it has been confirmed.

The infant lashed out after being refused permission to smoke a cigar in the delivery room and then being placed on a towel that was not made of 100% pure Egyptian cotton.

A source at the US hospital said: "The little arm came flying out and the next minute she was on the floor surrounded by lawyers demanding she be fired. As she was escorted out of the room, I saw the baby wink at his father."

It has also emerged that the Real Madrid star will have sole custody of the child after agreeing to its demands for £180,000 a week.

The child's agent said: "We had offers from the Rooneys, the Terrys and Frank Lampard, who wanted to give Christine Bleakley a new pink thing to be photographed with.

"But ultimately we decided to go with Ronaldo as it does at least raise the possibility of sucking on that Gemma Atkinson for an hour or so."

Hospital sources apparently confirmed that he is an obnoxious little brat

The agent said the boy has yet to be named, although it was now down to a choice between either Diet Lucozade or The All New Seat Ibiza, at least for the first three years.

A spokesman for Ronaldo said: "Some say that the toilet training and the constant, sobbing demands for attention will be a problem, but I'm afraid the baby will just have to put up with him."

Meanwhile, the mother has asked for her identity to be kept secret in a bid to avoid the stigma of everyone knowing that Ronaldo has been up her.

So far the possible candidates have been narrowed down to every blonde woman in the Western hemisphere with a cripplng lack of self esteem.

While the health of the baby boy seems to have been overlooked by the gutter press, AWOL is happy to report that the mini-Ron seems to be in great shape, and doctors say that he is remarkably developed for his age; reports are emerging that he has already started to walk, but tripped and fell down, before demanding a penalty. A nurse commented, "His constant dribbling was a worry at first, but once the baby was born the father sat down for a bit." She added, "We have no worries about the good care the boy is in, as we have seen the vats of baby oil at Ronaldo's house."

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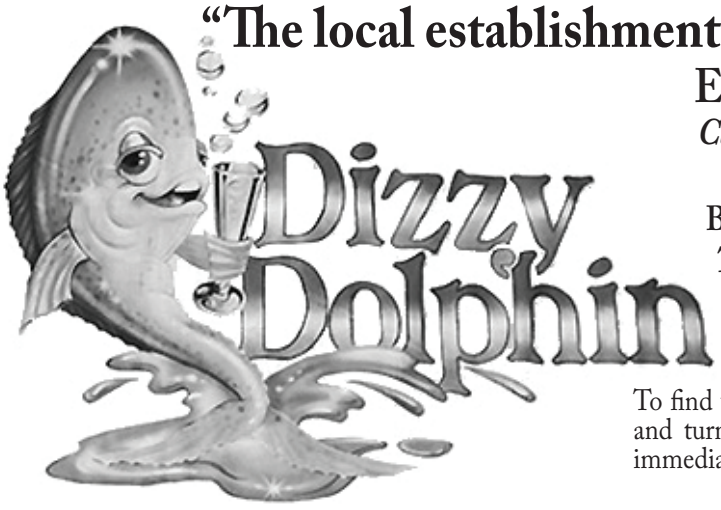

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