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TAXING

TAXES GO UP AGAIN ON BOOZE AND FAGS

■ HUA HIN, THAILAND

Another rise in alcohol and cigarette prices is expected to occur sometime in March following the passing of legislation in January. This will come into force after publication in the Royal Gazette, which normally occurs within 60 days of legislation being passed.

The law in question is the Thailand Sports Act and the key section specifies that every cigarette and liquor exporter, importer and producer must pay a 2-per-cent annual contribution, based on how much excise tax they pay, into the National Sport Development Fund.

The fund was established to prepare the readiness and strengthen Thai sport teams at both youth and professional levels, as well as sport personnel such as referees according to a "One Sport Association, One State Enterprise" project. Key areas the fund has already made its mark in have been the Thai Olympic teams, tennis and football, and partnerships have been made with Thai companies to boost the fund, such as the petrochemical giant PTT.

According to Finance Ministry data, around Bt200 billion in excise tax was collected last year. Of that amount, Bt76 billion came from taxes imposed on beer, Bt64 billion came from taxes on other liquor products and Bt61 billion came from cigarettes. A Finance Ministry source said the total amount paid into the sports fund would be between Bt3-4 billion.

Speculation as to how much retail prices will go up as a result of this tends to be in the 3 to 5 baht range, but as in most countries the drinkers and smokers are among the ones most easily targeted when extra revenue is needed. It is another blow though to the tourist sector, and while alcohol has never been cheap in relative terms in Thailand, cigarettes have, and combined with the continuing strength of the Thai baht and other negative news stories is likely to make Thailand just that bit less appealing to holidaymakers.

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WORLD WEATHER (27-2-15)

CITY	Min.	Max.	Weather
Amsterdam	1	10	Rain
Ankara	2	14	Bright
Athens	9	15	Thunderstorms
Auckland	16	26	Showers
Beijing	-5	3	Cloudy
Berlin	-1	9	Cloudy
Buenos Aires	19	27	Rain
Cairo	13	27	Cloudy
Chicago	-11	-9	Snow
Copenhagen	2	5	Cloudy
Dubai	16	23	Partly Cloudy
Dublin	2	7	Bright
Geneva	-2	7	Fine
Helsinki	0	2	Mostly Cloudy
Ho Chi Minh City	24	34	Mist
Hong Kong	19	22	Chance of Rain
Islamabad	7	21	Clear
Jakarta	24	32	Rain
Jerusalem	13	17	Fine
Johannesburg	14	30	Thunderstorms
Karachi	14	28	Fine
Kuala Lumpur	25	34	Thunderstorms
London	9	11	Rain
Madrid	5	15	Cloudy
Manila	25	32	Drizzle
Mexico City	13	26	Bright
Moscow	0	3	Snow
Mumbai	21	32	Fine
New Delhi	15	26	Fine
New York	-8	-5	Snow
Oslo	-2	3	Snow
Paris	6	11	Rain
Perth	17	26	Partly Cloudy
Phnom-Penh	26	35	Partly Cloudy
Rio De Janeiro	21	35	Rain
Riyadh	9	23	Clear
Rome	7	14	Overcast
San Francisco	11	19	Fine
Seoul	-6	3	Fine
Shanghai	4	7	Rain
Singapore	24	32	Showers
Stockholm	1	6	Mostly Cloudy
Sydney	20	27	Showers
Taibei/Taipei	16	26	Cloudy
Tokyo	5	14	Fine
Vancouver	4	9	Overcast
Vientiane	22	36	Clear
Yangon	19	36	Clear
Zurich	-2	7	Fine

LOCAL FORECAST AND TIDES

	Rain (mm)	Conditions	Temp. °C: High	Low	Tides: High	Low
Saturday	1	A thunderstorm in spots	33	25	08:14	18:36
Sunday	0	Periods of sun	33	25	05:42	19:58
Monday	0	A full day of sunshine	33	25	05:40	21:07
Tuesday	0	Plenty of sunshine	34	25	05:42	22:02
Wednesday	0	Plenty of sunshine	34	24	05:52/ 15:42	11:47/ 22:48
Thursday	0	Plenty of sunshine	34	24	06:11/ 16:50	12:05/ 23:28
Friday	0	Plenty of sunshine	33	24	06:31/ 17:42	12:30

THAILAND WEATHER (26-2-15)

Place	Temp.	Hum.	Conditions
Aranyaprathet	32 °C	50%	Haze
Bangkok	29 °C	70%	Clear
Bhumibol Dam	33 °C	41%	Partly Cloudy
Bua Chum	33 °C	42%	Haze
Chaiyaphum	33 °C	27%	Haze
Chanthaburi	28 °C	84%	Partly Cloudy
Chiang Mai	26 °C	36%	Clear
Chiang Rai	29 °C	35%	Clear
Chumphon	32 °C	38%	Partly Cloudy
Hat Yai	26 °C	78%	Scattered Clds
Kam Paeng Phet	30 °C	55%	Haze
Kanchanaburi	31 °C	47%	Clear
Khanom	28 °C	74%	Mostly Cloudy
Khlong Yai	28 °C	84%	Partly Cloudy
Khon Kaen	30 °C	35%	Clear
Ko Lanta	29 °C	70%	Partly Cloudy
Ko Samui	28 °C	74%	Mostly Cloudy
Ko Sichang	28 °C	70%	Clear
Krabi	29 °C	70%	Partly Cloudy
Laemchabang	27 °C	85%	Clear
Lampang	28 °C	45%	Clear
Lamphun	27 °C	43%	Clear
Loei	32 °C	36%	Partly Cloudy
Lop Buri	29 °C	70%	Clear
Mae Hong Son	29 °C	22%	Clear
Mae Sariang	26 °C	37%	Haze
Mae Sot	30 °C	36%	Clear
Mukdahan	32 °C	44%	Haze
Nakhon Phanom	30 °C	49%	Haze
Nakhon Ratch.	31 °C	39%	Partly Cloudy
Nakhon Sawan	32 °C	48%	Haze
Nakhon Si Tham.	26 °C	78%	Partly Cloudy
Nan	27 °C	30%	Partly Cloudy

Place	Temp.	Hum.	Conditions
Narathiwat	27 °C	74%	Scattered Clds
Nong Khai	30 °C	62%	Mist
Pattani	26 °C	69%	Scattered Clds
Pattaya	27 °C	74%	Scattered Clds
Phayao	29 °C	35%	Clear
Phetchabun	30 °C	55%	Haze
Phetchaburi	28 °C	79%	Clear
Phitsanulok	30 °C	55%	Haze
Phrae	28 °C	45%	Haze
Phuket	28 °C	70%	Partly Cloudy
Prachin Buri	29 °C	70%	Clear
Prachuap K.khan	28 °C	79%	Clear
Ranong	32 °C	38%	Partly Cloudy
Rayong	27 °C	84%	Scattered Clds
Roi Et	31 °C	52%	Scattered Clds
Sakon Nakhon	28 °C	62%	Clear
Sattahip	27 °C	74%	Scattered Clds
Satun	26 °C	78%	Scattered Clds
Songkhla	27 °C	64%	Scattered Clds
Suphan Buri	29 °C	70%	Clear
Surat Thani	28 °C	79%	Scattered Clds
Surin	32 °C	50%	Haze
Tak	33 °C	41%	Partly Cloudy
Takua Pa	28 °C	70%	Partly Cloudy
Tha Tum	31 °C	58%	Mist
Tha Wang Pha	27 °C	30%	Partly Cloudy
Thong Pha Phum	30 °C	44%	Haze
Trang	28 °C	62%	Partly Cloudy
Ubon Ratchathani	25 °C	83%	Mostly Cloudy
Udon Thani	30 °C	48%	Partly Cloudy
Uttaradit	33 °C	41%	Partly Cloudy
Wichian Buri	32 °C	40%	Haze

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TAURUS Apr 21 – May 21
You'll be happy they can no longer use that eye-for-an-eye business on you, but unfortunately the next line allows them to start in on your teeth.

GEMINI May 22 – June 21
Investigators will be forced to assume the buck elk all decided you were trying to mate with their does, which suggests more foresight than you'd thought possible in a common ungulate.

CANCER Jun 22 – Jul 22
Giving birth is a life-altering experience, but despite the pain and wave of emotions, that's not what you did in the bathroom an hour or so ago.

LEO Jul 23 – Aug 22
While it's true they laughed at your dreams of being a talk-show host, it was actually because you did the monologue so well. Your choice of guests, however, sucks.

VIRGO Aug 23 – Sep 22
You will take the first hellish step down a dark path from which there can be no return when you agree to get updates on Carnival Cruise specials and discounts.

LIBRA Sep 23 – Oct 23
Your future holds a possibility of love and a chance of financial success, but it also holds an absolute certainty of angry Russian kidnappers.

SCORPIO Oct 24 – Nov 21
The sight of the handsome young man in the apartment across from yours will awaken something deep inside of you, causing you to erupt with vomiting whenever you meet him in the hallway.

SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 – Dec 21
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This week it is..... A feather in one's cap

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The placing of a feather in a hat has been a symbol of achievement that has arisen in several cultures, apparently independently. The English writer and traveller Richard Hansard recorded it in his Description of Hungary, 1599:

"It hath been an antient custom among them [Hungarians] that none should wear a fether but he who had killed a Turk, to whom onlie yt was lawful to shew the number of his slaine enemys by the number of fethers in his cappe."

The Native American tradition of adding a feather to the head-dress of any warrior who performed a brave act is well known.

The figurative use of the phrase 'a feather in his hat' was in use in the UK by the 18th century; for example, in a letter from the Duchess of Portland to a Miss Collingwood, in 1734:

"My Lord ... esteems it a feather in his hat, that ..."

The children's rhyme Yankee Doodle is the best known use of the phrase.

Yankee Doodle went to town,
Riding on a pony;
He stuck a feather in his cap,
And called it macaroni.

There are many version of the lyric. It has been suggested that this version originated with the British forces in the American War of Independence, in an attempt to mock the revolutionary militia. 'Doodle' was 18th century British slang for simpleton (a.k.a. noodle) and 'macaroni' was slang for a dandy or fop. The latter originated with the Macaroni Club, a group of London aesthetes who were anxious to establish their sophistication by demonstrating a preference for foreign cuisine. The thinking behind the theory is that the Yankees were so stupid as to believe that putting a feather in one's cap would make them appear fashionable.

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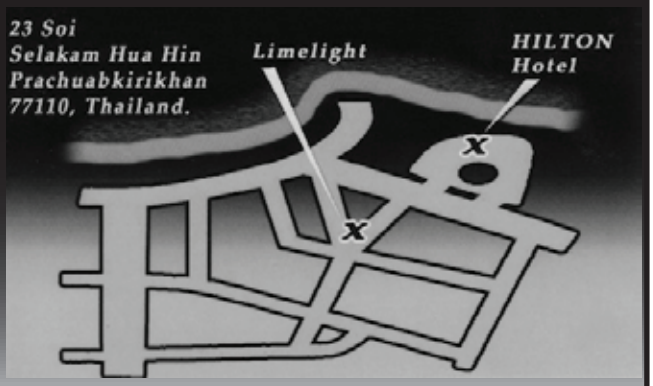

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		1			2		5	
3	7			6			2	
	2	6	8	3				
9	8		6			3		
				5				
		2			8		4	9
				4	6	8	3	
	5			8			9	1
	1		5			7		

Puzzle 2 (Hard)

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

Last issue's solutions

Puzzle 1

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

Puzzle 2

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

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■ THE DINNER

A man and a woman were having a quiet, romantic dinner in a fine restaurant. They were gazing lovingly at each other and were holding hands.

The waitress, taking another order at a table a few steps away, suddenly noticed the woman slowly sliding down her chair and under the table - but the man stared straight ahead. The waitress watched as the woman slid all the way down her chair and out of sight under the table. Still, the man stared straight ahead.

The waitress, thinking this behaviour a bit risqué and worried that it might offend other diners, went over to the table and, tactfully, began by saying to the man "Pardon me, sir, but I think your wife just slid under the table.

The man calmly looked up at her and said, "No, she didn't. She just walked in."

■ DUMB AND DUMBER

A young boy enters a barber shop and the barber whispers to his customer,

'This is the dumbest kid in the world. Watch while I prove it to you.'

The barber puts a dollar in one hand and two quarters in the other, then calls the boy over and asks, 'Which do you want, son?'

The boy takes the quarters and leaves the dollar.

'What did I tell you?' said the barber. 'That kid never learns!'

Later, when the customer leaves, he sees the same young boy coming out of the ice cream store & says ;

'Hey, son! May I ask you a question? Why did you take the quarters instead of the dollar ?'

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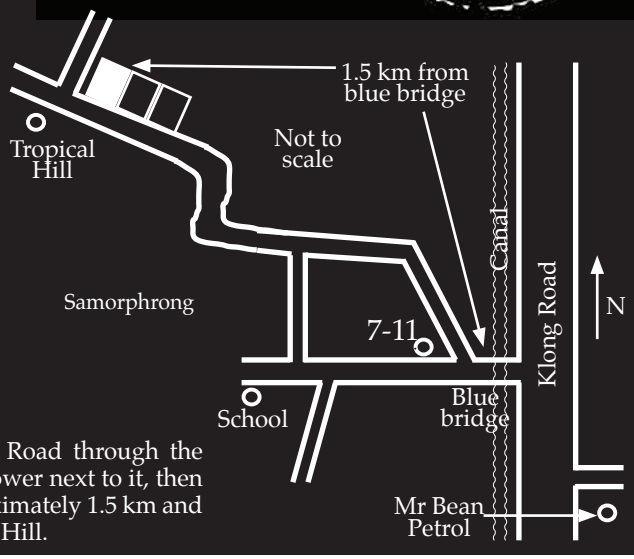

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■ STOP THE PIGEON!!

When those endless adverts pop up unbidden on your computer screen are you annoyed and ignore them - or just a bit curious?

If, like me, you accept them as an essential form of funding in the world of IT, you can live with them as a necessary evil, and usually disregard them. But now and then one will catch your eye, and you just have to open that link to find out what it's all about. Which is how I came to 'click here' to find out how I could learn Thai quickly and efficiently by using the HighSpeedThai programme.

As we all know, Thai isn't an easy language to learn. It would be much easier if they used the Roman alphabet, but if they did Thailand probably wouldn't have existed in the first place. So we are stuck with a 44 character alphabet of squiggles, no punctuation to speak of, no capitals, and a bewildering choice of 5 tones for each vowel sound.

On one of the few plus sides, plurals are a doddle. On the minus side you have to be a five year old Thai to stand any chance of ever becoming fluent.

So I couldn't resist finding out how the HighSpeedThai programme could work for a mere adult farang, and 'clicked here'.

What followed was the statement - 'the programme is massive in size ''(so much for the 'learn quickly' part then)" and will keep you busy for over 6 months if you study a few hours every day' (and there goes any hope of a social life for half a year.)

But just how would you quantify 'a few hours'? Let's for the sake of argument say somewhere between 4 and 6. Maybe 5 could qualify as a few. Which would add up to 910 hours over a 6 month period. And remember that the programme will actually take longer than 6 months. Just how much longer isn't at all clear.

Yes - there are some fortunate folk who can sit down and learn a new language with ease, but for most of us the best way to learn Thai is to live there. And if, after a few years, you can get by and do the shopping, don't worry. You are doing OK. As for the advert for the HighSpeedThai programme, I would take it with a pinch of salt.

Life and language can be just as difficult to understand here in Hull, where our most recent claim to worldwide fame has come in the strange form of a piece of 1960's graffiti. Even many of us natives had never heard of the controversial piece of graffiti until last week, when 'the dead bod' as it is known hit the headlines.

First some essential background information. 'Bod' translates from Yorkshire to English as 'bird'. From there the story is plain sailing.

In the 1960's, a boat skipper nicknamed 'Pongo' found an injured pigeon on deck. The bird had a broken leg, and to cut a long story short Pongo nursed it back to health in his cabin with the aid of two lollipop sticks.

Came the glorious day when the bird was well enough to fly away and was taken up on deck, where a member of the crew promptly came along and kicked the poor bod into oblivion.

Pongo decided to paint a lasting memorial to the dead bod on an old corrugated dock building facing out over the river Humber, from where the crude image of a pigeon on its' back, with legs sticking up in the air, could be plainly seen from any passing vessel.

Ever since then the image of the Old Dead Bod has served as a marker for Hull bound boats, as well as for rescue vessels and the Humber pilots. So much so that a radio message from a vessel to say that it is just passing the Old Dead Bod is accepted as a point of nautical reference.

Until that is plans for re-development of the dock on which the old corrugated building with its' dead bod image stands came to light. Tempers flared. Local MP's became involved. Facebook spread the word globally. TV and radio stations jumped on the bandwagon, a local brewery named a beer in the bods' memory, and the quite big company which is Associated British Ports was forced to agree to preserve the Old Dead Bod for posterity.

The Internet may often be very annoying, but it can also stir up instant support for the most weird of causes.

We have over run this week so no 'word of the week'. Space permitting we will double up next week, when we will also be taking a look at the life and work of J Arthur Rank.

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WEIRD NEWS

■ UK Policeman told car he'd just reported stolen was actually his

And in other news, it turns out one silly copper reported his own car as stolen.

The unnamed PC was tracking down a suspect in Doncaster, Yorkshire, when he hopped in an unmarked police car to knock on some doors.

But after getting no joy he decided to used automatic number plate recognition to find out if the suspect's motor was parked in the street.

To his shock he discovered a silver Vauxhall Corsa and, not realising it was the car he'd just stepped out of, contacted his colleagues to report a stolen police car.

However, when his colleague arrived on the scene, the red-faced officer was told: 'That's our bloody car, you've just got out of it.'

The bungle was revealed in this week's Police Magazine.

A police source said: 'There are a few unmarked pool cars which officers can use as and when they need them.

'This officer obviously didn't clock the car he was using and radioed it in as a potentially stolen police car – it's highly embarrassing, but policemen are only human and make mistakes.'

■ SWEDEN Drinking doesn't make you dumb, but being dumb does make you drink

We've always been told that booze kills your brain cells… but that could all be wrong.

However, IQ levels are still linked to the amount that we drink.

Those with lower intelligence are likely to drink heavily more often, researchers have found.

Of course, social status, economic background and education can also play a part.

But even with these factors taken into account, there's still a clear link between low IQ and alcoholism.

Questioning 50,000 men, Swedish researchers found that the lower the IQ, the more risk of alcohol-related problems.

Researchers at Stockholm's Karolinska Institutet were then able to conclude that the participants with the lowest IQ scores were most at risk of suffering alcoholic related problems.

Researcher Sara Sjolund said: 'We found that lower results on IQ tests in Swedish adolescent men are associated with a higher consumption of alcohol, measured in both terms of total intake and binge drinking.

Public health professor Daniel Falkstedt added: 'In this study of a general population, intelligence probably comes before the behaviour, in this case, alcohol consumption and a pattern of drinking in late adolescence.

'It could be the other way around for a minority of individuals, that is, when exposure to alcohol has led to cognitive impairment, but this is less likely to be found among young persons'.

■ USA Man smashes up salon after getting rubbish haircut

Getting a rubbish haircut can be disappointing but it's no reason to smash up a salon.

Alan Becker apparently flew into a rage on Wednesday morning after getting a dodgy trim in Connecticut, United States.

Stamford Police Sgt Kelly Connelly said the 47-year-old was further angered when he learned the haircut was going to cost him $50 (1600 baht).

'He was just very irate about his haircut,' Sgt Connelly said.

'He did not like the way that it was cut.'

He allegedly kicked a hole in the salon wall, became hostile towards staff and customers, and threw a candle display and other items.

You would have thought he'd stay away after that but he apparently came back later demanding his hair be fixed.

The salon refused.

Becker was arrested later on breach of the peace and criminal mischief charges at his Stamford home.

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Each letter in this puzzle is represented by a number 1-26. Can you crack the code and solve the crossword? Every letter of the alphabet is used at least once. Three letters are already in place to get you started. Use the 1-26 small grid to keep track.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
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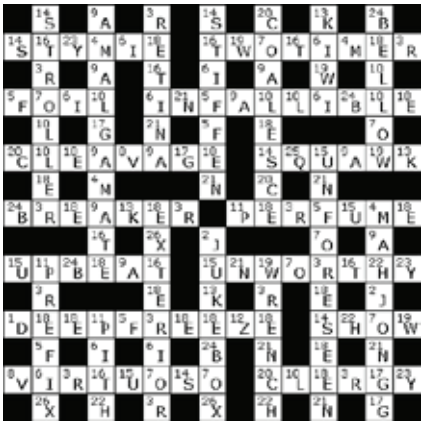

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HUA HIN GOLF

BUTTERFLY ROCK GOLF SOCIETY

RESULTS

23rd February 2015

Lake View CD Stableford 25 entered
1st Geoff G Batt-Rawden 35 pts (07)
2nd Seppo Rintala 35 pts (13)
3rd Mick Mace 33 pts (17)
4th Gerry Paget 32 pts (07)

18th February 2015

Majestic Creek Stableford 22 entered
1st Jason Croft 41 pts (28)
2nd Jean Pierre Gougry 36 pts (21)
3rd Nigel Guest 35 pts (13)
4th James O'Neill 34 pts (09)

FIXTURES

2nd March 2015 Lakeview A&B Stroke
4th March 2015 Sawang Stableford
6th March 2015 Lakeview C&D Yellow Tee Event

ROBIN'S ROLL UP

Held every Friday at Palm Hills. Thanks to Robin Heath and Nigel Guest for results. Please contact Robin on robinaston@hotmail.com if you are interested in playing.

20th February 2015

14 players
Front 9 - Mick Flynn (14) - 16pts
Back 9 - Mick Flynn (14) - 18 pts
Overall - Mick Flynn (14) - 34 pts

HUA HIN GOLF SOCIETY

RESULTS

24th February 2015

Banyan Medal/Stableford 43 entered
Medal A group:
1st Sam Sheriff 78 - 05 = 73
2nd Andrew McDermott 81 - 08 = 73
3rd Robert Bird 88 - 15 = 73
4th Michael Edwards 79 - 06 = 73
Stableford B group:
1st Ampika Sangwichai 39 pts (20)
2nd Marjorie Sherlock 35 pts (33)
3rd Michael Christensen 35 pts (22)
4th Dawn Hyde 34 pts (23)

20th February 2015

Palm Hills Stableford 37 entered
A group: 1st Huub Korver 35 pts (08)
2nd Thomas Pagden 33 pts (00)
3rd Pekka Hogman 33 pts (13)
4th Robert Bird 31 pts (15)
B group: 1st Bjorn Byman 37 pts (20)
2nd Dawn Hyde 35 pts (23)
3rd Peter Adams 34 pts (16)
4th Rob Weisbard 34 pts (28)

FIXTURES

3rd March 2015 Royal Ratchaburi Stableford
6th March 2015 BlackMountain Medal / Stableford

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FIXTURES

11th March 2015 CGC Tournament at Kaeng Krachan
25th March 2015 CGC Tournament at Lake View
28th March 2015 SF Springfield summer open

LAKE VIEW MEMBERS CLUB

RESULTS

Wednesday 18th February

Stableford AB
1st Chris Roper (10) 38pts
2nd Michael Daly (21) 35pts
3rd Mike Knight (14) 33pts

Friday 20th February

Stableford AB
1st Michael Daly (21) 35pts
2nd Bill Malone (19) 33pts
3rd Mike Knight (14) 33pts

Monday 23rd February

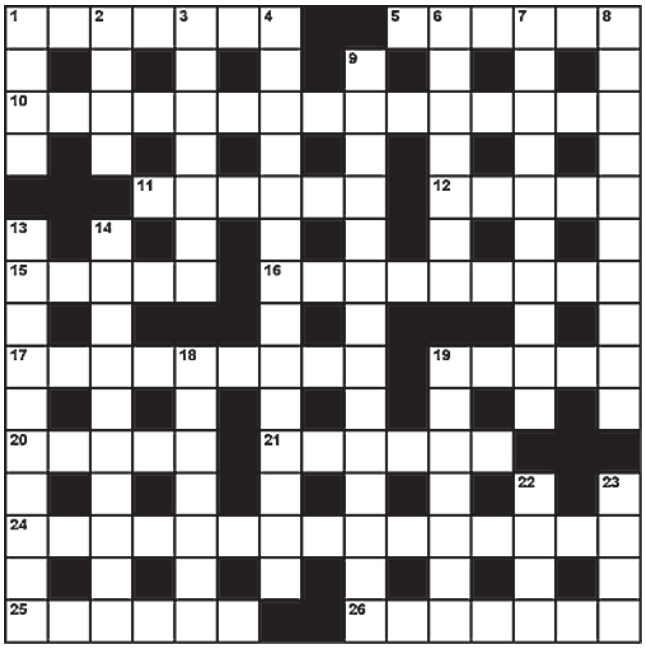
Stableford AB
1st Gary Ross (19) 41pts
2nd Rodger Teasdale (13) 35pts
3rd Mike Knight (13) 35pts

FIXTURES

Lake View every Monday, Wednesday, Friday

CRYPTIC CROSSWORD

The solution is on page 14



ACROSS

1 Thus dandy describes race car (4-3)
5 Rather nice sofa stuffing (4,2)
10 Recital that schoolchildren may finish at 10:30? (5,5,5)
11 Peanuts may be last comic read in regular instalments (6)
12 Our substitute for God's love is found in the bottle (5)
15 Living under someone's thumb, yet originally powerful (5)
16 When "pro" is spurious title (9)
17 George I upset by American crying (9)
19 Run through, bearing fruit (5)
20 Private area for 25 on board (5)
21 Old one confused by what's upstairs? (6)
24 Presumably last of crew to join press club (6,5,4)
25 Tax cut (6)
26 Old parcel containing one's milk (7)

DOWN

1 Man, God's gift, whose thoughts betray him (4)
2 History class (4)
3 Treatment is the right answer - pity it's unavailable (7)
4 An equestrian show dog? (5-2-7)
6 Number teeing off on start of round (7)
7 These men are immoral - because he'd corrupted them? (10)
8 Pursuit of the common man? (5,5)
9 One used the long version but said nothing (4,4,6)
13 Solidarity, say, within union (10)
14 Huge consortia about to hold mass (10)
18 Tattered cloth returned - send off for patches (7)
19 Part trap? (5,2)
22 Fabulous vessel discovered in Cheddar Gorge (4)
23 Granny is one never to be told (4)

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LEAGUES/RESULTS

HUA HIN POOL BILLIARD LEAGUE

RESULTS Week 20 20th February 2015
Chang Boom Boom (20) 8 - 0 (6) Aussie Bar
Clansmen (7) 2 - 6 (17) TK Roadhouse 2
Hua Hin Miss You (8) 2 - 6 (16) Infinity Bar
Lucky Sht Maria (20) 8 - 0 (7) Coopers Br Gdn
Pa's Beer Garden (12) 4 - 4 (12) Lucky Shot A
Pistol Petes (16) 5 - 3 (13) Maria Bar 1
TK Roadhouse 1 (20) 8 - 0 (5) Jaew Bar
Lucky Shot B - no game

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Pistol Petes	18	17	1	0	76	35
Lucky St Maria	18	14	2	2	52	30
Chang Bm Bm	19	13	3	3	46	29
Lucky Shot A	19	12	4	3	48	28
Maria Bar 1	19	10	4	5	32	24
TK R'dhouse 1	19	10	1	8	20	21
Pa's Beer Grden	19	8	3	8	10	19
TK R'dhouse 2	19	9	1	9	6	19
Lucky Shot B	18	7	4	7	-2	18
Infinity Bar	18	8	1	9	-8	17
Clansmen	19	6	3	10	-24	15
Aussie Bar	18	1	5	12	-48	7
Coopers Br Gdn	18	3	1	14	-70	7
Jaew Bar	18	1	4	13	-54	6
HHin Miss You	19	1	1	17	-84	3

FIXTURES
Week 21 27th February 2015
Aussie Bar v Pistol Petes
Coopers Beer Garden v Lucky Shot B
Infinity Bar v Pa's Beer Garden
Jaew Bar v Hua Hin Miss You
Lucky Shot A v Lucky Shot Maria
Maria Bar 1 v Clansmen
TK Roadhouse 2 v TK Roadhouse 1
Chang Boom Boom - no game

Week 22 6th March 2015
Chang Boom Boom v Coopers Beer Garden
Clansmen v Aussie Bar
Hua Hin Miss You v TK Roadhouse 2
Lucky Shot A v Infinity Bar
Lucky Shot Maria v Lucky Shot B
Pa's Beer Garden v Jaew Bar
TK Roadhouse 1 v Maria Bar 1
Pistol Petes - no game

HUA HIN KHAO TAKIAB SUPER POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 25 19th February 2015
Beach Hut v Soda Bar n/a
Bobby's Birds v Lanla Bar n/a
Chon Bar v Exotic Bar n/a
JJ Sport Bar v Salute Bar n/a
JNB Bar v Maria Bar n/a
Muan Bar 1 v Somatch (3D + 1) Bar n/a
Sasa Bar v Muan Bar 2 n/a
The Kiss v Bobby's Boys n/a
TK Roadhouse v Jungle Juice n/a
Vinly an Rose v TK Roadies n/a

FIXTURES
Week 27 5th March 2015
Beach Hut v Bobby's Boys
Bobby's Birds v Jungle Juice
Chon Bar v Salute Bar
JNB Bar v Soda Bar
Maria Bar v TK Roadies
Muan Bar 1 v Exotic Bar
Sasa Bar v Lanla Bar
The Kiss v Somatch (3D + 1) Bar
TK Roadhouse v JJ Sport Bar
Vinly an Rose v Muan Bar 2

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
Maria Bar	23	19	3	142	301
Muan Bar 2	23	20	2	138	299
Lanla Bar	23	20	2	130	295
TK Roadhouse	23	17	4	94	277
JNB Bar	23	14	6	78	269
TK Roadies	23	15	7	72	266
Beach Hut	23	13	10	28	244
Bobby's Boys	23	13	6	12	236
Somatch Bar	23	11	11	-8	226
Exotic Bar	23	11	10	-12	224
Jungle Juice	23	8	11	-22	219
The Kiss	23	8	12	-24	218
Bobby's Birds	23	8	12	-26	217
JJ Sport Bar	23	7	14	-44	208
Muan Bar 1	23	5	14	-82	189
Soda Bar	23	4	16	-82	189
Salute Bar	23	4	15	-84	188
Chon Bar	23	5	17	-90	185
Sasa Bar	23	5	17	-94	183
Vinly an Rose	23	1	19	-126	167

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THURSDAY FRIENDLY POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 21 19th February 2015
Casanova's 6 - 12 Dara Bar
Chill Chill 7 - 11 Hua Hin Miss You
Monica's Bar 11 - 7 Jaew Bar
No match - Bar 80 Saloon, Clansmen, Coopers Beer Garden, Hut Bar, Maria Bar, Squealing Pig

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Clansmen	16	16	0	0	156	252
Monica's Bar	17	11	2	4	34	194
Dara Bar	16	10	1	5	24	178
Squealing Pig	16	10	1	5	24	177
Jaew Bar	16	6	4	6	0	155
Maria Bar	13	8	2	3	24	145
Bar 80 Saloon	17	3	3	11	-48	138
Chill Chill	16	4	1	11	-36	135
HHin Miss You	16	3	4	9	-44	132
Coopers Br Gdn	15	3	2	10	-36	124
Hut Bar	15	4	2	9	-50	121
Casanova's	15	4	2	9	-48	121

FIXTURES
Week 23 5th March 2015
Bar 80 Saloon v Dara Bar
Maria Bar v Chill Chill
Squealing Pig v Jaew Bar
No match - Casanova's, Clansmen, Coopers Beer Garden, Hua Hin Miss You, Hut Bar, Monica's Bar

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LEAGUES/RESULTS

HUA HIN/KHAO TAKIAB FUN POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 13 25th February 2015
Aussie Bar 5 - 13 Sunset Boulevard
Bobby's Beauties 12 - 6 The Bridge
Clansman 12 - 6 Maria's Bar
Jaew Bar 11 - 7 Dara's Bar
Monica's 12 - 6 Casanova's
Muan Bar 10 - 8 TK Roadhouse
Saloon Bar 80 10 - 8 Beach Hut Bar
TK Roadies 7 - 11 The Squealing Pig

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Clansman	13	13	0	0	96	26
Maria's Bar	12	9	1	2	60	19
TK Roadhouse	13	9	1	3	54	19
Sunset B'vard	12	8	0	4	12	16
Saloon Bar 80	12	6	3	3	20	15
Muan Bar	12	6	3	3	-4	15
Monica's	12	5	3	4	20	13
Beach Hut Bar	12	5	2	5	20	12
Squealing Pig	12	5	2	5	-12	12
Dara's Bar	13	5	2	6	-32	12
Bobby's Bngrs	12	4	3	5	-8	11
The Bridge	12	3	2	7	-26	8
Aussie Bar	12	4	0	8	-60	8
Bobby's B'ties	12	3	1	8	-22	7
TK Roadies	12	2	2	8	-26	6
Jaew Bar	12	2	1	9	-40	5
Casanova's	13	1	2	10	-52	4

FIXTURES
Week 14 4th March 2015
Beach Hut Bar v Sunset Boulevard
Bobby's Bangers v Saloon Bar 80
Casanova's v Muan Bar
Clansman v Monica's
Dara's Bar v Maria's Bar
The Bridge v Aussie Bar
The Squealing Pig v Jaew Bar
TK Roadies v Bobby's Beauties

HUA HIN/KHAO TAKIAB LADIES POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 1 23rd February 2015
Bobby's Birds 10 - 8 Kom Hom
Muan Bar 14 - 4 JNB Bar
Sa Sa Bar v Jaew Bar n/a
Sunset Boulevard 8 - 10 Dara Bar
The Clansmen 13 - 5 The Connection
The Squealing Pig 11 - 7 Monicas
Waring Bar 8 - 10 TK Roadhouse

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Muan Bar	1	1	0	0	10	2
The Clansmen	1	1	0	0	8	2
Squealing Pig	1	1	0	0	4	2
Bobby's Birds	1	1	0	0	2	2
Dara Bar	1	1	0	0	2	2
TK Roadhouse	1	1	0	0	2	2
Jaew Bar	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sa Sa Bar	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kom Hom	1	0	0	1	-2	0
Sunset B'vard	1	0	0	1	-2	0
Waring Bar	1	0	0	1	-2	0
Monicas	1	0	0	1	-4	0
The Connection	1	0	0	1	-8	0
JNB Bar	1	0	0	1	-10	0

FIXTURES
Week 2 2nd March 2015
Dara Bar v Waring Bar
Jaew Bar v The Squealing Pig
JNB Bar v Sa Sa Bar
Monicas v Sunset Boulevard
The Clansmen v Muan Bar
The Connection v Kom Hom
TK Roadhouse v Bobby's Birds

HUA HIN SOCIAL POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 25 25th February 2015
All Nations GH 11 - 8 JW Black
Buckleys 9 - 10 Tiger Bar
JW Red 8 - 11 Sabai
Jungle Juice A 13 - 6 King Bar B
King Bar A 11 - 8 Pink Panther
Limelight 9 - 10 Jungle Juice B
No match - Chon Bar

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
Pink Panther	23	21	2	89	42
Jungle Juice B	24	20	4	68	40
Limelight	23	18	5	107	36
Buckleys	23	15	8	59	30
King Bar A	23	14	9	3	28
All Nations GH	23	13	10	21	26
Sabai	23	11	12	-3	22
Jungle Juice A	23	11	12	-5	22
Tiger Bar	23	9	14	-29	18
JW Red	23	8	15	-29	16
JW Black	23	6	17	-57	12
Chon Bar	23	3	20	-117	6
King Bar B	23	1	22	-107	2

FIXTURES
Week 26 4th March 2015
Chon Bar v Jungle Juice A
JW Black v Buckleys
King Bar B v All Nations GH
Pink Panther v Limelight
Sabai v King Bar A
Tiger Bar v JW Red
No match - Jungle Juice B

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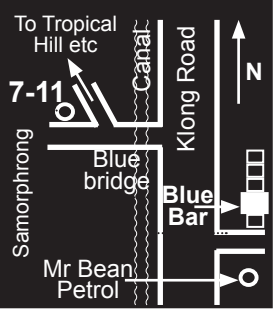

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NEXT RUN Saturday 28th February 2015 @ 4 pm
Cha-Am H3 Run #251
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GPS Coordinates: N 12.6758, E 99.909617 (N 12 40.548, E 99 54.577)
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HUA HIN CITY F.C

RESULTS
22ND FEBRUARY 2015
Ratchapruek 1 - 1 Hua Hin City

FIXTURES
No match this week

THAI DIVISION 2 CENTRAL & WESTERN REGION LEAGUE TABLE

TEAM	P	W	D	L	GD	PTs
Looktabfah	2	2	0	0	+3	6
Samut Sakhon	2	2	0	0	+3	6
Ratchaphruek	2	1	1	0	+1	4
Thonburi City	2	1	0	1	+2	3
J.W. Police	2	1	0	1	+1	3
Simork	1	1	0	0	+1	3
Raj Pracha	2	1	0	1	0	3
Krung Thonburi	2	1	0	1	0	3
Phetchaburi	2	1	0	1	–1	3
Hua Hin	2	0	1	1	–3	1
Nonthaburi	1	0	0	1	–1	0
Globlex	2	0	0	2	–2	0
Pathum Thani	2	0	0	2	–4	0

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HUA HIN DARTS LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 11 24th February 2015
Blue Lagoon 5 - 13 CAT Jiggapik
O'Neills 12 - 6 Johnny's 56
Robin's Rest 10 - 8 Hua Hin Miss You 1
The Clansmen 10 - 8 Chill Chill Bar
URS TREFF CHA AM 6 - 12 Jungle Juice

LEAGUE TABLE

TEAM	P	W	D	L	+/-	PTS
Jungle Juice	11	11	0	0	130	22
CAT Jiggapik	11	9	0	2	68	18
URS TREFF	11	8	0	3	66	16
HHin Miss You 1	10	5	0	5	-12	10
O'Neills	9	4	1	4	-18	9
Robin's Rest	11	4	0	7	4	8
The Clansmen	9	4	0	5	-36	8
Blue Lagoon	10	2	1	7	-40	5
Chill Chill Bar	11	2	0	9	-70	4
Johnny's 56	11	2	0	9	-92	4

FIXTURES
Week 12 3rd March 2015
CAT Jiggapik v URS TREFF CHA AM
Chill Chill Bar v Blue Lagoon
Hua Hin Miss You 1 v The Clansmen
Johnny's 56 v Robin's Rest
Jungle Juice v O'Neills

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SATURDAY 28TH FEBRUARY 2015
PREMIER LEAGUE
West Ham v Crystal Palace 19:45
Burnley v Swansea 22:00
Man Utd v Sunderland 22:00
Newcastle v Aston Villa 22:00
Stoke v Hull 22:00
West Brom v Southampton 22:00
CHAMPIONSHIP
Birmingham v Brentford 22:00
Blackpool v Wigan 22:00
Bolton v Brighton 22:00
Bournemouth v Blackburn 22:00
Cardiff v Wolves 22:00
Charlton v Huddersfield 22:00
Fulham v Derby 22:00
Leeds v Watford 22:00
Reading v Nottm Forest 22:00
Rotherham v Millwall 22:00
Sheff Wed v Middlesbrough 22:00
SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP
Dundee Utd v Partick Thistle 22:00
Motherwell v Inverness CT 22:00
Ross County v Dundee 22:00
St Johnstone v Kilmarnock 22:00
St Mirren v Hamilton 22:00

SUNDAY 1ST MARCH 2015
LEAGUE CUP FINAL
Chelsea v Tottenham 23:00
PREMIER LEAGUE
Liverpool v Man City 19:00
Arsenal v Everton 21:05
CHAMPIONSHIP
Norwich v Ipswich 21:05
SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP
Celtic v Aberdeen 19:00

WEDNESDAY 4TH MARCH 2015
PREMIER LEAGUE
Aston Villa v West Brom 02:45
Hull v Sunderland 02:45
Southampton v Crystal Palace 02:45
CHAMPIONSHIP
Bournemouth v Wolves 02:45
Brentford v Huddersfield 02:45
Brighton v Derby 02:45
Charlton v Nottm Forest 02:45
Middlesbrough v Millwall 02:45
Rotherham v Cardiff 02:45
Watford v Fulham 02:45
Bolton v Reading 03:00

ENGLISH PREMIER LEAGUE TABLE

	Team	P	GD	PTS
1	Chelsea	26	34	60
2	Man City	26	31	55
3	Arsenal	26	20	48
4	Man Utd	26	18	47
5	Southampton	26	19	46
6	Liverpool	26	9	45
7	Tottenham	26	5	44
8	West Ham	26	8	39
9	Swansea	26	-4	37
10	Stoke	26	-4	36
11	Newcastle	26	-11	32
12	Everton	26	-4	28
13	Crystal Palace	26	-9	27
14	West Brom	26	-10	27
15	Hull	26	-10	26
16	Sunderland	26	-14	25
17	QPR	26	-18	22
18	Burnley	26	-19	22
19	Aston Villa	26	-23	22
20	Leicester	26	-18	18

THURSDAY 5TH MARCH 2015
PREMIER LEAGUE
Man City v Leicester 02:45
Newcastle v Man Utd 02:45
QPR v Arsenal 02:45
Stoke v Everton 02:45
Tottenham v Swansea 02:45
West Ham v Chelsea 02:45
Liverpool v Burnley 03:00
CHAMPIONSHIP
Birmingham v Blackpool 02:45
Leeds v Ipswich 02:45
Norwich v Wigan 02:45
Sheff Wed v Blackburn 02:45
SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP
Celtic v St Johnstone 02:45

FEATURED GAME

SUNDAY 1ST MARCH 2015
LEAGUE CUP FINAL
Chelsea v Tottenham 23:00
It is quite feasible that both managers will see this game as an unnecessary distraction from the other competitions they are involved in, but it does offer a route to European football should Spurs fail elsewhere, although that is not something Chelsea will have to worry about it seems. Both drew in the league last weekend but in very different fashion, and we think that there will be a backlash from the Blues, which will put Spurs very much in their place. So we predict an emphatic win for Chelsea to claim the trophy and leaving Spurs to once again try to reach a top four finish in the league.

FANTASY PREMIER LEAGUE

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AWOL CHALLENGE TABLE 2014/2015

	Team	GW	TOT
1	Hua Hin Utd	52	1,471
2	Lost Cafe	79	1,456
3	Mr ChaAming	62	1,409
4	Free Rolf City	57	1,386
5	Wanderlust United	49	1,385
6	AWOL Wanderers	46	1,384
7	Waste of money ?	50	1,333
8	Red & Blue Bangers	40	1,312
9	Let's be avin you	37	1,300
10	Pensioners	35	1,291
11	Dunne's Destroyers	63	1,268
12	Fingers Clayton	37	1,263
13	FC Mukdahan	39	1,245
14	Obviously-FC	59	1,202
15	xxdroggiesbackxxx	56	1,198
16	Portsmouth City	49	1,165
17	Thailand Silkmen	44	1,157
18	Sammy Doo Racing	47	1,133
19	headless chickens	31	1,130
20	FC OK	41	998
21	Dans Demons	30	996
22	Madrid Spurs	34	984
23	Eric	27	965

PREMIER LEAGUE PREDICTOR

AWOL CHALLENGE EPL PREDICTION TABLE

	Player	GW	TOT
1	AWOL	14	442
2	livinginlos	0	426
3	kevharris2502	17	350
4	oskar	0	141
5	Mr Blobby Green	0	140

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A HARD KANE'S A-GONNA FALL

SPURS SEEKING PLAYERS WHOSE NAMES SLOT INTO BOB DYLAN SONGS

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TOTTENHAM chairman Daniel Levy has launched a worldwide search for any player named Roland Stone, Tom Bourineman or Des O'Lation-Rowe.

Levy said: "There's been a lot of talk this season about Harry Kane's incredible skill and superb goal-scoring ability. However, the best thing about him, for me, is the way that his name blends seamlessly into the lyrics of Bob Dylan's 1976 hit Hurricane.

"The sense of satisfaction that football fans get from a perfect song pastiche is way more important than winning trophies or competing in the Champions League.

"For this reason, I have dispatched scouts to all corners of the globe to track down more world-class players with names that can be slotted effortlessly into Dylan songs."

Spurs scout Tom Booker said: "I'm currently travelling round South America, attempting to locate any professional footballer with the birth name John Wesley Harding."

Left: The 'HurriKane'

Former Manchester United boss Sir Alex Ferguson had this warning for Levy: "Back in the 90s, when the United fans came up with 'Giggs, Giggs will tear you apart, again', I decided I would only sign players whose names could be humorously worked into Joy Division lyrics.

"I ended up spending £12million on a German bloke called Hans Mission who turned out to be utter, utter rubbish."

Other teams who have been more successful in the song lyric-footballers name conundrum have been Chelsea and West Ham, who both followed the Spandau Ballet path and signed players named Cole, to fit the song 'Gold' by the new romanticists, although West Ham fans do feel the joke has gone on long enough and were ecstatic when it appeared that they were going to pass the baton on to West Brom with Carlton Cole in the January transfer window, only to have their hopes dashed, ironically, by Daniel Levy, when he refused to sell Emmanuel Adebayor to West Ham as what would have been a tricky song-fitting replacement.

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