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TENNIS STARS TO PLAY IN HUA HIN AGAIN

HUA HIN, THAILAND

In what is now an annual event, Hua Hin is once again welcoming top tennis players at the turn of the year exhibition tournament being held at the Hua Hin Centennial Club.

The star attractions this year are worlds number five Agnieszka Radwanska and number seven Venus Williams, ably supported by Germany's world number ten Angelique Kerber and Italian world number 20 Sara Errani.

The two-day 'World Tennis Thailand Championship 2016' will be played from Thursday 31st December 2015 to Friday 1st January 2016, with tickets priced at 2000 baht per day.

Hua Hin Centennial Club is located just off Petchkasem Road to the south of the town, on the right as you come off the flyover, slightly before and opposite Vana Nava Water Park. It has been the venue for a number of top class tennis events in recent years, with the first being part of Hua Hin's centenary celebrations in January 2010, when Maria Sharapova and Venus Williams competed, and there has been an event at a similar time every year since, making this the seventh such exhibition.

The players taking part use the opportunity not only to let their Thai fans see them live, but also to sharpen their games ahead of the opening Grand Slam tournament in Australia, the Australian Open, which is being held in Melbourne from the 18th to 31st January.

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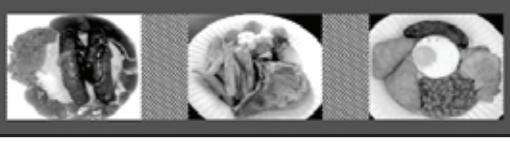

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WORLD WEATHER (10-12-15)

CITY	Weather	High °C
Amsterdam	Partly sunny(	6
Ankara	Partly sunny	5
Athens	Overcast	12
Auckland	Overcast	17
Beijing	Sunny	10
Berlin	Sunny	3
Buenos Aires	Sunny	21
Cairo	Haze	19
Chicago	High level clouds	7
Copenhagen	Partly sunny	8
Dubai	Passing clouds	24
Dublin	Scattered clouds	5
Helsinki	Drizzle	7
Ho Chi Minh City	Chance of a T'storm	32
Hong Kong	Scattered clouds	20
Islamabad	Light rain	14
Jakarta	Partly sunny	32
Jerusalem	Sunny	18
Johannesburg	Scattered clouds	28
Karachi	Clear	25
Kuala Lumpur	Light rain	26
London	Broken clouds	11
Madrid	Sunny	10
Manila	Partly sunny	33
Mexico City	Passing clouds	11
Moscow	Overcast	0
Mumbai	Passing clouds	31
New Delhi	Partly sunny	23
New York	Passing clouds	12
Oslo	Overcast	9
Paris	Fog	2
Perth	Sunny	26
Phnom-Penh	Chance of a T'storm	33
Rio De Janeiro	Sunny	27
Riyadh	Clear	17
Rome	Sunny	7
San Francisco	Light rain	15
Seoul	Fog	7
Shanghai	Light rain	12
Singapore	Strong thunderstorms	27
Stockholm	Partly sunny	9
Sydney	Passing clouds	24
Taibei/Taipei	Broken clouds	22
Tokyo	Broken clouds	12
Vancouver	Mostly cloudy	6
Vientiane	Clear	31
Yangon	Clear	32
Zurich	Chilly	1

LOCAL FORECAST AND TIDES

	Rain (mm)	Conditions	Temp. °C: High	Low	Tides: High	Low
Saturday	0	Sunny, very warm and humid	33	24	07:22	23:38
Sunday	0	Sunny, very warm and humid	33	23	08:03	
Monday	0	Sunny, very warm and humid	33	22	08:45	00:15
Tuesday	0	Partly sunny	34	23	09:22	00:52
Wednesday	0	Humid with plenty of sunshine	33	24	09:53	01:26
Thursday	0	Sunshine and patchy clouds	31	22	10:16	01:58
Friday	0	Mostly sunny	32	22	10:36	02:29

THAILAND WEATHER (10-12-15)

Place	Temp.	Hum.	Conditions
Aranyaprathet	35 °C	32%	Scattered Clds
Bangkok	33 °C	49%	Scattered Clds
Bhumibol Dam	33 °C	41%	Partly Cloudy
Bua Chum	34 °C	39%	Scattered Clds
Chaiyaphum	34 °C	25%	Partly Cloudy
Chanthaburi	32 °C	62%	Partly Cloudy
Chiang Mai	30 °C	29%	Partly Cloudy
Chiang Rai	27 °C	54%	Partly Cloudy
Chumphon	31 °C	75%	Mostly Cloudy
Hat Yai	31 °C	70%	Scattered Clds
Kam Paeng Phet	32 °C	40%	Partly Cloudy
Kanchanaburi	36 °C	30%	Scattered Clds
Khanom	31 °C	70%	Partly Cloudy
Khlong Yai	32 °C	62%	Partly Cloudy
Khon Kaen	33 °C	34%	Scattered Clds
Ko Lanta	34 °C	56%	Mostly Cloudy
Ko Samui	31 °C	70%	Partly Cloudy
Ko Sichang	33 °C	41%	Partly Cloudy
Krabi	34 °C	56%	Mostly Cloudy
Laemchabang	33 °C	41%	Partly Cloudy
Lampang	30 °C	37%	Partly Cloudy
Lamphun	30 °C	29%	Partly Cloudy
Loei	31 °C	46%	Scattered Clds
Lop Buri	33 °C	49%	Scattered Clds
Mae Hong Son	28 °C	45%	Partly Cloudy
Mae Sariang	30 °C	37%	Scattered Clds
Mae Sot	30 °C	37%	Scattered Clds
Mukdahan	31 °C	43%	Partly Cloudy
Nakhon Phanom	31 °C	43%	Partly Cloudy
Nakhon Ratch.	34 °C	37%	Partly Cloudy
Nakhon Sawan	34 °C	34%	Haze
Nakhon Si Tham.	30 °C	79%	Partly Cloudy
Nan	30 °C	40%	Partly Cloudy

Place	Temp.	Hum.	Conditions
Narathiwat	31 °C	84%	Scattered Clds
Nong Khai	31 °C	58%	Scattered Clds
Pattani	31 °C	84%	Scattered Clds
Pattaya	29 °C	70%	Light Rain Mist
Phayao	27 °C	54%	Partly Cloudy
Phetchabun	32 °C	40%	Partly Cloudy
Phetchaburi	30 °C	74%	Clear
Phitsanulok	32 °C	40%	Partly Cloudy
Phrae	31 °C	38%	Scattered Clds
Phuket	31 °C	66%	Mostly Cloudy
Prachin Buri	33 °C	49%	Scattered Clds
Prachuap K.khan	30 °C	74%	Clear
Ranong	31 °C	75%	Mostly Cloudy
Rayong	31 °C	70%	Overcast
Roi Et	34 °C	28%	Scattered Clds
Sakon Nakhon	31 °C	40%	Partly Cloudy
Sattahip	29 °C	70%	Light Rain Mist
Satun	31 °C	70%	Scattered Clds
Songkhla	31 °C	70%	Mostly Cloudy
Suphan Buri	33 °C	48%	Scattered Clds
Surat Thani	30 °C	79%	Scattered Clds
Surin	32 °C	52%	Partly Cloudy
Tak	33 °C	41%	Partly Cloudy
Takua Pa	31 °C	66%	Mostly Cloudy
Tha Tum	32 °C	52%	Partly Cloudy
Tha Wang Pha	30 °C	40%	Partly Cloudy
Thong Pha Phum	34 °C	32%	Haze
Trang	30 °C	70%	Scattered Clds
Ubon Ratchathani	33 °C	41%	Partly Cloudy
Udon Thani	32 °C	43%	Partly Cloudy
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Wichian Buri	34 °C	36%	Clear

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PISCES Feb 19 – Mar 20
You really thought that when it finally all came to an end it'd be a little more dramatic than this.

ARIES Mar 21 - Apr 20
You've tried all your life to follow your dreams, probably because you had no idea of the terrible places they'd ultimately be going.

TAURUS Apr 21 – May 21
The existence of rogue waves has been confirmed for well over 15 years, but until your sudden drowning next week, they won't have been known to make it all the way to Udon Thani.

GEMINI May 22 – June 21
It seems your own cat isn't one of those cats that dials 911 when its owner sets fire to the apartment while trying to figure out how to deep-fry Snickers bars.

CANCER Jun 22 – Jul 22
After years of development and hundreds of simulations, the French government has announced its ultraminiaturized nuclear device is ready to test on you.

LEO Jul 23 – Aug 22
While it's a myth that secret millionaires' clubs hunt human beings for sheer sport, you'll learn the hard way that some of them do it out of an altruistic sense of duty to society.

VIRGO Aug 23 – Sep 22
You'll be getting down and dirty, as well as hot and heavy, quite a lot in the near future, but that's mostly because it's time to move.

LIBRA Sep 23 – Oct 23
Your life will continue in an uneventful and unremarkable fashion for most of the next week, but before it's out you'll have had at least one really good sandwich.

SCORPIO Oct 24 – Nov 21
You'll soon meet a dark stranger and join him in taking a night journey across the water, but hey, that's modern business travel for you.

SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 – Dec 21
You may have been deeply hurt by it dozens of times, and certainly you know others whose experiences haven't been anything to write home about, but there's really nothing intrinsically wrong with love.

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A section for all you budding etymologists where each week the origin of a word or phrase is investigated.

This week it is..... Cut the mustard

To succeed; to come up to expectations.

Why cutting mustard was chosen as an example of high quality is unclear. As always in such circumstances, there are no shortage of guesses. Some of these allude to the literal difficulty of cutting mustard in its various forms; for example:

- Mustard seed, which is hard to cut with a knife on account of its being small and shiny.
- Mustard plants, which are tough and stringy and grow densely.
- Culinary mustard, which is cut (diluted) and made more palatable by the addition of vinegar.
- Dried mustard paste, which was reputedly used to coat meat and then dried to form a crust.

There is no evidence to support these derivations and they give the impression of having been retro-fitted in an attempt at plausibility.

Another supposed explanation is that the phrase is simply a mistaken version of the military expression 'cut the muster'. This appears believable at first sight. A little research shows it not to be so. Muster is the calling together of soldiers, sailors, prisoners, to parade for inspection or exercise. To cut muster would be a breach of discipline; hardly a phrase that would have been adopted with the meaning of success or excellence. This line of thought appears to have been influenced by confusion with the term 'pass muster', which would have the correct meaning, but which could hardly be argued to be the origin of 'cut the mustard'. The OED, which is the most complete record of the English language, along with all of the other reference works I've checked, don't record 'cut the muster' at all. The fact that documented examples of 'cut the mustard' are known from many years before any for 'cut the muster' would appear to rule out the latter as the origin.

There has been an association between the heat and piquancy of mustard and the zest and energy of people's behaviour. This dates back to at least 1672, when the term 'as keen as mustard' is first recorded. 'Up to mustard' or just 'mustard' means up to standard in the same way as 'up to snuff'. 'Cutting' has also long been used to mean 'exhibiting', as in the phrase 'cutting a fine figure'. Unless some actual evidence is found for the other proposed explanations, the derivation of 'cutting the mustard' as an alternative way of saying 'exhibiting one's high standards' is by far the most likely.

Whatever the coinage, the phrase itself emerged in the USA towards the end of the 19th century. The earliest example in print that I've found is from the Kansas newspaper The Ottawa Herald, August, 1889:

He tried to run the post office business under Cleveland's administration, but "couldn't cut the mustard."

The use of quotation marks and the lack of any explanation of the term in that citation imply that 'cut the mustard' was already known to Kansas readers and earlier printed examples may yet turn up.

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

Puzzle 2 (Hard)

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

Last issue's solutions

Puzzle 1

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

Puzzle 2

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

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RED PIANO HUA HIN WORLD CUP 2015

The dust has settled on this year's tournament, and below you will see results and some photos of the event, which was appropraitely enough won this year by Thailand! They won the final against Ireland 3-1 (both teams pictured below before the game) and went through the entire tournament without losing a game, only being held to a draw by England in the group stages. Their number 9 (bottom left, middle) was voted best player, while Ireland's Brendan Casey (above, middle) was top scorer with 12 goals. Finland picked up the Fair Play award.

All the participating teams (pictured left) and the organisers paid tribute to the main sponsor Red Piano, the other sponsors and to Father Teds for the after tournament party.

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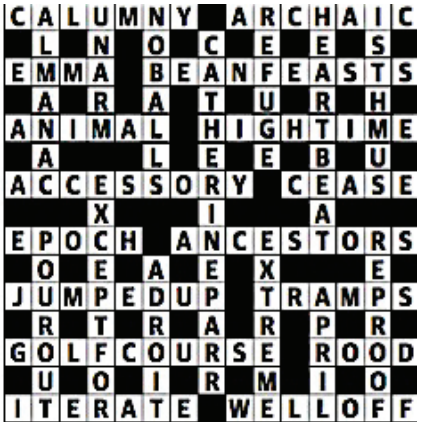

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THE ART OF THE DANCE

What wears a jacket that looks like a very bright rag rug, carries a willow stick, and jangles its' bells?

The answer is a Grimsby Morris Dancer. Other Morris Dancing locations are of course available, but the Morris men of Grimsby have a problem. Some of you will say that anyone who gets dressed up like that to prance around in public bashing a willow stick against another dancers' willow stick has a problem. But Morris Dancing has been one of those quaint British traditions since at least the mid 15th century, although worryingly no-one seems to know why.

First though a word or two about Grimsby, a port which lies on the opposite bank of the river Humber to Hull, and which like Hull was once a flourishing fishing port. So you will understand that Hull and Grimsby folk have never got along too well, and I am taking quite a risk by even mentioning Grimsby in print.

Back to the Morris Dancers. Their costumes can vary, as can the instruments which they play. Some use swords instead of sticks, or even wave handkerchiefs around. One thing they do have in common are the bells strapped around their lower legs. All innocent enough - except for the swords - so what problem can the Grimsby Morris Dancers possibly have?

The answer lies in their sticks, for it seems that willow sticks don't last very long. The wood is prone to snap - especially when used as a weapon by grown men - and with changes in farming methods over the years willow has become more scarce. So the Morris Men of Grimsby are appealing for new supplies, saying that although other woods can be used, willow sticks make a lovely noise. Far be it from me to comment on the percussion qualities of willow, so I will leave that to the cricket fans amongst you.

Of course all countries have their traditional dances, and fortunately Thai Classical Dance - or 'natasin' - has a more universal appeal and is much more graceful than Morris Dancing. It also attracts far more attention from tourists. But like Morris Dancing its' origins are a bit of a mystery. It is thought to have developed during the Ayutthaya period, which spanned a fair old length of time from 1350 to 1767, and it is said that it transferred into the current dynasty due to Royal patronage. As for the ethnic origin, the favourites are Indian, Mon and Khmer.

Known as 'high art', Thai classical dance is clearly distinguished as a higher class art form than Thai folk dance, and its' movements, dress and meanings are carefully maintained. As with ballet, the dancers begin to train at a young age, and encourage the graceful outward curve of the arm by physically pressing their arms between their knees. Similarly fingers are pushed backwards to produce that impossible looking curve. And if all that sounds a bit extreme, let's not forget that ballet dancers worldwide also force their feet to adapt for the sake of their art.

Meanwhile most of us make do with a bit of a shuffle on the dance floor, and in December 1986 we were slowly shuffling to 'Caravan of Love' by Hulls' very own band the Housemartins. On December 16th 'Caravan of Love' became the Housemartins only number one Chart single, missing out on the coveted Christmas number one slot due to the re release of Jackie Wilsons' 'Reet Petite' which became the surprise number one that year and required a bit more effort to keep up with.

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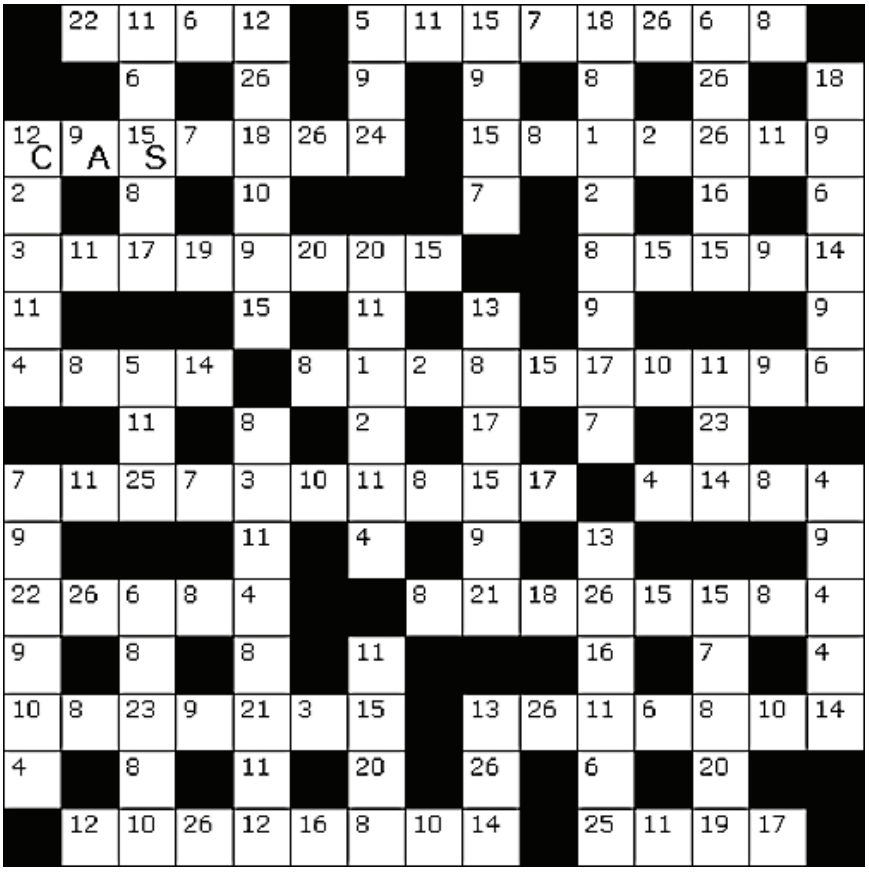

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N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

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.

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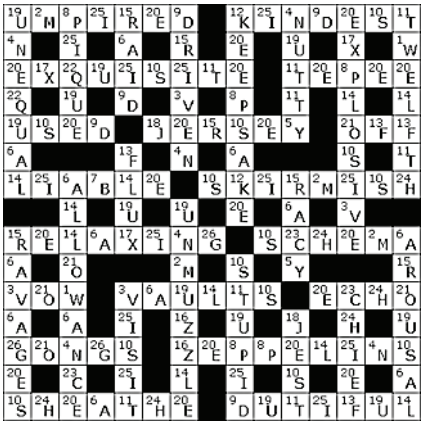

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HUA HIN GOLF

BUTTERFLY ROCK GOLF SOCIETY

RESULTS

7th December 2015

Lake View AB Strokeplay 23 entered
1st Peter Hayes 76 - 11 = 65
2nd Lars Faerch 86 - 16 = 70
3rd Mark Simpson 86 - 15 = 71
4th Mark Gagliardi 85 - 12 = 73

2nd December 2015

Palm Hills 2 Man Betterball 10 teams
1st Ken Bell, Mark Gagliardi 44 pts
2nd Peter Hayes, Mick Mace 41 pts
3rd Barbara Anstee, John Anstee 41 pts
4th Richard Greene, Mark Simpson 39 pts

FIXTURES

14th December 2015 Lakeview C&D Stableford
16th December 2015 Majestic Creek Stableford

HUA HIN GOLF SOCIETY

RESULTS

8th December 2015

Palm Hills Stableford 48 entered
A group: 1st Hubert Maldonado 39 pts (13)
2nd Neung Chueanil 37 pts (08)
3rd Huub Korver 36 pts (07)
4th Kieron Bose 35 pts (10)
B group: 1st Tim Vermeersch 38 pts (19)
2nd Marjorie Sherlock 36 pts (33)
3rd Geoff Mitchell 35 pts (16)
4th Mario Aiello 34 pts (17)

1st/4th December 2015

Springfield A + B HHGS Championship 2015
41 entered
1st David Tuddenham 70 70=140
2nd Kieron Bose 71 73=144
3rd Chuan Walker 73 72=145
4th Harvey Russell 78 68=146

FIXTURES

15th December Banyan HHGS Charity Scramble.
18th December Majestic Stableford

CHA AM GOLF CLUB

Contact: secretary@chaamgolfclub.com

FIXTURES

16th December Santa Claus Tournament

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.

4th December 2015

1st Nigel Guest 36 pts (12)
2nd Steve Hope 32 pts (20)
3rd Ole Ingerslev 31 pts (20)
4th Adrian Byrne 29 pts (24)

LAKE VIEW MEMBERS CLUB

RESULTS

4th December 2015

Stableford - Course CD
1st Steve O'Brien (13) 37pts
2nd Reto Vorburger (4) 34pts
3rd Doug East (11) 31pts

7th December 2015

Medal - Course AB
1st Mike Knight (13) 73
2nd Reto Vorburger (4) 74
3rd Bill Evans (13) 75

FIXTURES

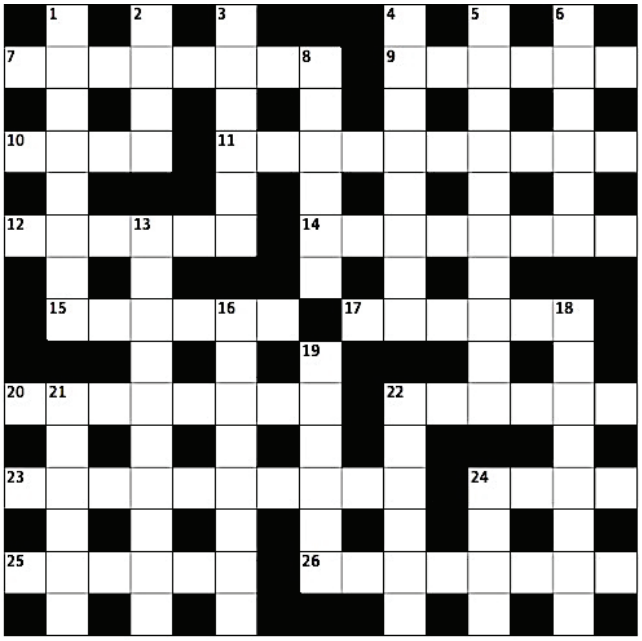
Lake View every Monday, Wednesday, Friday

CRYPTIC CROSSWORD

The solution to last week's puzzle is on page 14

ACROSS

7 Spooner's empty room a problem for cat (8)
9 See 25
10, 24 down Roundabout way conveyed by words, cryptically (4,4)
11 Conveyance with bishop entering public school (10)
12 Farmer has hydrant installed as source of water (6)
14 A hundred in a pub — any number imbibed mineral (8)



15 Stylish man takes in the Spanish fool (6)
17 Vessel less inviting when litre's not provided (6)
20 This person's probing a friend's resentment (8)
22 Mechanical base (6)
23 Merriment authentic in cathedral? It's without joy! (10)
24 See 2
25, 9 Russian dandy in our community disappeared full of energy (not half) to have drink (6,6)
26 Herb is frightfully arrogant (8)

DOWN

1 Defiled building looked over by Indian musician (8)
2, 24 across Drive with a stylishness in motor competition (4,4)
3 See the woman big on top founder (6)
4 University circle into unfinished work of Shakespeare? (8)
5 Gain endless money as of old in speculation in this financial situation? (4,6)
6 Women's organisation soon upset one of its members? (6)
8 Folly of woman having upsetting article implanted (6)
13 On friendly terms always? Fancy that! (4,1,5)
16 Cynic denies God, endlessly exploding (8)
18 Poor carrot not right, a misshapen ___ (4,4)
19 Small hole — it's surrounded by water, reportedly (6)
21 Party group in grounds briefly interrupted by copper (6)
22 Coach possibly for carrying your crude shoppers? (6)
24 See 10

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LEAGUES/RESULTS

HUA HIN POOL BILLIARD LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 24 4th December 2015
Clansmen (17) 6 - 2 (6) Sunset Boulevard
HHin Miss You (11) 4 - 4 (11) Coopers Br Grdn
Infinity Bar (12) 4 - 4 (12) Maria Bar 1
Jaew Bar (7) 1 - 7 (17) Squealing Pig
Lucky Shot A (17) 6 - 2 (8) Master Cues
Maria Bar 2 (14) 5 - 3 (13) Johnnie's 56
TK Roadhouse (14) 5 - 3 (9) Lucky Shot B
Kom Hom - no game

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Clansmen	24	22	0	2	100	44
Lucky Shot A	24	20	2	2	82	42
Maria Bar 1	24	17	3	4	66	37
Maria Bar 2	24	16	1	7	58	33
Kom Hom	24	14	4	6	46	32
Squealing Pig	24	15	2	7	44	32
Infinity Bar	24	15	1	8	34	31
TK Roadhouse	24	10	6	8	10	26
Lucky Shot B	24	10	4	10	0	24
Sunset B'vard	24	7	6	11	-22	20
Johnnie's 56	24	7	4	13	-22	18
HHin Miss You	24	5	3	16	-56	13
Master Cues	24	4	4	16	-48	12
Jaew Bar	24	2	5	17	-74	9
Coopers Br Gdn	24	2	3	19	-88	7
Pa's Beer Grden	24	1	2	21	-130	4

FIXTURES
Week 25 11th December 2015
Coopers Beer Garden v TK Roadhouse
Jaew Bar v Maria Bar 2
Kom Hom v Hua Hin Miss You
Lucky Shot B v Clansmen
Maria Bar 1 v Lucky Shot A
Squealing Pig v Infinity Bar
Sunset Boulevard v Johnnie's 56
Master Cues - no game

Week 26 18th December 2015
Clansmen v Coopers Beer Garden
Hua Hin Miss You v Master Cues
Infinity Bar v Jaew Bar
Johnnie's 56 v Lucky Shot B
Lucky Shot A v Squealing Pig
Maria Bar 2 v Sunset Boulevard
TK Roadhouse v Kom Hom
Maria Bar 1 - no game

Please note: Pa's Beer Garden has dropped out of the league, so the games from the first half of the season will be counted as played but second half recorded as (20) 8 - 0 (12).

HUA HIN KHAO TAKIAB SUPER POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 25 3rd December 2015
Bobby's Birds v Maria Bar n/a
Drink & Shelter v Muan Bar 1 n/a
Exotic Bar v Bobby's Boys n/a
Muan Bar 2 v The Dream n/a
Mucky Duck v Anytime Bar n/a
Sasa Bar v JJ Sport Bar n/a
The Kiss v Vinyl an Rose n/a
TK Roadhouse v Lanla Bar n/a

FIXTURES
Week 27 17th December 2015
Anytime Bar v Vinyl an Rose
Bobby's Birds v TK Roadhouse
Drink & Shelter v Maria Bar
Exotic Bar v The Dream
Muan Bar 2 v JJ Sport Bar
Mucky Duck v Bobby's Boys
Sasa Bar v Lanla Bar
The Kiss v Muan Bar 1

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
Maria Bar	23	22	1	192	326
Lanla Bar	23	19	3	140	300
Muan Bar 2	23	18	2	132	296
TK Roadhouse	23	18	4	100	280
Mucky Duck	23	15	6	62	261
JJ Sport Bar	23	10	9	-6	227
Bobby's Birds	23	10	13	-10	225
Exotic Bar	23	9	13	-10	225
Vinyl an Rose	23	11	10	-16	222
Muan Bar 1	23	9	12	-28	216
Sasa Bar	23	7	13	-40	210
Bobby's Boys	23	7	14	-44	208
Drink & Shelter	23	9	11	-70	195
The Kiss	23	5	16	-76	192
Anytime Bar	23	0	21	-160	150
The Dream	23	1	22	-166	147

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HUA HIN KHAO TAKIAB COOL POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 4 4th December 2015
Beach Hut 14 - 11 Exotic Bar
Golden Bar 9 - 16 TK Roadhouse
JNB v Somatch 3D n/a
Jungle Juice 11 - 14 Muan
Maria v The Connection n/a
Pat s Place 6 - 19 Mucky Duck
Sasa Bar v JJ Sport Bar n/a
FIXTURES
Week 5 11th December 2015
JJ Sport Bar v Exotic Bar
Muan v Beach Hut
Mucky Duck v JNB
Pat s Place v Golden Bar
Somatch 3D v Maria
The Connection v Sasa Bar
TK Roadhouse v Jungle Juice
Week 6 18th December 2015
Beach Hut v TK Roadhouse
Exotic Bar v The Connection
Golden Bar v Mucky Duck
JJ Sport Bar v Muan
Jungle Juice v Pat s Place
Maria v JNB
Sasa Bar v Somatch 3D

LEAGUE TABLE

TEAM	P	W	D	L	+/-	PTS
TK Roadhouse	4	4	0	0	28	64
Beach Hut	4	4	0	0	24	62
Exotic Bar	4	3	0	1	22	61
Mucky Duck	4	2	0	2	20	60
Muan	4	3	0	1	10	55
JJ Sport Bar	3	3	0	0	25	50
Sasa Bar	3	2	0	1	15	45
The Connection	3	3	0	0	9	42
Jungle Juice	4	0	0	4	-24	38
Golden Bar	4	0	0	4	-32	34
Maria	3	1	0	2	-11	32
Pat's Place	4	0	0	4	-36	32
JNB	3	0	0	3	-19	28
Somatch 3D	3	0	0	3	-31	22

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LEAGUES/RESULTS

HUA HIN/KHAO TAKIAB LADIES POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS

Week 13 7th December 2015

Anytime Bar 7 - 11 Exotic Bar
Bar 80 Saloon 12 - 6 Sa Sa Bar
Kom Hom 6 - 12 Muan Bar
Pit's Cafe 5 - 13 The Connection
TK Roadhouse 11 - 7 Jaew Bar
The Clansmen 15 - 3 Dara Bar
The Squealing Pig 14 - 4 Sunset Boulevard
Waring Bar 10 - 8 JNB Bar

FIXTURES

Week 14 14th December 2015

Dara Bar v TK Roadhouse
Exotic Bar v Pit's Cafe
Jaew Bar v Bar 80 Saloon
JNB Bar v Anytime Bar
Muan Bar v Waring Bar
Sa Sa Bar v The Squealing Pig
Sunset Boulevard v Kom Hom
The Connection v The Clansmen

THURSDAY FRIENDLY POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS

Week 3 3rd December 2015

Bar 80 Saloon 8 - 12 Casanova's
Coopers Beer Grdn 10 - 10 Connections Cafe
Hua Hin Bar 9 - 11 Jaew Bar
Komhom Bar 14 - 6 MasterCues Bar
Mr Dan's 8 - 12 Clansmen
Pit's Cafe 15 - 5 Dara Bar
Squealing Pig 10 - 10 Hut Bar

FIXTURES

Week 5 17th December 2015

Bar 80 Saloon v Clansmen
Hua Hin Bar v Dara Bar
Komhom Bar v Casanova's
MasterCues Bar v Jaew Bar
Mr Dan's v Coopers Beer Garden
Pit's Cafe v Hut Bar
Squealing Pig v Connections Cafe

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Clansmen	3	3	0	0	26	49
Komhom Bar	3	3	0	0	20	46
Squealing Pig	3	2	1	0	16	43
Pit's Cafe	3	2	0	1	16	42
Hut Bar	3	2	1	0	10	40
MasterCues	3	2	0	1	0	34
Casanova's	3	2	0	1	-2	33
Bar 80 Saloon	3	1	0	2	-2	31
Connections	3	1	1	1	-4	31
Jaew Bar	3	1	0	2	-10	27
Mr Dan's	3	0	0	3	-10	25
Coopers Br Gdn	3	0	1	2	-18	22
Hua Hin Bar	3	0	0	3	-20	20
Dara Bar	3	0	0	3	-22	19

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Muan Bar	13	12	0	1	100	24
Squealing Pig	13	11	0	2	90	22
Sunset B'vard	13	7	2	4	12	16
Waring Bar	13	7	2	4	-6	16
JNB Bar	13	7	1	5	8	15
The Connection	13	6	2	5	30	14
The Clansmen	13	6	1	6	16	13
Kom Hom	12	5	3	4	10	13
Dara Bar	13	5	3	5	4	13
TK Roadhouse	12	5	2	5	-8	12
Sa Sa Bar	11	5	0	6	0	10
Jaew Bar	12	3	3	6	-26	9
Pit's Cafe	13	4	1	8	-36	9
Exotic Bar	12	4	0	8	-44	8
Bar 80 Saloon	13	3	1	9	-48	7
Anytime Bar	13	0	1	12	-102	1

Please note: Bobby's Birds have been replaced by Exotic Bar

HUA HIN SOCIAL POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS

Week 9 9th December 2015

Jungle Juice B v JW Black n/a
JW Red 11 - 8 Jungle Juice A
King Bar A 12 - 7 N & G
Limelight 11 - 8 Pink Panther Cato
Pink Panther Clouseau 11 - 8 All Nations GH
Tiger Bar - No game

FIXTURES

Week 10 16th December 2015

Jungle Juice A v Pink Panther Clouseau
JW Black v JW Red
N & G v Limelight
Pink Panther Cato v Jungle Juice B
Tiger Bar v King Bar A
All Nations GH - No game

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
Pink Panther Cato	7	6	1	23	12
Jungle Juice B	7	5	2	25	10
King Bar A	8	5	3	20	10
JW Red	8	5	3	16	10
Limelight	8	5	3	12	10
Tiger Bar	8	4	4	8	8
All Nations GH	9	4	5	-1	8
Pk Pnthr Clouseau	8	4	4	-10	8
JW Black	7	3	4	-11	6
Jungle Juice A	8	2	6	-26	4
N & G	8	0	8	-56	0

HUA HIN/KHAO TAKIAB FUN POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS

Week 16 9th December 2015

Beach Hut Bar 11 - 9 TK Roadhouse
Bobby's Bangers 10 - 10 Bar 80 Saloon
Cooper's Beer Garden 5 - 15 Clansman
Jaew Bar 10 - 10 The Squealing Pig
Kom Hom Bar 14 - 6 White House Bar
Master Cues 7 - 13 Mucky Duck
Muan Bar 13 - 7 Bobby's Beauties
Pat's Place 6 - 14 The Bridge
Pit's Cafe 15 - 5 Casanova's
Sunset Boulevard 14 - 6 Dara's Bar
Maria's Bar - no game

FIXTURES

Week 17 16th December 2015

Bar 80 Saloon v Beach Hut Bar
Casanova's v Muan Bar
Clansman v Bobby's Bangers
Dara's Bar v Pat's Place
Maria's Bar v Mucky Duck
Sunset Boulevard v Cooper's Beer Garden
The Bridge v Jaew Bar
The Squealing Pig v Pit's Cafe
TK Roadhouse v Kom Hom Bar
White House Bar v Master Cues
Bobby's Beauties - no game

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Maria's Bar	15	13	0	2	132	26
Clansman	15	12	2	1	102	26
Squealing Pig	16	11	3	2	56	25
Bar 80 Saloon	15	11	1	3	30	23
Sunset B'vard	15	10	2	3	50	22
Beach Hut Bar	15	10	1	4	34	21
Muan Bar	15	9	1	5	38	19
Pit's Cafe	15	8	3	4	24	19
Mucky Duck	15	8	2	5	30	18
TK Roadhouse	15	7	3	5	30	17
Kom Hom Bar	15	8	1	6	-4	17
Dara's Bar	15	5	4	6	-16	14
Bobby's B'ties	16	4	5	7	-26	13
The Bridge	16	6	1	9	-32	13
Master Cues	15	6	0	9	4	12
Bobby's Bngers	15	4	2	9	-38	10
Coopers Br Gdn	15	4	2	9	-42	10
White House	15	3	1	11	-70	7
Jaew Bar	15	0	3	12	-100	3
Pat's Place	16	1	1	14	-110	3
Casanova's	16	1	0	15	-92	2

Please note: Aussie Bar has closed and their team has withdrawn from the league

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HUA HIN DARTS LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 5 8th December 2015
Blue Lagoon 2 5 - 13 Blue Lagoon 1
Johnny's 56 11 - 7 Hua Hin Miss You
Jungle Juice 16 - 2 Kom Hom
Mojo's v The Clansmen n/a
Robin's Rest 3 - 15 Urs Treff CHA AM

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Urs Treff	4	4	0	0	66	8
Blue Lagoon 1	4	4	0	0	38	8
Jungle Juice	5	4	0	1	24	8
The Clansmen	4	3	0	1	12	6
Robin's Rest	5	2	0	3	-2	4
Kom Hom	5	2	0	3	-20	4
Johnny's 56	5	2	0	3	-24	4
Mojo's	4	1	0	3	-30	2
HHin Miss You	3	0	0	3	-20	0
Blue Lagoon 2	5	0	0	5	-44	0

FIXTURES
Week 6 15th December 2015
Blue Lagoon 1 v Mojo's
Hua Hin Miss You v Jungle Juice
Kom Hom v Blue Lagoon 2
The Clansmen v Robin's Rest
Urs Treff CHA AM v Johnny's 56

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FIXTURES

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Saturday 12th December 2015
PREMIER LEAGUE
Norwich v Everton 19:45
Crystal Palace v Southampton 22:00
Man City v Swansea 22:00
Sunderland v Watford 22:00
West Ham v Stoke 22:00
CHAMPIONSHIP
Blackburn v Rotherham 02:45
Wolves v Nottm Forest 02:45
MK Dons v Ipswich 12:30
Cardiff v Sheff Wed 22:00
Charlton v Leeds 22:00
Derby v Brighton 22:00
Fulham v Brentford 22:00
Huddersfield v Bristol City 22:00
Hull v Bolton 22:00
Middlesbrough v Birmingham 22:00
Preston v Reading 22:00
QPR v Burnley 22:00
SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP
Aberdeen v Hearts 12:30
Dundee Utd v Partick Thistle 22:00
Hamilton v Ross County 22:00
Inverness CT v Kilmarnock 22:00
Motherwell v Dundee 22:00

Sunday 13th December 2015
PREMIER LEAGUE
Bournemouth v Man Utd 00:30
Aston Villa v Arsenal 20:30
Liverpool v West Brom 23:00
Tottenham v Newcastle 23:00
SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP
St Johnstone v Celtic 19:30

Tuesday 15th December 2015
PREMIER LEAGUE
Leicester v Chelsea 03:00
CHAMPIONSHIP
Blackburn v Nottm Forest 02:45

Wednesday 16th December 2015
CHAMPIONSHIP
Cardiff v Brentford 02:45
Charlton v Bolton 02:45
Derby v Bristol City 02:45
Fulham v Ipswich 02:45
Huddersfield v Rotherham 02:45
Middlesbrough v Burnley 02:45
MK Dons v Sheff Wed 02:45
Preston v Birmingham 02:45
QPR v Brighton 02:45

Thursday 17th December 2015
CHAMPIONSHIP
Hull v Reading 02:45

Friday 18th December 2015
CHAMPIONSHIP
Wolves v Leeds 02:45

FANTASY PREMIER LEAGUE

AWOL CHALLENGE LEAGUE TABLE

	Team	GW	TOT
1	Fadgernooyd	83	844
2	Mr ChaAming	46	788
3	สีน้ำเงิน	74	785
4	Hua Hin Utd	71	768
5	Dunne's Destroyers	69	765
6	Buglebutts	55	756
7	Wanderlust United	82	751
8	Lost Cafe Kebabs TA	78	741
9	Sporting Mukdahan	60	720
10	Portsmouth City FC	74	710
11	Exquisite	52	707
12	The Fluffy Bunnies	77	701
13	AWOL Wanderers	54	698
14	Frankies 11	45	689
15	Red & Blue Bangers	68	687

FEATURED GAME

Sunday 6th December 2015
Tuesday 15th December 2015
PREMIER LEAGUE
Leicester v Chelsea 03:00
Theoretically (and probably) Leicester may be fourth rather than top by the time this game is played but this will either be a chance to go top again, or strengthen their position. It is a vital game for Chelsea, and they could find themselves in the bottom three both before and after this game. Whoever is manager for the Blues, we expect a very defensive performance, as Leicester have a very dangerous, pacy attack. We predict Vardy and co will have just too much for the Londoners, so a narrow home win.

ENGLISH PREMIER LEAGUE TABLE

	Team	P	GD	PTS
1	Leicester	15	11	32
2	Arsenal	15	14	30
3	Man City	15	14	29
4	Man Utd	15	10	29
5	Tottenham	15	13	26
6	Crystal Palace	15	5	23
7	West Ham	15	4	23
8	Liverpool	15	1	23
9	Everton	15	8	22
10	Watford	15	1	22
11	Stoke	15	-1	22
12	Southampton	15	3	21
13	West Brom	15	-5	19
14	Chelsea	15	-7	15
15	Swansea	15	-8	14
16	Norwich	15	-10	13
17	Bournemouth	15	-12	13
18	Newcastle	15	-14	13
19	Sunderland	15	-12	12
20	Aston Villa	15	-15	6

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MAN UNITED CRACK DOWN ON FANS SMUGGLING SUDOKU INTO OLD TRAFFORD

■ ENGLAND

MANCHESTER United has pledged to stop fans smuggling puzzles, games and books into Old Trafford to keep them occupied during matches.

The club has trained its security staff to spot a sudoku book being concealed inside a match programme and bags are being searched for novels.

Suspicions were raised during the team's 0-0 draw with West Ham when a Marouane Fellaini near miss was greeted by absolute silence, except for a dispute taking place over a game of 'Buckaroo!' in the Stretford End.

A Manchester United spokesman said: "We will not tolerate fans being entertained."

Season ticket holder Wayne Hayes said: "Since August I've read most of Dickens. It has been a literary feast, courtesy of Louis van Gaal."

He added: "I'm taking my tax return to the Norwich game."

Above: Louis Van Gaal shows Manchester United fans what they should be doing with their hands during a game

Several fans have been turned back at the turnstiles after being discovered with The Lord Of The Rings, while one brave fan was caught with a 1500 page copy of War and Peace by Tolstoy. It was, however, later revealed that he had mistaken Old Trafford for the local library.

Several other fans have been thwarted in their attempts to take the Mouse Trap game in, but it does appear as if the majority have been successfully playing Pocket Billiards without the knowledge of the stewards, although opposing fans have been pointing it out for quite some time.

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