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COPS COLLAR FUEL BANDITS

CONTRABAND DIESEL STOPS SHUT DOWN

■ HUA HIN, THAILAND

While the police in Pattaya were busy nabbing pensioners playing bridge last week, the police in Hua Hin have once again shown that they are generally a cut above their cousins across the Gulf of Thailand, by apprehending a group of Thais who were selling contraband diesel.

The arrests took place last Wednesday, following raids by police and soldiers from the 15th Army Circle at three locations along the bypass road between Cha Am and Pranburi, after receiving a tip off that diesel was being sold illegally.

The raids uncovered around 200 litres of diesel along with equipment used to transfer the fuel to vehicles at three locations, one on the Bangkok-bound side of the road at Moo 12 village in tambon Hin Lek Fai and the second on the south-bound side, opposite the first. The third illegal outlet was at Ban Nong Phai in tambon Thap Tai.

Authorities said that the outlets were selling cheap, smuggled fuel to passing motorists at a total of seven different spots along the Hua Hin bypass road, for around two to three baht below the normal pump price.

Lt Thirapong Namsala, who led the soldiers in the raids, said the three smuggled oil outlets had been in operation for about five months, and had been open around the clock. Three men are in police custody.

Reports suggest that the fuel originated in Malaysia, where the pump price is cheaper, although this is likely to change following agreements made as part of the Asean Economic Community, where the vast majority of tarrifs between the countries will be removed, making this sort of operation less profitable, although it could potentially lead to more theft of fuel. Whether the price will drop in Thailand or rise in Malaysia, or a combination of both, is yet to be known, but given the backdrop of dropping crude oil prices it seems unlikely prices will go up.

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WORLD WEATHER (11-2-16)

CITY	Weather	High °C
Amsterdam	Passing clouds	3
Ankara	Ice fog	0
Athens	Cool	14
Auckland	More clouds than sun	24
Beijing	Low clouds	4
Berlin	Light rain clouds	5
Buenos Aires	Clear	26
Cairo	Haze	11
Chicago	Passing clouds	-11
Copenhagen	Fog	3
Dubai	Passing clouds	16
Dublin	Passing	-1
Helsinki	Drizzle	3
Ho Chi Minh City	Partly cloudy	34
Hong Kong	Scattered clouds	21
Islamabad	Thunderstorms	6
Jakarta	Overcast	25
Jerusalem	Passing clouds	11
Johannesburg	Passing clouds	18
Karachi	Haze	18
Kuala Lumpur	Partly sunny	32
London	Clear	-2
Madrid	Passing clouds	12
Manila	Partly sunny	31
Mexico City	Clear	10
Moscow	Overcast	1
Mumbai	Haze	25
New Delhi	Fog	15
New York	Overcast	-1
Oslo	Overcast	1
Paris	Passing clouds	3
Perth	Sunny	31
Phnom-Penh	Partly cloudy	36
Rio De Janeiro	Partly cloudy	29
Riyadh	Sunny	14
Rome	Passing clouds	8
San Francisco	Passing clouds	17
Seoul	Broken clouds	12
Shanghai	Light rain sunny	16
Singapore	Scattered clouds	28
Stockholm	Light rain clouds	0
Sydney	Partly sunny	27
Taibei/Taipei	Scattered clouds	26
Tokyo	Passing clouds	9
Vancouver	Passing clouds	9
Vientiane	Clear	34
Yangon	Scattered clouds	26
Zurich	Chilly	0

LOCAL FORECAST AND TIDES

	Rain (mm)	Conditions	Temp. °C		Tides			
			High	Low	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Sat	0	Sunshine	33	23	05:16 1.4m	07:31 2.3m	18:07 1.2m	21:13 2.2m
Sun	0	Plenty of sunshine	33	23	05:44 1.4m	07:05 2.2m	17:57 1.2m	21:58 2.2m
Mon	0	Sunny to partly cloudy	33	24	05:50 1.5m	05:56 1.5m	17:42 1.2m	-
Tue	0	Mostly sunny & pleasant	31	22	04:23 2.3m	17:26 1.2m	-	-
Wed	0	Plenty of sunshine	33	23	04:21 2.3m	17:17 1.1m	-	-
Thu	0	Plenty of sunshine	33	23	04:42 2.4m	17:14 1.1m	-	-
Fri	0	Plenty of sunshine	34	24	05:05 2.4m	17:15 1.1m	-	-

THAILAND WEATHER (11-2-16)

Place	Temp.	Hum.	Conditions
Aranyaprathet	30 °C	43%	Clear
Bangkok	30 °C	51%	Clear
Bhumibol Dam	16 °C	82%	Clear
Bua Chum	24 °C	45%	Haze
Chaiyaphum	24 °C	40%	Haze
Chanthaburi	31 °C	43%	Clear
Chiang Mai	22 °C	41%	Haze
Chiang Rai	20 °C	68%	Mist
Chumphon	30 °C	61%	Mist
Hat Yai	30 °C	70%	Scattered Clds
Kam Paeng Phet	27 °C	39%	Partly Cloudy
Kanchanaburi	23 °C	49%	Haze
Khanom	31 °C	62%	Partly Cloudy
Khlong Yai	31 °C	43%	Clear
Khon Kaen	25 °C	41%	Haze
Ko Lanta	33 °C	49%	Scattered Clds
Ko Samui	31 °C	62%	Partly Cloudy
Ko Sichang	29 °C	51%	Clear
Krabi	33 °C	49%	Scattered Clds
Laemchabang	32 °C	48%	Clear
Lampang	19 °C	68%	Partly Cloudy
Lamphun	22 °C	41%	Haze
Loei	21 °C	64%	Mist
Lop Buri	30 °C	51%	Clear
Mae Hong Son	22 °C	50%	Partly Cloudy
Mae Sariang	17 °C	64%	Mist
Mae Sot	19 °C	53%	Haze
Mukdahan	24 °C	50%	Clear
Nakhon Phanom	24 °C	50%	Clear
Nakhon Ratch.	27 °C	31%	Haze
Nakhon Sawan	25 °C	43%	Haze
Nakhon Si Tham.	31 °C	66%	Scattered Clds
Nan	22 °C	50%	Partly Cloudy

Place	Temp.	Hum.	Conditions
Narathiwat	30 °C	66%	Mostly Cloudy
Nong Khai	23 °C	65%	Clear
Pattani	30 °C	66%	Mostly Cloudy
Pattaya	29 °C	51%	Haze
Phayao	20 °C	68%	Mist
Phetchabun	27 °C	39%	Partly Cloudy
Phetchaburi	28 °C	58%	Haze
Phitsanulok	27 °C	39%	Partly Cloudy
Phrae	23 °C	50%	Smoke
Phuket	30 °C	62%	Mostly Cloudy
Prachin Buri	30 °C	51%	Clear
Prachuap K.khan	28 °C	58%	Haze
Ranong	31 °C	50%	Scattered Clds
Rayong	29 °C	66%	Haze
Roi Et	21 °C	64%	Mist
Sakon Nakhon	26 °C	31%	Haze
Sattahip	29 °C	51%	Haze
Satun	30 °C	70%	Scattered Clds
Songkhla	30 °C	74%	Scattered Clds
Suphan Buri	30 °C	45%	Clear
Surat Thani	30 °C	70%	Partly Cloudy
Surin	28 °C	48%	Partly Cloudy
Tak	16 °C	82%	Clear
Takua Pa	30 °C	62%	Mostly Cloudy
Tha Tum	30 °C	31%	Partly Cloudy
Tha Wang Pha	22 °C	50%	Partly Cloudy
Thong Pha Phum	21 °C	56%	Mist
Trang	32 °C	55%	Partly Cloudy
Ubon Ratchathani	28 °C	48%	Clear
Udon Thani	24 °C	50%	Clear
Uttaradit	16 °C	82%	Clear
Wichian Buri	18 °C	82%	Clear

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AQUARIUS Jan 20 – Feb 18
Giving birth is a life-changing experience, especially when it shoots straight out of your sternum like that.

PISCES Feb 19 – Mar 20
Saturn in your sign this week is cause for concern, as Pisces has had a restraining order against the planet for years.

ARIES Mar 21 - Apr 20
You'll have no choice but to eat the other passengers after your plane crashes into an Armour Hot Dog processing plant this week.

TAURUS Apr 21 – May 21
Remember: When life gives you lemons, make lemonade. Then, when life least expects it, throw the lemonade right in its spiteful face.

GEMINI May 22 – June 21
Everyone laughed when you said mankind wouldn't last another 100 years, but that's because you did it in a funny Mexican accent.

CANCER Jun 22 – Jul 22
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LEO Jul 23 – Aug 22
Mosquitoes are usually attracted to body heat and perspiration, though in your case, it's the giant mosquito costume.

VIRGO Aug 23 – Sep 22
The cosmic sands of time will sweep through your sign this week, filling your shorts with eons of frustration.

LIBRA Sep 23 – Oct 23
You're about to go through a really messy divorce, thanks in large part to the Philly cheese steak you'll refuse to put down.

SCORPIO Oct 24 – Nov 21
A magic carpet ride awaits Scorpio this week. Prepare to travel from the trunk of an old Buick, down the Verrazano Bridge, and into the harbour.

SAGITTARIUS Nov 22 – Dec 21
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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..... Play the race card

To attempt to gain advantage in an election by pandering to the electorate's racism. Also, more recently, to attempt to gain advantage by drawing attention to one's race.

This term is now more often used in the USA than in other countries. A 'race card' is the name of the card that lists the runners and riders at horse races, but hat's not the race card being referred to in 'playing the race card'. The expression alludes to the trump card in card games like whist.

Following an influx of immigrants into the UK in the 1950/60s there was known to be a degree of racist discontent amongst the predominantly white indigenous population. Reputable politicians avoided acknowledging this openly but there was an informal gentlemen's agreement not to benefit electorally by pandering to this racist element. Peter Griffiths, the Conservative candidate for the parliamentary seat of Smethwick in the UK's 1964 General Election, was accused of using the slogan "If you want a nigger neighbour - vote Labour", in an attempt to capitalize on the electorate's fears of being 'swamped' by immigrants.

Whenever a phrase is seen to match the circumstances, folk-etymologists (the jargon name that etymologists give to amateur etymologists) are eager to make claims like "Peter Griffith coined the term in 1964". In fact, he didn't. It was later, once the phrase 'play the race card' had become part of the language in the 1980s, that commentators wrote pieces suggesting that Griffiths 'played the race card' in order to get elected. No one said it at the time. This form of skewwhiff theorising is called back-formation.

There is another back-formation relating to the phrase 'play the race card' and although, like all back-formations, it is an invented derivation, this one is more plausible than most. In 1863, US President Abraham Lincoln issued an Emancipation Proclamation, which proclaimed the freedom of black slaves in certain US states. The London based magazine Punch didn't support Lincoln's tactic and published a satirical cartoon entitled Abe Lincoln's Last Card; Or, Rouge-et-Noir. The cartoon showed a card game between Lincoln and a confederate soldier. Lincoln, in the form of the Devil, was about to slam down the Ace of Spades, in the form of a black man's head, onto a tub of dynamite. The implication was that Lincoln was making a reckless political and military gamble by pronouncing slaves to be free. This wasn't the cartoonist John Tenniel's finest hour; he was of course better known as the illustrator of Alice's Adventures in Wonderland.

It would have been perfectly reasonable to say that Lincoln was 'playing the race card' in that cartoon. However, no one did say it at the time and the notion that the phrase derives from Lincoln's 'Last Card' cartoon is erroneous.

The earliest example that can be found of the expression 'play the race card' in print is from the Indiana newspaper the Kokomo Tribune, November 1989:

Judge [Alcee L.] Hastings has been playing the race card ever since the F.B.I. closed in on him in 1982.

That usage, which refers to someone attempting to gain advantage by drawing attention to their race, became commonplace in the USA around the time of O. J. Simpson's trial for the murder of Nicole Brown Simpson and Ronald Goldman. Several US newspapers used the phrase to describe the tactics of Simpson's defence lawyers; for example, this piece by Roger Simon in The Daily Herald, October 1995:

"Why was playing the race card necessary in order for O. J. Simpson to go free? Because it was the only way for the defense to deal with the massive physical evidence against him."

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Puzzle 1 (Easy)

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

Puzzle 2 (Hard)

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

Last issue's solutions

Puzzle 1

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

Puzzle 2

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

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WEIRD NEWS

■ UK 'Isis Academy' caves in and changes its name after 'negative comments'

A school with the unfortunate name of 'Isis Academy' has caved in and changed it after what its head describes tactfully as 'negative comments'.

The school in Oxford is to rebrand as Iffley Academy, to avoid any possible confusion with the extremist group known for decapitating Western hostages.

It was called Isis Academy in 2013 – named after part of the River Thames which flows nearby and is known as 'The Isis'.

Headteacher Kay Willett decided to change the name after being asked 'are you training the children to be terrorists?' and photos of pupils and terrorists appeared when she searched the school online..

She said: 'We had negative comments from the wider community such as contractors and people who were coming to do work for us.

'You would give the address out on the phone and when you said 'Isis' the person would pause and say 'oh'.

The 132-pupil special school, whose pupils have a range of disabilities and mental health needs, was known as Iffley Mead School until it became an academy three years ago.

■ USA Chef tricked foodies with gourmet taster menu… It was actually McDonald's

Obviously, McDonald's can hit the spot when you're craving some chicken McNuggets and french fries.

But it's more commonly thought of as a guilty pleasure than a gourmet feast.

Californian chef Neal Fraser decided to trick a room full of 40 food critics by serving up a fancy meal from Golden Arches ingredients, but only revealing the truth after they had eaten it.

The only hint he gave them was that it was 'experimental'.

Guests had five courses including chilled avocado soup, buttermilk dressed romaine salad with bacon bits, meatballs and chicken wrapped bacon, finished with coffee custard and maple crumble.

They were asked to use the hashtag #atasteofsocal to document the meal.

What they didn't realise was that the meat balls came from McDonald's burger meat, the chicken the same as in the McChicken sandwich and the salad the same leaves you can get in store.

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The wife just asked, "What's that pile of clothes doing on the kitchen floor?"
I said, "It's a dead Jedi."

■ WALKOUT

Liverpool fans walked out during the 77th minute of today's game, in protest at the new £77 ticket price for next season. Thankfully, the board have promised to act swiftly to prevent such scenes from recurring.

A revised ticket price of £96 will be announced on Monday.

■ MORNING TEA

According to "Tetley", the best way to make a cup of tea is to agitate the bag.
So every morning I slap her backside and say.... "Two sugars, Fatty"

■ PICTURES

A New York attorney representing a wealthy art collector called his client. "Saul, I have some good news and, I have some bad news."
The art collector replied, "I've had an awful day; let's hear the good news first."
The lawyer said, "Well, I met with your wife today, and she informed me that she invested $5,000 in two pictures that she thinks will bring a minimum of $15-20 million. I think she could be right."
Saul replied enthusiastically, "Well done! My wife is a brilliant businesswoman! You've just made my day. Now I know I can handle the bad news. What is it?"
The lawyer replied, "The pictures are of you with your secretary."

■ PROCTOLOGIST

A student wants to be a proctologist, and he wants to be a really good proctologist, so he gets a part-time job down at the morgue after class so he can practice a little. He uncovers the first guy and there is a cork in his butt! He thinks it's a little strange, so he pulls the cork out jumps back when music suddenly starts playing!
"...On the road again, just can't wait to get on the road again..."
The guy really freaks out! He runs and gets the doctor and drags the poor guy back to the table. "Look" he says and pulls the cork out again, "!
"... On the road again .. . "
The doctor is totally unimpressed... "So what?" he says.
"Isn't that the most amazing thing you've ever seen" the student asked?
"Are you kidding?" says the doctor. "Any asshole can sing country music"!

■ NICE WORDS

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The second guy says, "I would like to hear that I was a wonderful husband and school teacher which made a huge difference in our children of tomorrow."
The last guy replies, "I would like to hear them say..... LOOK, HE'S MOVING!!!!!"

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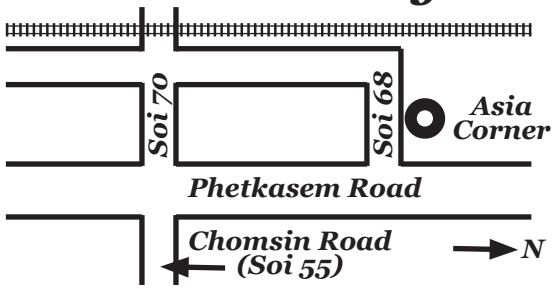

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Long time readers of AWOL may remember the Hua Hin Live section that used to run in AWOL - over time we hope that this new section will expand to be a similar resource to that, but both Surf and AWOL will require support, both in the form of information from those organising events, and advertising from some of them, to be able to do so. Please contact us for details of our joint ad packages on sales@awolonline.net.

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■ A RIGHT MUG

Twenty years after his retirement at the age of 35, one time world heavyweight boxing champion Frank Bruno has declared on national TV that he would like to make a comeback to the ring.

60 may well be the new 40, and at 54 Bruno is said to still be in good physical shape thanks to regular training sessions. His mental health however is a concern, so let's hope that it's his bi-polar disorder urging him to fight again. Or is it simply that he still feels his brilliant career came to an end too abruptly in that final fight against Mike Tyson for the World Championship in 1996? Many of you will remember that particular blood bath, which was stopped in the 3rd round. Tyson was 30 at the time - five years younger than Bruno - and at his peak, and went on to retire himself at 39.

But Bruno had already become the oldest world title holder, and should have had nothing to regret. He was, and still is, loved by the British people, who can only hope that he isn't allowed a licence to fight professionally again, for no-one wants to see him end up like Ali.

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No doubt Sir Terry would be pleased to see those pounds rolling in to the charity which he supported so well. But I wonder if he would really have preferred something a bit more posh, like hand engraved Waterford Crystal perhaps? Something suitable for the celebrity auction market, with the potential to raise far more than tomorrows pencil mugs.

As far as history goes, February 12th has been a busy date. Amongst many other events this day in 1541 saw the founding of Santiago, in Chile. Just a few years later Lady Jane Grey was beheaded for treason in 1554, having reigned as Queen for only 9 days.

On February 12th 1973 US prisoners of war were released for the first time during the Vietnam conflict.

Meanwhile North Korea seems to favour the 12th for flaunting international protocol. First in 2003, when the country was declared to be in violation of international treaties by the UN Nuclear Agency, and again on the same date in 2013 when it conducted it's third underground nuclear test. (This year North Korea must have got it's dates wrong and inadvertantly launched a missile a week early.)

But the top prize for notable events must go to Barbie and Ken, who split up on February 12th 2004. After 43 years together Barbie must have finally realised that the relationship was going nowhere.

And finally - just when you think you have seen and heard it all, Thailand comes up with something else to put its 'Amazing' back. Following last weeks arrest of the Pattaya Expat Bridge Club on the rather desperate sounding charge of using unofficial packs of playing cards, the BBC revealed that Thai law forbids anyone from owning more than 120 unofficial cards. In other words cards which are not in the correct duty free labelled packs. Maybe there has been a breakdown in translation somewhere along the line. If not, that strange figure of 120 cards could help explain why the Bridge players were held in custody for 12 hours, while Pattayas' finest were busy counting and trying to make 52 plus 52 equal 120.

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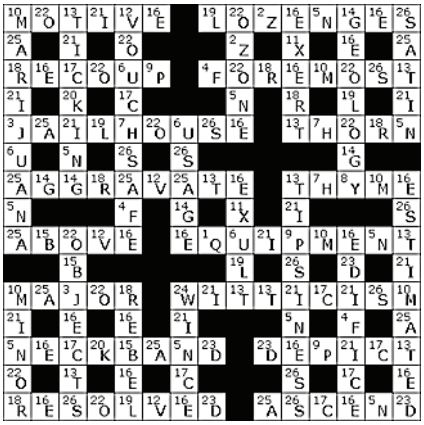
21	■	16	■	7	■	15	■	16	■	19	■	19	■	21
12	21	9	7	21	5	25	■	12	21	8	3	16	16	8

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

Last Issue's Solution



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Hua Hin Miss You, Soi 80
Jungle Juice, Soi Selekam
Lin's Cafe, Phetkasem Road between Sois 80/78
Orchid Restaurant 94, Soi 94
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HUA HIN GOLF

BUTTERFLY ROCK GOLF SOCIETY

RESULTS

8th February 2016

Lake View AB Stableford 19 entered
1st Dave Allgaier 35 pts (06)
2nd Gerry Paget 32 pts (06)
3rd Mick Mace 32 pts (16)
4th Bryan McLeod 31 pts (15)

3rd February 2016

Palm Hills Stableford 16 entered
1st Nigel Guest 37 pts (10)
2nd Paul Williams 35 pts (05)
3rd Simon Seymour 33 pts (12)
4th Conrad Smith 32 pts (16)

FIXTURES

15th February 2016 Lakeview C&D Stableford
17th February 2016 Majestic Creek Whippet Trophy

RONNIE'S ROLL UP

Held every Friday at Palm Hills. Please contact Ronnie on 0811 942 556 if you are interested in joining in, and thanks to Nigel for the results.

5th February 2016

22 players
1st Barbara Anstee 37 pts (25)
2nd Simon Seymour 36 pts (12)
3rd Tom McGiff 35 pts (26)
4th Tony Killoran 31 pts (20))

HUA HIN GOLF SOCIETY

RESULTS

9th February 2016

Palm Hills Stableford 54 entered
1st Bernard Morgan 41 pts (28)
2nd Eric Taylor 39 pts (15)
3rd Vivienne Chatfield 37 pts (18) Division 2 Winner
4th Kieron Bose 34 pts (10) Division 1 Winner

5th February 2016

Panurangsri Stableford 17 entered
1st Erkki Makkonen 33 pts (18)
2nd Kari Makinen 31 pts (14)
3rd Anna Sjogren 31 pts (16)
4th Vivienne Chatfield 30 pts (18)

FIXTURES

16th February 2016 Lake View Stableford
19th February 2016 Majestic Stableford

LAKE VIEW MEMBERS CLUB

RESULTS

5th February 2016

Stableford Course AB
1st Rodger Teasdale (13) 34pts
2nd Bill Evans (14) 31pts
3rd Mike Knight (12) 30pts

8th February 2016

Stableford Course CD
1st Michael Daly (21) 34pts
2nd Greg Smith (23) 34pts
3rd Mike O'Brien (16) 33pts

FIXTURES

Lake View every Monday, Wednesday, Friday

CHA AM GOLF CLUB

Contact: secretary@chaamgolfclub.com

FIXTURES

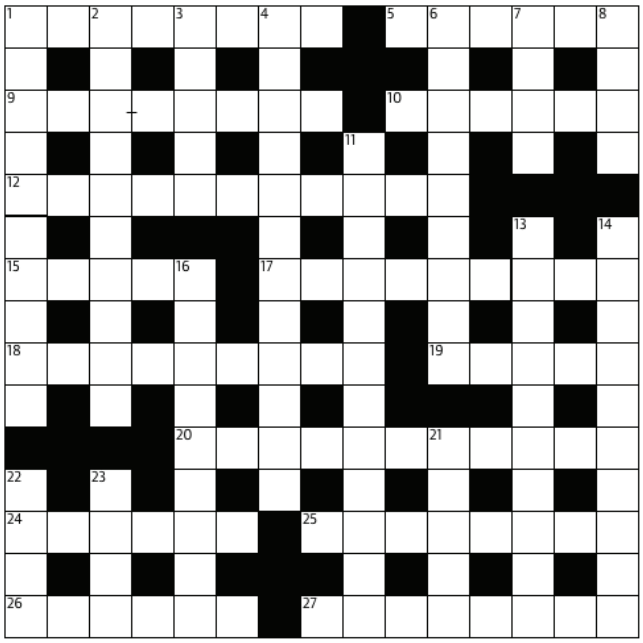
25/26th February 2016 Annual tournament for members at Dragon Hills, Ratchaburi

CRYPTIC CROSSWORD

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

ACROSS

1 Singer's second note in series of 1 down 5? (8)
5 Close to Gordon Brown in recession — No 10 dividing country (6)
9 Secures in advance unfinished press boxes, mostly vacant (3-5)



10 Rings of gold chunks (6)
12 Once more supplied grass without John's partner (11)
15 Copper imprisons idiot (on the contrary) in enlarged cell (5)
17 Drink and drink, cocktail of lager and last bit of wine (6,3)
18 Rate current police coppers: no pressure (9)
19, 26 Characters in 11 make footballer (5,6)
20 Clubs excite Beatle — Ringo's not old and is at party … (11)
24 … Beatle, on Radio 6 — go live outside (6)
25 Plant one in 11 in leaves, so given Alan's tip (8)
26 See 19
27 He doesn't appear in tabloid writer's main dangers (8)

DOWN

1 3 might move him — with name, he could fly to next Olympics? (5,5)
2 Caffeine reduced in treatment during cold — lack of capacity to work (10)
3 Golf in the morning, let me see one playing (5)
4 American series on hospital department initially leaving you in a severe way (12)
6 They shorten game in topless bars (9)
7 Fish catcher? Source of the runs around India (4)
8 Kitchen, Rope, Miss Scarlet — finally a set that fits together (4)
11 Burnt dish — red after cooking show that used 1 down 5? (12)
13 This puts it bluntly, one left Mac to play with Sonic (10)
14 Writer to stuff in names of magical figures (10)
16 Charming Spanish golfer interrupted by Channel 1 (9)
21 Fireball cast? Unusual end from creator of 1 down 5? (5)
22 Hands over in trade (4)
23 Poet Virgil's last letter to head (4)

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LEAGUES/RESULTS

HUA HIN POOL BILLIARD LEAGUE

RESULTS
Cup Round 1 5th February 2016
1 Master Cues 5 - 3 Jaew Bar
2 Lucky Shot B 8 - 0 Kom Hom
3 walk over v Squealing Pig
4 Maria Bar 1 (14) 4 - 4 (13) Maria Bar 2
5 Clansmen 2 - 6 Lucky Shot A
6 Hua Hin Miss You 2 - 6 Infinity Bar
7 TK Roadhouse 7 - 1 Sunset Boulevard
8 Coopers Beer Garden 5 - 3 Johnnie's 56

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Clansmen	30	28	0	2	140	56
Lucky Shot A	30	23	4	3	96	50
Maria Bar 1	30	21	4	5	86	46
Infinity Bar	30	20	2	8	52	42
Maria Bar 2	30	20	1	9	68	41
Squealing Pig	30	18	3	9	52	39
Kom Hom	30	15	6	9	42	36
TK Roadhouse	30	13	8	9	20	34
Lucky Shot B	30	13	4	13	6	30
Johnnie's 56	30	10	6	14	-16	26
Sunset B'vard	30	8	9	13	-28	25
Master Cues	30	7	4	19	-46	18
HHin Miss You	30	5	3	22	-82	13
Jaew Bar	30	3	5	22	-104	11
Coopers Br Gdn	30	3	3	24	-108	9
Pa´s Beer Grden	30	1	2	25	-178	4

FIXTURES
Cup Quarter Finals 12th February 2016
9 Coopers Beer Garden v Clansmen
10 Infinity Bar v Master Cues
11 Lucky Shot B v Maria Bar 1
12 TK Roadhouse v Squealing Pig

Cup Semi Finals 19th February 2016
13 TK Roadhouse/ Squealing Pig v Coopers Beer Garden/Clansmen
14 Infinity Bar/Master Cues v Lucky Shot B /Maria Bar 1

Cup Final 26th February 2016
15 Winner 13 v Winner 14

HUA HIN KHAO TAKIAB COOL POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 11 5th February 2016
Beach Hut 8 - 17 JJ Sport Bar
Golden Bar 14 - 11 Somatch 3D
JNB 16 - 9 Pat s Place
Jungle Juice 7 - 18 The Connection
Maria v TK Roadhouse n/a
Mucky Duck 8 - 17 Exotic Bar
Sasa Bar 12 - 13 Muan

FIXTURES
Week 12 12th February 2016
JJ Sport Bar v Mucky Duck
JNB v Golden Bar
Muan v Exotic Bar
Pat s Place v Maria
Somatch 3D v Jungle Juice
The Connection v Beach Hut
TK Roadhouse v Sasa Bar

Week 13 19th February 2016
Beach Hut v Somatch 3D
Exotic Bar v TK Roadhouse
JJ Sport Bar v The Connection
Jungle Juice v JNB
Maria v Golden Bar
Mucky Duck v Muan
Sasa Bar v Pat s Place

LEAGUE TABLE

TEAM	P	W	D	L	+/-	PTS
Exotic Bar	11	10	0	1	97	186
Beach Hut	11	9	0	2	49	162
JJ Sport Bar	11	9	0	2	47	161
The Connection	11	8	0	3	19	147
TK Roadhouse	10	8	0	2	42	146
Muan	11	8	0	3	15	145
Mucky Duck	11	4	0	7	9	142
Maria	10	6	0	4	28	139
Sasa Bar	11	6	0	5	-1	137
Jungle Juice	11	2	0	9	-37	119
JNB	11	2	0	9	-53	111
Pat's Place	11	1	0	10	-59	108
Golden Bar	11	2	0	9	-73	101
Somatch 3D	11	1	0	10	-83	96

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HUA HIN KHAO TAKIAB SUPER POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 1 results will appear here next week

FIXTURES
Week 2 18th February 2016
Bobby's Boys v Exotic Bar
Drink & Shelter v Anytime Bar
Maria Bar v Sasa Bar
Muan Bar 1 v Lanla Bar
The Dream v Mucky Duck
TK Roadhouse v Bobby's Birds
Vinyl an Rose v JJ Sport Bar

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
Anytime Bar	0	0	0	0	0
Bobby's Birds	0	0	0	0	0
Bobby's Boys	0	0	0	0	0
Drink & Shelter	0	0	0	0	0
Exotic Bar	0	0	0	0	0
JJ Sport Bar	0	0	0	0	0
Lanla Bar	0	0	0	0	0
Maria Bar	0	0	0	0	0
Muan Bar 1	0	0	0	0	0
Mucky Duck	0	0	0	0	0
Sasa Bar	0	0	0	0	0
TK Roadhouse	0	0	0	0	0
The Dream	0	0	0	0	0
Vinyl an Rose	0	0	0	0	0
The Dream	30	5	24	-156	222
Anytime Bar	30	0	28	-212	194

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LEAGUES/RESULTS

HUA HIN/KHAO TAKIAB LADIES POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS

Week 22 8th February 2016

Jaew Bar 5 - 13 Dara Bar
JNB Bar v Bar 80 Saloon n/a
Kom Hom 11 - 7 The Clansmen
Muan Bar 11 - 7 Anytime Bar
Sa Sa Bar v The Connection n/a
Sunset Boulevard 16 - 2 Exotic Bar
The Squealing Pig v TK Roadhouse n/a
Waring Bar 12 - 6 Pit's Cafe

FIXTURES

Week 23 15th February 2016

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

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Muan Bar	22	20	1	1	176	41
Squealing Pig	21	18	0	3	152	36
Sunset B'vard	22	13	4	5	66	30
Kom Hom	22	12	4	6	54	28
TK Roadhouse	21	12	3	6	48	27
The Clansmen	22	13	1	8	30	27
Waring Bar	22	11	2	9	-20	24
JNB Bar	21	10	2	9	-4	22
Dara Bar	22	9	3	10	10	21
The Connection	21	9	3	9	4	21
Sa Sa Bar	21	7	2	12	-22	16
Bar 80 Saloon	21	5	4	12	-42	14
Pit's Cafe	22	6	2	14	-56	14
Jaew Bar	22	4	6	12	-84	14
Exotic Bar	22	4	0	18	-142	8
Anytime Bar	22	1	1	20	-170	3

THURSDAY FRIENDLY POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS

Week 10 4th February 2016

Connections Cafe 9 - 11 MasterCues Bar
Coopers Beer Garden 13 - 7 Hua Hin Bar
Hut Bar 9 - 11 Henk's
Jaew Bar 9 - 11 Bar 80 Saloon
Mr Dan's 7 - 13 Komhom Bar
Robin Hood 10 - 10 Dara Bar
Squealing Pig 9 - 11 Pit's Cafe

FIXTURES

Week 12 18th February 2016

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

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Robin Hood	10	8	1	1	66	150
Komhom Bar	10	9	0	1	56	146
Pit's Cafe	10	7	1	2	40	135
Squealing Pig	10	6	1	3	30	128
MasterCues	10	6	1	3	16	121
Bar 80 Saloon	10	5	0	5	8	114
Hut Bar	10	5	1	4	-6	108
Connections	10	3	3	4	-12	103
Mr Dan's	10	3	1	6	-24	95
Henk's	10	5	0	5	-33	91
Dara Bar	10	2	2	6	-34	89
Hua Hin Bar	10	2	0	8	-29	87
Jaew Bar	10	1	0	9	-34	85
Coopers Br Gdn	10	2	1	7	-44	83

HUA HIN SOCIAL POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS

Week 16 10th February 2016

JW Black 7 - 12 Tiger Bar
Jungle Juice B 9 - 10 JW Red
Limelight 11 - 8 Pink Panther Clouseau
N & G 10 - 9 All Nations GH
Pink Panther Cato 14 - 5 Jungle Juice A
King Bar A - No game

FIXTURES

Week 17 17th February 2016

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

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
Pink Panther Cato	14	13	1	60	26
Tiger Bar	15	11	4	27	22
Jungle Juice B	15	9	6	37	18
JW Red	15	9	6	11	18
King Bar A	14	8	6	20	16
Limelight	15	8	7	13	16
Pk Pnthr Clouseau	15	7	8	-21	14
All Nations GH	15	5	10	-7	10
JW Black	14	4	10	-30	8
Jungle Juice A	14	4	10	-36	8
N & G	14	2	12	-74	4

HUA HIN/KHAO TAKIAB FUN POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS

Week 23 10th February 2016

Bar 80 Saloon 10 - 10 The Squealing Pig
Beach Hut Bar 11 - 9 Kom Hom Bar
Bobby's Bangers 4 - 16 Master Cues
Casanova's 4 - 16 Robin Hood
Cooper's Beer Garden 7 - 13 Maria's Bar
Dara's Bar 15 - 5 Muan Bar
Jaew Bar 6 - 14 Mucky Duck
Pat's Place 13 - 7 White House Bar
Sunset Boulevard 14 - 6 Bobby's Beauties
The Bridge 9 - 11 TK Roadhouse
Pit's Cafe - no game

FIXTURES

Week 24 17th February 2016

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

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Maria's Bar	22	19	0	3	178	38
Robin Hood	22	17	3	2	152	37
Sunset B'vard	22	17	2	3	106	36
Squealing Pig	22	14	4	4	70	32
Pit's Cafe	21	14	3	4	58	31
Bar 80 Saloon	22	14	3	5	44	31
Beach Hut Bar	22	14	2	6	44	30
TK Roadhouse	22	11	3	8	32	25
Mucky Duck	22	11	3	8	26	25
Muan Bar	21	11	1	9	26	23
Master Cues	22	11	1	10	20	23
Dara's Bar	21	9	4	8	8	22
The Bridge	22	9	1	12	-42	19
Kom Hom Bar	22	8	1	13	-48	17
Coopers Br Gdn	22	7	3	12	-56	17
Bobby's B'ties	22	5	6	11	-42	16
Bobby's Bngers	22	5	3	14	-84	13
White House	22	3	2	17	-112	8
Pat's Place	22	3	1	18	-126	7
Casanova's	21	2	1	18	-110	5
Jaew Bar	22	0	3	19	-144	3

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HUA HIN CITY F.C

RESULTS
Results will appear from next week

FIXTURES
Sunday 14th February 2016
Hua Hin City v Simork 17.30

THAI DIVISION 2 CENTRAL & WESTERN REGION LEAGUE TABLE

TEAM	P	W	D	L	GD	PTs
Pathum Thani	1	1	0	0	+2	3
Ayutthaya Utd	0	0	0	0	0	0
Globlex TWD	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grakcu Tabfah	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hua Hin	0	0	0	0	0	0
Samut Sakhon	0	0	0	0	0	0
Krung Thonburi	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nonthaburi	0	0	0	0	0	0
Raj Pracha	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ratchaphruek	0	0	0	0	0	0
Samut Sakhon	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simork	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thonburi City	1	0	0	1	–2	0

Hua Hin City Football Club is the local professional team for the area formed in 2011. Home matches will now be played at the new stadium in Khao Takiab.

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CAH3 RUN #276
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HUA HIN DARTS LEAGUE

RESULTS
Week 12 9th February 2016
Blue Lagoon 2 13 - 5 Mojo's
Hua Hin Miss You 0 - 18 Blue Lagoon 1
Johnny's 56 3 - 15 The Clansmen
Jungle Juice 11 - 7 Robin's Rest
Kom Hom 2 - 16 Urs Treff CHA AM

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Blue Lagoon 1	10	10	0	0	104	20
Jungle Juice	11	9	0	2	86	18
Urs Treff	10	7	0	3	66	14
The Clansmen	11	6	0	5	4	12
Robin's Rest	11	6	0	5	0	12
Kom Hom	10	5	0	5	12	10
HHin Miss You	9	2	0	7	-28	4
Johnny's 56	10	2	0	8	-80	4
Mojo's	10	2	0	8	-80	4
Blue Lagoon 2	10	2	0	8	-84	4

FIXTURES
16th February 2016
Handicap Doubles Tournament
at Hua Hin Miss U and Robin Hood Bar (formerly The Clansman.)
Registration finishes 7:30pm - Please be at Hua Hin Miss U by 7pm.

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FOOTBALL NEWS

FIXTURES

(all times Thailand)

Saturday 13th February 2016
PREMIER LEAGUE
Sunderland v Man Utd 19:45
Bournemouth v Stoke 22:00
Crystal Palace v Watford 22:00
Everton v West Brom 22:00
Norwich v West Ham 22:00
Swansea v Southampton 22:00
CHAMPIONSHIP
QPR v Fulham 12:30
Blackburn v Hull 22:00
Brighton v Bolton 22:00
Bristol City v Ipswich 22:00
Charlton v Cardiff 22:00
Derby v MK Dons 22:00
Nottm Forest v Huddersfield 22:00
Reading v Burnley 22:00
Rotherham v Birmingham 22:00
Sheff Wed v Brentford 22:00
Wolves v Preston 22:00
SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP
Dundee v St Johnstone 02:45
Celtic v Ross County 22:00
Hamilton v Dundee Utd 22:00
Hearts v Partick Thistle 22:00
Motherwell v Kilmarnock 22:00

Sunday 14th February 2016
PREMIER LEAGUE
Chelsea v Newcastle 00:30
Arsenal v Leicester 19:00
Aston Villa v Liverpool 21:05
Man City v Tottenham 23:15

Tuesday 16th February 2016
CHAMPIONSHIP
Leeds v Middlesbrough 02:45
SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP
Inverness CT v Aberdeen 02:45

Wednesday 17th February 2016
CHAMPIONSHIP
Blackburn v Fulham 02:45
Hull v Brighton 02:45
SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP
Dundee Utd v Motherwell 02:45

ENGLISH PREMIER LEAGUE TABLE

	Team	P	GD	PTS
1	Leicester	25	20	53
2	Tottenham	25	26	48
3	Arsenal	25	17	48
4	Man City	25	21	47
5	Man Utd	25	10	41
6	West Ham	25	9	39
7	Southampton	25	9	37
8	Everton	25	12	35
9	Liverpool	25	-4	35
10	Watford	25	0	33
11	Stoke	25	-7	33
12	Crystal Palace	25	-4	32
13	Chelsea	25	-2	30
14	West Brom	25	-9	29
15	Bournemouth	25	-12	28
16	Swansea	25	-9	27
17	Newcastle	25	-18	24
18	Norwich	25	-20	23
19	Sunderland	25	-19	20
20	Aston Villa	25	-20	16

FANTASY PREMIER LEAGUE

AWOL CHALLENGE LEAGUE TABLE

	Team	GW	TOT
1	Fadgernooyd	81	1,432
2	Mr ChaAming	52	1,385
3	Hua Hin Utd	60	1,385
4	Dunne's Destroyers	83	1,373
5	สตีนอ้ำเงิน	63	1,345
6	Lost Cafe Kebabs TA	54	1,316
7	Buglebutts	71	1,293
8	Sporting Mukdahan	60	1,289
9	AWOL Wanderers	72	1,280
10	Wanderlust United	56	1,275
11	Portsmouth City FC	50	1,257
12	Thailand Silkmen	66	1,253
13	Red & Blue Bangers	84	1,243
14	Exquisite	75	1,231
15	The Fluffy Bunnies	65	1,224
16	AC Stenhousemuir	57	1,214
17	Chasing Rainbows	65	1,200
18	Waste of money	35	1,188
19	Frankies 11	74	1,187
20	Brainsick	46	1,162
21	jambos hua hin	50	993
22	Dans Demons	59	951
23	FINGERSCLAYTON	52	908
24	Sammy Doo Racing	30	842

FEATURED GAME

Sunday 14th February 2016
PREMIER LEAGUE
Arsenal v Leicester 19:00 and Man City v Tottenham 23:15
A huge Sunday in the Premier League as the top four face off against each other.Whatever happens Leicester will remain top, but the other three could all change positions, and more importantly, a Leicester defeat would pull at least two of the teams closer. We can envisage that Spurs will get the backlash from the Man City defeat to Leicester, while Arsenal will know that they must win, and must not lose to the Foxes. However we think Claudio Rainieri's team will pull off another 'shock' win and extend their lead at the top to six points, and leave the Gunners in a very familiar position.

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SPINELESS WONDERS

NATURALISTS OBSERVE ANNUAL PHENOMENON OF ARSENAL SHEDDING SPINE

■ ENGLAND

NATURE experts have flocked to the Emirates stadium to observe the extraordinary spectacle of Arsenal FC shedding its backbone.

The phenomenon, common also to stingrays in the animal kingdom, occurs without fail every year around February.

Professor Henry Brubaker of the Institute for Studies said: "Like mating seasons or the Icelandic geysers, Arsenal's transition to invertebrates occurs with astounding regularity.

"First, there is the build-up, which occurs from roughly September onwards. We see the Arsenal species clamber up the premier league to claim their place as leader of the pack.

"Then, however, quite suddenly, at the turn of the new year, their spines visibly drop out of their shorts and they spend the remainder of the season slithering about in fourth place."

Left: The Arsene Wenger is synonymous with the Arsenal lost backbone condition, with many believing that the transition from the tough, no nonsense creature they were under his predecessors may have been caused by eating too many baguettes and wearing berets

It is not known what causes the spine shedding phenomenon. Some have said it is to do with the onset of cold weather, and the unique effect it has on this most delicate variety of footballing animals.

Others have suggested some obscure connection between facing up to teams whose names begin with S, such as Southampton or Stoke, as if the letter triggers off the word 'spineless' in their DNA.

Brubaker said: "One of the most poignant sights in the natural world is the large worried eyes of a Mesut Ozil as he realises it's happening yet again."

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