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HEAD CASE

POWER, CORRUPTION AND LIES; A DAY IN THE LIFE OF THAI NEWS

● THAILAND

Barely a day goes by in Thailand without news involving corruption, deceit or outright criminal activity of one kind or another, and Thailand regularly appears in lists of the most corrupt countries in the world. Last week in a Phuket court, two British men were facing defamation charges brought against them by a local lawyer who one of the men, BBC reporter Jonathan Head, had reported on in a case that involved both that lawyer and the other defendant, Ian Rance, where property was illegally transferred. The lawyer broaught the defamation case against them as he claimed the report had damaged his business; however at the eleventh hour he dropped the case against both men.

The fact that the lawyer was even able to bring the case was greeted with astonishment by those aware of it, and AWOL has reported on both this case and the defamation laws here previously (Issue 419), and very carefully as well. Ian Rance still has to fight through the Thai legal system to try and get his property back, and while his is a highly publicised case, there have been and will be many more cases where both Thais and foreigners will struggle through a similar process, albeit involving less valuable properties, and without a worldwide news organisation in their corner..

This story should not be taken as a warning about buying property in Thailand; far from it, as the numbers of foreigners who have done so without drama far outweighs those who have. However it is a warning to be careful about who foreigners associate with and trust in both personal and business financial dealings, both Thai and foreign. And it is a warning, again, about the defamation law here, which the Committee to Protect Journalists (CPJ) said this year that the 'use of criminal defamation complaints in Thailand has a chilling effect on journalists who fear being bogged down in time-consuming and expensive litigation'. Many believe this law needs to change, and soon.

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WORLD WEATHER (31-8-17)

CITY	WEATHER	HIGH °C
Amsterdam	Passing clouds	14
Ankara	Passing clouds	12
Athens	Passing clouds	21
Auckland	Cool	16
Beijing	Overcast	20
Berlin	Clear	22
Buenos Aires	Clear	13
Cairo	Clear	26
Chicago	Passing clouds	23
Copenhagen	Fog	18
Dubai	Passing clouds	31
Dublin	Passing clouds	10
Helsinki	Light rain	16
Ho Chi Minh City	Thunderstorm	33
Hong Kong	Passing clouds	31
Islamabad	Scattered clouds	27
Istanbul	Passing clouds	20
Jakarta	Scattered clouds	27
Jerusalem	Passing clouds	24
Johannesburg	Clear	14
Karachi	Thunderstorms	28
Kuala Lumpur	Broken clouds	27
London	Passing clouds	10
Madrid	Passing clouds	19
Manila	Sprinkles	27
Mexico City	Light rain	14
Moscow	Clear	6
Mumbai	Scattered clouds	28
New Delhi	Fog	27
New York	Clear	22
Oslo	Cool	8
Paris	Low clouds	12
Perth	Scattered showers	16
Phnom-Penh	Chance of a t-storm	34
Rio De Janeiro	Clear	22
Riyadh	Clear	26
Rome	Passing clouds	21
San Francisco	Passing clouds	18
Seoul	Scattered clouds	22
Shanghai	Scattered clouds	26
Singapore	Partly sunny	29
Stockholm	Rain showers	13
Sydney	Scattered clouds	14
Taibei/Taipei	Broken clouds	32
Tokyo	Mild	21
Vancouver	Broken clouds	21
Vientiane	Chance of a t-storm	31
Yangon	Partly sunny	27
Zurich	Mild	18

LOCAL FORECAST AND TIDES

	RAIN (MM)	CONDITIONS	TEMP. °C H	L	TIDES 1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH
SA	2	A PM t-storm	34	26	04:24 1.3m	16:34 2.5m		
SU	1	A t-storm in spots	33	26	04:17 1.3m	07:10 2.2m	13:24 1.5m	17:01 2.6m
MO	2	Cloudy, a t-storm	32	25	04:18 1.3m	06:35 2.3m	14:12 1.5m	17:27 2.6m
TU	3	Cloudy; a t-storm	32	24	04:25 1.3m	06:31 2.3m	14:50 1.5m	17:53 2.6m
WE	0	Sun; high clouds	34	26	04:35 1.3m	06:39 2.3m	15:25 1.4m	18:18 2.6m
TH	1	A t-storm around	33	26	04:45 1.4m	06:53 2.4m	16:01 1.4m	18:42 2.6m
FR	2	A t-storm in spots	33	25	04:54 1.4m	07:11 2.4m	16:37 1.4m	19:03 2.5m

THAILAND WEATHER (31-8-17)

Place	Temp	Hum	Conditions
Aranyaprathet	30 °C	72%	Mostly Cldy
Ban A To	27 °C	89%	
Ban Baen Chado	31 °C	70%	Partly Cldy
Ban Bang Bamru	31 °C	70%	Partly Cldy
Ban Bang Duan	31 °C	70%	Partly Cldy
Ban Bua Chum	31 °C	69%	Mist
Ban Fai Na	30 °C	79%	Scattered Clds
Ban Hua Tho	31 °C	70%	Partly Cldy
Ban Ko Thung	30 °C	65%	Mist
Ban Krathing Lai	30 °C	66%	Partly Cldy
Ban Na Si Nuan	29 °C	79%	Mostly Cldy
Ban Nong Pladuk	29 °C	79%	Scattered Clds
Ban Samphan	33 °C	56%	Scattered Clds
Bangkok	31 °C	66%	Scattered Clds
Chaiyaphum	30 °C	65%	Scattered Clds
Chanthaburi	29 °C	84%	Light Rain
Chawang	31 °C	61%	Scattered Clds
Chiang Mai	28 °C	70%	Mostly Cldy
Chiang Rai	25 °C	100%	Overcast
Chok Chai	33 °C	71%	Partly Cldy
Chumphon	32 °C	55%	Scattered Clds
Kam Paeng Phet	30 °C	66%	Partly Cldy
Kamalasai	29 °C	79%	Mostly Cldy
Kanchanaburi	30 °C	61%	Scattered Clds
Khanom	32 °C	66%	Partly Cldy
Khlong Yai	30 °C	74%	Scattered Clds
Ko Lanta	30 °C	79%	Scattered Clds
Ko Samui	32 °C	66%	Partly Cldy
Ko Sichang	29 °C	78%	Scattered Clds
Krabi	30 °C	66%	Partly Cldy
Lampang	27 °C	84%	Mostly Cldy
Lamphun	28 °C	67%	Mostly Cldy
Loei	28 °C	79%	Scattered Clds
Lop Buri	31 °C	70%	Partly Cldy
Mae Hong Son	28 °C	69%	Overcast
Mae Sariang	28 °C	74%	Mist
Mae Sot	28 °C	79%	Mostly Cldy
Mukdahan	31 °C	60%	Scattered Clds
Nakhon Phanom	29 °C	77%	Scattered Clds
Nak. Ratchasima	30 °C	62%	Scattered Clds

Place	Temp	Hum	Conditions
Nakhon Sawan	30 °C	69%	Partly Cldy
Nan	28 °C	79%	Mostly Cldy
Nang Rong	30 °C	84%	Partly Cldy
Narathiwat	30 °C	84%	Scattered Clds
Nong Khai	27 °C	85%	Overcast
Pattani	31 °C	56%	Scattered Clds
Pattaya	30 °C	66%	Partly Cldy
Phayao	25 °C	100%	Overcast
Phetchabun	28 °C	82%	Partly Cldy
Phetchaburi	29 °C	71%	Scattered Clds
Phitsanulok	28 °C	79%	Mostly Cldy
Phrae	28 °C	74%	Scattered Clds
Phuket	30 °C	79%	Scattered Clds
Prachin Buri	31 °C	61%	Scattered Clds
Prach. Khirikhan	32 °C	52%	Scattered Clds
Ranong	30 °C	68%	Mostly Cldy
Rayong	30 °C	66%	Partly Cldy
Roi Et	30 °C	71%	Mostly Cldy
Samui	32 °C	66%	Partly Cldy
Sattahip	30 °C	78%	Partly Cldy
Satun	31 °C	60%	Scattered Clds
Songkhla	31 °C	66%	Partly Cldy
Sukhothai	26 °C	89%	Scattered Clds
Suphan Buri	31 °C	70%	Partly Cldy
Surat Thani	31 °C	70%	Partly Cldy
Surin	30 °C	84%	Partly Cldy
Tak	30 °C	68%	Partly Cldy
Takua Pa	32 °C	79%	Scattered Clds
Tha Tum	30 °C	21%	Partly Cldy
Tha Wang Pha	28 °C	79%	Mostly Cldy
Thoen	26 °C	89%	Scattered Clds
Thong Pha Phum	31 °C	64%	Partly Cldy
Thung Chang	28 °C	79%	Mostly Cldy
Trang	30 °C	79%	Scattered Clds
Trat	30 °C	74%	Scattered Clds
Ubon Ratchathani	31 °C	75%	Scattered Clds
Udon Thani	29 °C	74%	Mostly Cldy
Umphang	28 °C	79%	Mostly Cldy
Uttaradit	27 °C	83%	Light Rain
Wichian Buri	30 °C	69%	Scattered Clds

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SUDOKU

Each week we have an easy and a hard Sudoku puzzle. Just fill in the empty squares so that each horizontal and vertical line, and each section, has all the numbers 1 to 9.

PUZZLE 1 (EASY)

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

PUZZLE 2 (HARD)

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

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LAST ISSUE'S SOLUTIONS

PUZZLE 1

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

PUZZLE 2

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

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CODEWORD

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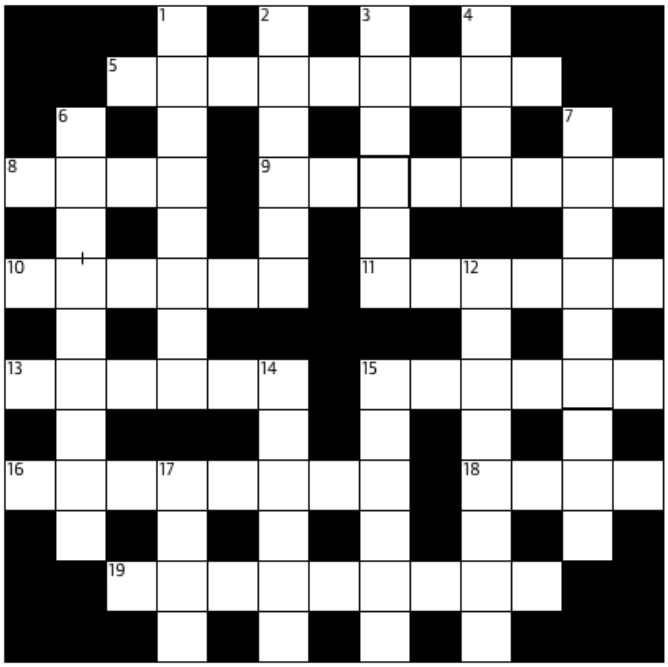
2	17	10	22	3	14	■	25	6	12	2	3	20	24	2
17	■	2	■	4	■	■	■	3	■	17	■	3	■	2
19	22	7 R	7	4	21	■	14	20	13	15	4	12	2	7
20	■	25 J	■	16	■	8	■	9	■	2	■	22	■	20
11	4	6	9	■	11	6	4	1	■	24	4	14	5	2
20	■	7	■	13	■	22	■	■	■	■	■	2	■	■
9	7	1	13	9	■	7	2	22	13	13	6	7	2	14
4	■	■	■	6	■	9	■	24	■	4	■	■	■	2
7	4	22	14	11	24	4	15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

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

LAST ISSUE'S SOLUTION

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

CROSSWORD



ACROSS

5 Long speech by one actor (9)
8 Do the crawl, say (4)
9 Rushed for time (2,1,5)
10 Mean (6)
11 Directions for making something (6)
13 Kiss and cuddle (6)
15 Short-billed shore bird (6)
16 Dormant (8)
18 What a relief! It's hot! (4)
19 Horse, for example (9)

DOWN

1 Member of a special service military unit (8)
2 Sermon on a moral issue (6)
3 Empty talk (3,3)
4 Language of southeast Africa (4)
6 Cheating on a partner (3-6)
7 Strong orange-flavoured liqueur — perils etc (anag) (6,3)
12 Betting employee (8)
14 Bob, for example (6)
15 Legal agreement before marriage (6)
17 Friend (4)

The solution to last week's puzzle is on page 15

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● **SOME EDINBURGH FRINGE JOKES**

A young Aussie lad moved to London and went to Harrods looking for a job.
The interviewing manager asked 'Do you have any sales experience?'
The young man answered 'Yeah, I was a salesman back home in Mundubbera Queensland ..'
The manager liked the Aussie so he gave him the job.
His first day was challenging and busy, but he got through it.
After the shop was locked up, the manager came down and asked, 'OK, so how many sales did you make today?'
The Aussie said 'One!'
The manager groaned and continued, 'Just one? Our sales people average 20 or 30 sales a day.
How much was the sale for?'
'£124,237.64p. '
The manager choked and exclaimed £124,237.64!! What the hell did you sell him?'
'Well, first I sold him a small fish hook, then a medium fish hook and then I sold him a new fishing rod.'
'Then I asked him where he was going fishing and he said down at the coast, so I told him he would need a boat, so we went down to the boat department and I sold him that twin-engine Power Cat.'
'Then he said he didn't think his Honda Civic would pull it, so I took him down to car sales and I sold him the 4 x 4'
The manager, incredulous, said, 'You mean to tell me...a guy came in here to buy a fish hook and you sold him loads of fishing gear, a boat and a 4 x 4?'
'No, no, no... he came in here to buy a box of tampons for his lady friend and I said...
'Well, since your weekend's buggered, you might as well go fishing.'

● **GROUPIE**

I met a popstar in a nightclub last night and we ended up getting really drunk and going back to my place.
She was all over me in the taxi, stroking and caressing my body and whispering filth into my ear, but as soon as she got through the front door she stiffened up and her attitude changed completely.
"What is that pathetic little thing?" she demanded. "How the hell do you think that you're going to satisfy me with that?"
"I'm sorry, Adele," I replied, "it's the biggest fridge I could afford."

● **MARRIED**

My son asked me what it's like to be married.
So I told him to leave me alone.....
When he did I asked him why he was ignoring me.

● **LIFE**

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● **THE ELEPHANT (FOOT) IN THE ROOM**

What a surprise it was to hear that yet another Shinawatra had fled the country. Even more of a surprise that Yingluck somehow managed to avoid being spotted by any border authorities or police. Surely they didn't all turn a blind eye, so that those concerned in the dodgy rice court case could sleep soundly in the knowledge that they have all saved face?

Still, it was good to know that if you ever need to flee Thailand the best way is via Cambodia, a route certainly used many times before. Except that in Yinglucks' case reports of her escape plan suddenly changed from the Cambodia/Singapore/Dubai route, to a private jet from Thailand to Singapore, then on to Dubai, which does seem much more fitting for a one time Prime Minister fleeing to her big brothers' posh Emirates pad. From where - it is said - she might decide to move on again and seek exile in England, where big brother just happens to have yet another mansion in London.

It must be reassuring to have that kind of contingency plan when you have occupied a top job in Thailand. Not that any of the city admin folk in Pattaya need ever worry. They will all be as squeaky clean as the beaches after a seminar in Chonburi, which has taught them how to avoid becoming involved in corruption. The seminar aimed to raise awareness that a 'clean and corruption free city is managed from within'.

That's a novel idea which many a Tessabahn could adopt, but even more bizarrely those attending the seminar were told they must operate within guidelines intended to 'create trust and good governance'. By now you will have spotted the inherent problems with those lofty aims. Managing from within means that managers can get away with anything, knowing that those democratic busy bodies, who believe they should have a say in how their own city is run, can't interfere. Even worse, those busy bodies might doubt whether such an arrangement can ever be free from corruption.

Hua HIn expats need have no worries though about the future of their own town, which could become a strong contender for Patters in the tourism stakes.

Now back to another City which knows how to splash the cash. As if this year weren't already important enough for Hull, one of its' teams won the Rugby League Challenge Cup last weekend for the second year in succession, beating Wigan Warriors by a small margin.

I realise that Hulls' mix of rugby and regular football can be puzzling to outsiders, so first a brief overview. There is Hull City Football Club, known as the Tigers, which yoyos regularly between the Premier League and obscurity. Then there is Hull FC - the victorious rugby league team which shares the Tigers stadium, wears a black and white strip, and is known as 'Come On You 'Ull' shouted very loudly. Meanwhile to the other side of the city is Hull Kingston Rovers rugby league team. They wear red and white and are known as the Robins.

Confused? So was a vendor of scarves near Wembley Stadium. In line with political correctness and crowd harmony he was selling scarves that feature both finalists. The Wigan half of the scarves was fine - in red and white - but the Hull half was in black and amber, the colours of the Tigers. Not only the wrong colours but the wrong game. But in years to come those scarves could become curiosities worthy of note, just like a collection of curiosities assembled by comedian Bill Bailey.

'Bill Baileys Cabinet of Curiosities' has been on display in a Hull museum since May, where it has proved to be a popular attraction. The exhibits are described humorously by Bailey, with some descriptions being genuine and others a joke. Visitors have to guess which descriptions are genuine, with one of the curiosities, a hollowed out elephants' foot, proving to have been a wastepaper basket.

Obviously the foot is old. Elephants feet aren't the kind of thing Customs officers take kindly to these days, and this one dates back to before the 1930's. It had found its' way to Hull Museums, where the curator, one Thomas Sheppard, had used it as a waste basket in his office. Then in 1934 the residents of a coastal village not far from Hull found the footprints of a sea serpent along the shore. It was a time when sightings of strange wild creatures were quite popular, so reporters from the local newspaper were quickly on the scene, cameras at the ready. What they found was Thomas Sheppard with his elephants' foot, making imprints in the sand in a bid to drum up business for his museum.

Whatever your views on such artifacts, that foot hasn't gone to waste, but please don't try it at home.

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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....NO LAUGHING MATTER

Not a subject for levity.

Like 'no holds barred' and 'no room to swing a cat', 'no laughing matter' is almost always expressed as a negative. Comic situations aren't usually referred to as laughing matters. That wasn't always the case - 'laughing matter' was a commonplace idiom before anyone ever thought to make a negative phrase out of it.

The phrase sounds as though it might be of quite recent coinage but in fact it has been known since Tudor days, as in this example where the Bishop of Worcester, Hugh Latimer published a tirade against the selling of religious favours - The seconde sermon preached before the kynges maiestie, 1549:

These sellers of offices shew that they beleue that there is neyther hell nor heauen. It is taken for a laughynge matter.

Edward V, who was king at the time, couldn't have been overly impressed as the selling of favours continued for many years after this sermon was preached.

Latimer was nothing if not persistent and the first instance of 'no laughing matter' is found in John Foxe's reports of his continuing campaign against religious corruption - Actes and monuments touching matters of the Church, 1563:

Then the audience laughed againe, and maister Latimer spake vnto them saying: why my maisters, this is no laughyng matter. I aunsweare vpon life and death.

Latimer was devout and, if contemporary reports are to be believed, of a rather dour disposition - which is appropriate for the chief instigator of a phrase like 'no laughing matter'. His parents considered that he had a "ready, prompt, and sharp wit" but by 'wit' they meant 'intellect' rather than 'humour' and "purposed to train him up in erudition".

Is there an English phrase or saying that you would like to know more about? Email it to us on submissions@awolonline.net

YOUR STARS

CAPRICORN DEC 22 - JAN 19

You can't understand why people keep telling you they're tired of your act. Why, the costume changes alone are nothing short of breathtaking.

AQUARIUS JAN 20 – FEB 18

Take heart—there is absolutely nothing wrong with love. However, be warned that love is not exactly what you're feeling for those poor terrified nurses.

PISCES FEB 19 – MAR 20

You will indeed live fairly fast, and you'll die relatively young, but no one will be able to say you left a beautiful corpse.

ARIES MAR 21 - APR 20

It's very principled of you, not to mention brave, to stand by your beliefs, but by week's end you'll have graphically conclusive proof that bullfighting is not fake.

TAURUS APR 21 – MAY 21

This week's revelations will be especially traumatic for you unless you get it through your thick head that sex is natural and that there's absolutely nothing wrong with nasolingus.

GEMINI MAY 22 – JUNE 21

You were just being clever, if a bit arch, when you said "Either this wallpaper goes or I do," but the wallpaper will use its powerful social connections to have you ostracized from polite society.

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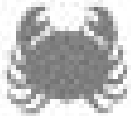

You've always believed that everything happens for a reason, so there's probably a perfectly reasonable explanation for what the less philosophical would call your senseless death next week.

LEO JUL 23 – AUG 22

It was probably a little cynical for you to have used such base physical tactics to get a husband, but on the other hand, he doesn't seem to mind.

VIRGO AUG 23 – SEP 22

You've always thought your life would be better if you could go back in time and tell yourself a few things, so it'll be pretty depressing this week when you find out you've tried that already.

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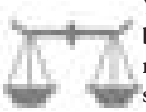

You've never claimed to be a genius, but you have a nagging suspicion that you should have known sheets could be changed.

SCORPIO OCT 24 – NOV 21

Your drug experimentation phase enters an exciting new phase when you find one that makes the throbbing pain in your head subside almost completely.

SAGITTARIUS NOV 22 – DEC 21

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Indonesian Rupiah	0.0025
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Korean Won	0.0296
Malaysian Ringgit	7.77
Mexican Peso	1.86
New Zealand Dollar	24.1
Nigerian Naira	0.0909
Norwegian Krone	4.28
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RECENTLY ADDED AND COMING SOON

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SIAM HANDLEBAR, PHETKASEM ROAD (OPP. airport); Ladies Night every Saturday; from 8 to 11pm first drink free, 50% thereafter (wine, small beer, Spy, soft drinks, mixers, ice only)

FATHER TEDS, DAMNOERNKASEM ROAD. Ladies night every Thursday - Buy 1 get one free on cocktails; Every Friday is Lads night - get happy hour prices on all draught beers (see ad p2)

REGULAR OFFERS

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FATHER TEDS, DAMNOERNKASEM ROAD. Live music, special food and drink offers, draught Guinness, something happening every night! See add on p2 for details.

JOHNNIE WALKER, SOI SELEKAM/ POOLSUK ROAD. Happy Hour every day from 9am to 8pm.

NANY'S CAFE, SOI 88. Friday special - Fish, chips and mushy peas 139 bt, Atlantic cod fillet chips and mushy peas 220 bt. Also Leo draft now available small(half) 55 bt, large(pint) 75 bt

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SUNSET BOULEVARD, KHAO TAKIAB. Third Tuesday of the month 7.30pm - 10pm. All video home compiled quiz with 8 rounds including audio visual rounds. Teams of up to 6. Free half time food and free entry but minimum bar bill 200 Baht per person. Bookings essential as there is limited space 084 376 9438 or go to our Facebook page. Next quiz on 19th September.

TK ROADHOUSE, KHAO TAKIAB. First Tuesday of every month 'The Best Quiz In Town'! 8 rounds, beer questions, free food.

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FATHER TEDS, DAMNOERNKASEM ROAD
HUA HIN MISS YOU, SOI 80
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MUCKY DUCK, BONKAI (SOI 88)
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EVENTS

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Get on the air! Go along any Friday morning to the Siam Bakery at the Marriott to have a chat or just watch the guys do the Breakfast Show between 7 and 10 am.

UPCOMING

Inform AWOL or Surf FM of your charitable or non commercial event and we will announce it here

ONGOING

RESCUE PAWS is a non-profit organization based in Hua Hin dedicated to helping and improving the lives of Thailand's stray animal population. Find out more on their website rescuepawsasia.org or Facebook page RescuePawsThailand

TRASH HERO HUA HIN now every Sunday at 3pm a beach area gets cleaned. See their eponymous Facebook page for weekly details

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DUSIT THANI HUA HIN SOCCER ACADEMY: exercise and professional football coaching for kids.

HUA HIN HASH HOUSE HARRIERS every Saturday around the area. (see p14)

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● **UK**

Piglets saved from blaze are served up to the firefighters who rescued them

A farmer in southern England has thanked the firefighters who saved her piglets from a blazing barn in a most apt way.

Rachel Rivers this week treated crew members at Pewsey Fire Station to a batch of sausages which were made from the very animals they had rescued from the fire at her farm in Milton Lilbourne, Wiltshire, in February.

"I wanted to thank them," Rivers said. "I promised them at the time I'd bring down some sausages for them, which they were all pleased about."

Rivers admitted that vegetarians were likely to "hate this." But she added, "We farm and this is what we do. You can't keep them as pets."

Pewsey Fire Station shared photographs of the gift, which they barbecued, to Facebook on Monday.

"Exactly 6 months and 1 day since FF's Olsen and Richardson rescued 18 piglets from a farm in Milton we got to sample the fruits of our labour from that February night," the service wrote, according to the Telegraph.

A spokesman for Dorset and Wiltshire Fire and Rescue Service said that it had thanked Rivers "for her generosity."

"We can tell no porkies, the sausages were fantastic," he added.

● **CANADA**

Woman finds diamond engagement ring on carrot after 13 years

Most dream of a 24-carat gold engagement ring… but one woman was merely thrilled to find her own one-carrot band.

Mary Grams, an 84-year-old from Canada, was astonished to be reunited with her engagement ring she lost 13 years ago after it re-emerged with a misshapen vegetable growing through it.

Her daughter-in-law, Colleen Daley, pulled the carrot - with the ring around it - while collecting vegetables for dinner on the family's farm in Alberta.

Mrs Grams had never told her husband Norman, who died five years ago, that she lost the ring while weeding more than a decade ago and had long given up hope of ever finding it.

She was left in disbelief when the treasured jewel, which she had replaced with a much smaller ring, reappeared.

Ms Daley admitted she had almost fed the strange-looking carrot to her dog before noticing the ring while washing the vegetables.

She told her husband, Mrs Grams' son - who had known about the ring's long disappearance, before the pair then revealed the news.

"I said we found your ring in the garden. She couldn't believe it," Ms Daley said. "It was so weird that the carrot grew perfectly through that ring."

A delighted Mrs Grams scrubbed the dirt off the ring before sliding it onto her finger as easily as the day her late husband had given it to her.

"I feel relieved and happy inside," she said. "It grew into the carrot. I still can't figure it out." The pensioner added: "We were giggling and laughing. It fit. After that many years it fits."

● **UK**

Rapper cancels shows after saying he didn't need eclipse glasses

A rapper who challenged warnings about not wearing protective eyewear during Monday's solar eclipse has abruptly cancelled three of his upcoming shows.

It's unclear why the shows were actually cancelled, but the coincidence has caught a lot of people's attention.

"Am I crazy for watching the eclipse today [with] no glasses?" Joey Bada$$, whose real name is Jo-Vaughn Virginie Scott, had tweeted on Monday. "I've sungazed before and afterwards saw colors for a whole day. I didn't die tho (sic)."

He went on to argue, "This ain't the first solar eclipse and I'm pretty sure our ancestors ain't have no fancy eyewear. Also pretty sure they ain't all go blind."

This ain't the first solar eclipse and I'm pretty sure our ancestors ain't have no fancy eyewear. Also pretty sure they ain't all go blind.

Twitter users were quick to mock his suggestion, with one person replying, "You tell, em, Joey. Look right at that sun. You'll be fine."

As far as whether Scott actually looked at the sun without proper protection, it's anyone's guess.

But fast forward to Tuesday, and the hip-hop artist announced the cancellations of shows in Cleveland, Chicago and Toronto "due to unforeseen circumstances."

Needless to say, that announcement produced a new round of jokes and jabs against the rapper, with his news called "eyeronic."

Doctors had stressed that staring directly at the sun for even a fraction of a minute without proper eyewear can cause damage to one's retinas.

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HUA HIN CITY F.C

Hua Hin City F. C. is the local professional team formed in 2011, playing their matches at the Takiab Stadium in Khao Takiab.

RESULTS
SUNDAY 27TH AUGUST 2017
Hua Hin City 1 - 2 IPE Samut Sakhon

FIXTURES
SUNDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER 2017
BTU United v Hua Hin City 18:00

THAI LEAGUE 4
WESTERN REGION TABLE

	Team	P	GD	PTS
1	Suphanburi B	25	34	61
2	Muangkan United	25	16	50
3	BTU United	25	14	45
4	Assumption United	25	14	42
5	Ratchaburi Mitr Phol B	25	1	36
6	IPE Samut Sakhon United	25	-5	32
7	Hua Hin City	25	0	29
8	Look Isan	25	-10	27
9	Nonthaburi	25	-12	26
10	Pathum Thani United	25	-52	4

MATCH REPORT HUA HIN CITY FC 1 – 2 IPE SAMUT SAKHON

This was our last home game of the season, and the script read that we would take another 3 points to make it 12 out of 12. Unfortunately, Mother Nature had different ideas and dumped a deluge of rain onto Takiab Stadium starting about an hour before kick off, and ending about 20 minutes before the final whistle. Footballing skill or talent didn't have much to play in today's result. It was a game of bad weather, and strange refereeing decisions.

The first goal, whilst I'm sure Ratchapark will claim it was deliberate, was a mis-hit cross that went into the top left hand corner of the goal. IPE's equaliser came as the result of a mix up inside of the Hua Hin penalty area (and what looked like a foul on a Hua Hin player).

IPE's 2nd goal was a lovely strike by Ali M. Unfortunately it was straight past his own keeper, to chalk up an own goal.

The rest of the game was a farce, and would not have gone ahead in the West. Even if it had started, it would most certainly have been abandoned. The ball kept stopping, often not getting anywhere near it's intended recipient, Tackling in such conditions is very dangerous, and there were some almighty splashes as players on both sides found themselves victims of mis-timed tackles.

It is hard to find many positives from this game. Nobody played badly, but nobody was able to play well. This should have been a close game with good football. Both teams have been experiencing a good run of form. Unfortunately, it was the opposite. I don't think we should be disheartened by today. The weather won the day. We should be grateful both teams made it through 90 minutes without picking up any serious injury. Unfortunately, IPE have taken our 6th place.

So that is the end of football at Takiab Stadium for this season. There are still 2 away games to play at BTU and Assumption. The important thing is that Hua Hin City has been transformed from a pretty poor team, into a half decent side, who will seriously challenge for a Champions League position next season.

HASH HOUSE HARRIERS

A DRINKING CLUB WITH A RUNNING & WALKING PROBLEM!

The Cha-Am and Hua Hin Hash House Harrier Clubs meet alternate Saturdays for around an hour's. run/walk in the surrounding countryside followed by a social gathering. lf you would like to come along then visit our website www.h2h3-cah3.weebly.com or Facebook at www.facebook.com/H2H3CAH3 for full details and directions. Please note that people attending and participating do so entirely at their own risk.

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Google Map Link: https://goo.gl/maps/D2YeZcbTJsF2

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DIRECTIONS to RUN SITE

From Hua Hin & Cha-Am via Phet Kasem Road & Soi 112

Google Map Link: https://goo.gl/maps/ebzoKjZjucP2

Make your way south on Phet Kasem Road and after taking the Railway flyover exit left and make your way to Soi 112. Continue on Soi 112 for 5.8 km and turn LEFT to Sam Phan Nam Floating Market. Continue for 5.2 km and turn LEFT (HHH sign) just before Ban Thung Yao School on your right. Drive another 0.6 km to run site.

Alternative from Cha-Am via the bypass: Google Map Link: https://goo.gl/maps/RMwwVgwmMy52.

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Any queries then please call Hugmanannygoat on 08 10 15 40 27

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BUTTERFLY ROCK GOLF SOCIETY

RESULTS
28TH AUGUST 2017
Lake View AB Stableford 20 entered
1st Andrew Reid 38 pts (13)
2nd Simon Seymour 36 pts (12)
3rd Philaiwan (Chim) Thipchuen 36 pts (28)
4th Mark Simpson 35 pts (15)

23RD AUGUST 2017
Majestic Creek B & C Stableford, NTP and Twos Club 19 entered
1st Geoff G Batt-Rawden 36 pts (05)
2nd Abe Gurman 33 pts (20)
3rd Paul Kelly 33 pts (21)
4th Sue Murray 32 pts (25)

FIXTURES
BRGC Club Championship/ Medal-Stroke(Members only)
4th September 2017 Lake View A & B
6th September 2017 Black Mountain

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 Ronnie for the results.
25TH AUGUST 2017
11 players
Front 9 - Ole Ingerslev (21) 21 points
Back 9 - Ole Ingerslev (21) 16 points
Overall - Ole Ingerslev (21) 37 points

HUA HIN DARTS LEAGUE

RESULTS
WEEK 2 29TH AUGUST 2017
No Game - Blue Lagoon
Johnnie Walker Red 3 - 6 El Toro Loco
Pinky Bar 8 - 1 Johnnie Walker Black

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
El Toro Loco	2	2	0	0	6	4
Pinky Bar	2	1	0	1	4	2
J. Walker Black	2	1	0	1	-4	2
J. Walker Red	1	0	0	1	-3	0
Blue Lagoon	1	0	0	1	-3	0

FIXTURES
WEEK 3 5TH SEPTEMBER 2017
Blue Lagoon v Pinky Bar
No Game - El Toro Loco
Johnnie Walker Black v Johnnie Walker Red

HUA HIN GOLF SOCIETY

RESULTS
29TH AUGUST 2017
Black Mountain Stableford 25 entered
1st Robert Bird 44 pts (17)
2nd Bruno Mueller 38 pts (16)
3rd Stefan Foerg 36 pts (06)
4th John Hall 36 pts (18)

29TH AUGUST 2017
Black Mountain Ladies Stableford 10 entered
1st Neung Chueanil 36 pts (05)
2nd Chuan Walker 35 pts (06)
3rd Nitha Dittkuhn 33 pts (11)
4th Pook Sheriff 33 pts (27)

25TH AUGUST 2017
Royal Hua - Hin Stableford 26 entered
1st Robert Laminit 37 pts (06)
2nd Andrew McDermott 34 pts (07)
3rd Evert Houten 34 pts (29)
4th Daniel Bechu 33 pts (08)

FIXTURES
5th September 2017 Palm Hills Stableford & Eclectic
8th September 2017 Banyan Medal Banyan Eclectic

LAKE VIEW MEMBERS CLUB

RESULTS
25TH AUGUST 2017
Course BC (sss74)
1st Michael Snakebite (6) 35pts
2nd Michael Daly (21) 35pts
3rd Mick Court (17) 33pts
4th Doug Miller (10) 32pts

28TH AUGUST 2017
Course AB
1st Michael Snakebite (6) 39pts
2nd Mike O'Brien (17) 39pts
3rd Mick Court (17) 37pts
4th Steve O'Brien (15) 34pts

FIXTURES
Lake View every Monday, Wednesday, Friday

CHA AM GOLF CLUB

Contact: secretary@chaamgolfclub.com
FIXTURES
No fixtures currently listed.

SAENSUK GOLF SOCIETY

RESULTS
No results available this week

FIXTURES
Monday/Friday Springfield Splinter Cell Stableford
6th September 2017 Majestic Creek

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

Here is last week's Crossword solution.

POOL LEAGUES

HUA HIN KHAO TAKIAB SUPER POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
WEEK 17 24TH AUGUST 2017
Arilds Bar 8 - 13 Tore's Bar
Bobby's Birds 5 - 16 Tap House Bar
Drink & Shelter 15 - 6 High Five
Home 11 - 10 Muan Bar
Hut Bar 6 - 15 Lanla Bar
N & G Bar 11 - 10 Le Kiss Bar
Sweetheart Bar 10 - 11 Star Bar
The Dream 8 - 13 Pits Cafe

FIXTURES
WEEK 19 7TH SEPTEMBER 2017
Fin Bar v Bobby's Birds
High Five v N & G Bar
Lanla Bar v The Dream
Le Kiss Bar v Tiki Bar
Muan Bar v Arilds Bar
Mucky Duck v Drink & Shelter
Star Bar v Home
Tap House Bar v Sweetheart Bar
Tore's Bar v Hut Bar

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
Tap House Bar	16	15	1	120	228
Muan Bar	16	12	4	88	212
N & G Bar	16	13	3	72	204
Drink & Shelter	16	12	4	72	204
Pits Cafe	17	10	7	51	204
Mucky Duck	16	13	3	70	203
Tiki Bar	15	11	4	83	199
Home	16	8	8	40	188
Lanla Bar	16	9	7	8	172
Arilds Bar	16	10	6	6	171
Fin Bar	15	8	7	17	166
Bobby's Birds	16	5	11	-38	149
Le Kiss Bar	15	5	10	-29	143
Star Bar	16	6	10	-60	138
The Dream	17	4	13	-83	137
Sweetheart Bar	16	3	13	-84	126
High Five	15	4	11	-81	117
Tore's Bar	16	2	14	-110	113
Hut Bar	16	1	15	-142	97
Hut Bar	15	1	14	-133	91

THURSDAY FRIENDLY POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
WEEK 24 24TH AUGUST 2017
Big Kahuna 4 - 16 MasterCues Bar
Fame 13 - 7 Connections Cafe
Komhom Bar 12 - 8 Silver Fox
Mint Bar 11 - 9 Hua Hin Bar
Nalee Bar 9 - 11 Jaew Bar
Squealing Pig 12 - 8 Bar 80 Saloon
The Clansmen 14 - 6 Mausi Bar

FIXTURES
WEEK 26 7TH SEPTEMBER 2017
Bar 80 Saloon v Komhom Bar
Connections Cafe v Jaew Bar
Hua Hin Bar v MasterCues Bar
Mausi Bar v Big Kahuna
Silver Fox v Fame
Squealing Pig v Mint Bar
The Clansmen v Nalee Bar

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
The Clansmen	24	21	3	0	204	387
MasterCues Bar	23	17	5	1	176	357
Komhom Bar	23	14	4	5	72	298
Big Kahuna	23	14	4	5	38	281
Bar 80 Saloon	24	10	4	10	4	266
Mausi Bar	24	9	5	10	-14	256
Silver Fox	24	11	2	11	-18	255
Connections	23	8	3	12	2	250
Squealing Pig	24	9	3	12	-28	247
Hua Hin Bar	24	7	3	14	-28	243
Mint Bar	23	8	2	13	-32	232
Nalee Bar	23	6	2	15	-104	192
Fame	23	5	1	17	-132	175
Jaew Bar	23	4	1	18	-140	169

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HUA HIN POOL BILLIARD LEAGUE

RESULTS
WEEK 6 25TH AUGUST 2017
Lucky Shot B 3 - 5 Lucky Shot A
Muan Bar 2 - 6 Big Kahuna
Pits Rangers 6 - 2 Pits Pirates

FIXTURES
WEEK 7 1ST SEPTEMBER 2017
Big Kahuna v Pits Rangers
Lucky Shot A v Muan Bar
Pits Pirates v Lucky Shot B

WEEK 8 8TH SEPTEMBER 2017
Big Kahuna v Pits Pirates
Lucky Shot B v Muan Bar
Pits Rangers v Lucky Shot A

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Pits Rangers	6	5	1	0	18	11
Big Kahuna	6	2	4	0	8	8
Pits Pirates	5	2	1	2	2	5
Lucky Shot A	5	2	0	3	-4	4
Lucky Shot B	6	1	2	3	-8	4
Muan Bar	6	0	2	4	-16	2

FRIDAY TEAM LEAGUE

RESULTS
WEEK 11 25TH AUGUST 2017
Home Bar 2 13 - 11 Ba Na Na Bar
Mucky Duck 13 - 11 Home Bar
Nalee Bar 11 - 13 Bobbys Bar
Sabai Bar 17 - 7 Bikini Bar

FIXTURES
WEEK 13 8TH SEPTEMBER 2017
Ba Na Na Bar v Bikini Bar
Bobbys Bar v Home Bar
Home Bar 2 v Sabai Bar
Nalee Bar v Mucky Duck

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Sabai Bar	11	10	1	0	86	181
Home Bar	11	8	0	3	68	172
Bobbys Bar	11	5	1	5	12	144
Mucky Duck	11	5	3	3	2	139
Ba Na Na Bar	11	3	2	6	-24	126
Home Bar 2	10	4	1	5	-22	115
Nalee Bar	10	3	0	7	-48	102
Bikini Bar	11	1	0	10	-74	101

HUA HIN SOCIAL POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
No fixtures this week

FIXTURES
WEEK 12 6TH SEPTEMBER 2017
Jungle Juice Cheetas v Bentho Bar
JW Black v All Nations GH
Limelight v King Bar
N & G v Jungle Juice Leopards
Pink Panther v Booz Bar
Tiger Bar v JW Red

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
N & G	11	8	3	45	16
King Bar	10	8	2	42	16
Limelight	9	7	2	25	14
Jungle Juice Cheetas	8	7	1	24	14
Bentho Bar	11	7	4	23	14
JW Black	9	5	4	15	10
Pink Panther	11	4	7	-33	8
Jungle Juice L'pards	11	4	7	-43	8
JW Red	10	3	7	-12	6
All Nations GH	9	3	6	-13	6
Tiger Bar	11	3	8	-23	6
Booz Bar	10	1	9	-50	2

TUESDAY POOL LEAGUE SOI 94

RESULTS
WEEK 11 29TH AUGUST 2017
Coopers Bar 13 - 5 Arilds Sports Bar
Home Bar 2 11 - 7 Komhom Restaurant
Mausi Bar 9 - 9 Tree Bar
Nalee Bar 10 - 8 Na Na Bar
Tiki Bar 11 - 7 Connections Cafe
Tores Bar 9 - 9 Home Bar

FIXTURES
WEEK 12 5TH SEPTEMBER 2017
Coopers Bar v Connections Cafe
Home Bar v Arilds Sports Bar
Mausi Bar v Komhom Restaurant
Nalee Bar v Tree Bar
Tiki Bar v Na Na Bar
Tores Bar v Home Bar 2

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Tiki Bar	11	10	0	1	86	30
Coopers Bar	11	10	0	1	74	30
Home Bar 2	11	9	1	1	60	28
Home Bar	11	6	2	3	36	20
Komhom	11	6	1	4	14	19
Connections Cafe	11	4	2	5	8	14
Tores Bar	11	3	4	4	-22	13
Arilds Sports Bar	11	3	2	6	-32	11
Na Na Bar	11	3	1	7	-24	10
Tree Bar	11	1	2	8	-62	5
Nalee Bar	11	1	2	8	-74	5
Mausi Bar	11	0	3	8	-64	3

HUA HIN SOI 80 TUESDAY POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
WEEK 7 29TH AUGUST 2017
Exotic Bar 11 - 7 Eagle Bar
Fin Bar 2 9 - 9 Bar 80 Saloon
Hua Hin Bar 'S' 10 - 8 Hua Hin Bar 'K'
Hut Bar 7 - 11 Fin Bar 1
Mint Bar 9 - 9 Mona Bar

FIXTURES
WEEK 8 5TH SEPTEMBER 2017
Bar 80 Saloon v Hua Hin Bar 'S'
Eagle Bar v Fin Bar 2
Fin Bar 1 v Mint Bar
Hua Hin Bar 'K' v Hut Bar
Mona Bar v Exotic Bar

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Exotic Bar	7	5	1	1	12	16
Fin Bar 2	7	4	3	0	22	15
Fin Bar 1	7	4	1	2	0	13
Eagle Bar	7	4	0	3	4	12
Mint Bar	7	3	2	2	20	11
Bar 80 Saloon	7	3	1	3	2	10
Mona Bar	7	3	1	3	2	10
Hut Bar	7	1	2	4	-2	5
Hua Hin Bar 'K'	7	1	1	5	-8	4
Hua Hin Bar 'S'	7	1	0	6	-52	3

HUA HIN WEDNESDAY POOL LEAGUE

FIXTURES
WEEK 1 6TH SEPTEMBER 2017
Pit's Cafe 2 v Pit's Cafe 1
Lucky Shot 1 v Lucky Shot.2
Infinity Bar v Arild's Bar
Big Kahuna v Ban Sankook

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Arild's Bar	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ban Sankook	0	0	0	0	0	0
Big Kahuna	0	0	0	0	0	0
Infinity Bar	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lucky Shot 1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lucky Shot 2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pit's Cafe 1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pit's Cafe 2	0	0	0	0	0	0

NWPL NEW WEDNESDAY POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
WEEK 3 30TH AUGUST 2017
BRGC@Bar80 13 - 9 Coopers Blues
Breeze Bar 7 - 15 Aonzy Bar
Coopers Reds 13 - 9 Squealing Pig
Home Bar Two 12 - 10 Home Bar One
Jaew Bar v Tores Bar n/a
Sabai Bar 13 - 9 Tree Bar

FIXTURES
WEEK 4 6TH SEPTEMBER 2017
Aonzy Bar v BRGC@Bar80
Coopers Blues v Home Bar Two
Home Bar One v Jaew Bar
Squealing Pig v Sabai Bar
Tores Bar v Coopers Reds
Tree Bar v Breeze Bar

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Brgc@Bar80	3	3	0	0	24	9
Sabai Bar	3	3	0	0	18	9
Home Bar Two	3	3	0	0	14	9
Coopers Reds	3	2	0	1	4	6
Coopers Blues	3	1	1	1	-2	4
Breeze Bar	3	1	1	1	-6	4
Tree Bar	3	1	0	2	0	3
Aonzy Bar	3	1	0	2	-6	3
Squealing Pig	3	1	0	2	-6	3
Tores Bar	2	0	0	2	-14	0
Home Bar One	3	0	0	3	-16	0
Jaew Bar	2	0	0	2	-10	-5

Please note: Jaew Bar deducted points for not submitting score on time

POOL LEAGUES

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HUA HIN STAR POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
CUP 27TH AUGUST 2017

Tina v Paul n/a
Peter v Bernard n/a
Brian v Korn n/a
Hampi v Steve n/a
Prj v Lieven n/a
Thong v Jay n/a
Tong v Kwan n/a
Job v Gent n/a
Pek v Dang n/a
Thong v Derrick n/a
Andy v Brian n/a

FIXTURES
WEEK 4 3RD SEPTEMBER 2017

DIVISION 1

Brian v Hampi
Brian v Derrick
Prj v Job
Thong v Andy
Dang v Kwan
Korn v Tong
Lieven v Peter
Pek v Paul

DIVISION 2

Gent v Tim
Thong v Michel
Julius v Axel
Shawn v Mick
Bernard v Wad
Darren v Tina
Jay v Den
Steve v Golf

LEAGUE TABLES

DIVISION 1

Player	P	+/-	Pts
Hampi	3	9	6
Korn	3	6	6
Brian	3	5	6
Dang	3	5	4
Peter	3	4	4
Andy	3	3	4
Lieven	3	3	4
Thong	3	0	2
Pek	3	-1	2
Tong	3	-1	2
Kwan	3	-1	2
Job	3	-3	2
Derrick	3	-6	2
Paul	3	-6	2
Prj	3	-5	0
Brian	3	-12	0

DIVISION 2

Player	P	+/-	Pts
Darren	3	10	6
Shawn	3	9	6
Gent	3	3	4
Thong	3	3	4
Tim	3	3	4
Mick	3	2	4
Julius	3	1	4
Golf	3	-1	4
Den	3	-1	2
Wad	3	-2	2
Axel	3	-2	2
Bernard	3	-3	2
Steve	3	-3	2
Tina	3	-4	2
Jay	3	-7	0
Michel	3	-8	0

102 & 88 SATURDAY POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
WEEK 4 26TH AUGUST 2017

Bobby's Babes v Master Ques n/a
El Toro Loco v Big Kahuna n/a
Mucky Duck v Banana Bar n/a
Silver Fox v Bobby's Bar n/a

FIXTURES
WEEK 5 2ND SEPTEMBER 2017

Bobby's Babes v Big Kahuna
El Toro Loco v Bobby's Bar
Master Ques v Banana Bar
Mucky Duck v Silver Fox

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Master Ques	2	2	0	0	14	4
El Toro Loco	2	2	0	0	12	4
Bobby's Babes	2	1	0	1	2	2
Mucky Duck	2	1	0	1	0	2
Bobby's Bar	2	1	0	1	-2	2
Banana Bar	2	1	0	1	-8	2
Big Kahuna	2	0	0	2	-4	0
Silver Fox	2	0	0	2	-14	0

LEAGUES NOT CURRENTLY RUNNING

Details of new seasons will be printed here when available. Organisers please contact AWOL with any information.

FRIENDS OF HUA HIN WEDNESDAY POOL LEAGUE

HUA HIN/KHAO TAKIAB LADIES POOL LEAGUE

HUA HIN KHAO TAKIAB COOL POOL LEAGUE

RESULTS
WEEK 2 25TH AUGUST 2017

Jungle Juice 13 - 10 High Five
Sweetheart Bar 8 - 15 Take 5
TK Roadhouse 14 - 9 Fin Bar
No idea if they had a fixture or not - Jungle Juice, The Connection, Muan Bar, Exotic Bar

FIXTURES
WEEK 2 25TH AUGUST 2017

No fixtures have been posted for the rest of the season again - please contact the organiser. We are considering dropping this league from AWOL if this continues.

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
TK Roadhouse	2	2	0	0	10	28
Take 5	2	1	0	1	2	24
Fin Bar	2	1	0	1	-2	22
High Five	2	0	0	2	-8	19
Sweetheart Bar	2	0	0	2	-8	19
The Connection	1	1	0	0	5	14
Jungle Juice	1	1	0	0	3	13
Muan Bar	1	1	0	0	1	12
Exotic Bar	1	0	0	1	-3	10

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FIXTURES

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FRIDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER WORLD CUP QUALIFYING - EUROPEAN
GROUP E
Kazakhstan v Montenegro 23:00

SATURDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER 2017 WORLD CUP QUALIFYING - EUROPEAN
GROUP C
Czech Republic v Germany 01:45
Norway v Azerbaijan 01:45
San Marino v Northern Ireland 01:45
GROUP D
Georgia v Republic of Ireland 23:00
Serbia v Moldova 23:00
GROUP E
Denmark v Poland 01:45
Romania v Armenia 01:45
GROUP F
Lithuania v Scotland 01:45
Malta v England 01:45
Slovakia v Slovenia 01:45
GROUP G
Albania v Liechtenstein 23:00
GROUP I
Finland v Iceland 23:00

SUNDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER 2017 WORLD CUP QUALIFYING - EUROPEAN
GROUP A
Belarus v Sweden 23:00
Netherlands v Bulgaria 23:00
GROUP B
Faroe Islands v Andorra 23:00
GROUP D
Wales v Austria 01:45
GROUP G
Israel v FYR Macedonia 01:45
Spain v Italy 01:45
GROUP H
Estonia v Cyprus 23:00
GROUP I
Croatia v Kosovo 01:45
Ukraine v Turkey 01:45

MONDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER 2017 WORLD CUP EUROPEAN QUALIFYING
GROUP A
France v Luxembourg 01:45
GROUP B
Hungary v Portugal 01:45
Latvia v Switzerland 01:45
GROUP C
Azerbaijan v San Marino 23:00

ENGLISH PREMIER LEAGUE TABLE

	Team	P	GD	PTS
1	Manchester United	3	0	9
2	Liverpool	3	0	7
3	Huddersfield Town	3	0	7
4	Manchester City	3	0	7
5	West Bromwich Alb.	3	0	7
6	Chelsea	3	1	6
7	Watford	3	0	5
8	Southampton	3	0	5
9	Tottenham Hotspur	3	1	4
10	Burnley	3	1	4
11	Stoke City	3	1	4
12	Everton	3	1	4
13	Swansea City	3	1	4
14	Newcastle United	3	2	3
15	Leicester City	3	2	3
16	Arsenal	3	2	3
17	Brighton & Hove Alb.	3	2	1
18	Bournemouth	3	3	0
19	Crystal Palace	3	3	0
20	West Ham United	3	3	0

GROUP E
Armenia v Denmark 23:00
GROUP H
Gibraltar v Bosnia-Herzegovina 01:45
Greece v Belgium 01:45

MONDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER 2017 WORLD CUP EUROPEAN QUALIFYING
GROUP C
Germany v Norway 01:45
N. Ireland v Czech Republic 01:45
GROUP E
Montenegro v Romania 01:45
Poland v Kazakhstan 01:45
GROUP F
England v Slovakia 01:45
Scotland v Malta 01:45

FANTASY PREMIER LEAGUE - AWOL CHALLENGE

	Team	GW	TOT
1	Frankies 11	67	194
2	AC Clacton	52	179
3	Pony & Trap	42	177
4	Wanderlust United	31	171
5	HH Jambos	36	170
6	Atletico Pathetico	48	167
7	Carthorses Are Go	51	160
8=	RentMyThaiVilla	55	159
8=	Dannyxcollinz	54	159
10	Mr. Cha Aming	51	158
11	Colonial	45	157
12	Lost Cafe	61	153
13	FC ROCA	60	149
14	JR Brutd S.C	36	145
15	The Dada Donkeys	22	143
16	AWOL Wanderers	52	131
17	Portsmoth city	51	126
18	Hua hin jambos	45	120
19	Pink Panther AFC	37	117
20	Shortimeagain	13	71

TUESDAY 5TH SEPTEMBER 2017 WORLD CUP EUROPEAN QUALIFYING
GROUP D
Austria v Georgia 01:45
Moldova v Wales 01:45
Republic of Ireland v Serbia 01:45
GROUP G
Italy v Israel 01:45
Liechtenstein v Spain 01:45
FYR Macedonia v Albania 01:45
GROUP I
Iceland v Ukraine 01:45
Kosovo v Finland 01:45
Turkey v Croatia 01:45

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"I DID WARN YOU ALL THAT I MIGHT LOSE" INSISTS CONOR MCGREGOR

● **USA**

Conor McGregor has defended his defeat at the hands of Floyd Mayweather yesterday by insisting he had warned everyone that a loss was entirely possible. The ever humble and self-effacing Irish MMA fighter was defeated by technical knockout in the tenth round after a brave but ultimately predictable fight.

"I never did think I would win, I just thought it would be an interesting experiment," he told reporters and thousands of disappointed fans today.

"That is why I was so keen at every stage of the build up – all the conferences and at the weigh-in – to stress that the victory would most likely go to Floyd. As I said many times, he is the boxer, not me."

He added, "This is why my life long motto has always been 'It is not the winning, it is the taking part that counts' and yesterday just proved that. I had a great time.

"I just hope that no-one put any money on me to win, especially after all the time I spent telling you I would most likely be the loser."

It is understood that Conor McGregor will now be getting in shape and focusing his attention on his next context in which he hopes to fight against fifty Shaolin monks at the same time.

Above: The introverted, shy and retiring Conor 'Captain Underpants' McGregor in a show of humility and respect before the fight to the brash, loudmouthed Mayweather

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