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## THE LOCAL ORPHANS NEED YOUR HELP; CHARITY EVENT ON 23RD

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At this time of year, it is very easy to get totslly wrapped up in preparing for what can be a wonderful family occasion, especially for those of us lucky enough to have children, or a celebration with friends as we see out another year. Without wanting to sound like the perennial Band Aid song though, there is a world outside your window that does not always get the happiness, love and gifts that most of us do, and this week we are asking you all to think of such unfortunates, and if you are able, to take part in an event that has been organised to help just a few of those in that situation.

On Saturday 23rd December, a charity event is being held at the Mucky Duck bar near Baan Khun Por Food Market in soi 88, with all proceeds going to the Mercy House Children's Orphanage in Pranburi. Prizes have been donated by people and businesses across the area, and there is both a raffle and a charity auction to raise money. Alongside this, the orphanage children are going to perform Christmas Carols from 6pm to 7pm, so even if you are not bidding in the auction, come along and get into the Christmas spirit if you can.

There will also be a pool challenge against some of the best pool players in the area, where you can try to beat them in a one frame shootout for a 100 baht donation which will run throughout the evening. The prizes that can be won in the raffle, or bid for in the auction include golf and accommodation at Black Mountain,and Banyan, free meals, home appliances, bottles of wine and spirits and a whole variety of other fantastic items generously donated. Tickets for the raffle are on sale now from the Mucky Duck, and more details of the event can be found on page 17 of this issue, and on Facebook by searching for Robin Kirkby, who is the man behind this whole thing. Big thanks to him, and also the Mucky Duck for generously hosting the event - please make it special!

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# WEATHER & TIDES

## WORLD WEATHER (14-12-17)

| CITY | WEATHER | HIGH °C |
|---|---|---|
| Amsterdam | Passing clouds | 5 |
| Ankara | Ice fog | -2 |
| Athens | Cool | 15 |
| Auckland | Scattered clouds | 24 |
| Beijing | Overcast | -4 |
| Berlin | Rain | 3 |
| Buenos Aires | Clear | 24 |
| Cairo | Fog | 14 |
| Chicago | Overcast | -1 |
| Copenhagen | Partly cloudy | 3 |
| Dubai | Passing clouds | 18 |
| Dublin | Passing clouds | 3 |
| Helsinki | Light rain | 2 |
| Ho Chi Minh City | Mostly cloudy | 31 |
| Hong Kong | Scattered clouds | 21 |
| Islamabad | Fog | 5 |
| Istanbul | Clear | 13 |
| Jakarta | Partly sunny | 26 |
| Jerusalem | Quite cool | 12 |
| Johannesburg | Clear | 17 |
| Karachi | Clear | 13 |
| Kuala Lumpur | Broken clouds | 27 |
| London | Clear | 3 |
| Madrid | Passing clouds | 1 |
| Manila | Overcast | 26 |
| Mexico City | Clear | 16 |
| Moscow | Fog | 0 |
| Mumbai | Haze | 21 |
| New Delhi | Fog | 13 |
| New York | Clear | -3 |
| Oslo | Snow flurries | -2 |
| Paris | Passing clouds | 6 |
| Perth | Sunny | 23 |
| Phnom-Penh | Fair | 31 |
| Rio De Janeiro | Passing clouds | 23 |
| Riyadh | Clear | 9 |
| Rome | Clear | 8 |
| San Francisco | Passing clouds | 14 |
| Seoul | Sunny | -8 |
| Shanghai | Sunny | 8 |
| Singapore | Partly sunny | 27 |
| Stockholm | Mostly cloudy | 3 |
| Sydney | Sunny | 35 |
| Taibei/Taipei | Partly sunny | 20 |
| Tokyo | Passing clouds | 7 |
| Vancouver | Overcast | 4 |
| Vientiane | Fog | 32 |
| Yangon | Passing clouds | 24 |
| Zurich | Quite cool | 5 |

## LOCAL FORECAST AND TIDES

| | RAIN (MM) | CONDITIONS | TEMP. °C H | L | TIDES 1ST | 2ND | 3RD | 4TH |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| SA | 1 | Mostly sunny | 30 | 24 | 00:32 1.4m | 05:16 2.6m | 17:14 1.3m | 18:00 2.1m |
| SU | 0 | Clearing | 28 | 22 | 00:53 1.4m | 05:30 2.6m | 17:22 1.3m | 18:11 2.1m |
| MO | 0 | Sunny and beautiful | 27 | 21 | 01:18 1.4m | 05:47 2.6m | 17:34 1.3m | 18:25 2.1m |
| TU | 0 | Nice; clouds and sun | 27 | 21 | 01:44 1.3m | 06:07 2.7m | 17:51 1.3m | 18:44 2.1m |
| WE | 0 | Partly sunny; windy | 26 | 18 | 02:09 1.3m | 06:30 2.7m | 18:12 1.3m | 19:06 2.1m |
| TH | 0 | Sun; high clouds | 28 | 21 | 02:32 1.3m | 06:53 2.7m | 18:37 1.3m | 19:31 2.1m |
| FR | 0 | Clouds and sun | 27 | 23 | 02:52 1.3m | 07:16 2.6m | 19:06 1.3m | 20:02 2.1m |

## THAILAND WEATHER (14-12-17)

| Place | Temp | Hum | Conditions |
|---|---|---|---|
| Aranyaprathet | 25 °C | 90% | Mist |
| Ban A To | 20 °C | 83% | |
| Ban Baen Chado | 28 °C | 89% | Partly Cldy |
| Ban Bang Bamru | 28 °C | 89% | Partly Cldy |
| Ban Bang Duan | 28 °C | 89% | Partly Cldy |
| Ban Bua Chum | 23 °C | 95% | Mist |
| Ban Fai Na | 28 °C | 79% | Partly Cldy |
| Ban Hua Tho | 28 °C | 89% | Partly Cldy |
| Ban Ko Thung | 23 °C | 80% | Mist |
| Ban Krathing Lai | 29 °C | 70% | Partly Cldy |
| Ban Na Si Nuan | 22 °C | 88% | Partly Cldy |
| Ban Nong Pladuk | 23 °C | 88% | Partly Cldy |
| Ban Samphan | 27 °C | 94% | Clear |
| Bangkok | 29 °C | 74% | Partly Cldy |
| Chaiyaphum | 24 °C | 86% | Mist |
| Chanthaburi | 25 °C | 89% | Mist |
| Chawang | 22 °C | 92% | Mist |
| Chiang Mai | 22 °C | 73% | Clear |
| Chiang Rai | 19 °C | 88% | Clear |
| Chok Chai | 29 °C | 83% | Mist |
| Chumphon | 24 °C | 93% | Mist |
| Kam Paeng Phet | 22 °C | 91% | Mist |
| Kamalasai | 22 °C | 88% | Partly Cldy |
| Kanchanaburi | 25 °C | 84% | Mist |
| Khanom | 28 °C | 74% | Partly Cldy |
| Khlong Yai | 28 °C | 74% | Partly Cldy |
| Ko Lanta | 28 °C | 79% | Partly Cldy |
| Ko Samui | 28 °C | 74% | Partly Cldy |
| Ko Sichang | 29 °C | 88% | Partly Cldy |
| Krabi | 27 °C | 84% | Clear |
| Lampang | 20 °C | 93% | Scattered Clds |
| Lamphun | 23 °C | 67% | Clear |
| Loei | 22 °C | 100% | Mist |
| Lop Buri | 28 °C | 89% | Partly Cldy |
| Mae Hong Son | 19 °C | 86% | Mist |
| Mae Sariang | 21 °C | 92% | Mist |
| Mae Sot | 23 °C | 78% | Partly Cldy |
| Mukdahan | 22 °C | 87% | Scattered Clds |
| Nakhon Phanom | 23 °C | 88% | Partly Cldy |
| Nak. Ratchasima | 25 °C | 94% | Scattered Clds |

| Place | Temp | Hum | Conditions |
|---|---|---|---|
| Nakhon Sawan | 24 °C | 97% | Mist |
| Nan | 21 °C | 78% | Clear |
| Nang Rong | 24 °C | 94% | Partly Cldy |
| Narathiwat | 26 °C | 89% | Partly Cldy |
| Nong Khai | 22 °C | 91% | Mist |
| Pattani | 24 °C | 89% | Mist |
| Pattaya | 29 °C | 70% | Partly Cldy |
| Phayao | 19 °C | 88% | Clear |
| Phetchabun | 21 °C | 91% | Mist |
| Phetchaburi | 29 °C | 70% | Clear |
| Phitsanulok | 26 °C | 78% | Partly Cldy |
| Phrae | 22 °C | 100% | Scattered Clds |
| Phuket | 28 °C | 79% | Partly Cldy |
| Prachin Buri | 26 °C | 89% | Mist |
| Prach. Khirikhan | 24 °C | 89% | Scattered Clds |
| Ranong | 29 °C | 79% | Partly Cldy |
| Rayong | 29 °C | 8% | Partly Cldy |
| Roi Et | 23 °C | 91% | Mist |
| Samui | 28 °C | 74% | Partly Cldy |
| Sattahip | 29 °C | 70% | Partly Cldy |
| Satun | 23 °C | 91% | Mist |
| Songkhla | 29 °C | 74% | Partly Cldy |
| Sukhothai | 25 °C | 83% | Partly Cldy |
| Suphan Buri | 28 °C | 89% | Partly Cldy |
| Surat Thani | 28 °C | 84% | Partly Cldy |
| Surin | 24 °C | 94% | Partly Cldy |
| Tak | 21 °C | 95% | Mist |
| Takua Pa | 28 °C | 99% | Partly Cldy |
| Tha Tum | 28 °C | 11% | Partly Cldy |
| Tha Wang Pha | 21 °C | 78% | Clear |
| Thoen | 25 °C | 83% | Partly Cldy |
| Thong Pha Phum | 23 °C | 92% | Mist |
| Thung Chang | 21 °C | 78% | Clear |
| Trang | 28 °C | 79% | Partly Cldy |
| Trat | 28 °C | 74% | Partly Cldy |
| Ubon Ratchathani | 27 °C | 84% | Partly Cldy |
| Udon Thani | 25 °C | 83% | Partly Cldy |
| Umphang | 23 °C | 78% | Partly Cldy |
| Uttaradit | 22 °C | 87% | Mist |
| Wichian Buri | 23 °C | 91% | Mist |

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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)

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

## PUZZLE 2 (HARD)

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


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## LAST ISSUE'S SOLUTIONS

### PUZZLE 1

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

### PUZZLE 2

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


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## CODEWORD

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.

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

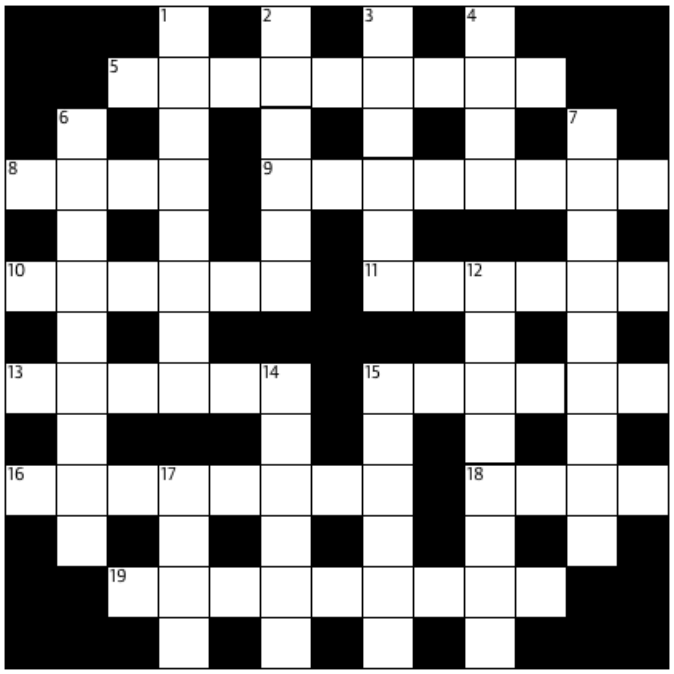
Apologies for the repeated puzzle last week.

## 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 |

| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 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 |

## CROSSWORD



**ACROSS**

5 Irreligiousness (9)
8 Ran away (4)
9 Safety from prosecution, disease etc (8)
10 Plan (maybe best laid?) (6)
11 Starter — win bee (anag) (6)
13 Piece of needlework (6)
15 Move along in the vicinity (4,2)
16 Magician (8)
18 Shoe string (4)
19 Gloomy (9)

**DOWN**

1 Treading (anag) — slope (8)
2, 3 Novel by 17 7 (2,4,3,3)
3 See 2
4 Collar, college or jacket (4)
6 Art of public speaking (9)
7 See 17
12 Things one would like to have or do (4,4)
14 Solidify (6)
15 Word — condition of liberty (6)
17, 7 American novelist, d. 1968 (4,9)

*The solution to last week's puzzle is on page 19*

**Got some great jokes?**
**Send them to us on submissions@awolonline.net**

**● CUNNING STUNT**
A young girl walks into a supermarket and on her way round she sees the bloke who she copped off with last night.
He was stacking washing powder boxes on the shelves.
"You lying toad" she yells "last night you told me you were a stunt pilot"
"No" he says "I told you I was a member of an Ariel display team"

**● CHRISTMAS MEMORIES**
Every Christmas I'd come running downstairs to the big pile of presents and start unwrapping them as fast as I could. Sometimes there would be fights over who had the best toys but we would all make up later and sit down to have a three hour lunch before watching TV for the rest of the day.

I really miss working at the Royal Mail sorting office.

**● STAIRLIFT**
I asked my Gran how she liked her new stair lift.

"It's driving me up the bloody wall", she said.

**● LEAVING IT L-ATE**
Last year I left my Christmas shopping too late and ended up getting it all done at a petrol station on Christmas morning.
I thought the limited selection would not be appreciated but my 17-year-old daughter squealed with delight when she opened her 'L' plates and ran over to hug me.

I don't know why she went out to look on the driveway though.

**● TONIGHT'S SPECIALS**
Donald and Melania Trump are at a restaurant. The waiter tells them tonight's specials are chicken almondine, and fresh fish.
"The chicken sounds good, I'll have that," Melania says.
The waiter nods. And the vegetable?" he asks.
"Oh, He'll have the fish," Melania replies.

**● PREGNANT**
Brenda, pregnant with her first child, was paying a visit to her obstetrician's office. When the exam was over, she shyly began, "My husband wants me to ask you..."
"I know, I know." the doctor said, placing a reassuring hand on her shoulder, "I get asked that all the time. Sex is fine until late In the pregnancy."
"No, that's not it at all," Brenda confessed. "He wants to know if I can still mow the lawn."

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● **A HARD CHOICE**

After two weeks of restraint, THAB is back to what passes for normal in this part of AWOL, with advice on free viagra.

We hear a lot about the fake, and not so fake but just a bit dodgy drugs which emanate from Thailand, and to be fair, (and avoid being sued) many over the counter pharmaceuticals are genuine. It's simply that here in the UK their prices can be inflated for the purpose of fleecing our National Health Service. So any male expats who are thinking about repatriating, but worry about the cost of their favourite 'high', back home, might want to consider living in Ringaskiddy, County Cork. The menfolk there say that fumes from the local Pfizer viagra factory affect them in a way that can sometimes be a bit of a nuisance. Not only that - the dogs are affected as well, but they never complain. Better make your move quickly though, because Ringaskiddy is attracting a lot of new residents.

In a vaguely similar vein the trend for revealing all about sexual harassment in the work place continues to grow. Many of those cases date back to the 70's, a bygone age before the invention of political correctness, when police hadn't even grasped the importance of dealing with rape cases in a sensitive unbiased way. Times have certainly changed, and now a major concern is how to police the online grooming of children.

By it's very nature online grooming is a far greater threat than workplace harassment ever was. It is covert, anonymous, and a paedophiles' paradise. Very often parents have no idea that their daughters' - or sons - are being targeted. But in the UK at least a growing number of 'paedophile hunter' groups have formed, with the sole aim of flushing out the adults who prey on children via social media. Members of the groups pose as children aged from 11 to 15 on the sites, wait until a suspect makes the first move, then agree to meet.

With recordings of the whole process and meetings as evidence, including a citizens' arrest, it is claimed that 'paedophile groups' are becoming increasingly successful. In 2016 44% of prosecutions for the crime of meeting a child following sexual grooming, used evidence gathered by paedophile hunters, an increase from 11 per cent in 2011.

Despite those figures the methods used by paedophile hunters can be controversial. Some groups have live streamed their 'sting' operations, all of them are taking risks, and some police forces see them as undermining official procedures. But there are also police forces which recognise they are under resourced, and are prepared to work more closely with them, while group members maintain that they have more time to devote to what they believe to be essential work.

Who is right? Is there in fact a right way at all to deal with the growing threat to children. Even more worrying perhaps is how to keep one step ahead of similar potential risks in a rapidly developing age of social media and what might lie beyond.

## *On This Day*

Back here in Hull, on December 17th 1965, the first passenger ferry set off across the North Sea to Rotterdam. The plan for a ferry terminal hadn't been well received, just as today plans for a cruise ship terminal are being opposed, but what was then North Sea Ferries, now P & O, flourished. By 1974 the worlds' two largest ferries were put into service on the route to meet demand, and in 1994 they were replaced by two even bigger vessels. Unfortunately someone miscalculated. The latest ferries wouldn't fit through the entrance to the dock, so berths had to be built on the river.

Some blunders aren't confined to the Land of Smiles.

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**CAPRICORN DEC 22 - JAN 19**

While the ideal gas law is certainly important, your attempt to apply it to every situation in your life can only lead to disaster.

**AQUARIUS JAN 20 – FEB 18**

Former Rams quarterback Norm Van Brocklin will appear to you in a dream and explain to you at embarrassing length why you're not quite good enough for Bart Starr to appear in your dreams.

**PISCES FEB 19 – MAR 20**

All your hard work will finally pay off this week, but not, of course, for you.

**ARIES MAR 21 - APR 20**

You'll become embroiled in a steamy office romance next week, which would be better if you weren't the trustee in charge of bringing the warden his meals.

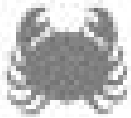
**TAURUS APR 21 – MAY 21**

It's going to be hectic and stressful for the next few days, but it'll all be worth it by Friday when the pope excommunicates you for the coolest reason ever.

**GEMINI MAY 22 – JUNE 21**

You're a bit sad that you never get invited to cool parties, but you'll be downright angry when you hear about the awesome ones they hold at your place the second you leave every day.

**CANCER JUN 22 – JUL 22**



Remember, a bend in the road isn't the end of the road. While we're on the subject, the circular device on the dashboard can be used to turn your car.

**LEO JUL 23 – AUG 22**

Next week's horrifying accident inspires an outcry for more stringent safety standards in coal-fueled power plants until everyone realizes it was actually just all your fault.

**VIRGO AUG 23 – SEP 22**

Your whole life is thrown into a terrible new perspective when you learn that Enter The Dragon is not intended to be a romantic comedy.

**LIBRA SEP 23 – OCT 23**

Your troubles will all be over next week, and what's even better, it all happens so fast that investigators will agree you probably didn't feel a thing.

**SCORPIO OCT 24 – NOV 21**

You'll get a free beverage refill when ordering a large-sized French fries, but really that's going to be about it for you this week.

**SAGITTARIUS NOV 22 – DEC 21**

You should avoid making any financial decisions next week, as the pain you'll be in from all the third-degree flash burns will probably affect your judgment.

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

**THIS WEEK IT IS.... FOR GOOD MEASURE**

As an additional extra.

'Good measure' has been part of the language since the first English-speaking 'purveyor of fyne goodes' set up shop, and it just means 'an ample or generous quantity of that which is sold by measure'.

The first instance of the expression in print is found where many other first coinages originated, in John Wyclif's Middle English translation of the Bible, circa 1384, in Luke 6:38:

*Thei schulen yyue in to youre bosum a good mesure, and wel fillid, and schakun togidir, and ouerflowynge; for bi the same mesure, bi whiche ye meeten, it schal be metun ayen to you.*

[They shall give into your bosom a good measure, and well-filled, and shaken together, and overflowing; for by the same measure, by which ye mete, it shall be meted again to you.]

We might expect the extended term 'in good measure' to refer to an abundance of something. In fact, its rather the reverse. 'Measured' also means 'moderate; restrained' and if a person acts 'in good measure' they are being especially temperate in their actions. As it happens, Wyclif was also one of the first to put that meaning of 'good measure' into print, in a collection of sermons known as Controversial Tracks, circa 1400, which was directed at the clergy:

*Ye shulden lyue on ye puple in good mesure as Paul biddin.*

[You be sustained by the people in moderation, as St. Paul bids you.]

It wasn't until much later that the use of the phrase 'good measure' returned to its original 'ample' meaning. In the 19th century people began to express the idea of things being 'thrown in for good measure', that is, added as a complimentary extra portion. In 1811, the British mathematician Patrick Kelly wrote The Universal Cambist, which was an exhaustive study of the weights and measures in use in different parts of the world and a method of converting from one to another. In the notes on Swedish measurement he included:

*Corn, and other dry commodities, are measured by Tunnor. The Tunne is divided into 32 Kappar. But to every Tunna of wheat 4 Kappar are allowed for good measure.*

Before long, the expression 'for good measure' began to be used figuratively, that is, in circumstances where no actual measurement was taking place. An example appears in the May 1850 edition of the American magazine Littell's Living Age, in a report of a public flogging in California:

*'Give him another for good measure' - 'Hit him again' - were the sounds which greeted his ears.*

'For good measure' might appear to be linked to the 'Baker's dozen', as both phrases express the notion of a little extra being added above the absolute requirement. In fact, the two phrases aren't connected, 'Baker's dozen' being much older. While the extra that was added 'for good measure' was added willingly, the extra that made up a Baker's dozen was added under threat of severe punishment. In medieval England, being light in the loaves was as risky as being 'light in the loafers' was prior to the decriminalisation of homosexuality in the 1967 Sexual Offences Act..

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| Tourist Service Centre | 1155 |
| Missing Persons | 02 282 1815 |
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| Chinese Yuan | 4.92 |
| Croatian Kuna | 5.09 |
| Czech Koruna | 1.5 |
| Danish Krone | 5.16 |
| Egyptian Pound | 1.83 |
| Ethereum | 17424 |
| Euro | 38.4 |
| Hong Kong Dollar | 4.18 |
| Hungarian Forint | 0.122 |
| Iceland Krona | 0.313 |
| Indian Rupee | 0.506 |
| Indonesian Rupiah | 0.0024 |
| Iranian Rial | 0.0009 |
| Israeli New Shekel | 9.25 |
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| Korean Won | 0.0299 |
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| New Zealand Dollar | 22.6 |
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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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Hua Hin City F. C. is the local professional team formed in 2011 playing their matches at the Takiab Stadium in Khao Takiab.

**FIXTURES**

The season is over. The new season begins in February 2018 but fixtures are not yet available. See page 5 for exciting new supporter and sponsorship deals.

**THAI LEAGUE 4**
**WESTERN REGION TABLE**

| | Team | P | GD | PTS |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Suphanburi B | 27 | 36 | 64 |
| 2 | Muangkan United | 27 | 19 | 56 |
| 3 | BTU United | 27 | 20 | 51 |
| 4 | Assumption United | 27 | 22 | 48 |
| 5 | Ratchaburi Mitr Phol B | 27 | 3 | 39 |
| 6 | IPE Samut Sakhon United | 27 | -1 | 38 |
| 7 | Hua Hin City | 27 | -5 | 29 |
| 8 | Look Isan | 27 | -19 | 27 |
| 9 | Nonthaburi | 27 | -18 | 26 |
| 10 | Pathum Thani United | 27 | -57 | 4 |

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## HUA HIN WORLD CUP 2017

This year's competition took place last weekend at True Arena, and congratulations go to the winners, France. Some photos of the winners and other activities can be found on the Facebook page (Red Mountain Hua Hin World Cup 2016). The final was played between France and Thailand, and despite their efforts, the score at full time was 0-0, so the final was decided on a penalty shootout, with France eventually triumphing 5 - 4. There was a lso a separate penalty shootout contest between the teams, with the final of that being contested between Spain and England ; this was decided with the last spot kick and the winners were Spain (yet another penalty shootout loss for Engerland!) . Well done to all who took part, and hopefully we will be able to bring you the total raised for Jungle Aid at some future date.

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Head NORTH to the end of the by-pass and continue on Route 4 towards Bangkok, turn left at the 186.1 km marker which is directly opposite the Camel Republic on your right. After making the left turn, go a couple hundred meters to a T-junction (HHH sign). Turn RIGHT onto tarmac road parallel to the klong and after a couple hundred meters turn LEFT onto concrete bridge (HHH sign). Then go a couple hundred more meters to the car park in the glade to the LEFT.

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## BUTTERFLY ROCK GOLF SOCIETY

**RESULTS**
**11TH DECEMBER 2017**
Lake View AB Stableford 25 entered
1st Thor Olsen 38 pts (25)
2nd Dana Lilja 37 pts (06)
3rd Boby (PNM) Billetter 35 pts (20)
4th Geoff G Batt-Rawden 33 pts (06)

**6TH DECEMBER 2017**
Palm Hills Stableford 30 entered
1st Ken Bell 35 pts (16)
2nd George Sterjov 35 pts (13)
3rd Nigel Guest 34 pts (11)
4th Paul Williams 34 pts (04)

**FIXTURES**
18th December 2017 Lake View A&B Stableford
20th November 2017 Majestic Creek Stableford

## PALM HILLS FRIDAY 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.
**8TH DECEMBER 2017**
16 players; Four Man Texas Scramble
Winners with 61.9 points.
Derek Daly (15)
George Sterjov (11)
Mick Gravesend (22)
Mike Smith (13)

## HUA HIN DARTS LEAGUE

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | D | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| JW Black | 7 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 12 |
| El Toro Loco | 6 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 10 |
| JW Red | 7 | 3 | 0 | 4 | -5 | 6 |
| Pinky Bar | 8 | 2 | 0 | 6 | -8 | 4 |
| Blue Lagoon | 6 | 1 | 0 | 5 | -12 | 2 |

**FIXTURES**
The season is over. Final table will be printed here when available, and any details of a new season.

## HUA HIN GOLF SOCIETY

**RESULTS**
**8TH DECEMBER 2017**
Palm Hills Stableford 16 entered
1st Pekka Hogman 40 pts (13)
2nd Wan Khongjam 39 pts (21)
3rd Tim Dixon 33 pts (11)
4th Jean Luc Sauvinet 33 pts (19)

**5TH DECEMBER 2017**
Banyan Medal 46 entered
1st John Walker 76 - 06 = 70
2nd Jari Knights 75 - 05 = 70
3rd Wan Khongjam 92 - 22 = 70
4th Pailin Humphrey 82 - 10 = 72

**FIXTURES**
19th December 2017 Lake View Stableford
22nd December 2017 Banyan Club Championship Day 2

## CHA AM GOLF CLUB

Contact: secretary@chaamgolfclub.com
**FIXTURES**
27th December 2017 Sawang 'Santa Golf'

## LAKE VIEW MEMBERS CLUB

**RESULTS**
**8TH DECEMBER 2017**
Stableford. Course AB
1st Mick Court (15) 38pts
2nd Rodger Teasdale (17) 35pts
3rd Dave Allgaier (5) 33pts
4th Doug East (13) 32pts

**11TH DECEMBER 2017**
Stableford Course AB
1st Gary Engelman (13) 37pts
2nd Peterv Tucker (13) 36pts
3rd Dave Allgaier (5) 35pts
4th Greg Smith (21) 34pts

**FIXTURES**
Lake View every Monday, Wednesday, Friday

## SAENSUK GOLF SOCIETY

**RESULTS**
**11TH DECEMBER 2017**
Springfield Royal Country Club Splinter Cell Stableford 19 entered
1st Phillipe Tamin 38 pts (21)
2nd Stellan Hellstrom 37 pts (06)
3rd Roy Sweetland 36 pts (06)
4th Micke Tredahl 36 pts (02)

**8TH DECEMBER 2017**
Springfield Royal Country Club Splinter Cell Stableford 15 entered
1st Alan Rawson 44 pts (13)
2nd Thomas Ronnestam 36 pts (15)
3rd Micke Tredahl 35 pts (02)
4th Kjell Karlsson 33 pts (20)

**FIXTURES**
Monday/Friday Springfield Splinter Cell Stableford
20th December 2017 Majestic Creek - Christmas Scramble

## CROSSWORD SOLUTION

Here is last issue's Crossword solution.

# POOL LEAGUES

## HUA HIN KHAO TAKIAB SUPER POOL LEAGUE

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 30 7TH DECEMBER**
Hut Bar 13 - 8 Bobby's Birds
Lanla Bar 17 - 4 High Five
Muan Bar 15 - 6 Nok Bar
Mucky Duck 10 - 11 Home
Pits Cafe 10 - 11 Drink & Shelter
Star Bar 5 - 16 Tap House Bar
The Dream 4 - 17 Tiki Bar
Tore's Bar 9 - 12 Le Kiss Bar
N & G Bar, Arilds Bar - no game

**FIXTURES**
**WEEK 32 21ST DECEMBER**
Hut Bar v Home
Lanla Bar v N & G Bar
Muan Bar v High Five
Mucky Duck v Arilds Bar
Pits Cafe v Tiki Bar
Star Bar v Le Kiss Bar
Tap House Bar v Nok Bar
Tore's Bar v Drink & Shelter
Bobby's Birds, Fin Bar - no game

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tap House Bar | 27 | 25 | 2 | 185 | 376 |
| Tiki Bar | 27 | 21 | 6 | 139 | 353 |
| Muan Bar | 26 | 20 | 6 | 140 | 343 |
| N & G Bar | 26 | 22 | 4 | 110 | 328 |
| Mucky Duck | 27 | 19 | 8 | 75 | 321 |
| Pits Cafe | 27 | 16 | 11 | 67 | 317 |
| Drink & Shelter | 26 | 18 | 8 | 80 | 313 |
| Home | 25 | 13 | 12 | 39 | 282 |
| Lanla Bar | 26 | 11 | 15 | -4 | 271 |
| Bobby's Birds | 27 | 10 | 17 | -51 | 258 |
| Arilds Bar | 25 | 13 | 12 | -13 | 256 |
| Nok Bar | 24 | 11 | 13 | -16 | 244 |
| Le Kiss Bar | 25 | 8 | 17 | -45 | 240 |
| Star Bar | 27 | 8 | 19 | -107 | 230 |
| The Dream | 28 | 7 | 21 | -130 | 229 |
| Tore's Bar | 27 | 6 | 21 | -137 | 215 |
| High Five | 24 | 7 | 17 | -104 | 200 |
| Hut Bar | 28 | 1 | 27 | -228 | 180 |

## THURSDAY FRIENDLY POOL LEAGUE

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 8 7TH DECEMBER**
MasterCues Bar 14 - 6 Jaew Bar
Mausi Bar 3 - 17 Hua Hin Bar
Mint Bar 14 - 6 Noum Bar
Mr Dan's 88 15 - 5 Silver Fox Wolverines
Nalee Bar 12 - 8 Bar 80 Saloon
Patty's Family v Squealing Pig n/a
Sabai Bar 11 - 9 The Connection Cafe
Silver Fox 10 - 10 Big Kahuna

**FIXTURES**
**WEEK 10 21ST DECEMBER**
Mausi Bar v MasterCues Bar
Mint Bar v Jaew Bar
Mr Dan's 88 v Hua Hin Bar
Nalee Bar v Silver Fox Wolverines
Patty's Family v Big Kahuna
Sabai Bar v Bar 80 Saloon
Silver Fox v Noum Bar
Squealing Pig v The Connection Cafe

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | D | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hua Hin Bar | 8 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 42 | 115 |
| Nalee Bar | 8 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 44 | 111 |
| MasterCues Bar | 7 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 52 | 110 |
| The Connection | 8 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 14 | 95 |
| Bar 80 Saloon | 8 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 8 | 94 |
| Noum Bar | 7 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 18 | 88 |
| Mint Bar | 8 | 2 | 2 | 4 | -6 | 83 |
| SF Wolverines | 8 | 3 | 0 | 5 | -8 | 82 |
| Silver Fox | 8 | 2 | 2 | 4 | -8 | 82 |
| Big Kahuna | 8 | 2 | 1 | 5 | -14 | 78 |
| Squealing Pig | 7 | 4 | 0 | 3 | -6 | 75 |
| Mr Dan's 88 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 4 | -2 | 75 |
| Sabai Bar | 7 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 71 |
| Jaew Bar | 8 | 2 | 1 | 5 | -32 | 69 |
| Mausi Bar | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | -70 | 45 |
| Pattys Family | 6 | 1 | 0 | 5 | -36 | 39 |

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## HUA HIN POOL BILLIARD LEAGUE

**FIXTURES**
The season is over. New season details will be printed here when available.

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | D | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pits Rangers | 10 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 28 | 18 |
| Pits Pirates | 10 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 13 |
| Big Kahuna | 10 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 8 | 11 |
| Lucky Shot B | 10 | 2 | 4 | 4 | -6 | 8 |
| Lucky Shot A | 10 | 3 | 1 | 6 | -10 | 7 |
| Muan Bar | 10 | 0 | 3 | 7 | -28 | 3 |

## FRIDAY TEAM LEAGUE

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 8 8TH DECEMBER 2017**
Home Bar 13 - 11 Mucky Duck
Miss you Team v Aonzy Bar n/a
Nalee Bar 15 - 9 Coopers 94
Sabai Bar 18 - 6 Bobbys Bar
Ba Na Na Bar- no game

**FIXTURES**
**WEEK 10 22ND DECEMBER 2017**
Aonzy Bar v Sabai Bar
Ba Na Na Bar v Bobbys Bar
Coopers 94 v Miss you Team
Home Bar v Nalee Bar
Mucky Duck - no game

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | D | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Home Bar | 7 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 58 | 113 |
| Sabai Bar | 7 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 42 | 105 |
| Coopers 94 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 20 | 94 |
| Mucky Duck | 7 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 85 |
| Bobbys Bar | 7 | 3 | 0 | 4 | -6 | 81 |
| Nalee Bar | 7 | 3 | 0 | 4 | -6 | 81 |
| Ba Na Na Bar | 7 | 2 | 2 | 3 | -26 | 71 |
| Aonzy Bar | 6 | 1 | 1 | 4 | -30 | 57 |
| Miss You Bar | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | -54 | 57 |

## HUA HIN WEDNESDAY POOL LEAGUE

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 15 13TH DECEMBER 2017**
Pit's Cafe 1 9 - 10 Lucky Shot 2
Arilds 0 - 11 Pit's Cafe 2
Lucky Shot 1 13 - 6 Baan Sanook
Big Kahuna v Infinity n/a

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lucky Shot 1 | 14 | 11 | 3 | 72 | 22 |
| Pit's Cafe 1 | 14 | 10 | 4 | 70 | 20 |
| Lucky Shot 2 | 14 | 9 | 5 | 28 | 18 |
| Big Kahuna | 14 | 8 | 6 | 49 | 16 |
| Pit's Cafe 2 | 14 | 7 | 7 | -8 | 14 |
| Infinity | 14 | 6 | 8 | -21 | 12 |
| Baan Sanook | 14 | 4 | 10 | -66 | 8 |
| Arilds | 14 | 0 | 14 | -124 | 0 |

**FIXTURES**
The season is over.

## TUESDAY POOL LEAGUE SOI 94

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 3 12TH DECEMBER 2017**
Connections Bar 12 - 8 Arilds Bar
Forget Me Nots v Nalee Bar Nine n/a
Home Bar Two 3 - 17 Home Bar One
MausiBar 8 - 12 Tore Bar
Na-Na Bar 10 - 10 Tree-Bar
Nalee Bar Eight 3 - 17 Tiki-Bar

**FIXTURES**
**WEEK 4 19TH DECEMBER 2017**
Arilds Bar v Forget Me Nots
Home Bar One v MausiBar
Nalee Bar Nine v Home Bar Two
Tiki-Bar v Na-Na Bar
Tore Bar v Nalee Bar Eight
Tree-Bar v Connections Bar

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | D | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tiki-Bar | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 38 | 55 |
| Home Bar One | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 20 | 44 |
| Tree-Bar | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 36 |
| Tore Bar | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 34 |
| Connections Bar | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | -2 | 33 |
| Na-Na Bar | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | -2 | 32 |
| Nalee Bar Nine | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 28 |
| Arilds Bar | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | -8 | 27 |
| MausiBar | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | -10 | 27 |
| Home Bar Two | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | -14 | 25 |
| Nalee Bar Eight | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | -20 | 21 |
| Forget Me Nots | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | -16 | 12 |

## FRIENDS OF HUA HIN WEDNESDAY POOL LEAGUE

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 13 13TH DECEMBER 2017**
Bobby's Beauties 7 - 13 Master Cues
High Five Bar v Muan Bar n/a
Silver Fox 4 - 16 Bobby's Bangers
Sunset Boulevard 8 - 12 T.K. Roadhouse
Mucky Duck - no game

**FIXTURES**
No matches until 3rd January 2018

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | D | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Master Cues | 12 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 106 | 23 |
| T.K. Roadhouse | 12 | 9 | 0 | 3 | 32 | 18 |
| Bobby's Bangers | 10 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 28 | 13 |
| Silver Fox | 11 | 6 | 1 | 4 | -20 | 13 |
| Bobby's B'ties | 12 | 5 | 0 | 7 | -4 | 10 |
| Muan Bar | 10 | 4 | 1 | 5 | -4 | 9 |
| Sunset B'vard | 11 | 2 | 3 | 6 | -30 | 7 |
| Mucky Duck | 11 | 2 | 2 | 7 | -16 | 6 |
| High Five Bar | 11 | 0 | 1 | 10 | -92 | 1 |

## HUA HIN SOI 80 TUESDAY POOL LEAGUE

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 1 12TH DECEMBER 2017**
Bar 80 Saloon 13 - 5 Som Bar
Exotic Bar 12 - 6 Mona Bar
Hut Bar 6 - 12 Mint Bar
Ma Di Bar 8 - 10 Nok Bar 2
Nok Bar 1 8 - 10 Bar 80 Nomads

**FIXTURES**
**WEEK 2 19TH DECEMBER 2017**
Bar 80 Nomads v Exotic Bar
Mint Bar v Ma Di Bar
Mona Bar v Hut Bar
Nok Bar 2 v Bar 80 Saloon
Som Bar v Nok Bar 1

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | D | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bar 80 Saloon | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 15 |
| Exotic Bar | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 14 |
| Mint Bar | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 14 |
| Bar 80 Nomads | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 12 |
| Nok Bar 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 12 |
| Ma Di Bar | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | -2 | 8 |
| Nok Bar 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | -2 | 8 |
| Hut Bar | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | -6 | 6 |
| Mona Bar | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | -6 | 6 |
| Som Bar | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | -8 | 5 |

## NWPL NEW WEDNESDAY POOL LEAGUE

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 17 13TH DECEMBER 2017**
Aonzy Bar 4 - 18 Fame
BRGC@Bar80 16 - 6 Home Bar Two
Breeze Bar 11 - 11 Jaew Bar
Capones 9 - 13 Sabai Bar
Home Bar One 12 - 10 Squealing Pig
Tree Bar 10 - 12 Tores Bar

**FIXTURES**
**WEEK 18 20TH DECEMBER 2017**
Fame v Breeze Bar
Home Bar Two v Tree Bar
Jaew Bar v BRGC@Bar80
Sabai Bar v Aonzy Bar
Squealing Pig v Capones
Tores Bar v Home Bar One

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | D | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Home Bar Two | 17 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 96 | 45 |
| Sabai Bar | 17 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 68 | 45 |
| BRGC@Bar80 | 17 | 14 | 1 | 2 | 94 | 43 |
| Home Bar One | 17 | 9 | 1 | 7 | 6 | 28 |
| Tree Bar | 17 | 8 | 1 | 8 | 16 | 25 |
| Fame | 17 | 6 | 3 | 8 | -18 | 21 |
| Jaew Bar | 17 | 6 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 18 |
| Squealing Pig | 17 | 6 | 0 | 11 | -28 | 18 |
| Breeze Bar | 17 | 5 | 3 | 9 | -42 | 18 |
| Tores Bar | 17 | 4 | 2 | 11 | -34 | 14 |
| Aonzy Bar | 17 | 3 | 2 | 12 | -74 | 11 |
| Capones | 17 | 1 | 4 | 12 | -84 | 7 |

Please note: Some points deductions have been made to three teams

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# POOL LEAGUES

## HUA HIN KHAO TAKIAB COOL POOL LEAGUE

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 12 8TH DECEMBER 2017**
Exotic Bar 11 - 12 Sunset Boulevard
Muan Bar 14 - 9 High Five
Nok Bar 15 - 7 The Connection
Take 5 Sports Bar 7 - 16 Jungle Juice

**FIXTURES**
**WEEK 14 22ND DECEMBER 2017**
Exotic Bar v Jungle Juice
Nok Bar v High Five
TK Roadhouse v The Connection
Take 5 Sports Bar v Muan Bar

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | D | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| TK Roadhouse | 11 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 83 | 168 |
| Jungle Juice | 11 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 51 | 152 |
| Nok Bar | 12 | 7 | 0 | 5 | 8 | 141 |
| Take 5 | 12 | 5 | 0 | 7 | -20 | 128 |
| Muan Bar | 11 | 5 | 0 | 6 | -2 | 125 |
| Exotic Bar | 11 | 5 | 0 | 6 | -11 | 121 |
| Sunset B'vard | 12 | 4 | 0 | 8 | -42 | 117 |
| The Connection | 10 | 4 | 0 | 6 | -5 | 112 |
| High Five | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | -62 | 84 |

## 102 & 88 SATURDAY POOL LEAGUE

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 3 9TH DECEMBER 2017**
Banana Bar 11 - 7 Silver Fox
Big Kahuna 7 - 11 Bobby's Babes
Bobby's Bar 10 - 8 Master Ques
High 5 6 - 12 Mucky Duck

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | D | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bobby's Babes | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 6 |
| Mucky Duck | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 6 |
| Banana Bar | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 4 |
| Bobby's Bar | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | -2 | 3 |
| Master Ques | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Big Kahuna | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | -6 | 2 |
| Silver Fox | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 | -6 | 1 |
| High 5 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | -14 | 0 |

**FIXTURES**
**WEEK 4 16TH DECEMBER 2017**
Bobby's Babes v High 5
Master Ques v Banana Bar
Mucky Duck v Bobby's Bar
Silver Fox v Big Kahuna

## HUA HIN/KHAO TAKIAB LADIES POOL LEAGUE

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 13 11TH DECEMBER 2017**
Aonzy v Sunset Boulevard n/a
High Five v Tore's Bar n/a
Mausi Bar v Silver Fox..Kh n/a
Muan Bar v The Connection n/a
Patty'88 v Muan..Super n/a
Silver Fox v Master Cue n/a
TK Roadhouse v The Squealing Pig n/a

**FIXTURES**
**WEEK 14 18TH DECEMBER 2017**
Aonzy v The Connection
High Five v Sunset Boulevard
Mausi Bar v Muan..Super
Muan Bar v Master Cue
Patty'88 v Tore's Bar
Silver Fox v TK Roadhouse
The Squealing Pig v Silver Fox..Kh

**LEAGUE TABLE**

| Team | P | W | D | L | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Muan Bar | 10 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 60 | 16 |
| Master Cue | 10 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 46 | 16 |
| Muan..Super | 10 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 42 | 15 |
| Tk Roadhouse | 10 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 30 | 15 |
| Sunset B'vard | 10 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 26 | 12 |
| Squealing Pig | 9 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 18 | 12 |
| Patty'88 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 10 | 11 |
| Silver Fox | 9 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 10 |
| The Connection | 9 | 3 | 1 | 5 | -12 | 7 |
| Mausi Bar | 10 | 3 | 0 | 7 | -38 | 6 |
| High Five | 9 | 2 | 1 | 6 | -46 | 5 |
| Tore's Bar | 10 | 1 | 1 | 8 | -40 | 3 |
| Aonzy | 9 | 1 | 0 | 8 | -48 | 2 |
| Silver Fox..Kh | 8 | 1 | 0 | 7 | -56 | 2 |

## LEAGUES NOT CURRENTLY RUNNING

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

## HUA HIN SOCIAL POOL LEAGUE

## HUA HIN STAR POOL LEAGUE

**RESULTS**
**WEEK 15 10TH DECEMBER 2017**

| DIVISION 1 | DIVISION 2 |
|---|---|
| Dang v Thong n/a | Darren v Tim n/a |
| Job v Andy n/a | Gent v Robbie n/a |
| Peter v Paul n/a | Mick v Tina n/a |
| Prj v Brian n/a | Shawn v Steve n/a |
| Korn v Brian n/a | Julius v Michel n/a |
| Kwan v Tong n/a | Wad v Thong n/a |
| Lieven v Hampi n/a | Bernard v Den n/a |
| Pek v Derrick n/a | John v Golf n/a |

**FIXTURES**
**WEEK 16 17TH DECEMBER 2017**

| DIVISION 1 | DIVISION 2 |
|---|---|
| Dang v Thong | Darren v Tim |
| Job v Andy | Gent v Robbie |
| Peter v Paul | Mick v Tina |
| Prj v Brian | Shawn v Steve |
| Korn v Brian | Julius v Michel |
| Kwan v Tong | Wad v Thong |
| Lieven v Hampi | Bernard v Den |
| Pek v Derrick | John v Golf |

**LEAGUE TABLES**

**DIVISION 1**

| Player | P | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|
| Korn | 14 | 16 | 24 |
| Pek | 14 | 33 | 20 |
| Andy | 13 | 17 | 20 |
| Brian | 14 | 14 | 20 |
| Hampi | 13 | 23 | 16 |
| Thong | 13 | 12 | 14 |
| Job | 14 | -4 | 14 |
| Tong | 14 | -6 | 14 |
| Peter | 10 | 12 | 12 |
| Kwan | 14 | 0 | 12 |
| Derrick | 14 | -4 | 12 |
| Lieven | 14 | -11 | 12 |
| Prj | 14 | -9 | 8 |
| Dang | 13 | -16 | 8 |
| Brian | 14 | -35 | 6 |
| Paul | 14 | -42 | 4 |

**DIVISION 2**

| Player | P | +/- | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|
| Thong | 14 | 32 | 26 |
| Julius | 14 | 20 | 24 |
| Gent | 14 | 15 | 22 |
| Den | 14 | 20 | 20 |
| Mick | 14 | 15 | 18 |
| Shawn | 14 | 8 | 16 |
| Wad | 14 | 10 | 14 |
| Bernard | 14 | 7 | 14 |
| Darren | 14 | 3 | 14 |
| Tim | 14 | -2 | 14 |
| Robbie | 14 | -3 | 10 |
| Golf | 14 | -15 | 10 |
| John | 14 | -20 | 6 |
| Michel | 14 | -28 | 6 |
| Steve | 14 | -29 | 6 |
| Tina | 14 | -33 | 4 |

## FIXTURES

(all times Thailand)

**SATURDAY 16TH DECEMBER 2017**
PREMIER LEAGUE
Leicester City v Crystal Palace 19:30
Arsenal v Newcastle United 22:00
Brighton & Hove Albion v Burnley 22:00
Chelsea v Southampton 22:00
Stoke City v West Ham United 22:00
Watford v Huddersfield Town 22:00
CHAMPIONSHIP
Sheffield Wednesday v Wolves 02:45
Birmingham City v QPR 22:00
Bolton Wanderers v Burton Albion 22:00
Brentford v Barnsley 22:00
Bristol City v Nottingham Forest 22:00
Derby County v Aston Villa 22:00
Ipswich Town v Reading 22:00
Leeds United v Norwich City 22:00
Millwall v Middlesbrough 22:00
Preston North End v Sheffield Utd 22:00
Sunderland v Fulham 22:00
SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP
Aberdeen v Hibernian 12:30
Dundee v Partick Thistle 22:00
Hamilton Acad. v Ross County 22:00
Kilmarnock v Motherwell 22:00
Rangers v St Johnstone 22:00

**SUNDAY 17TH DECEMBER 2017**
PREMIER LEAGUE
Manchester City v Tottenham H. 00:30
WBA v Manchester United 21:15
AFC Bournemouth v Liverpool 23:30
CHAMPIONSHIP
Cardiff City v Hull City 00:30
SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP
Heart of Midlothian v Celtic 19:30

**TUESDAY 19TH DECEMBER 2017**
PREMIER LEAGUE
Everton v Swansea City 03:00

**WEDNESDAY 20TH DECEMBER 2017**
EFL CUP - QUARTER-FINAL
Arsenal v West Ham United 02:45
Leicester City v Manchester City 02:45

**THURSDAY 14TH DECEMBER 2017**
EFL CUP - QUARTER-FINAL
Chelsea v AFC Bournemouth 02:45
Bristol City v Manchester United 03:00
SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP
Celtic v Partick Thistle 02:45

## ENGLISH PREMIER LEAGUE TABLE

| | Team | P | GD | PTS |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Man City | 16 | 37 | 46 |
| 2 | Man Utd | 16 | 25 | 35 |
| 3 | Chelsea | 17 | 17 | 35 |
| 4 | Burnley | 17 | 4 | 31 |
| 5 | Liverpool | 16 | 14 | 30 |
| 6 | Arsenal | 16 | 10 | 29 |
| 7 | Tottenham | 16 | 14 | 28 |
| 8 | Leicester | 16 | 1 | 23 |
| 9 | Watford | 17 | -3 | 22 |
| 10 | Everton | 16 | -9 | 19 |
| 11 | Southampton | 16 | -3 | 18 |
| 12 | Huddersfield | 17 | -17 | 18 |
| 13 | Brighton | 16 | -7 | 17 |
| 14 | Bournemouth | 16 | -4 | 16 |
| 15 | Stoke | 17 | -17 | 16 |
| 16 | Newcastle | 16 | -9 | 15 |
| 17 | Crystal Palace | 17 | -16 | 14 |
| 18 | West Brom | 16 | -10 | 13 |
| 19 | West Ham | 16 | -18 | 13 |
| 20 | Swansea | 16 | -9 | 12 |

## FEATURED GAME

**SUNDAY 17TH DECEMBER 2017**
PREMIER LEAGUE
Manchester City v Tottenham H. 00:30
With many journalists and pundits already virtually conceding the title to Manchester City, it will be interesting to see if such talk inevitably rubs off on the City players, and any lack of intensity from them could lead to an erosion of their lead at the top, and increase pressure on them. Games come thick and fast at this time of year, and can often result in key injuries and tiredness; and Spurs are a team who are capable of ruthlessly exposing any team who are under par. City's recent run of wins have only been by one goal, so with the potent strikeforce that Spurs possess, this will be a major test for the home side. They are due some bad luck and a bad run, and we think this might be the beginning of one, with Spurs snatching the win here.

## FANTASY PREMIER LEAGUE - AWOL CHALLENGE

| | Team | GW | TOT |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Pony & Trap | 21 | 948 |
| 2 | RentMyThaiVilla | 4 | 899 |
| 3 | Colonial | 14 | 895 |
| 4 | Mr. Cha Aming | 13 | 881 |
| 5 | Carthorses Are Go | 10 | 875 |
| 6 | Lost Cafe | 6 | 836 |
| 7 | AC Clacton | 4 | 835 |
| 8 | HH Jambos | 8 | 822 |
| 9= | Dannyxcollinz | 4 | 796 |
| 9= | FC ROCA | 4 | 796 |
| 11 | Frankies 11 | 9 | 755 |
| 12 | Wanderlust United | 16 | 738 |
| 13 | JR Brutd S.C | 12 | 736 |
| 14 | AWOL Wanderers | 0 | 726 |
| 15 | Atletico Pathetico | 1 | 714 |
| 16 | Hua hin jambos | 11 | 695 |
| 17 | Portsmoth city | 16 | 674 |
| 18 | The Donkeys | 21 | 639 |
| 19 | Pink Panther AFC | 2 | 638 |
| 20 | Shortimeagain | 0 | 634 |

Tables do not include results of midweek games from Wednesday onwards.

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# GOODY GOODY

## DOPING PANEL AWARD 1977 TOUR DE FRANCE WIN TO THE GOODIES

● **UK**

Officials at the UCI, cycling's world governing body, have handed the winner's medal for the 1977 Tour de France to The Goodies.

Whilst Francois Pedalo admitted that the trio of comedians hadn't officially entered the event, they were at least relatively drug-free and had owned a bike.

"This is quite a surprise" said Graeme Garden, who still has his pair of bicycle clips. "Whilst we didn't inject cortisone in that particular year or inhale bagfuls of amphetamines, it's also true that we didn't visit France. But it turns out that isn't illegal."

Tim Brooke-Taylor was also taken aback but after checking the rules, agreed that he hasn't brought the sport into disrepute. "This is lovely, albeit somewhat belated. It just goes to show that if you keep your nose clean, you'll eventually be rewarded. I could get a tennis grand slam at this rate."

*Left: The Goodies team, twice winners of the Montreux Silver Rose, and now declared winners of the Tour De France.*

Bill Oddie, the third Goodie, was sitting in a bush when officials broke the news. Startled, he bit two time keepers before his handler sedated him.

Pedalo said that it was tough to choose between The Goodies and Frank Spencer, both of whom had ridden bicycles prominently during 1977, but that the Goodies had edged it with their episodes 'Bunfight at the O.K. Tea Rooms', 'It Might As Well Be String' and 'Kitten Kong', plus Spencer ('Some Mothers Do 'Ave 'Em') was better known for roller skating than bicycles. Michael Crawford, who played Spencer, was said to be 'deeply upset' at the decision.


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