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### TRUNK WATCH

ELEPHANTS IN KUI BURI NATIONAL PARK UNDER SURVEILLANCE

• PRACHUAP KIRI KHAN

As many readers will know, Kui Buri National Park, around an hour's south of Hua Hin, is home to several hundred elephants, and is a worthwhile trip for any tourist or resident alike. However the park is also in close proximity to many farms, particularly pineapple farms, but also many other fruits and vegetables, and these quite often attract the elephants out of the park and into unexpected confrontations with farmers and other residents.

In an attempt to reduce such incidents, the park is going to be the first in Thailand to install a 'Smart Early Warning System', with 25 CCTV cameras ringing the perimeter of the park, and an 'Elephant Watch Centre' that will be manned 24 hours a day to alert locals and park rangers if any elephants leave the park, so they can be ushered back. The system will be installed during March or April this year. In addition to this, more grassland areas and water sources within the park are to be created - experts have estimated that the current elephant population of around 300 will double in the next ten years, and will require at least 3,000 rai of grassland to sustain that number. Huai Khom Krit within Kaeng Krachan National Park has had great success in keeping elephants from wandering out of the woods by providing adequate water and food sources, as well as artificial salt licks, and it is hoped that Kui Buri

Over recent years there have been a number of incidents between elephants and people around the Hua Hin area, although unconnected to the park, but these have resulted in deaths in one case, and also led to farmers taking their own measures to protect their crops. Vehicles have also been damaged, and any measures to try and limit such incidents must be welcomed for the safetly of all concerned.



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#### **WORLD WEATHER (1-2-18)**

#### **LOCAL FORECAST AND TIDES**

CITY	WEATHER	HIGH
CITI	WEATHER	°C
Amsterdam	Passing clouds	4
Ankara	Clear	-6
Athens	Cool	9
Auckland	Light rain	22
Beijing	Sunny Clear	2
Berlin	Clear	3
Buenos Aires	Clear	25
Cairo	Fog	11
Chicago	Overcast	3
Copenhagen	Passing clouds	3
Dubai	Passing clouds Passing clouds	16
Dublin	Passing clouds	3
Helsinki	Light snow	-2
Ho Chi Minh City	Partly cloudy Scattered clouds	33
Hong Kong	Scattered clouds	11
Islamabad	Haze	14
Istanbul	Clear	6
Jakarta	Overcast	28
Jerusalem	Chilly	7
Johannesburg	Clear	16
Karachi	Fog	20
Kuala Lumpur	Broken clouds	32
London	Darthy clouds	3
Madrid	Partly cloudy Clear	0
Manila	Scattered clouds	29
Marrian Citra	Dessing alouds	14
Mexico City	Passing clouds	
Moscow Mumbai	Overcast Clear	-11
New Delhi		28
New Deini	Fog	13
New York	Clear	0
Oslo	Heavy snow Clear	1
Paris	Clear	2
Perth	Sunny	29
Phnom-Penh	Partly cloudy	31
Rio De Janeiro	Passing clouds	24
Riyadh	Sunny	8
Rome	Clear	10
San Francisco	Passing clouds	13
Seoul	Passing clouds	-1
Shanghai	Clear	6
Singapore	Partly sunny	32
Stockholm	Light rain	3
Sydney	Scattered clouds	21
Taibei/Taipei	Scattered shower	s 12
Tokyo	Light rain	4
Vancouver	Light rain	3
Vientiane	Cloudy	23
Yangon	Clear	26
Zurich	Chilly	4
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RAIN	J (MM	i) CONDITIONS	TE	MP.	°C	TII		
			H	L	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH
SA	0	Pleasant; sunshine	27	22	03:18 1.3m	07:14 2.5m	18:31 1.2m	20:03 2.1m
SU	0	Nice;plenty of sun	27	21	03:52 1.3m	07:27 2.4m	18:29 1.2m	20:18 2.1m
MO	0	Nice; plenty of sun	28	21	04:22 1.3m	07:31 2.4m	18:21 1.2m	20:41 2.2m
TU	0	Nice; plenty of sun	28	22	04:47 1.4m	07:23 2.3m	18:12 1.2m	21:11 2.2m
WE	0	Sunshine	30	21	05:03 1.4m	06:59 2.3m	18:03 1.2m	21:56 2.2m
TH	0	Plenty of sunshine	31	21	04:56 1.5m	06:17 2.3m	17:57 1.2m	-
FR	0	Plenty of sunshine	31	22	05:24 2.3m	17:52 1.2m	-	-

#### **THAILAND WEATHER (1-2-18)**

Place	Temp Hum Conditions
Aranyaprathet	21 °C 69% Mist 21 °C 74% 28 °C 70% Partly Cldy
Ban A To	21 °C 74%
Ban Baen Chado	28 °C 70% Partly Cldy
Ban Bang Bamru	28 °C 70% Partly Cldy
Ban Bang Duan	28 °C 70% Partly Cldy
Ban Bua Chum	22 °C 47% Scattered Clds
Ban Fai Na	30 °C 66% Scattered Clds
Ban Hua Tho	28 °C 70% Partly Cldy
Ban Ko Thung	26 °C 62% Mist
Ban Krathing Lai	28 °C 74% Light Rain
Ban Na Si Nuan	19 °C 52% N/A
Ban Nong Pladuk	21 °C 46% Clear
Ban Samphan	23 °C 49% Mostly Cldy
Bangkok	29 °C 58% Partly Cldy
Chaiyaphum	19 °C 53% Haze
Chanthaburi	19 °C 53% Haze 26 °C 69% Mostly Cldy 29 °C 68% Clear
Chawang	29 °C 68% Clear
Chiang Mai	26 °C 34% Partly Cldy
Chiang Rai	22 °C 64% Mostly Cldy
Chok Chai	21 °C 70% Mist 25 °C 95% Light Rain
Chumphon	25 °C 95% Light Rain
Kam Paeng Phet	27 °C 48% Haze
Kamalasai	19 °C 52% N/A
Kanchanaburi	30 °C 63% Mist
Khanom	28 °C 84% Light Rain
Khlong Yai	26 °C 69% Mostly Cldy
Ko Lanta	32 °C 59% Scattered Clds
Ko Samui	28 °C 84% Light Rain
Ko Sichang	29 °C 91% Partly Cldy
Krabi	29 °C 91% Partly Cldy 32 °C 66% Scattered Clds 29 °C 48% Scattered Clds
Lampang	29 °C 48% Scattered Clds
Lamphun	26 °C 46% Partly Cldy
Loei	20 °C 60% Scattered Clds
Lop Buri	28 °C 70% Partly Cldy
Mae Hong Son	23 °C 38% Clear
Mae Sariang	16 °C 70%
Mae Sot	28 °C 39% Clear
Mukdahan	15 °C 59% Overcast
Nakhon Phanom	19 °C 38% Clear 18 °C 56% Mist
Nak. Ratchasima	18 °C 56% Mist

Place	Temp Hur	n Conditions
Nakhon Sawan	25 °C 60% 24 °C 47% 17 °C 68%	Mist
Nan	24 °C 47%	Mostly Cldy
Nang Rong	17 °C 68%	Mostly Cldy
Narathiwat	29 °C 79%	Partly Cldy
Nong Khai	17 °C 50%	Overcast
Pattani	29 °C 79% 28 °C 74% 22 °C 64%	Partly Cldy
Pattaya	28 °C 74%	Light Rain
Phayao	22 °C 64%	Mostly Cldy
Phetchabun	23 °C 54%	Overcast
Phetchaburi	30 °C 72%	Clear
Phitsanulok	27 °C 58% 29 °C 51% 30 °C 66%	Scattered Clds
Phrae	29 °C 51%	Haze
Phuket	30 °C 66%	Scattered Clds
Prachin Buri	24 °C 80%	Mist
Prach. Khirikhan	30 °C 70%	Mist
Ranong	32 °C 59% 30 °C 57% 18 °C 50%	Mostly Cldy
Rayong	30 °C 57%	Overcast
Roi Et	18 °C 50%	Overcast
Samui	28 °C 84%	Light Rain
Sattahip	28 °C 74%	Light Rain
Satun	31 °C 54% 31 °C 70% 26 °C 69%	Scattered Clds
Songkhla	31 °C 70%	Partly Cldy
Sukhothai	26 °C 69%	Mostly Cldy
Suphan Buri	28 °C 70%	Partly Cldy
Surat Thani	32 °C 62%	Scattered Clds
Surin	17 °C 68%	Mostly Cldy
Tak	24 °C 60%	Mist
Takua Pa	17 °C 68% 24 °C 60% 32 °C 87%	Scattered Clds
Tha Tum	18 °C 22%	Mostly Cldy
Tha Wang Pha	24 °C 47%	Mostly Cldy
Thoen	26 °C 69% 26 °C 53% 24 °C 47%	Mostly Cldy
Thong Pha Phum	26 °C 53%	Haze
Thung Chang	24 °C 47%	Mostly Cldy
Trang	32 °C 59%	Scattered Clds
Trat	26 °C 69%	Mostly Cldy
Ubon Ratchathani	24 °C 50%	Mostly Cldy
Udon Thani	19 °C 56%	Overcast
Umphang	24 °C 50% 19 °C 56% 28 °C 39%	Clear
Uttaradit	25 °C 51%	Haze
Wichian Buri	22 °C 60%	Scattered Clds
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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)**

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

#### **PUZZLE 2 (HARD)**

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

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#### LAST ISSUE'S SOLUTIONS

	PUZZLE 1											ΡĮ	JΖ	ΖI	E	2	2	
5	8	1	6	2	3	7	9	4	-	8	1	3	7	2	6	9	5	4
4	2	3	7	9	8	1	6	5		4	9	7	8	5	3	1	6	2
6	9	7	1	5	4	2	8	3		5	6	2	1	9	4	7	8	3
9	7	2	3	8	5	4	1	6		2	5	9	3	8	1	6	4	7
8	1	6	4	7	9	5	3	2		6	7	1	9	4	5	3	2	8
3	4	5	2	1	6	8	7	9		3	8	4	6	7	2	5	9	1
1	5	4	9	6	7	3	2	8		9	4	6	2	3	7	8	1	5
2	6	8	5	3	1	9	4	7		7	2	8	5	1	9	4	3	6
7	3	9	8	4	2	6	5	1		1	3	5	4	6	8	2	7	9



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#### *PUZZLES*

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

#### LAST ISSUE'S **SOLUTION**



#### **CODEWORD**

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

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N	0	P	$\mathbf{Q}$	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

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

#### CROSSWORD

#### **ACROSS**

- 1 Pepsi-Cola (anag) pertaining to a bishop (9) 8 Midwestern US state (4)
- 9 Dynamic —
- enterprising (2-7)
- 10 Rule Britannia
- composer, d. 1778 (4)
- 13 Tree yielding syrup (5)
- 15 Fracas (6)
- 16 Hunting expedition (6)
- 17 Be present (6)
- 19 Southwestern US state (6)
- 20 First sign of the zodiac (5)
- 21 Connects (4)
- 24 Cylindrical cake (5,4)
- 25 German song (4)
- 26 I spy month (anag) (9)

#### **DOWN**

- 2 Walk slowly with a heavy tread (4)
- 3 Solid fat used in cooking (4)
- 4 Spending (6)
- 5 Chronicles (6)
- 6 Ouack (9)
- 7 American novelist and playwright, b. 1925 (4,5)
- 11 Large venomous spider (9)
- 12 (Of clothes) ready-
- made (3-3-3)
- 13 Miraculous food (5)
- 14 Overhanging roof edges (5)
- 18 Sleepy (6)
- 19 British naval hero (6)
- 22 (Of sparkling
- wine) very dry (4)
- 23 In addition (4)

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

#### Got some great jokes?

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#### DIARIES

Wife's Diary:

Tonight, I thought my husband was acting weird. We had made plans to meet at a nice restaurant for dinner. I was shopping with my friends all day long, so I thought he was upset at the fact that I was a bit late, but he made no comment on it. Conversation wasn't flowing, so I suggested that we go somewhere quiet so we could talk. He agreed, but he didn't say much

I asked him what was wrong; He said, 'Nothing.' I asked him if it was my fault that he was upset. He said he wasn't upset, that it had nothing to do with me, and not to worry about it. On the way home, I told him that I loved him. He smiled slightly, and kept driving. I can't explain his behaviour. I don't know why he didn't say, 'I love you, too.'

When we got home, I felt as if I had lost him completely, as if he wanted nothing to do with me anymore. He just sat there quietly, and watched TV. He continued to seem distant and absent. Finally, with silence all around us, I decided to go to bed. About 15 minutes later, he came to bed. But I still felt that he was distracted, and his thoughts were somewhere else. He fell asleep; I cried. I don't know what to do. I'm almost sure that his thoughts are with someone else. My life is a disaster.

#### -----Husbands Diary:

A two-foot putt.....who the hell misses a two-foot putt?

#### **● Z00**

I went to the zoo yesterday and saw a baguette in a cage. The zoo keeper said it was bread in captivity.

#### • TRIBUTE BAND

Saw a great "Elbow" tribute band last night, called "Arse"...you can barely tell them apart!

#### • FRIDGE MAGNET

I'm very pleased with my new fridge magnet.

So far I've got twelve fridges.

#### • PRESIDENT

The first Jewish woman President is elected. She calls her Mother: "Mama, I've won the elections, you've got to come to the swearing-in ceremony."

"I don't know, what would I wear?"

"Don't worry, I'll send you a dressmaker"

"But I only eat kosher food"

"Mama, I am going to be the president, I can get you kosher food"

"But how will I get there?"

"I'll send a limo, just come mama"

"Ok, Ok, if it makes you happy.

The great day comes and Mama is seated between the Supreme Court Justices and the Future Cabinet members, she nudges the gentleman on her right. "You see that girl, the one with her hand on the Bible?"

..."Her brother's a doctor!"

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#### • FINGER LICKIN' GOOD?

Happy Groundhog Day to all. Not that it would work too well in Thailand, but in Punxsutawney over in the States it is very popular. Our German friends claim the credit for it though, using a badger to celebrate what is also Candlemass, an important day in the Pagan calendar which marks the midway point between the winter solstice and the spring equinox.

When German people first settled in America they were obviously keen to carry on their tradition, but found that groundhogs were much more plentiful than badgers, so made the switch. After all any animal keen on burrowing but not too quick off the mark would do just as well. But the poor old groundhog used in Punxsutawney doesn't get as much sleep as his friends in the wild. He is kept warm and fed indoors before being moved to a faux burrow made especially for the occasion, then taken out of the burrow on February 2nd for all to see whether he casts a shadow. No shadow means the weather will become spring like, but if there is a shadow there will be another six weeks of winter.

The UK doesn't do Groundhog Day, but does have the ancient ritual of wassailing a few days earlier, which involves a lot of dressing up and prancing around apple trees in order to increase summer crops. To help the apple trees along they are also fed large quantities of cider, but not at the expense of human needs. A more modern kind of ritual event took place in Hull last week, when graffiti artist Banksy chose a derelict bridge in the city for his latest piece of street art. You would think it would have been received in much the same way as the Turner Prize exhibits were a couple of months ago, and in fact Banksys' offering is better than most of the Turner ones. But you can't please all of the people all of the time, with one rather stuffy sounding City Councillor declaring it an eyesore, to be removed forthwith along with all other graffiti.

You can find the new Banksy work online. It is called 'Draw the Raised Bridge'. If Hull doesn't want it maybe Bangkok could make an offer and add it to next weeks' cultural tuk tuk tour of the citys' art galleries. Any potential buyer should be aware though that it might not have been Banksy himself who carried out the work, but one of his assistants. Is nothing sacred?

As we progress into February it's goodbye to Veganuary, another modern ritual that wouldn't work well in Thailand, where even vegetarians take their lives into their own hands, and hello to TWOTY. Yes The Royal Wedding Of The Year is now clearly in sight. Please try not to get too excited or you might just miss

the Cup Final. Meanwhile plans are afoot in THAB HQ to find a haven of peaceful television free tranquility on May 19th. Now back to last weeks' promised expose on HullCoin, due to be launched later this year. Just one of many initiatives going on in Northern cities now, HullCoin is being developed by two former employees of the local Tessabahn. The pair have set up a

former employees of the local Tessabahn. The pair have set up a social enterprise, aimed at providing people with an alternative way to help them survive in an area where jobs can be hard to get. With co-operation from local businesses, charities and the public sector, people will be able to earn HullCoins by volunteering, recycling and doing other good deeds. Think of it as an updated version of Green Shield Stamps, or loyalty cards. Tax free and exchangeable for goods and services. HullCoin won't change the world, and does seem reminiscent of age old bartering systems, but helps to show how the tide is beginning to turn in a country struggling to cope with government funding cuts.

And finally - how do you feel about a female Colonel Sanders? We all know that the original 'Colonel' was the man behind KFC. For years he has always been portrayed with his mustache and that funny little beard, but now he is to become a woman in drag. Admittedly the woman behind the makeup in KFC's new ad does look the part, giving it a pantomime twist, but mutterings could quickly be heard from LGBT communities world wide. How dare they make fun of transgender people in adverts for chicken buckets? Only time will tell how long the joke is allowed to run before KFC is swamped by law suits.

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news that you could have stopped a major tragedy in Nigeria if you had only answered their pleading

emails in time.

#### You'll be devastated by the



Your eyes will be a little too big for your stomach next week when a sudden, hideous allergic reaction causes your eyes to swell six times their

usual size.

#### ARIES MAR 21 - APR 20

PISCES FEB 19 - MAR 20



Home is where your heart is, and your lungs and liver too, but despite a month-long search they'll never find all of you.

#### TAURUS APR 21 - MAY 21



For the third excruciating week in a row, you will find yourself powerless to prevent your day from perfectly mimicking the lyrics of "Stairway To Heaven."

#### **GEMINI MAY 22 – JUNE 21**



You can't help but feel that if there were something you could do to stop being such a wishy-washy, passive, indecisive loser, you would

have done it by now.

#### **CANCER JUN 22 – JUL 22**



Air and fire magicks are very strong in your sign right now, so it's fortunate that you're really into igniting your own flatulence.

#### **LEO JUL 23 - AUG 22**



You'll steady undignified employment as the guy who stands right behind the crime boss and emphatically repeats the last

words of all his sentences in a sneering voice.

#### VIRGO AUG 23 – SEP 22



You'll fall short of funky expectations this week when you find yourself digging the scene and looking clean, but without any sort of gangster lean.

#### LIBRA SEP 23 – OCT 23



The stars have no wisdom or portents to impart at this time, but thought it would be bad manners not to at least say hi.

#### SCORPIO OCT 24 – NOV 21



You've always wanted to be the one that people come to for wisdom and comfort, but you'll have to settle for being the one that the stripper winds

up talking to about her kids.

#### **SAGITTARIUS NOV 22 – DEC 21**



Sometimes there is just no way to say you're sorry, but the rest of the time you should probably try just walking up to the person and saying "I'm

sorry."

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

#### THIS WEEK IT IS .... MY CUP OF TEA

Something or someone that one finds pleasing.

My cup of teaAn English website about the English language can't of course be complete without some consideration of tea. Tea has been around for a long time, and so has the British slang term for it - 'char'. In fact, it was known in the west by that version of the Mandarin ch'a before it was called 'tea'. The Dutch adventurer Jan Huygen van Linschoten was one of the first to recount its use as a drink, in Discours of voyages into ye Easte & West Indies, 1598:

The aforesaid warme water is made with the powder of a certaine hearbe called Chaa.

'My cup of tea' is just one of the many tea-related phrases that are still in common use in the UK, such as 'Not for all the tea in China', 'I could murder a cup of tea', 'More tea vicar?', 'Tea and sympathy', 'Rosie Lee', 'Storm in a teacup' and so on.

In the early 20th century, a 'cup of tea' was such a synonym for acceptability that it became the name given to a favoured friend, especially one with a boisterous, life-enhancing nature. William de Morgan, the Edwardian artist and novelist, used the phrase in the novel Somehow Good, 1908, and went on to explain its meaning:

"He may be a bit hot-tempered and impulsive... otherwise, it's simply impossible to help liking him." To which Sally replied, borrowing an expression from Ann the housemaid, that Fenwick was a cup of tea. It was metaphorical and descriptive

of invigoration.

People or things with which one felt an affinity began to be called 'my cup of tea' in the 1930s. Nancy Mitford appears to be the first to record that term in print, in the comic novel Christmas Pudding, 1932:

I'm not at all sure I wouldn't rather marry Aunt Loudie. She's even more my cup of tea in many ways.

In keeping with the high regard for tea, most of the early references to 'a cup of tea' as a description of an acquaintance are positive ones, that is, 'nice', 'good', 'strong' etc. The expression is more often used in the 'not my cup of tea' form these days. This negative usage began in WWII. An early example of it is found in Hal Boyle's Leaves From a War Correspondent's Notebook column, which described English life and manners for an American audience. The column provided the American counterpart to Alister Cooke's Letter from America and was syndicated in various US papers. In 1944, he wrote:

[In England] You don't say someone gives you a pain in the neck. You just remark "He's not my cup of tea."

The change from the earlier positive 'my cup of tea' phrase, to the dismissive 'not my cup of tea' doesn't reflect the national taste for the drink itself. Tea remains our cup of tea here in the UK. According to the United Kingdom Tea Council (of course, there had to be one) 60 million of us down 160 million cups of the stuff each day.

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BRUNEI	1-999-673-1000
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	2001
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MEXICO	1-999-52-1000
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Tourist Police	1699
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Chinese Yuan	4.97
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Croatian Kuna	
Czech Koruna	1.54
Danish Krone	5.23
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#### **EVENTS**

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#### **UPCOMING**

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

#### **ONGOING**

RESCUE PAWS is 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

If cooking is your hobby you can join an international group of hobby cooks in Hua Hin. Tel. Robert 0983 562290

ACADEMY: exercise and professional football coaching for kids.

HUA HIN HASH HOUSE HARRIERS every Saturday around the area. (see p18) MARKET CICADA AND PERFORMING ARTS FAIR. The Venue@Suansri. Fri/Sat evenings from sunset to 12 pm, Sundays from 4pm; Dining, shopping, art, performances, and films in a beautiful park-like setting. A great place to spend an evening



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Vodafone customer regrets taking phone to Vietnam after landing £727 data bill

An absent-minded tourist has racked up an eye-watering £727 Vodafone bill after turning his data on for less than a day. Kash Iqbal's sky-high data roaming charges cost almost as much as the flights to Asia and he is demanding Vodafone quash the bill.

When the 42-year-old got back on home soil he realised his phone had been blocked. So he called up Vodafone and was gobsmacked when they said he had spent £727 on data roaming - charged at £1.80 per MB. Mr Iqbal of Harrow claims he used data roaming for a total of just four hours whilst in Vietnam when he was on a train and wanted to see a map. In fact, in just four hours Mr Iqbal went through almost 400mb, totalling £693. The entire cost of his two-week stay was just £1,500. The phone company say that Vietnam is not covered by its data roaming price plans and that much of the money will go to Vietnamese companies. Mr Iqbal said of checking his phone on the train journey: 'I had no idea where I was and nobody on the train spoke any English and I wanted to make sure I didn't get off at the wrong stop. So I was trying to desperately trying to search on Google maps to see where I was. It wasn't even working properly, so I was getting seriously, seriously p\*\*\*\*d off. But I needed to know where I was, and I needed to use Google maps because I was alone on a ten and a half hour train trip.' He added: 'I was shocked and disgusted when I saw my bill. I'm not paying it, I'm changing to EE. 'If they want the money they can sing for it. They're shambolic, stupid, and they're taking the p\*ss.' He claims Vodafone sent him a text when he initially landed saying his data roaming would be capped at £39.06 but then he was sent a bill saying he had been charged at £1.80 per MB used. He said: 'Basically they've spoilt a fantastic two weeks holiday in Vietnam. It was a nice break and I was hoping to come back refreshed. But instead I came back to this. They've stitched me

A spokeswoman for Vodafone said: 'Vietnam is not covered by our roaming price plans so usage would be charged at the standard rate. 'Mr Iqbal would have received a welcome message confirming that data would be charged at £1.80 per MB. A significant proportion of this charge goes to the overseas network operator.' However, all is not lost for Mr Iqbal, Vodafone had offered him a discount. The spokesman

said: 'The account has been closed and Mr Iqbal is no longer our customer. However, as a gesture of goodwill we have offered to reduce the charges by 10%.'

#### RUSSIA

It's so cold in Siberia that the insides of buildings have frozen solid

It's been pretty cold out there this winter and although it feels like spring may never come spare a thought for people in Siberia who returned home to find the inside of their flats had completely frozen over. People living in the block, in Novosibirsk, south-west Russia, are demanding action after the inside of the entrance to their building turned into an ice cave. The floor and stairs are coated in ice while icicles hang from the ceilings, window frames, bannisters and the underside of the stairway. Authorities say it is not clear what caused the bizarre scene but those living inside the flats blame condensation from water pipes in the basement, combined with the bitter cold of the Siberian winter. Temperatures dropped to as low as minus 19 degrees in the city, but residents say they never expected to see stalagmites and stalactites inside their homes.

Videos and photos posted online by those living there revealed the bizarre and uncomfortable living situation. Neighbours want to raise awareness of their situation becuase they say nothing is being done about it. They are concerned that when milder weather arrives the ice will melt and could flood their flats. But commenting on the photos online, Aleksander Makarenko said the effect was 'strangely beautiful'. 'This is the home of a snow queen,' he said. But Evgeny Nsk said: 'It will be disastrous when it starts to melt. 'I can only imagine what condition the flats are in.' Local reports said there had been no confirmation council workers had been sent to investigate the problem. Novosibirsk is Russia's third biggest city, after Moscow and St Petersburg, and is regarded as the capital of Siberia.

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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.

#### FIXTURES 10TH FEBRUARY 2018

Hua Hin City v Chainat United 17:30

#### THAI LEAGUE 4 WESTERN REGION TABLE

	Team	Р	GD	PTS
1	Assumption Utd	0	0	0
2	Chainat Hornbill B	0	0	0
3	Chainat Utd	0	0	0
4	Hua Hin City FC	0	0	0
5	IPE Samut Sakhon	0	0	0
6	Look E-SAN	0	0	0
7	Nakhon Pathom Utd	0	0	0
8	Nonthaburi	0	0	0
9	Samut Songkram	0	0	0

#### HASH HOUSE HARRIERS

#### A DRINKING CLUB WITH A RUNNING & WALKING PROBLEM!

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#### NEXT RUN SATURDAY 3RD FEBRUARY 2018, MEETING @ 4:00 PM FOR A 4:30 PM START

Hua Hin Hash House Harriers (H2H3) Run #378

Hares: Screwdriver & Butt Out Hash Snacks: Loose Screw Tax Collector: Tinks

LOCATION: Reservoir close to Sunny Valley Villas

Google Map Link: https://goo.gl/maps/FWVxG2UdzaK2

GPS Coordinates: N 12.623308, E 99.869590 (N 12 37.398, E 99 52.175)

#### DIRECTIONS to RUN SITE

From Hua Hin via By-Pass (Route 37): Google Map Link: https://goo.gl/maps/ vrSG1yy2nJA2

Take the Pala-U road to the Bypass junction and exit right towards Cha-Am and Bangkok. Drive 5 km pass the 24 km marker and make a U-Turn to Sunny Valley. After completing the U-Turn exit LEFT at the HHH Sign and follow the track for 1.5 km to the reservoir passing Sunny Valley Villas on your left

From Cha-Am via By-Pass (Route 37): Google Map Link: https://goo.gl/maps/6Pqf4sUya6B2

Travel SOUTH on the bypass and after passing the Chom Phol Road Traffic light junction drive 6.7 km and exit LEFT (close to the 24 km marker) to Sunny Valley (HHH Sign) and follow the track for 1.5 km to the reservoir passing Sunny Valley Villas on your left.

Any queries then please call Screwdriver on 085 354 1745

HASH TAX: Male Drinkers \$200 Female Drinkers \$150 Teetotalers \$100 kids \$50 under 8's Free). Your effort to bring the CORRECT change would be very much appreciated.

IN ADDITION there may be a Fun Run on Wednesday 7th February 2018 from the same place as above and at the same time. This will be the same trail but in reverse. Please check our website https://h2h3-cah3.weebly.com/misdirections--fun-run.html for confirmation and further details.

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#### BUTTERFLY ROCK GOLF SOCIETY

#### RESULTS 29TH JANUARY 2018

Lakeview CD Stableford 28 entered 1st Dana Lilja 37 pts (05) 2nd Geoff G Batt-Rawden 37 pts (06) 3rd Nigel Guest 35 pts (11) 4th Phil Davies 34 pts (13)

#### **24TH JANUARY 2018**

Majestic Creek A & B Stableford 34 entered
1st Steve Warnock 37 pts (15)
2nd Phil Knight 37 pts (09)
3rd Dana Lilja 37 pts (05)
4th Roy Cotter 36 pts (14)

#### **FIXTURES**

5th February 2018 Lake View Medal/ Stableford

7th February 2018 Palm Hills 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.

#### **26TH JANUARY 2018**

17 players

Front 9 - Philip Davies (13) 21 points Back 9 - Bryan O Keefe (19) 20 points Overall - Bryan O Keefe (19) 38 points

#### HUA HIN DARTS LEAGUE

#### **RESULTS**

#### **WEEK 7 30TH JANUARY 2018**

Blue Lagoon v Johnnie Walker Black n/a JW Red v Golden Star Kitchen n/a

#### LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Blue Lagoon	5	3	0	2	3	6
Golden Star Kitchen	5	2	0	3	-1	4
Johnnie Walker Red	4	2	0	2	0	4
Iohnnie Walker Blck	4	2	0	2	-2	4

#### **FIXTURES**

#### **WEEK 8 6TH FEBRUARY 2018**

Blue Lagoon v Johnnie Walker Red JW Black v Golden Star Kitchen

#### **HUA HIN GOLF SOCIETY**

#### RESULTS

#### **30TH JANUARY 2018**

Majestic A - B Stableford 39 entered 1st Kieron Bose 40 pts (06) 2nd Han Hakvoort 40 pts (14) 3rd Fred Ward 40 pts (17) 4th 'Kurre' Westerling 38 pts (15)

#### **26TH JANUARY 2018**

Banyan Stableford 35 entered 1st Richard Heath 37 pts (17) 2nd John Hall 37 pts (19) 3rd Friedrich Hollman 36 pts (17) 4th Paul Moran 35 pts (11)

#### **FIXTURES**

6th February 2018 Lake View Medal 9th February 2018 Majestic Stableford/ Matchplay

#### **CHA AM GOLF CLUB**

Contact: secretary@chaamgolfclub.com FIXTURES

No events listed for February

#### LAKE VIEW MEMBERS CLUB

#### RESULTS

#### **26TH JANUARY 2018**

Stableford. Course AB
1st Mike Lord (14) 40pts
2nd Mike Knight (16) 39pts
3rd Peter Tucker (12) 31pts
4th Reto Vorburger (6) 30pts

#### **29TH JANUARY 2018**

Stableford. Course AB 1st Reto Vorburger (6) 34pts 2nd David Burns (15) 33pts 3rd Bill Malone (23) 32pts 4th Steve O'Brien (13) 32pts

#### **FIXTURES**

Lake View every Monday, Wednesday, Friday

#### SAENSUK GOLF SOCIETY

#### **RESULTS**

#### **24TH JANUARY 2018**

Majestic Creek A & B Stableford 56 entered
1st Didier Pain 41 pts (21)
2nd Finn Bruun 41 pts (20)
3rd Michael Wicke 40 pts (12)
4th Bruno Vaguet 40 pts (18)

#### **19TH JANUARY 2018**

Springfield Royal Country Club Splinter Cell - Individual Stableford 14 entered 1st Micke Tredahl 37 pts (02) 3 2nd Phillipe Tamin 34 pts (21) 3rd Lennart Jonsson 34 pts (11) 4th Ronny Borjesson 34 pts (05)

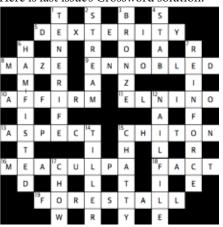
#### **FIXTURES**

Monday/Friday Springfield Splinter Cell Stableford

7th February 2018 Palm Hills 1st qual. rd CRtR

#### **CROSSWORD SOLUTION**

Here is last issue's Crossword solution.



#### POOL LEAGUES

#### HUA HIN KHAO TAKIAB SUPER POOL LEAGUE

#### RESULTS WEEK 35 25TH JANUARY 2018

Lanla Bar 13 - 8 Home Le Kiss Bar 11 - 10 High Five Muan Bar 10 - 11 Bobby's Birds Nok Bar 5 - 16 Drink & Shelter Pits Cafe 16 - 5 Arilds Bar Star Bar 5 - 16 Tiki Bar Tap House Bar 13 - 8 N & G Bar

#### FIXTURES WEEK 37 8TH FEBRUARY 2018

Arilds Bar v Lanla Bar Bobby's Birds v Star Bar Drink & Shelter v Le Kiss Bar High Five v Mucky Duck Home v Tore's Bar Hut Bar v Pits Cafe N & G Bar v Nok Bar Tiki Bar v Tap House Bar

#### **LEAGUE TABLE**

Tap House Bar Tiki Bar N & G Bar	30 29 29	28 23	6	210	420
<u> </u>	-	_	6		
N & G Bar	29			141	375
		24	5	123	366
Muan Bar	29	20	9	115	362
Mucky Duck	30	21	9	78	354
Drink & Shelter	29	20	9	83	346
Pits Cafe	30	16	14	56	343
Lanla Bar	30	14	16	4	317
Home	27	14	13	35	301
Bobby's Birds	29	12	17	-51	279
Arilds Bar	28	13	15	-42	273
Nok Bar	27	10	17	-31	268
Le Kiss Bar	28	9	19	-64	262
Star Bar	30	8	22	-134	248
Tore's Bar	29	5	24	-159	225
High Five	27	6	21	-129	219
Hut Bar	29	2	27	-235	187
Hut Bar	31	2	29	-239	206

#### THURSDAY FRIENDLY POOL LEAGUE

#### **RESULTS**

#### **WEEK 14 25TH JANUARY 2018**

Hua Hin Bar 12 - 8 Sabai Bar MasterCues Bar 11 - 9 Nalee Bar Mausi Bar 5 - 15 Silver Fox Mint Bar 13 - 7 Mr Dan's 88 Noum Bar 8 - 12 Squealing Pig Sage 10 - 10 The Connection Cafe SF Wolverines 8 - 12 Bar 80 Saloon

#### FIXTURES WEEK 16 8TH FEBRUARY 2018

Hua Hin Bar v Bar 80 Saloon Jaew Bar v Squealing Pig MasterCues Bar v Sabai Bar Mint Bar v Nalee Bar Mr Dan's 88 v Silver Fox Noum Bar v Sage SF Wolverines v The Connection Cafe

#### **LEAGUE TABLE**

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
MasterCues Bar	11	11	0	0	88	176
Nalee Bar	12	11	0	1	74	174
Hua Hin Bar	12	9	0	3	44	160
Mint Bar	13	6	2	5	18	153
Bar 80 Saloon	12	7	1	4	22	146
<b>Squealing Pig</b>	12	7	2	3	14	143
Sabai Bar	12	6	3	3	12	131
Silver Fox	12	3	2	7	-22	117
SF Wolverines	12	4	1	7	-24	117
Noum Bar	11	4	1	6	-4	117
Sage	12	3	1	8	-26	114
The Connection	12	3	0	9	-26	113
Mr Dan's 88	12	4	2	6	-18	111
Jaew Bar	12	3	1	8	-48	103
Mausi Bar	13	1	0	12	-104	80

#### FRIDAY TEAM LEAGUE

#### **RESULTS**

#### **WEEK 15 26TH JANUARY 2018**

Bobbys Bar v Home Bar Mucky Duck v Miss you Team Nalee Bar v Sabai Bar Capones, Ba Na Na Bar - no game

#### FIXTURES WEEK 17 9TH FEBRUARY 2018

Bobbys Bar v Sabai Bar Capone's v Nalee Bar Mucky Duck v Home Bar Miss You Bar, Ba Na Na Bar - no game

#### LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Home Bar	10	8	0	2	68	154
Capones	12	7	0	5	20	154
Ba Na Na Bar	12	6	1	5	-12	138
Sabai Bar	10	7	1	2	28	134
Nalee Bar	10	6	0	4	20	130
Mucky Duck	10	4	2	4	2	121
Miss You Bar	12	1	0	11	-82	103
Bobbys Bar	10	2	0	8	-44	98

#### FRIDAY PRO LEAGUE

#### RESULTS WEEK 4 26TH JANUARY 2018

Pit's Devils 7 - 2 Pit's Pirates

Lucky Shot Shooters 4 - 5 Diamond Bar Lucky Shot Jumanjis 5 - 4 LS Pin Hunters Pit's Rangers 3 - 6 Lucky Shot Tigers

#### FIXTURES WEEK 6 9TH FEBRUARY 2018

Pit's Devils v Lucky Shot Shooters Pit's Rangers v Lucky Shot Jumanjis Lucky Shot Pin Hunters v Diamond Bar Lucky Shot Tigers v Pit's Pirates

#### LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
Pit's Devils	4	4	0	10	8
Pit's Rangers	4	3	1	4	6
Lucky Shot Tigers	4	2	2	8	4
Lucky S Pin Hunters	4	2	2	-2	4
Lucky Shot Jumanjis	4	2	2	-4	4
Lucky Shot Shooters	4	1	3	-2	2
Diamond Bar	4	1	3	-6	2
Pit's Pirates	4	1	3	-8	2

#### **HUA HIN KHAO TAKIAB COOL POOL LEAGUE**

#### RESULTS WEEK 17 26TH JANUARY 2018

High Five 14 - 9 Sunset Boulevard Jungle Juice 15 - 8 The Connection Muan Bar 5 - 18 TK Roadhouse Take 5 Sports Bar 15 - 8 Exotic Bar

#### **FIXTURES**

The season is over; congratulations to TK Roadhouse on winning the league. New season details will appear here when available..

#### LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
TK Roadhouse	16	16	0	0	118	243
Jungle Juice	16	13	0	3	68	218
Nok Bar	16	8	0	8	6	186
Exotic Bar	16	8	0	8	2	185
Take 5	16	6	0	10	-20	174
Muan Bar	15	7	0	8	-24	160
Sunset B'vard	16	5	0	11	-58	155
The Connection	14	4	0	10	-21	150
High Five	15	3	0	12	-71	137

#### HUA HIN SOCIAL POOL LEAGUE

#### RESULTS WEEK 4 31ST JANUARY 2018

All Nations GH 9 - 10 JJ Leopards Bentho Bar 9 - 10 JW Red JW Black 8 - 11 King Bar Jungle Juice Cheetas 14 - 5 Coconuts bar N&G bar 11 - 8 Limelight Pink Panther Cato 10 - 9 Booz Bar Tiger Bar 11 - 8 Bluebell bar

#### FIXTURES WEEK 5 7TH FEBRUARY 2018

Booz Bar v All Nations GH Coconuts bar v Pink Panther Cato Jungle Juice Leopards v Bentho Bar JW Red v Bluebell bar King Bar v Jungle Juice Cheetas Limelight v JW Black N&G bar v Tiger Bar

#### **LEAGUE TABLE**

Team	P	W	L	+/-	Pts
N&G bar	4	4	0	16	8
Jungle Juice Cheetas	4	3	1	22	6
JW Black	4	3	1	14	6
JW Red	4	3	1	2	6
Jungle Juice L'pards	4	3	1	0	6
Bentho Bar	4	2	2	10	4
King Bar	4	2	2	4	4
Limelight	4	2	2	0	4
Pink Panther Cato	4	2	2	-4	4
Tiger Bar	4	2	2	-4	4
All Nations GH	4	1	3	-10	2
Coconuts bar	4	1	3	-16	2
Bluebell bar	4	0	4	-10	0
Booz Bar	4	0	4	-24	0

#### FRIENDS OF HUA HIN WEDNESDAY POOL LEAGUE

#### RESULTS

#### **WEEK 17 31ST JANUARY 2018**

Bobby's Beauties 12 - 8 T.K. Roadhouse High Five Bar 5 - 15 Bobby's Bangers Silver Fox 9 - 11 Mucky Duck Sunset Boulevard 8 - 12 Muan Bar

#### **FIXTURES**

The season is over. Congratulations to Master Cues on winning the league. New season details will appear here when available.

#### **LEAGUE TABLE**

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Master Cues	16	15	1	0	140	31
T.K. Roadhouse	16	10	1	5	26	21
Bobby's Bangers	15	7	5	3	26	19
Muan Bar	16	7	2	7	18	16
Bobby's B'ties	16	7	0	9	-12	14
Silver Fox	15	6	2	7	-36	14
Mucky Duck	16	5	3	8	-12	13
Sunset B'vard	16	5	3	8	-22	13
High Five Bar	16	0	1	15	-128	1

#### NWPL NEW WEDNESDAY POOL LEAGUE

The new season will begin on 7th February 2018, but fixtures were not available at press time.

#### 102 & 88 SATURDAY POOL LEAGUE

#### RESULTS WEEK 10 27TH JANUARY 2018

Banana Bar 12 - 6 Bobby's Babes Bobby's Bar 13 - 5 Silver Fox High 5 12 - 6 Big Kahuna Mucky Duck 8 - 10 Master Ques

#### FIXTURES WEEK 11 3RD FEBRUARY 2018

Bobby's Babes v Big Kahuna Master Ques v Bobby's Bar Mucky Duck v High 5 Silver Fox v Banana Bar

#### LEAGUE TABLE

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Banana Bar	10	7	2	1	60	16
Master Ques	10	7	1	2	38	15
Bobby's Bar	10	5	2	3	20	12
Mucky Duck	10	6	0	4	-4	12
Bobby's Babes	10	4	1	5	-6	9
Silver Fox	10	3	1	6	-14	7
Big Kahuna	10	3	0	7	-36	6
High 5	10	1	1	8	-58	3

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#### **TUESDAY POOL LEAGUE SOI 94**

#### RESULTS WEEK 10 30TH JANUARY 2018

Arilds Bar 10 - 10 Tore Bar Connections Bar 7 - 13 Tiki-Bar Forget Me Not 12 - 8 Na-Na Bar Home Bar Two 12 - 8 Nalee Bar Eight Nalee Bar Nine 11 - 9 Home Bar One Tree-Bar 13 - 7 MausiBar

#### FIXTURES WEEK 11 6TH FEBRUARY 2018

Home Bar One v Arilds Bar Nalee Bar Eight v MausiBar Na-Na Bar v Home Bar Two Tiki-Bar v Forget Me Not Tore Bar v Connections Bar Tree-Bar v Nalee Bar Nine

#### **LEAGUE TABLE**

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
Tiki-Bar	10	8	0	2	84	158
Nalee Bar Nine	10	7	2	1	26	129
Tree-Bar	10	5	3	2	28	127
Home Bar One	9	6	0	3	48	126
<b>Connections Bar</b>	10	8	0	2	16	124
Arilds Bar	10	4	2	4	18	119
Home Bar Two	10	5	1	4	0	111
Tore Bar	10	3	1	6	-36	89
Nalee Bar Eight	10	2	1	7	-34	88
Na-Na Bar	9	2	1	6	-32	79
Forget Me Not	10	2	1	7	-60	75
MausiBar	10	1	0	9	-58	73

#### HUA HIN SOI 80 TUESDAY POOL LEAGUE

#### RESULTS

#### **WEEK 8 30TH JANUARY 2018**

Bar 80 Nomads 10 - 8 Mona Bar Exotic Bar 9 - 9 Nok Bar 2 Hut Bar 10 - 8 Bar 80 Saloon Nok Bar 1 8 - 10 Mint Bar Som Bar 9 - 9 Ma Di Bar

#### FIXTURES

#### **WEEK 9 6TH FEBRUARY 2018**

Bar 80 Saloon v Ma Di Bar Mint Bar v Exotic Bar Mona Bar v Nok Bar 1 Nok Bar 2 v Hut Bar Som Bar v Bar 80 Nomads

#### LEAGUE TABLE

P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
8	7	1	0	38	106
8	5	1	2	26	96
8	5	0	3	26	95
8	6	1	1	16	93
8	5	0	3	8	86
8	2	0	6	-8	72
8	1	2	5	-8	72
8	2	3	3	-14	72
8	1	2	5	-26	63
8	1	0	7	-58	45
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#### LEAGUES NOT CURRENTLY RUNNING

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

#### HUA HIN POOL BILLIARD LEAGUE

#### HUA HIN WEDNESDAY POOL LEAGUE

HUA HIN STAR POOL LEAGUE

#### HUA HIN/KHAO TAKIAB LADIES POOL LEAGUE

#### RESULTS

#### **WEEK 18 29TH JANUARY 2018**

Aonzy v Muan Bar n/a High Five v Silver Fox n/a Mausi Bar v Master Cue n/a Muan..Super v Sunset Boulevard n/a Patty'88 v Tk Roadhouse n/a Silver Fox..Kh v The Connection n/a The Squealing Pig v Tore's Bar n/a

#### FIXTURES WEEK 19 5TH FEBRUARY 2018

Aonzy v The Squealing Pig Master Cue v Silver Fox..Kh Muan Bar v High Five Silver Fox v Patty'88 Sunset Boulevard v Tore's Bar The Connection v Muan..Super Tk Roadhouse v Mausi Bar

#### **LEAGUE TABLE**

Team	P	W	D	L	+/-	Pts
MuanSuper	16	12	1	3	96	25
Master Cue	14	11	2	1	88	24
Muan Bar	14	10	3	1	80	23
<b>Squealing Pig</b>	14	9	2	3	28	20
Sunset B'vard	14	7	4	3	52	18
Tk Roadhouse	15	8	1	6	26	17
The Connection	13	7	1	5	26	15
Patty'88	13	5	3	5	-4	13
Silver FoxKh	14	6	0	8	-40	12
Silver Fox	14	5	0	9	-20	10
Mausi Bar	16	4	1	11	-54	9
Tore's Bar	16	3	2	11	-26	8
High Five	14	2	2	10	-72	6
Aonzy	15	1	0	14	-180	2



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#### **FIXTURES**

(all times Thailand)

#### **SATURDAY 3RD FEBRUARY 2018**

PREMIER LEAGUE

Burnley v Manchester City 19:30 Bournemouth v Stoke City 22:00 Brighton v West Ham United 22:00 Leicester City v Swansea City 22:00 Manchester Utd v Huddersfield T. 22:00 WBA v Southampton 22:00 CHAMPIONSHIP

**CHAMPIONSHIP** Bolton Wanderers v Bristol City 03:00 Aston Villa v Burton Albion 22:00 Derby County v Brentford 22:00 Fulham v Nottingham Forest 22:00 Leeds United v Cardiff City 22:00 Norwich City v Middlesbrough 22:00 Preston North End v Hull City 22:00 Queens Park Rangers v Barnsley 22:00 Reading v Millwall 22:00 Sheffield Weds v Birmingham City 22:00 Sunderland v Ipswich Town 22:00 SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP Kilmarnock v Celtic 19:30 Aberdeen v Hamilton Academical 22:00 Dundee v Ross County 22:00 Hearts v St Johnstone 22:00

#### **SUNDAY 4TH FEBRUARY 2018**

Motherwell v Partick Thistle 22:00 Rangers v Hibernian 22:00

PREMIER LEAGUE

Arsenal v Everton 00:30 Crystal Palace v Newcastle United 21:15 Liverpool v Tottenham Hotspur 23:30 CHAMPIONSHIP

Wolves v Sheffield United 00:30

#### **TUESDAY 6TH FEBRUARY 2018**

PREMIER LEAGUE Watford v Chelsea 03:00

#### **WEDNESDAY 7TH FEBRUARY 2018**

FA CUP FOURTH ROUND - REPLAY Birmingham C. v Huddersfield T. 02:45 Rochdale v Millwall 02:45 Swansea City v Notts County 03:05 SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP Motherwell v St Johnstone 02:45 Partick Thistle v Rangers 02:45

#### **THURSDAY 8TH FEBRUARY 2018**

FA CUP FOURTH ROUND - REPLAY Tottenham H. v Newport County 02:45

#### ENGLISH PREMIER LEAGUE TABLE

	Team	P	GD	PTS
1	Man City	24	52	65
2	Man Utd	24	33	53
3	Chelsea	24	29	50
4	Liverpool	25	28	50
5	Tottenham	24	25	45
6	Arsenal	25	12	42
7	Leicester	24	4	34
8	Burnley	24	-2	34
9	Everton	24	-13	28
10	West Ham	25	-12	27
11	Watford	24	-11	26
12	Crystal Palace	25	-15	26
13	Bournemouth	24	-11	25
14	Huddersfield	25	-25	24
15	Newcastle	24	-12	23
16	Brighton	24	-16	23
17	Swansea	25	-18	23
18	Stoke	24	-25	23
19	Southampton	24	-11	22
20	West Brom	24	-12	20

#### FANTASY PREMIER LEAGUE - AWOL CHALLENGE

	Team	GW	TOT
1	Mr. Cha Aming	10	1381
2	Carthorses Are Go	12	1372
3	Colonial	8	1357
4	RentMyThaiVilla	10	1353
5	Lost Cafe	16	1352
6	AC Clacton	25	1308
7	FC ROCA	10	1308
8	HH Jambos	16	1263
9	Wanderlust United	8	1227
10	AWOL Wanderers	11	1223
11	Dannyxcollinz	10	1196
12	Portsmoth city	17	1174
13	JR Brutd S.C	16	1169
14	Atletico Pathetico	16	1147
15	Hua hin jambos	16	1123
16	Frankies 11	32	1109
17	Pink Panther AFC	15	1019
18	Shortimeagain	18	990
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Tables do not include results of matches played on Wednesday 31st January 2018 onwards.

#### **FEATURED GAME**

#### **SUNDAY 4TH FEBRUARY 2018**

PREMIER LEAGUE

Liverpool v Tottenham Hotspur 23:30

At time of writing, Spurs had not played their crucial game against Manchester United, but whatever the result of that, this is 4th versus 5th, and both sides will be looking to win this to improve their top four credentials, as well as distance them from 6th placed Arsenal. Both will also have hopes of being able to finish second and automatic Champions League qualification. This has the potential to be one of the best games of the season, with both managers being attack minded and with an array of players that most teams would covet. It is a hard one to call, but Liverpool have been a little erratic recently, and we think Spurs are getting on a roll again, so we are going to predict an away win and a further tightening of the group of teams from second to fifth.

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WATCH TO SEE IF HE CAN GO HOME YET SCRAPPED

#### ENGLAND

The new club badge unveiled by Leeds United last week that was designed to reflect the reality of supporting the team as it approaches its 100th year has been already scrapped after less than a week following fan protests.

The new crest showed a fan looking at his watch during a Leeds game and wondering if he can go home yet, as the designers sought to capture the essence of what it means to support Leeds United in 2019.

A club spokesperson explained, "There have been times, in the not too distant past, when Leeds fans were constantly excited at the prospect of fighting towards the top of the premier league; when they were regularly enjoying noisy European nights at Elland Road - but those days have gone.

"Today's Leeds fan experience is more about scrapping for a point at



Left: Leeds fans have been left crestfallen after the new badge actually reflected reality

home against Preston North End and wondering if leaving now means you might miss the traffic and be home in time for Take Me Out.

"It was felt important we move with the times, and we felt the new badge really embodied the values of boredom, ambivalence and a general sense of wanting to be somewhere else doing literally anything else."

Many fans expressed their anger at the

new club crest, with season ticket holder Simon Williams telling us, "I haven't been this embarrassed to be a Leeds fan since we got dicked 3-0 away at Sheffield Wednesday.

"The club is claiming that they consulted 10,000 people on their way to agreeing to this new redesign, but having seen the atrocity they've eventually come up with, I can only conclude they were all Manchester United fans."



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