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At the end of March, the Club Tennis Championships took place and were watched throughout a whole day by many Members. The results are documented in a special 4 page section of this month's magazine. The cover photo captures a couple of winners who are ready for next year's tournament!

**EDITOR'S GREETING**

This month we have bumper sports reports from the Cricket and Squash Sections in addition to the in-depth Tennis review, separated by details of swimming and tennis coaching for youngsters. We look back at Easter Day which saw a great turn-out and which was a lot of fun too.

As It Was features photos of Bangkok from yesteryear, and there's a poster looking ahead to the Club's celebration of H.M. Queen Elizabeth's official 90th birthday.

Ed



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## MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN

It is my honour and pleasure to write this month as Chairman of the General Committee.

New records were set at the Club Annual General Meeting on 31st March, with 22 candidates standing for election to the General Committee, 140 Members present and 116 proxy votes cast, meaning that an impressive 44% of all voting members were represented. A big thank you is due to all of the candidates who stood for election, willing to give their time to help run the Club, and to everyone who turned out on the night or voted by proxy.

This year Members were uniquely offered a choice, essentially between two sets of candidates. I don't think anyone saw this as particularly healthy or something we want to see happen again, but it was the consequence of a fractious year. Members made their choice and now, possibly unprecedented, there is a completely new Committee.

I believe we have a strong team. With a wide range of professional skills, and experience across a broad range of industries, between us we have lived and worked in Thailand, and been Members of the British Club for a total of about 160 years. More importantly we are all committed to putting the past behind and moving on. We all acknowledge that we are taking over a Club in great shape, both physically and financially, and that we have a very capable, hard working and loyal staff. It is due to the efforts of these staff and many former GC members that we are in this envious position and it is now our duty to build on all that is good.

At the time of writing the new GC has yet to meet formally but we did get together informally shortly



Jack Dunford

after the AGM to share ideas. We have also had many discussions with Khun Prem and her team and Members around the Club. I have been very pleased at the enthusiastic offers to help and the welcome most Members have given us ... I was going to write 'from all sides' ... but this is what we are committed to getting away from. We want to cater to as broad a range of tastes and interests as possible; for everyone to feel welcome and able to enjoy their time at the Club whether engaged in sport or other activities, looking for a quiet place to read or snooze, hang out with friends, meet business acquaintances or just enjoy a drink or a meal. The Club belongs to the Members!

We need a little time to get familiar with all that has been going on and are happy that the former GC Members have agreed to meet to share their plans and thoughts. There is no point reinventing the wheel or change for changes sake. But we will have priorities. These will include reaching a decision on the long-overdue poolside redevelopment project, moving forward the review of the Club's Constitution and establishing fair disciplinary procedures, all issues of contention in the recent past.

We particularly want to engage more with Members and make use of their abundant skills. We would like to give Members more opportunity to express their views through straw polls etc., and we would like to have active subcommittees or other forums where any Member with particular interests or skills can contribute, including spouses and non-voting categories. This will again take a little time to organise and may require some improvements to our database and communications system, but in the meantime please let any Member of the GC know if you would like to offer your time and skills in a particular area. We have quite a few already.

As you will know from my feature articles of old pictures, I do enjoy peeping back at the past and find it fascinating to recall that when I first became Chairman of the British Club exactly 30 years ago the only practical means of communication were antiquated crackly telephones, which often required dialling half



*My office desk at MOI in 1978. Phone, yellow pages, stapler and hole-punch*

a dozen times to get through ... or snail mail ... the post. The Club had no computers, no fax machine and the photocopier was so primitive that even modest quantities of documents had to be roneoed for distribution (Google it, if you are under 40!). Overseas telephone calls were prohibitively expensive and life was a lot slower for everyone. No mobile phones, no Internet and no emails meant leaving your work at your office and your leisure time really was yours to enjoy.

Expats generally lived in houses, downtown where the (three) international schools were located. There was nothing in English on TV, and before the days of Malls and Cineplexes there was little in the way of family entertainment in Bangkok. Few people had access to swimming pools and the British Club really was an oasis for family, sport and social activities.

Bangkok was much smaller in those days though and there were far fewer expats. The Club had just 490 Members and a turnover of about baht 8 million compared with over 1,100 Members and baht 70 million turnover today. Interestingly we had about the same number of staff (71), a reflection I suspect not only on the efficiency of modern technology, but also how much harder everyone is expected to work today!

Glancing through the 1986 accounts, one surprise was noting that F&B sales in the Club House were then three times as high as the Poolside, whereas today the two are more or less equal. This reflects a more family orientated Club, supporting the need to upgrade some of the very old poolside facilities, but also suggesting there is scope to attract better use of the Club House.

As the Club's fortunes ebbed and flowed over the last 30 years there were times when its future viability was in doubt, especially when the schools moved out of town taking many expats with them. Although we live in a different world and there are many more things to do, perhaps there is just as much need for an oasis in the bustling Bangkok of today as in the past. The Silom/ Sathorn area had become a little run down, but there is new development all around the Club. Whilst there may be bumps in the economy ahead, the long-term future looks bright. This has already been an invigorating couple of weeks and I look forward to sharing progress as the year unfolds.

The Club Officers and Signatories elected by the GC immediately after the AGM were:

**Chair: Jack Dunford, Vice Chair: Ali Adam, Honorary Secretary: Chris Stanford, Treasurer: Geoff Banks.**

The full results of the General Committee election were:

**The British Club Bangkok, Annual General Meeting  
Thursday 31st March 2016  
Candidates for General Committee - Votes Received**

| No. | Name              | X   |
|-----|-------------------|-----|
| 1   | Paul Williams     | 160 |
| 2   | Colin Hastings    | 151 |
| 3   | Nicholas Day      | 151 |
| 4   | Jack Dunford      | 150 |
| 5   | Geoffrey Banks    | 148 |
| 6   | Paul Harland      | 145 |
| 7   | Ali Adam          | 144 |
| 8   | Robert Avery      | 144 |
| 9   | Chris Stanford    | 138 |
| 10  | Adrian Salter     | 132 |
| 11  | Robert Marchant   | 106 |
| 12  | John MacTaggart   | 102 |
| 13  | David Viccars     | 100 |
| 14  | Robert Merrigan   | 100 |
| 15  | Sulindy Collacott | 96  |
| 16  | John Boisclair    | 96  |
| 17  | David Quine       | 94  |
| 18  | Christopher Moore | 87  |
| 19  | Derek Lantin      | 82  |
| 20  | James Rand        | 72  |
| 21  | Jeremy King       | 35  |
| 22  | Michael Binney    | 18  |

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# LETTER FROM THE GENERAL MANAGER



Premrudee Tanyaluck

General Manager

April began with a completely new General Committee. My staff and I welcome them and we look forward to working with them to make the Club more enjoyable for all Members and their families.

Last month's Easter Sunday was a great day for the Club, with the Back Lawn, The Verandah, and the Churchill Bar all full as was Poolside from midday through the afternoon. We were fully booked in every outlet, and more than 150 people enjoyed the Back Lawn Egg Hunt and the warm weather as well as swimming in the afternoon.

Many Members and staff were away for the long Songkran holiday. Songkran Day itself was busy at the poolside for our Songkran Buffet, and for the the rest of the holiday the Club was fine as the Members who stayed in Bangkok took advantage of easy driving and came to enjoy the Club.

We are celebrating the 113th Club birthday on 24th April this coming weekend, but as it is so hot outside at the moment we are not making it a big event this year, but I hope everyone who comes along will enjoy our Club birthday cake! As the hot season intensifies, our poolside area is often full and our staff try their best to serve the Members, but during very busy periods they may be overloaded so please be patient.

Khun Laak has redone and put out the new "Recommends" menus on the boards and stands;

please try her new dishes as there's a Mango Season promotion including Mango Smoothies.

For sports in May, we will have junior football tournament and for swimming we have a new coach for competitions and techniques. With this weather, it's a perfect time to learn or improve, so please ask for more information or make a booking at the Fitness Centre.

We have installed two new air conditioners in The Verandah and we have cleaned and overhauled all the air-con units in the Club so they are working properly and economically for the summer months. Our engineers have also done the annual maintenance on the pumps, fire extinguishers and lighting systems. We will have fire safety training for the staff in the coming month as well.

Please remember to carry your Member cards when you visit, to show at security and to give to staff when you order.

I look forward to seeing you all in our Club soon.

## OFFICIAL OPENING TIMES

|                          |   |                       |                       |
|--------------------------|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>The Verandah</b>      | 11am - 2pm, 5pm - 10pm (Mon-Thurs)<br>11am - 10pm (Fri-Sun and Public Holidays) |                       |                       |
| <b>1910 Balcony</b>      | 3pm - 11pm (Afternoon Tea 3pm - 5pm)  |                       |                       |
| <b>Accounts Office</b>   | 9am - 6pm (Mon-Fri), Closed (Sat-Sun)   |                       |                       |
| <b>The Pavilion Café</b> | 9am - 6pm   | <b>Fitness Centre</b> | 6am - 10pm (Mon-Fri)  |
| <b>Churchill Bar</b>     | 10am - 12midnight   | <b>Fitness Centre</b> | 6am - 9pm (Sat-Sun)   |
| <b>Poolside Bar</b>      | 6:15am - 11pm<br>Last food orders 9:30pm  | <b>Thai Massage</b>   | 10am - 5pm (Tues-Sun) |



# Winery Tour

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Wed 11<sup>th</sup> May 2016

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# HAPPENINGS



Jeremy de Sausmarez

**Events & Marketing  
Manager**

It's been rather a quiet month in terms of things taking place, as April is not only the month when there are lots of national holidays, but also the month when the mercury hits the top of the tube and the rains arrive to cool everybody down and signal the beginning of the Thai New Year. Both these factors have been amplified in 2016: the Songkran holiday adjoined a weekend which meant an extra two days holiday resulted in a 9 day holiday, and the mercury seemed to hit higher than usual with no sign of cooling rains. The long holiday meant Bangkok was quiet and quite a few Members were away, and the heat meant that poolside has been very well patronised all month. The tranquility of the holiday gave me a chance to catch up a bit, and I've booked a music performance for August and a drama evening in October, but those are a few months away as yet.

Even Quiz Night took a bit of a hit, although in the end a new team of only three kept the numbers up and very nearly won, ending up second for the evening. A lot of regulars were away so I hope they will all be back with a vengeance in May. It's fun to see new faces, so this is a formal invitation to all newish Members to come and try out a Quiz evening some time this year!

In May we have scheduled a visit to a winery in Khao Yai on Wednesday 11th. It's not the same as the trip we did two years ago which was terrific fun, but a different winery on the other side of the Mittrapab Highway. We'll go by mini-bus and arrive in time for lunch - there's a choice of a 3 course meal, and I hear the food is good. There will be a tour of the winery as well, and an opportunity to do some tasting (always welcome), and then we will make our way back. By mid May the weather should have moderated a bit, so it should be a good outing, so please book in Reception or by email as always.

Also in May on Sunday 15th, a new international school, Brighton College Bangkok, will be having a summer beach party here at the Club on the Back Lawn, with beach themed fun for children under 8. They are happy to welcome any Club Members who would like to go along and enjoy the afternoon meeting others, so if you are interested just send them an email to get

a free entry ticket, as shown in their ad on page 2 of this issue (opposite the Contents page).

The Club Bridge Section have asked me to alert anyone who can play bridge to their Sunday afternoon sessions of duplicate bridge. Anyone of any level of play is welcomed, it's a very informal afternoon, there's tea and coffee and sandwiches, so dust off the cobwebs and consider the pleasure of No Trumps (no, that's not a political quip). Anyone interested can turn up on a Sunday afternoon (not the last of the month) upstairs in the Clubhouse, and get going on some serious mental agility!

Looking ahead to June, apart from Canada Day on Saturday 18th which is an annual bonanza of good humour and fun, we will be hosting an open day party celebrating Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II's 90th (official) birthday on Saturday 11th June. Her real 90th birthday was yesterday, but Thursday is not a great day for a day party so we're sticking to the official day as most of the UK celebrations will be held that day back home. Having watched the BBC a bit yesterday, it is quite fantastic to see the Queen wandering around, quite sturdily too, at her age and it is also amazing that the Duke of Edinburgh is there walking with her at his age of 95!

Our 90th Birthday Party must be a special day, with games and snacks, fun for kids and car boot rummaging for adults, a day of wandering around having a good time and paying tribute to the extraordinary person she is. Please make a note of this day in your diaries, and please arrange to come along and make the day a truly British Day at the British Club! As the planning gets underway, I shall be sending some mailings out to keep you updated, so keep an eye out and if there's any way you can participate, please let me know.

Have a great month of May!

# BUSINESS LUNCHEONS

**2<sup>nd</sup> May - 6<sup>th</sup> May 2016**

**Starters : 65 Baht**

Chicken and Cranberry Salad with Balsamic Dressing

or Chef's Soup of the Day

**Main Courses : 160 Baht**

Beef and Mushroom Stroganoff Served with Yellow Rice

or B.B.Q Ham (Served with Sautéed Cabbage, Bacon, Potatoes Salad and Parsley Cream Sauce)

or Baked Chicken Breast in Tomato and Cheese Sauce (Served with Roast Vegetables)

or Gaeng Kiew Wan Look Chin Pla (Fish Balls in Green Curry Sauce)

Kai Jiew Moo Sub (Thai Style Minced Pork Omelette)

Phad Khanha Namman Hoy (Stir-fried Kale with Oyster Sauce)



**9<sup>th</sup> May - 13<sup>th</sup> May 2016**

**Starters : 65 Baht**

Tuna Salad (Tuna, Tomatoes, Lemongrass, lime and spicy Dressing)

or Chef's Soup of the Day

**Main Courses : 160 Baht**

Turkey Chilli Con Carne (Served with Rice)

or Fillet of Pork in Mushroom Sauce (Served with Mixed Vegetables and Lyonnaise Potatoes)

or Pan-fried Dory Fish in Spicy Herbs (Served with Mixed Salad and Boiled Potato)

or Gaeng Som Goong Phak Ruam (Sour Soup with Mixed Vegetables and Prawns)

Moo Tod Kratium Prik Thai (Stir-fried Pork Fillet with Garlic and Pepper)

Tod Man Pla (Deep-fried Fishcakes)



**16<sup>th</sup> May - 20<sup>th</sup> May 2016**

**Starter : 65 baht**

Potato Salad with Egg and Lemon Dressing

or Chef's Soup of the Day

**Main Courses : 160 baht**

Lamb, Beef and Eggplant Moussaka (Served with Mixed Salad and Garlic Bread)

or Chicken Kiev with peas and chips (Served with Broccoli, Carrots and Roast Potatoes)

or Pan-fried Sea Bass with Pernod and Dill Sauce

or Tom Yam Goong (Spicy Lemon Grass Soup with Prawns and Mushrooms)

Pad Khana Namman Hoy (Stir-fried Kale with Oyster Sauce)

Kraprao Kai (Stir-fried Minced Chicken with Hot Basil and Chilli)



**23<sup>rd</sup> May - 27<sup>th</sup> May 2016**

**Starters : 65 baht**

Grilled Chicken, Mango, Beetroot Salad (Served with Balsamic Dressing)

or Chef's Soup of the Day

**Main Courses : 160 baht**

Fish and Chips (Served with Garden Peas and Tartare Sauce)

or Turkey Lasagne (Served with mixed salad and Garlic Bread)

or Pork Schnitzel Served with Apple Salad

or Panaeng Gai (Chicken Stir-fried with Red curry Sauce Topped with Sliced Lime Leaves)

Kai Jiew Moo Sub (Thai Style Omelette with Minced Pork)

Phad Phak Ruam Nam Man Hoy (Stir-fried Mixed Vegetables with Oyster Sauce)



**\*\* Dessert of the Day : Choose from our à la carte Dessert with 10% off**



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## F&B MORSELS

This month was marked by the Songkran holidays and the hot weather! It has been busy, with some staff away for Thai New Year. I was pleased to see families enjoying the Songkran Buffet and keeping cool poolside.

We are in mango season so I've changed the chocolate promotion to mango, which we can include in many desserts, cakes, pancakes, and of course there is mango ice cream too for this hot season.

Burgers are still popular so the promotion for them continues. This month we will also start doing Paella again for dinner on Wednesdays, either chicken, mixed seafood, or vegetarian - please remember to order 30 minutes before you want to eat.

There has been a good response to our Chicken Tikka snack and also the Chicken Tikka Masala on the "Khun Laak Recommends" menu, so I am going to try and prepare a few new Indian snacks as they are very nice to have with cold drinks if you're a bit hungry.



Khun Laak

Executive Chef

Once available they will be on the Snacks Menu on the tables.

Some Members have asked for more vegetable/vegetarian dishes, and I am interested to receive any suggestions for making really tasty food, especially ones that children like. If you have any you can recommend, please let me know by sending an email to [menu@britishclubbangkok.org](mailto:menu@britishclubbangkok.org) so we can try them out. You can also send any other ideas or feedback as I am always pleased to hear from Members about their level of satisfaction with the food here.

Happy Eating!

### Cocktail of the Month

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Don't forget Afternoon Tea  
is available from 3pm!



# NUGGETS



## Ever wondered about the word Dutch?

There are three terms we need to define: Holland, the Netherlands, and Dutch. In Old English, dutch simply meant “people or nation.” (This also explains why Germany is called Deutschland in German.)

Over time, English-speaking people used the word Dutch to describe people from both the Netherlands and Germany. (At that point in time, in the early 1500s, the Netherlands and parts of Germany, along with Belgium and Luxembourg, were all part of the Holy Roman Empire.)

Specifically the phrase “High Dutch” referred to people from the mountainous area of what is now southern Germany. “Low Dutch” referred to people from the flatlands in what is now the Netherlands. Within the Holy Roman Empire, the word “Netherlands” was used to describe people from the low-lying (nether) region (land).

The term was so widely used that when they became a formal, separate country in 1815, they became the Kingdom of the Netherlands. The word “Holland” literally meant “wood-land” in Old English and originally referred to people from the northern region of the Netherlands. Over time, it came to apply to the entire country. Got all that?

Dutch is closely related to German and English and is said to be roughly in between them. Dutch shares with

German a similar word order, having grammatical gender, and a largely Germanic vocabulary, it has however—like English—not undergone the High German consonant shift, has mostly abandoned the grammatical case system, does not use Germanic umlaut as a grammatical marker, and has levelled much of its morphology.

Dutch has three grammatical genders, but this distinction has fewer grammatical consequences than in German. Dutch also shares with German the use of modal particles, final-obstruent devoicing, and the use of subject–verb–object word-order in main clauses and subject–object–verb in subordinate clauses.

*Wanna know more? Check out [www.youtube.com/watch?v=eE\\_IUPInEuc](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eE_IUPInEuc) and have a laugh!*

|                           |                                   |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Double Dutch</b>       | Gibberish or jargon               |
| <b>Dutch bargain</b>      | Bargain settled over drinks       |
| <b>Dutch concert</b>      | Great noise and uproar            |
| <b>Dutch courage</b>      | Bravery boosted by alcohol        |
| <b>Dutch generosity</b>   | Stinginess                        |
| <b>Dutch headache</b>     | Hangover                          |
| <b>Dutch nightingales</b> | Frogs                             |
| <b>Dutch treat</b>        | Each person pays for himself      |
| <b>Dutch f**k</b>         | Lighting a cigarette with another |

## 3D TATTOOS

When tattoos meet art, some extraordinary if not bizarre results can be seen:



By which route can you walk from Bishopsgate to the Old Bailey without crossing the road or using a bus or taxi?

# EASTER DAY

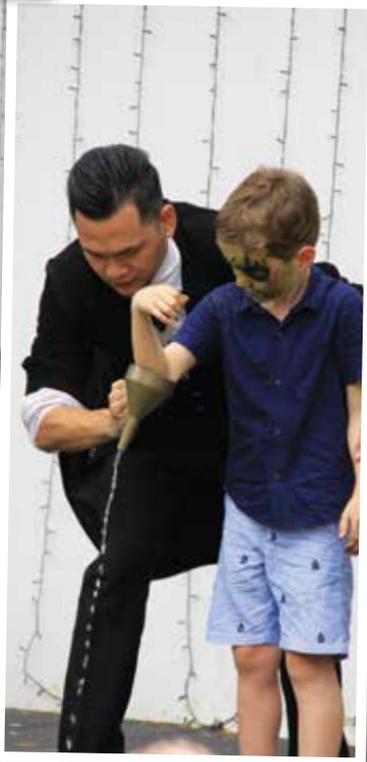
We were fortunate this year; the hot season was early and some mornings had been quite scorching too. However, Easter Day arrived and there was cloud cover, so the Bouncy Castle was not like a hotplate and was covered with children from early on. Sam and his friends got down to face painting and crafts, and before long it was time for the Puppet Show, a really cute story with sound effects too. Then came the Egg Hunt!

It's a shame that every year there are small children who don't get the chance to find any eggs because some other kids are greedy and start collecting early or take more than their fair share. This year a father walked round at the beginning of the day showing his kids where to find the eggs, not the attitude we expect here. It was well balanced by a teenager who, having found enough eggs, went round and gave them out to toddlers who had nothing in their basket. That's the spirit!

After the hunt, there were the prizes, and then we had the Black Crystal magician, who had a completely different range of tricks from last time he was here to entertain the kids. Some very clever ones, and some funny ones too. After his half-hour show, it was time for the snack lunch, very welcome indeed. Many went off to the pool for the afternoon - what a wonderful day!







# BC Calendar May 2016

## Monday

## Tuesday

## Wednesday

|  |  |  |
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| <p><b>2</b></p> <p><b>BWG Mahjong</b><br/>10am - 1pm </p> <p><b>Tennis Mix-In</b><br/>6pm - 10pm </p>      | <p><b>3</b></p> <p><b>Squash Mix-In</b><br/>5:15pm - 7:30pm </p> <p><b>Bangkok Gentlemen Spoofers</b> 8:30pm </p>  | <p><b>4</b></p> <p><b>Ladies Tennis Coaching</b><br/>9am - 10:30am </p> <p><b>Tennis Mix-In</b><br/>6pm - 10pm </p>      |
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# Thursday

# Friday

# Saturday

# Sunday

## 5

**Squash Mix-In**  
5:15pm - 9:45pm



## 6

**Tennis Mix-In**  
6pm - 10pm



**Junior Tennis Coaching**  
4pm - 6pm

## 9

**Kids Cricket**

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**Swimming Lessons**

9am - 10:30am

## 1/8

**Kids Cricket**

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**Yoga for Kids**

2pm - 3pm

**Swimming Lessons**

9am - 10:30am

**Open Pairs Bridge**

2pm Silom Room



## 12

**Squash Mix-In**  
5:15pm - 9:45pm



## 13

**Tennis Mix-In**  
6pm - 10pm



**Junior Tennis Coaching**  
4pm - 6pm



## 14

**Kids Cricket**

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**Swimming Lessons**

9am - 10:30am

## 15

**Kids Cricket**

Book first! 8am - 11am

**Yoga for Kids**

2pm - 3pm

**Swimming Lessons**

9am - 10:30am

**Open Pairs Bridge**

2pm Silom Room



## 19

**Squash Mix-In**  
5:15pm - 9:45pm



## 20

**Tennis Mix-In**  
6pm - 10pm



**Junior Tennis Coaching**  
4pm - 6pm



## 21

**Kids Cricket**

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**Swimming Lessons**

9am - 10:30am

## 22

**Kids Cricket**

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8am - 11am

**Swimming Lessons**

9am - 10:30am

**Sunday Brunch**

11:30 - 3pm Verandah

**Open Pairs Bridge**

2pm Silom Room

**Yoga for Kids**

2pm - 3pm



## 26

**Squash Mix-In**  
5:15pm - 9:45pm



## 27

**Tennis Mix-In**  
6pm - 10pm



**Junior Tennis Coaching**  
4pm - 6pm

**Wine Tasting**

6 - 9pm

Surawongse Room



## 28

**Kids Cricket**

Book first! 8am - 11am



**Swimming Lessons**

9am - 10:30am

## 29

**Kids Cricket**

Book first! 8am - 11am

**Swimming Lessons**

9am - 10:30am

**Sunday Brunch**

11:30 - 3pm Verandah

**Yoga for Kids**

2pm - 3pm



# AS IT WAS

My pictures this month were all taken around Bangkok in the late 1970s early 1980s. There is no real theme but they include some amusing shop signs, views without today's high-rise buildings and a reminder of flooded streets after almost every downpour.



Jack Dunford

*View from Temple of the Dawn*



*Wishful thinking*

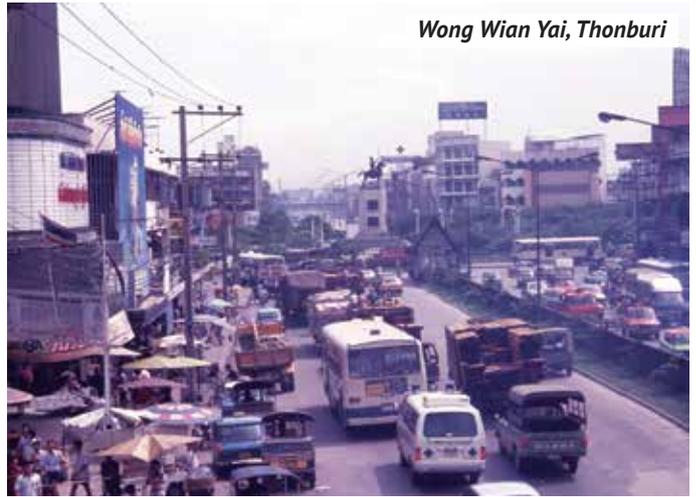


*Chinatown was the place for dentures!*

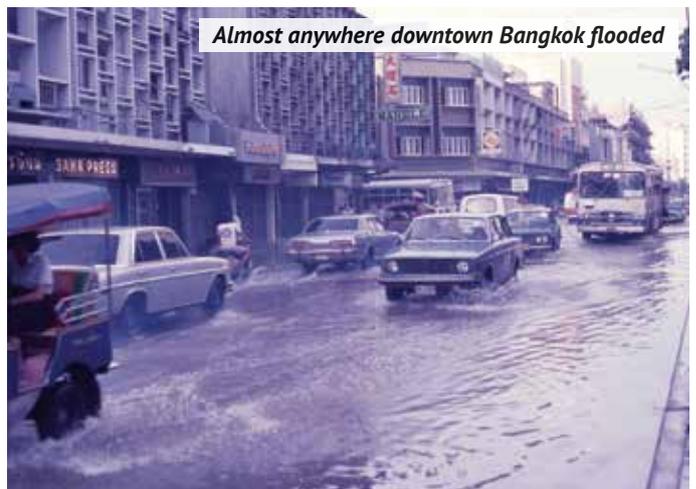




All lorries were like this



Wong Wian Yai, Thonburi



Almost anywhere downtown Bangkok flooded



The Weekend Market used to be at Sanam Luang

# TENNIS *2016 BC Championships*

The 2016 British Club Tennis Championships culminated in an action-packed finals day on 26 March. Spectators were treated to a display of the club's finest athletes demonstrating their agility and finesse over more than 10 hours.

The several new (and talented) faces joining the club recently made for the most exciting finals day in many years. Chris O'Mara played three finals (and won two), the belligerent Bellinghams played two finals and took home one winner's trophy each, and both Orathai and Nisa also played two finals.

The day started as always with a generous supply of bananas, RC Cola (courtesy of Khun Chalathip), and the whiff of several bacon butties and cups of tea. Rebecca took on Nisa in the Ladies' singles final and there were some delightfully long and entertaining rallies, with Rebecca closing it out to earn a well-earned rest before teaming up with Nisa in the Doubles after lunch.

The subordinate Bellingham, Geoff, followed his wife onto Centre Court to take on Chris O'Mara. Hats off to Geoff who had a tough route to the final having taken on Faheem, Andrei and Dawa in the earlier rounds. With half a groin and two-thirds of a knee missing he put up a great fight, and by the start of the second set I think he was able to actually see the ball on one or two of Chris's serves, which gave him a much greater chance of hitting it back. The second set brought out the best in both players and the crowd were enthralled as Geoff almost took it into a third, pushing all the way in the tie-break, but Chris came out on top to claim the trophy.

After lunch the Ladies' Doubles was a great spectacle, and after several ebbs and flows Raquel and Orathai came out on top. By now the crowds had gathered and were thoroughly entertained in one of the most exciting finals we have seen.

The Men's Doubles followed, with Chris and Harold, sporting flamboyant shirts, up against the business-like Geoff and Frank Sutherland. In a very close match the large crowd was treated to some top-drawer tennis from both pairs. It was too close to call throughout but a couple of decisive breaks allowed Frank and Geoff to edge it. What a match!

After a brief rest Chris was back on court for his third final, partnering Khun Chalathip in the Mixed Doubles against Khun Phairoj and Khun Orathai. The decisive power of Chris and the flawlessly deft touch of Khun Chalathip was enough to bring home the prize to round off a memorable finals day!

The Plate competition also saw a high calibre of tennis, with Khun Maleerat beating Ann Jackson for the Ladies' singles and Luc Charrier taking home the Men's singles by beating Dmitry. Not to be deterred, Dmitry teamed up with Nils to win the Men's Doubles after lunch, in a very entertaining final against Philip Mock and Zdenek. Khun Ramphai and Hilde secured the Ladies' Doubles after defeating Khun Yubharet and Ann, and Khun Suang and Khun Sasaluck took home the Mixed Doubles plate after a long and very cordial final against Khun Wandee and Roger.

The day was brought to a close by the presentation of the highly-acclaimed new trophies. Thanks to all the participants in this year's tournament, and all the spectators, the sports and F&B staff who made it such a great day, and of course the sponsors shown to the right.



Chris winner of the Men's Singles Cup



Rebecca winner of the Ladies' Singles Cup



Chalathip & Chris winners of the Mixed Doubles Cup



Geoff & Frank winners of the Men's Doubles Cup



Orathai & Raquel winners of the Ladies' Doubles Cup

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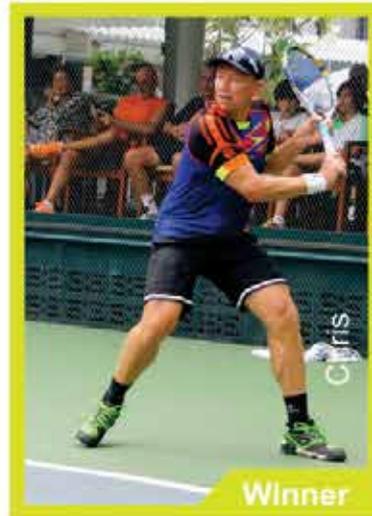




Chris



Geoff



Winner



Runner Up



Rebecca



Nisa



Runner Up



Winner



Two finals, tiring work



Ladies



Runners Up



Winners



Mens



Mixed



Winners



Winners

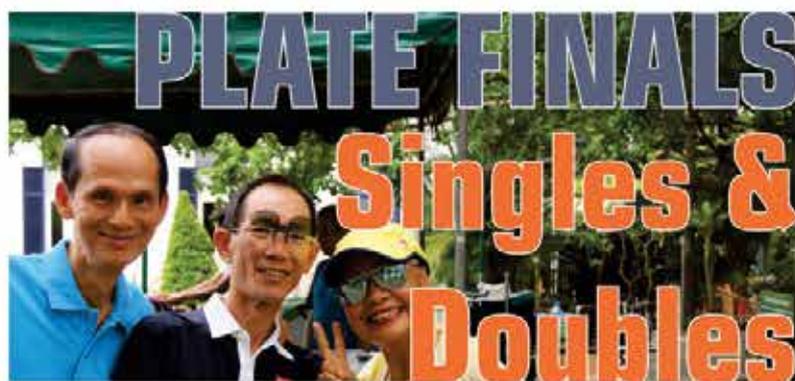


Runners Up





Anne



Dmitry



Jeab



Luc



Winners



Zdenek & Philip

Mens



Nils & Dmitry

Winners



Roger & Wandee

Sasaluck & Suang

Mixed



Yubharet & Anne

Phai & Hilde

Ladies



Congratulations to everyone who took part in this year's Championship and made it such a great success.

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# HARD BALLS

2 wins in a row!

## BC in Pattaya 5-6th March 2016

The league coordination fell in BC's favour when a weekend double fixture was scheduled in Pattaya for 'Division B' and 'Masters' competitions. This gave the opportunity to turn the affair into a jolly boy's outing, which of course was not adhered to in any way shape or form.

The wrinkly's took Saturday's slot, attempting to continue their unbeaten run in the masters (over 45s) division. Captain Jack's side who bragged an average age of 53 were put into bat first against Pattaya's old boys. BC got off to a blinder, with Nachi, Aseem and Sunish all stylishly reaching the 30 retirement score without any wickets falling. JCS then looked to make it a fourth retiree, before receiving the fatal finger on 24. A series

of single digit scores followed, including alleged tactical ducks from Sarg and Jack. BC closed their innings on 140/8 after 25 overs – a defensible total at Pattaya.

Dilip and Sunish opened the reply as planned, conceding only 31 runs between them during their 8 over spell. Aseem then helped to pressurize the run rate with 2 wickets for only 7 runs from 3 overs, sharing the spell with



Ben Eastwell



Mossy on the hit



Matching shoes and stumps



Caution Dale

*A rare team shot of the Masters*

Nachi who cost a measly 10 runs. The captain's experience was then on display as he himself dismissed 2 batsmen with the usual deceptive flight and trickery. Pattaya who were short on run rate and kept under the cosh from the first ball, only managed to post 121 to hand BC Masters another well-earned victory. Both teams reflected on the day's play at aptly named Shenanigan's bar, before turning in ahead of the DivB match the following day.



A few thick heads presented themselves at the ground the following morning; some rewarded with extra time to gather themselves as BC were put in to bat first. Dale at number 4 was summoned earlier than he would have liked to face the opening bowlers who had got off to a dreamy start. The captain looked to settle in early with a confident boundary and what looked to be a second until he slipped and crashed into his own stumps. Denzyl (28) and Mossy (29), who were both ticking over on black label from the night before, put on a vital partnership of 40 where it mattered and helped towards posting a respectable score. Pattaya needed 114 from 25 overs.

Despite a passionate fielding and bowling performance from BC it was easy pickings for Pattaya in the end, who chased down in the 21st over under the limited pressure. Rahul and Patrick took a couple of consolation wickets but unfortunately the old boys' performance the day before could not be matched on this occasion.

**V SLOZ touring team 20th March 2016**

Jack kept his captain's hat on, seeking a hat-trick of wins against touring Sri Lankan side from Sydney. The opposition side had a good few 60+ players in their attack, making the BC squad look like they had just been let off school for the afternoon. Jack won the toss and sent Sarg and Ed in to open the batting. Ed was caught out early, leaving Sarg and Denzyl to form a strong partnership and both secure a 30 retirement score minutes before collapsing under the heat of the sun. Dilip followed suit



*Aseem getting forward*



*What is this - I was going to get 50*

**Captain Jack**

with an elegant 30 not out, along with Aseem who contributed 25 and helped to build a solid base for the bottom order to add to. Abbas (19), and Sunish (12) kept the runs flowing all the way to the 25th over for what was concluded to be about 169 – 5 after some scorebook errors had been ironed out.

Tried and tested duo, Dilip and Sunish kept the opening pair from creeping the run rate up, but a lack of wickets took allowed the batsmen to take more risks. Aseem took a wicket in his opening spell for a tight 14 runs from 3 overs. Ben was then called upon to take advantage of the side's weakness against spin, taking 2 wickets for 14 runs from 5 overs – assisted by Ed guarding the crease and snatching 2 stumpings. Speddo stuck in at the other end, taking 1 for 5 in 2 overs. The job was looking to be dealt with until the oppo's surprise number 7 bat scored a quick boundary-fueled 30. 10 runs were required from the last over, and the away umpire suspiciously gave 6 of those away in wides to snatch the victory from BC (maybe that scorebook was meant to say 172...) Needless to say, it was an enjoyable afternoon and hopefully a fixture to be looked forward to next year.

*Heads or tails**Sunish loses his stump***V Chicha 03 April 2016**

At BC's halfway point in the league without a win, they came up against Chicha who had won 4 of their 6 encounters. Ben and Rahul set out first to build BC's innings at the Harrow ground, with a precautious but controlled start. Ben then gave the keeper something to shriek about with a trademark waft outside off to make way for Denzyl to crack on with Rahul, the duo laid on a constructive 66 partnership until Rahul was caught out for 34 in the 12th. Denzyl's form-finding innings (41) came to an unfortunate end just after he struck his second six, leaving BC on 94-3 at drinks. 170 was not looking out of reach at this stage, but a quick run out dismissal and one of Dale's six-bound aerials being snatched out the sky seemed to mark the start of a collapse, and BC were caught with their pants down - all out for 135 in the 21st over.

*Coach celebrating the world cup win with his team**Denzyl locked in*

The opening pair looked strong until a bowling change split them as Rahul selfishly took a catch off his own bowling. It was raining wickets from then on as Rahul stuck out another mit to get Dilip on the scoresheet, and Dale got busy behind the stumps after Aseem's tempted the batsman down the crease. Despite the excitement, BC still needed to slow Chicha down to 4 an over at this stage. Even with season best figures of 2-21 from 5 overs from Ben, Chicha wrapped it up in the 22nd over with 4 wickets to spare.



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# SQUASHY BITS

## An Exciting Squash Match Report! JD Out! Marvyn Wins!

by Petra Corney (Retarded Squash Correspondent)

### An Exciting Squash Match Report

Some squash players came from abroad to play a squash match with us. They were led by Ross. They came from Hong Kong to play a squash match and they were six. They came in April or March 2016 to play this squash match. They were from Cathay Pacific. The British Club gave them a squash match and they were six, too. This is what happened in the squash match. Shiraz from the British Club played a squash match against Ronnie from Cathay Pacific. Shiraz lost the squash match 3-2. This was an absorbing squash match. Both players played squash well and enjoyed the squash match. Neil from the British Club played a squash match against Iain from Cathay Pacific. Neil won the squash match 3-0. This was an absorbing squash match. Both players played squash well and enjoyed the squash match. Marc from the British Club played a squash match against Ross from Cathay Pacific. Marc won the squash match 3-1. This was an absorbing squash match. Both players played squash well and enjoyed the squash match. Marv from the



Peter Corney

British Club played a squash match against Krish from Cathay Pacific. Marv won the squash match 3-0. This was an absorbing squash match. Both players played squash well and enjoyed the squash match. Petra from the British Club played a squash match against Estella from Cathay Pacific. Petra won the squash match 3-0. This was an absorbing squash match. Both players played squash well and enjoyed the squash match. Ken from the British Club didn't play a squash match against a player from Cathay Pacific because he/she didn't come. Nobody won or lost the squash match 3-1. This wasn't an absorbing squash match. Both players didn't play squash well and didn't enjoy the squash match. That is the end of this squash match report.

An excellent report there from young Petra. A very descriptive and riveting read bursting with delightful turns of phrase and careful wording that poignantly captured the intense competitive atmosphere of the event. Very well done!

BCB vs. HK CATHAY PACIFIC

| N° | BCB    |   | CP      |   |
|----|--------|---|---------|---|
| 1  | SHIRAZ | 2 | RONNIE  | 3 |
| 2  | NEIL   | 3 | IAIN    | 0 |
| 3  | MARC   | 3 | ROSS    | 1 |
| 4  | MARV   | 3 | KRISH   | 0 |
| 5  | KEN    |   | W/O     |   |
| 6  | PETER  | 3 | ESTELLA | 0 |
|    |        | 4 |         | 1 |

BCB vs HK Cathay Pacific



### JD Out!

JD means Jack Dunford and he has finally been thrown off the Squash Section Committee and out of the section for good. Though holding no real position of authority, other than some form of namby-pamby Goodfella, for some time since he gave up playing squash in the 1950's to embark on some type of quasi cricket career, he somehow managed to abuse that position, and the other committee members, on several occasions over the last few months/years and this led to his very welcome dismissal.

It's a fairly long story involving a cricket ball to the temple during bowling practice and far too many years under the tropical Thai sunshine, but the rumour is that, having recently retired, he'd finally lost his mind and judging by his recent behaviour that suspicion may have significant grounds. Either way, his charge sheet was

Petra is a man!



fairly long and included, but was not limited to, the following crimes:

The incredible suggestion, and made when sober, that Section Chairwoman and Retarded Correspondent, Petra Corney, was a man. That is to say, of the male sex. A preposterous and spurious claim if ever there was one and aggressively denied by even Petra herself. JD insisted it was true, however, and even went on to claim that Petra was quite clever. Now, to question Petra's completely-obvious-for-all-to-see female gender was crass in itself, but to compound such a ridiculous assertion with the mere suggestion that she had any form of brains, intellect, nous, wit or sense was utter rubbish!

JD's next faux pas was even more severe and indicated quite clearly how far his marbles had been lost. Over dinner in the Churchill Bar one evening, he went as far as to argue that Section Captain Neil Evans was a cool and trendy guy. It really does beggar belief that someone with an MBA could even think of something as far-fetched as that. One can only assume that he got the MBA online or from Kao Sarn Road as, with a comment as inane as that, it seems highly unlikely that he ever attended any school let alone a university. The world and his wife know full well that Neil is a complete plonker, somewhere along the lines of Rodney Trotter, so to suggest otherwise was staggering and beyond words.



**Plonker and Nerd!**

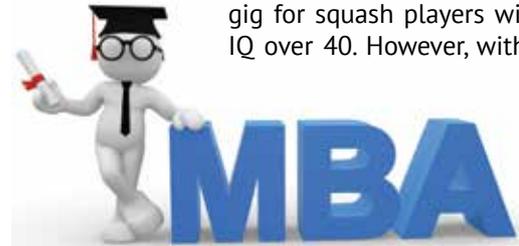
**Very attractive!**

His next sin was the icing on the cake and the final nail in his Squash Section coffin. He tried, one afternoon as we sat by the turtle pond, to convince any who would listen, as by now most had given up, that Madge (the author of the majority of this tripe) was not a bad looking bloke! If his previous two claims were absurd enough, this latest one was utterly farcical and the talk of a madmen. Others around Jack at that moment tried in vain to point out Madge's obvious ugly traits of short, fat, bald, hairy in a desperate attempt at making JD see sense and recognize Madge for the hideous trollope he really is, yet JD would have none of it and even went on to say he quite fancied him!

Well, it was no surprise then that he had to go and so go he did. And where is he now? He's become the flamin' BCB Chairman! Heaven help us!

**Marvyn Wins!**

Yes, Marvyn won the BCB's Tony Austin over 40s Open Competition and celebrated it by applying for an MBA just like JD's got! Well done Marv!



The Tony Austin is a handicap gig for squash players with an IQ over 40. However, with that

kind of strict entry requirement, it was going to be tough to attract any participants at all, but we managed to get ten including some local players from BK's other squash emporiums.

Petra Corney in her capacity as Section Chairwoman, organized this event and set the handicaps according to IQ and height. It's a little complicated, but essentially the taller and cleverer the player, the greater the disadvantage he/she had and vice versa. It's no surprise then that Marvyn was crowned Tony Austin champion 2016 as he's very short, and, well, err, not that bright, shall we say? He's Welsh. It was a great afternoon of squash and the visiting players had a ball despite not having a clue as to the format of the event or the scoring. The ten players were put into two groups to play a single game up to 15 points against each opponent to determine who would reach the semifinals.

In group one, Neil Evans, being tall and fairly smart (a plonker, but very nerdy), had his work cut out as he started each game on -25, yet as he's a fairly useful player he managed to win all of them! Petra reckons some money might have changed hands there. Petra did fairly well herself because she's thick! Thus, she started each game on +10! Bruce, being short (and fat and bald and hairy) looked like he might be in with a chance, yet as he's one of the smartest people in the world had to begin each game with

a massive handicap of -38. The disadvantage was just too much for him. Ben (a very clever man, but not that tall) also played very well coming third in the group, and group one's local entry, Juta, seemed to have the perfect balance of not too much height and not too many brains and came second in the group behind the Nerd!

**Short vs Smart!**



|       | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  |    |        | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  |     |
|-------|----|----|----|----|----|----|--------|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| JUTA  | 22 | 15 | 15 | 11 | 15 | 56 | Veera  | 15 | 14 | 15 | 15 |    | (2) |
| Ben   | 13 | 15 | 15 | 7  | 15 | 50 | Kevin  | 9  | 15 | 0  | 8  | 7  | (5) |
| Peter | 12 | 11 | 15 | 11 | 15 | 49 | Marvyn | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | (1) |
| Neil  | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 60 | Dom    | 11 | 13 | 9  | 10 | 10 | (3) |
| Bruce | 5  | 5  | 9  | 8  | 15 | 27 | Dean   | 7  | 15 | 3  | 15 | 15 | (4) |

Group two included eventual champion, Marv, sporting a height of five foot and an IQ of 68. He then was able to begin each game on +13 and he won all four! Dean - short, but very smart - was out of his depth and had no chance. Kevin's problem was that he's very lofty and has an IQ of 654. Frankly, he wondered why he'd bothered to turn up! Dom and Veera seemed rather confused by it all, but Veera, replicating Juta's fine balance of tallness and debrainability, managed to come second in the group as Kevin burst into tears and ran off to kids' bogs.

In the semifinals, the Nerd played Veera, but was way too tall and clever for him so lost in a very close match that concluded 15-14, or something like that. Marv was way too short and intellectually challenged for Juta and, in another 14-15 match, he triumphed after ten minutes of riveting action!

Marv vs Veera then for the Tony Austin 2016 Championship! Marv - dwarfish and a high school dropout - clearly the favourite, and with a starting score of +13 how was Veera ever going to stand any chance? Veera - of medium height, yet smartish - looked bewildered, rather nervous, and very uncomfortable staring on +1. Petra, in her infinite wisdom, decided, at the last minute, that such a prestigious final being played in front of such a packed gallery (eight people!), needed a sudden change of format to make it more worthwhile and fairer. Therefore, he proposed that the final be the best of three games and thus decreed it such and that was that and final for the final.

First game: 15-14 to Veera. Bouyed by the prospect of another three games, he played out of his skin and Marv, devastated by the prospect of another three games (oh, his little legs!) barely got going. Game two: 15-11 to Marv. Veera again playing so well and Marv just managing to get the two points he needed. Final game of the final: 15-14 to Marv! What drama, such tension, lashings of excitement. Veera all the way from +1 vs -13 to make it 13 all. Could he just win the last two points to capture his second BCB trophy to add to his Rod Carter Plate title of the previous year won against the then corpulent Marc Sayer? He made it to 14-13 in a scintillating rally that involved both players hitting the squash ball with their squash racket several times. Match point! Championship point! Could he do it? No! Veera then made a colossal error with the court wide open and Marvyn rolling around the floor. He slammed the ball into the tin! Fourteen all and sudden death. One player would win and the other would die! And Marvyn did it! In a rally that flashed by so fast that nobody can remember what happened he claimed the final point as Veera collapsed and passed away right there and then on court one! That's sudden death for you!

Very well done Marv - Tony Austin Champion 2016 (Veera RIP)

Until Marv graduates with his MBA....



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# BCGS GOLFING NEWS



## Medal Mayhem

A hole in one by Karen Carter on the 175 yard 17th hole at Royal created some excitement at the March Medal. Using her driver Karen was thrilled just to have reached the green for the first time in many months. She thanked Ann McKinnon for being her lucky charm. Her pleasure was quickly dampened when her caddy said “I think it’s gone off the back of the green”. And yes there laid a ball a couple of feet over. So where was Frank’s ball? After searching the bunkers and looking under leaves Karen went back to the green and said “oh look there’s a ball in the hole...and OMG, it’s mine”. As you can imagine there was a lot of yahooing, five hi-ing and celebratory beers all round.



*Don't you hate it when that happens*

Karen’s eagle helped her scorecard and she won Flight B with a net 71 earning a one shot handicap cut and promotion to Flight A. Flight B runners up were Brian Brook and Peter Bond. Shane Torr repeated his February medal performance and won Fight A with a net 74. Close behind him were Frank Fawkes and John Sienna.



*Magic ball*



*Pre match tuck in*



*Shane does it again*



*Runner up Chris*



*Chef Cheryl*

### Juniors and Seniors

This two day 'Major' event was held at the beautiful Banyan golf course in Hua Hin. The steamy hot March weather was appeased by a stiff on shore breeze testing club selection and direction.

There are separate competitions for Juniors and Seniors. With the absence of many of the youngsters either due to injury or late night raving, Frank Fawkes proved that 60 is the new 40 by qualifying as a Junior. The first day is bogey golf when each player literally plays match play against the course. This is pretty tough as the course never makes a mistake posting par on every hole. Only Graham Johnston and Karen Carter managed to conquer Banyan by scoring +2 and +1 respectively. Horror stories were recanted that evening at David and Cheryl Lamb's beach condo. They kindly hosted a convivial party with lots of delicious food all washed down by copious amounts of wine. Many thanks to David and Cheryl.

Day two is stableford day but the pressure was still on. The hurricane like winds did not abate and the slick undulating greens were ice rink fast. The air was blue with 'blobs'. The Juniors led by Graham remained closely packed together whereas the Seniors led by Barry Ashman were more evenly spaced. At the end of round two the first day scores were added or subtracted from the stableford score. Barry Ashman prevailed winning the Seniors whereas Gordon Milne sneaked in from behind to win the Juniors. Runners up were Chris Brader with a 10 shot come back and Frank Fawkes.



*The winners*



*Juniors in action 2*



*Juniors in action*

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OFFER  
6<sup>TH</sup>  
MAY  
SIGN UP  
NOW!!

# SUMMER SPORTS CAMP 2016

## BEANSPROUTS

With Ms. Lynn

18-36 MONTHS

9:00AM - 12:00PM

Let's have some fun this Summer with arts & crafts, music, outdoor play, and featuring our special water splash day.

## LITTLE EXPLORERS

Led by Experienced Instructors

3-4 YEARS OLD  
(REY1 SENIOR-REY2)

9:00AM - 3:00PM

Come and join little explorers as children continue with their play based learning programme in a fun and creative learning environment.

## JUNIOR ADVENTURERS

Led by Experienced Instructors

5-12 YEARS OLD  
(RKG-RG6)

9:00AM - 3:00PM

We're back with numerous activities to keep your child busy and entertained this summer. In this camp, students will be divided into 3 suitable age range. The programme will include a variety of educational field trips including Imaginia Playland, Dinosaur Planet, The Golden Jubilee Museum and Farm de Lek will provide your child with a balance of fun and educational experiences.

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JUNE 13 - JULY 1 | MONDAYS - FRIDAYS

## Coach Sam's BASKETBALL CLINIC

9-14 YEARS OLD  
(RG4-RG9)

9:30AM - 2:30PM

Our Basketball Clinic is back by popular demand led by Coach Sam and Coach Poy. Daily training on skill development and physical fitness will be put into practice as students will play in league matches at the end of the day. We guarantee to help your child develop as a basketball player.

## SWIM CAMP with Coach Peter

9-14 YEARS OLD  
(RG4-RG9)

12:30PM - 3:00PM

Swimming is a fundamental life skill. Coach Peter and his team will help your child to learn to swim with confidence. The small class size is guaranteed to give your child the individual attention to match their skill level.

SAVE THE DATE!  
SPACES ARE LIMITED

