

THE HASHTRALIAN



No by-line this week – left it too late to think one up.

It's been a while since we ran from this park, I guess that could be because it took a huge effort by Dung Foot and Cop Gum to sweet talk the officers trying to arrest everybody for rowdy behaviour in a public place last time we were here.

With the further easing of Covid restrictions a jovial pack of 23 runners and one visitor turned up. I am sure Quasi will correct me if I miscounted. The SGT called the circle and handed over to the fully lubricated Drink Stop to tell us about the run. I think I missed a bit about the trial description, other than it went right at the road. So we all headed off and into the surrounding suburbs.



With the run/walk taking around 55 minutes, as you would expect in this area it went down through the deep dark forest tracks in Braeside Park. I noted a surprising lack of Rabbits, only saw one of the buggers running away, but plenty of evidence of their existence everywhere (ie shit).

Run No. 2787 – 1st February 2021

Hare: Drink Stop

Where? Chadwick Park, Dingle Village

First run set by the the GM – Drin Stop



Yes a Rabbit in Braeside Park.

So the pack eventually straggled back into the park, anxiously waiting for Top Gum to get back so the grog could be consumed. However the grog was already out by the time I changed as Toppy gleefully pointed out to me as he straggled back.



Two salubrious gentleman selling chap grog in the park.

The GM disappeared to get the food along with Toppies keys so the money box was locked away. He reappeared 10 minutes later with a supply of Dim Sims and soy sauce which we vigorously

consumed by the famished hashmen. Then he jumped in the car with the RA and headed out again – definitely not driving to retrieve the main course and more Dim Sims.



Food delivered and the pack attacked the highly simmered curry and plentiful rice. Just hit the spot on a cool evening open to the bay wind. Not much talking but a lot of eating an indication that the food must have been good.



A bunch of Harriers under a sign. No pilots here.....

SGT called the circle and the GM who took over with much applause then called on the RA – daddy, ah no I meant Non-Stop to do the run report – good run well marked except where not – four on backs kept pack together – what all four of us front runners? Rated 8/10 – new COVID strain. RA called in Gibbo to give the runners report since he was one of the FRBs – he called the run a geometric run through Braeside Park – rated acceptable. The RA and GM were taken away as the hares.



GM handed the circle over to the SGT for charges from before the run: The SGT charged Ticket and Kunza for whingeing about missing their Waitangi Day run next week. Farkin for big mouth. PII ranted about being not Happy, that Happy was le tin without a 28 day quarantine on entry back into Victoria, Happy. 2 Streets charged JC for calling Shiny Dick Drinkstop. JC charged 2 streets (My Way/Wrong Way mix-up), Adolf for beating Josh up on the run, GG for no trains. Adolf charged Dungfoot for faulty Australian Military made green masks. Tricky for Bart bitch reference. POW



GG had plenty of candidates, he rambled on enough to get a countdown and the POW ended with the GM:

GG in full flight!!!



Next Week's run is Members night at Fairfield boathouse. Pay your subs.

On On Adolf....