



CRAPAUD H3 REPORT

Run No.:	1731
Date:	19th March 2023
Hare(s):	Smuggler
Scribe	Smuggler (additional pics from Wendolene and Nil by Mouth)

Re-run of a wet run for Mothers' Day

As it was Mothers' Day Nil-by-Mouth and Steptoe handed out choccies to all the mums in the pack. Very gratefully received.

Smuggler had laid the trail for the run which started at the Green Island car park. He pointed out that he had identified this trail in 2022 and it was actually used for the 1718 run on 18th December. However on that day there was a howling gale and driving rain. This resulted in only two hardy souls running – Bags-of-it and Wendolene. So not to waste a perfectly good trail he decided to recreate it and was blessed this time with glorious spring sunshine.

There were five runnerrs which these days constitutes a crowd fer the Hash! They were pointed towards La Mare slip and Bags-of-it was also given a map to follow, so off they went. The running trail led to Mont Ube and through the lanes down to Le Hocq and then onto the cycle track by Le Rocquier playing fields. From there it led thourgh the fields between Pontorson Lane and Samares Lane and then 'on home'.

Meanwhile the walkers had headed off in exactly the opposite direction towards Pontac but their trail crisscrossed the running trail at several points.

Everybody gathered again on the seaside patio chez Smuggler and Nil-by Mouth. NbM then produced a lovely spread of french bread, pate, cheese, salad and various chutneys.

The down downs went to the hares for this week and the lone hare and runner from the previous week – Twin Peaks and Steptoe. Well done all.

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Important message from Twin Peaks, Wendolene and Vital Statistics:-

“We have signed up for the Gurkha Trust's Snowdonia Trek at the end of April.

There are strong links in Jersey to the Gurkhas and in previous years the Hash has supported the charity by entering teams into the Gorey Castle Steps Challenge and in doing so raised money for projects to improve conditions for the Gurkhas' home villages and the Nepalese hill people.

The Snowdonia Trek is not a sponsored challenge as our entrance fee included a substantial individual donation but if any fellow hashers care to make a contribution to the Gurkha Trust I'm sure they will be very grateful.

Currently all monies received go to help rebuild schools and water sanitation projects destroyed in the 2015 earthquake. The GWTJ works closely with Jersey Overseas Aid and between them they have several projects on the go during 2023.

We (Twin Peaks, Wendolene and Fuzz) recently came back from Nepal after completing a trek to Annapurna base camp in the Himalayas and we know from that experience how much the support of charities like the GWTJ is still needed.”



Runners rest



Field work



Beach walkers



A lovely spread



He's behind you...



Mothers assemble



Down Downs