



# CRAPAUD H3 REPORT

<b>Run No.:</b>	<b>1771</b>
<b>Date:</b>	<b>24<sup>th</sup> December 2023</b>
<b>Hare(s):</b>	<b>Jumper &amp; Illegal</b>
<b>Scribe</b>	<b>Nil by Mouth</b>

## **McKinley's Memorial Tree gathering**

Today's run/walk is from a new venue, the Orchid Foundation at Victoria Villlage. We have joined together with the Jersey hash to remember McKinley, who was a past member of both hash groups. An oak tree was to be planted in his memory, this had been coordinated by Jeremy Johnson and Jumper, McKinleys daughter.

Our hares were Jumper and Illegal, the large gathering was called together by our two GM's Steptoe and Bear, the hares told us it was a short run with a few fallen trees, courtesy of storm Ciaran a few weeks ago.

It was then on on, some runners took the wrong turning out of the gates and found the on home, they then had to catch up with the pack who were on. The runners and walkers met up on the Millennium path through the woods and all gathered for a photo call at the end.

The on downs were held in the foyer of the orchid foundation, these included mulled wine, beer and tea with sandwiches, courtesy of McKinley's family.

We all then proceeded outside for the tree planting itself, there were lots of volunteers to help Jumper and Jeremy.

We returned inside for down downs for the hares, provided by CH3 and Shackleton whiskey, McKinleys favourite tipple.

















