



# CRAPAUD H3 REPORT

<b>Run No.:</b>	<b>1776</b>
<b>Date:</b>	<b>28<sup>th</sup> January 2024</b>
<b>Hare(s):</b>	<b>Nil by Mouth and Smuggler</b>
<b>Scribe</b>	<b>Smuggler</b>

## Crapauds and Croquet

We convened this morning at Les Quennevais Sports Centre for our run and walk. There was a very good turnout on a bright winter's morning for our hares were Nil by Mouth and Smuggler. The pack were informed that the trail was laid in green and pink chalk with a smattering of wood shavings. The down downs were to be at the Croquet Club.

Steptoe was given a map of the route as neither of the hares would be running. The runners set off in a southerly direction on the Railway walk and the walkers in a northerly direction.

The running trail led through Pont Marquet park and onto the Railway walk again. then veered off towards Mont Nicolle. After ascending the steep hill it was down again on Rue Gras D'Eau towards St Brelade's Bay. The route then proceeded to the beach. At this point the runners diverged. Those who wanted a shorter run headed home through Winston Churchill Park. Those who wanted a sterner challenge head towards the western end of the bay and up the path to Les Creux before rejoining the Railway Walk.

Meanwhile the walkers continued on the Railway walk and witnessed the devastation caused by Storm Ciaran.

Everybody eventually turned up at the Croquet Clubroom where a spread of fine cheeses, french baguettes and assorted accompaniments were given a good seeing to. Some of the pack had actually remembered to bring their own drinks. Those that didn't were treated to tea or coffee courtesy of the Croquet Club!

The down downs took place on one of the croquet lawns. The hares were joined by a virgin, Ellie. She decided to nominate a hasher for her down down and after this was carefully explained as allowable to the Hash Rev (deep sigh), Capt. Poocock stepped up.

This brought to an end a very enjoyable and sociable morning.











