



CRAPAUD H3 REPORT

Run No:	1801	Date:	21 st July 2024
Hare(s):	Jacko	Scribe:	Tinky Winky

Jacko Triumphs in Wild North-West

There must have been Rumours circulating around the Island Hashing community! About the quality of Jacko's Trail-Laying ability and the virgin territory he had found in the Wild North-West. Judging by the large turnout and several Hashers we had not seen for a while – **Jumper!** (back from 2 years sailing Mediterranean, Greece & Turkey – clearly a fine-weather sailor!), **Plonker!** & his daughter **Heather!** (**Corkscrew**, the one with a very LOUD laugh!) plus intermittent Hasher **Ellie!** (although she had an ulterior motive, read to end!). While we gathered behind St Ouen's Parish Hall Ballcock regaled us about 5 years ago when he was forced to attend a Parish Hall Inquiry in St Ouen for displaying an outdated Insurance disc on his vehicle for which he landed a £125 fine. Ouch! Then Corkscrew confessed she had to attend the same Parish Hall Inquiry (when to her consternation she came across Ballcock) for texting on her mobile while driving after only a couple of months after passing her driving test. She declined to reveal how much she was fined!

Eventually our GM called us to form a circle, although I noted given limits of the parking access aisle it was more like an oval. Moreover, other petulant drivers kept getting us to move so they could park with the Pack ending up in a narrow rectangle. Steptoe thanked everyone who had helped to Marshal the Royal Visit last Monday which went very well, despite half the civil servants booked to assist us not turning-out. He then referred to the V-Campaign in Jersey during the Occupation, asking what was special about this today in 1941? Everyone racked their grey cells, but clearly no-one had any idea about what Steptoe was going-on about, except maybe Cliffhanger although he did not know the answer. So, Steptoe informed us in an attempt to combat the V-Campaign the Krauts put us their own V-banners all over the Island!

Our Expert Hare Jacko then took over the pre-Run / Walk proceedings, promising there was Virgin Territory to be explored (confirming the previous weeks Hash rumours), then advised he had got permission from a Mr Suck-Off (which he quickly corrected to Mr Surcouf) to Run over his land. Jacko finished off by promising "*a nice bit at the end*" (we were left unsure whether he was referring to Real Ale at Farmers Inn afterwards, or something else much naughtier!) advising he had laid the Trail in chalk & sawdust. Before the Pack hunted out he Trail Steptoe was prompted to welcome the aforementioned Hashers we had not seen for a while.

Judging by the Walkers Route the rumours were true, Jacko had laid an excellent Trail including virgin tracks after many decades of Hashing I had never seen before. Steptoe pronounced "*very good Trail, well done Jacko*". He then gave a "*special GM Award*" to Smuggler & Nil-by-Mouth for having escaped a Down-Down during our delegation who attended Truro H3's 40th Birthday Party weekend. Smuggler claimed they escaped due to having driving back to Poole to catch ferry early Monday morning! **Then our RA took over**, saying what a fantastic turnout and calling up Smuggle for his birthday, along with returners Jumper, Plonker, Corkscrew & Ellie – who was collecting spare T-shirts for a major art-exhibition in Jersey during August (see details in photo on page 60. Illegal commented "*this is where we find out if Frisco can count!*" (number of drinks required for Down-Down's). Clearly being a trained Accountant Frisco had managed to get the right number, which was amazing!

On On, Tinks



"Please talk to GM, Hashers!" (Tinks)



Jumper Returns! (Tinks)



Corkscrew & Plonker Returns! (Tinks)



Great Trail, I have Mapped Route! (Tinks)



Guilty Partners in Crime! (Tinks)



Hashing Returners! (Tinks)



Running a Wildflower Field! (Wendolene)



Hashing Buddies! (Wendolene's Mobile)



The Runners – what Posers! (plus Wendolene)



Squirrel Warning! (Tinks)



Trail Marks Abounded! (Tinks)



Jacko's Defaced Road Sign – "No Through Toad"! (Wendolene)



Ellie's T-Shirt Project Details (Tinks)



Plonker checking his Assets! (Tinks)



Down-Down Excuses! (Tinks)



RA Checks his Sinners List! (Tinks)



Birthday Boy, Returners & Hare (Tinks)



Jumper Wins! (Tinks)