

CRAPAUD H3 REPORT

Run No.:	1803
Date:	04/08/24
Hare(s):	Fuzz

Well this week we gathered again in St Martin to finally run the trail so diligently laid several weeks ago be Fuzz and Wendolene which, due to circumstances beyond their control, was put on hold until today. As several weeks had elapsed from the original date parts of the trail had been washed away so in the absence this week of Wendolene Ballcock was called upon to help Fuzz relay the trail and the Strava photo shows just what a trail it was!

After lots of chatter and shenanigans in the carpark the pack of three runners and four times as many walkers was called to order and instructions given about respecting private property, sticking to the edge of fields and generally not making a nuisance of ourselves. Rory, a new member was welcomed to the run and Frisco's wife Chris also joined us for the morning's activities.

The general direction of the run was towards St Martin's church and then along La Rue des Vallees and after traipsing around several maize fields we eventually ended up in Rue de Beuvelande. At one point the walkers thought they were hot on the trail of the runners as we were led through Beuvelande camp site and on to Rue de la Chouquetterie but our paths diverged as the runners headed towards Queen's Valley and the walkers turned into Les Vaux and the grounds of Valmont, a lovely house currently being renovated for the new owners, a Baron and Baroness – no relation to Jeff.

After leaving the grounds of the house behind us it wasn't long before we spied the church steeple and thus knew we were on the home run after what had been a really lovely run and walk. Thanks to Fuzz and her accomplices.

On downs were held at Fuzz and Adrian's house and what a welcome spread it was.

Down downs were awarded to Fuzz and Ballcock for a fantastic trail and to Jacko for I know not what.























