



CRAPAUD H3 REPORT

Run No:	1817	Date:	10 th November 2024
Hare(s):	Turkish Delight & ET	Scribe:	Steptoe

A DAY TO REMEMBER

Another goodly pack gathered at The Union Inn on Armistice Sunday & welcomed a virgin hare in Turkish Delight who was ably assisted by ET. However, Bags-of-It had brought his sister along as a virgin hasher. However, before we could even start the proceedings Jacko showed us how not to park a car.

After giving us our instructions TD immediately led us on a false trail before calling us back & leading on the roads behind the pub. Yet again we were called back from a false trail & we were down into the fields & woodland. Whist it might not have been too wet lately this did not mean it was dry underfoot. Some spots were somewhat tricky as the fallen leaves covered potential hazards such as stones & tree roots.

We managed to reach Le Chemin des Moulins (Waterworks Valley to most) make our way north but Steptoe called a halt to the Hash. This being Remembrance Sunday & the hour being almost 11.00 a circle was formed & Steptoe read a couple of stanzas from Lawrence Binyon's "For the Fallen" & a two minute silence was held. Thanks to all the hashers for their respect.

We started to run up the hill but we were called back & were led along the footpath labelled "No access". So when did hashers obey all the rules? Apparently workmen were now clearing the route which would officially be opened soon. The trail led us up mucky path & then down to Fern Valley where once more we ignored the path, climbed over a fence & made our way up through the fields & eventually reached the pub. We had completed 4.4 miles although Steptoe's Strava was started late & did not record the whole run. Weren't we lucky! We were rewarded with sausages & chips that were excellent with Butcombe Ale also available. We could not rest for too long as we were called outside for the down-downs. Steptoe thanked our hares for a great run & then asked a question which Turkish Delight was forbidden to answer.

Our virgin hare did not let us down as when no one provided the correct answer she revealed that Kemal Ataturk had died on this date in 1938.

Our Hash Rev. then rewarded Skywalker & Double Tops with their down-downs on each reaching yet another birthday. Joy unconfined! We had some sinners this Sunday as both Jacko & Walkies had decided that the pubs parking places were not big enough for their cars. They joined Turkish Delight & ET who had provided us with such a good run & excellent food.

Steptoe



Proud Parker



Instructions



Siblings



Post Remembrance pause



Does not apply to Hashers



Old farts



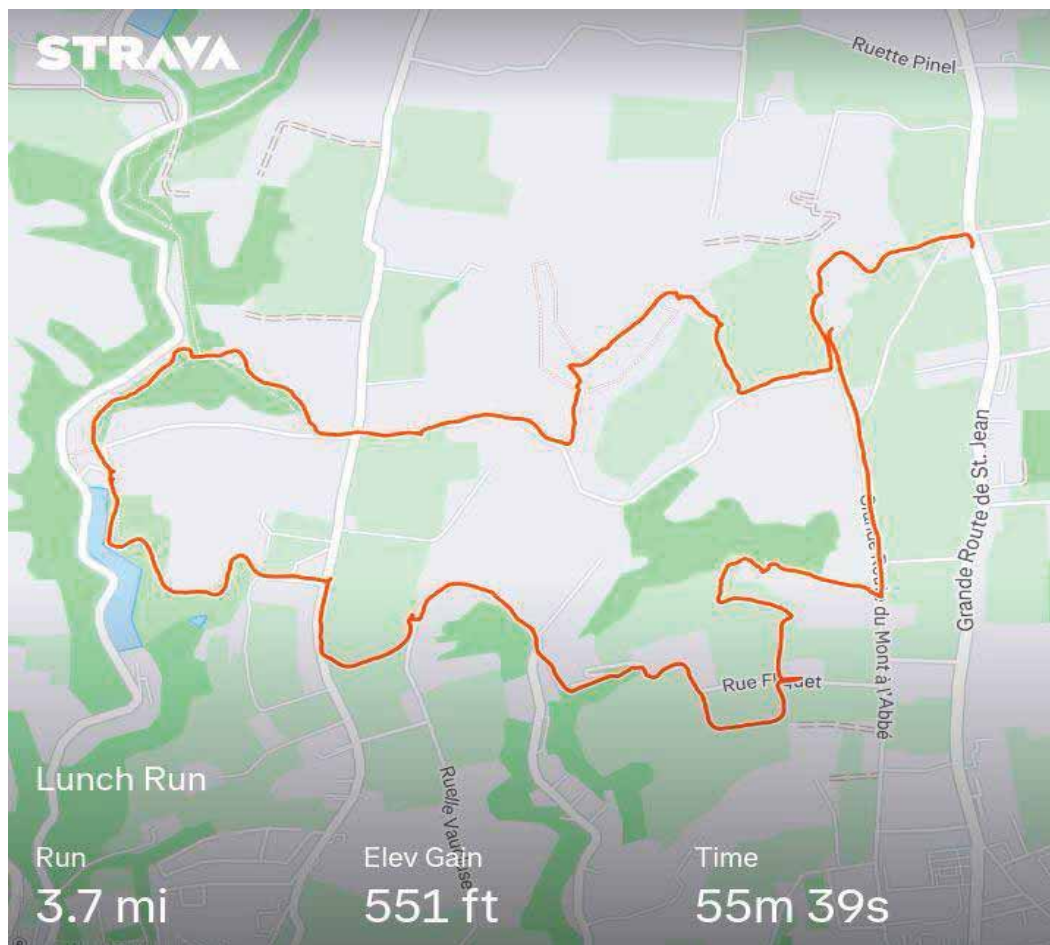
Birthday celebrants



Parking partners



Sinners all



Most of the run