

CRAPAUD H3 REPORT

Run No.:	1824
Date:	29/12/24
Hare(s):	Twin Peaks, Vital Statistics (& Wendolene?)
Scribe:	Smuggler

Back home at the end of the year

It was the last run of the year and to celebrate we were at The Smugglers where hashing in Jersey started long long ago. A goodly number of us turned up to partake in the festivities. Before we set off Santa's little helper (aka. Wendolene) handed out our Hash Christmas presents. This year we were treated to a lovely warm snood – modelled beautifully by three gorgeous guys (see pic).

After admiring our gifts the GM called us to order. He explained that his retirement had been put back for a week and that the new GM, Jacko, would now take over the reigns on 12th January. He then called upon the hares to address us. The principal hare was Twin Peaks, ably assisted by Vital Statistics with the walkers, and helped by Wendolene for the runners (quelle surprise!)

The trails for both the walkers and the runners led us on to Ouaisne beach and then up the steep steps to Portelet common. After wandering across the common we came out at the top of the hill down to Ouaisne. The trail the went along the road and we eventually turned off at Travers Farm Lane. At this point the runners and walkers met up before descending the steep path down to the bay.

It was then into the cosiness that is The Smugglers' Inn. Our fare consisted of bread, sausages, onion rings and chips - a nutritional delight.

Once replete we were called outside for the down downs. Hash Rev led proceedings whilst skilfully dodging incoming traffic. First up was birthday boy Steptoe. He was followed by Twin Peaks and Vital Statistic for haring, Jumper for falling down, Wendolene for the gifts and Frisco himself for becoming a grandfather yet again.

Then it was time to head off home but not before we saw Poocock walking down the hill. He had been to Woodbine Corner to do a bit of shopping and had managed to miss all of the fun although I understand that Hooker had kept a few cold chips for him!



Our Xmas gifts beautifully modelled



What a happy bunch



Frisco clearly did not get new trainers from Santa



And that was the last we saw of Tinky until the pub



He certainly is!



What a lovely view



FRBs



"He's behind you"



Fireside ornaments?



Birthday boy



Sinners etc.



"Am I too late for the party?"



The runners trail