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News

Australia

The shadow of COVID has not gone away. **Aussie Nash Hash** is postponed from this November until 25-27 March 2022.

New Zealand

The excellent New Zealand hash website has updated their 'Runs of Honour'. Special mentions were given to:

Little Flic (Masterton H3) - missed only 18 runs in nearly 1,700.

Noodles (Sun City) - completed 1778 runs of the club's 1,863 hashes.

Demon Dave (Auckland) - now joined Rotorua's *General* and *Father* as NZ's only Hashers who have recorded 2,000 runs with a single kennel.

Biggles, K9 and Townplanner (all Wellington H3) - are all over 1,800 runs.

Chips (Wellington Ladies) - over 1,700.

Prickhairyarse (Whangarei) Daggy (Garden City) and **Likka (Pania)** - all over 1,600 runs.

Dinki Di (Wellington Ladies and Geri's) and

Deepthroat (Wellington and Geri's) - 1,000 hashes with their respective kennels.

Sweden

All C-19 rules were lifted from 29 September 2021 'so you're free to run & drink to your heart & liver's full content! However, please remain observant, test yourself, and stay at home if you notice any COVID-related symptoms.'

Best wishes to hash veteran *Clever Dick*, recovering from a recent operation.

Mexico

Mexico City H3, once such a great kennel, restarted with a hash on October 16th. This is just in time to celebrate its 41st Anniversary! *Elm Humper* (AKA Humberto del Olmo) hosted a hash in the San Angel neighbourhood. The second run put them on even firmer ground, with a successful hash from the artist neighbourhood of Coyoacán. (See front cover) Twenty of so hashers had a guided walk followed by a short trail in a local jogging park. At this point things had gone 'okay' but after retiring to a local restaurant/bar the event took off with a wonderful on-on which is likely to encourage the four hash virgins to return. Events were helped by the return of two senior hashers, *Shakesprick* (Ed: yes, me) and *Disneyland*, who had last hashed together in Mexico around 1996.



Mexico City H3 are back! Their second run after the group reformed.

Thailand

This note from **Siam H3**: *In the expectation that restaurants can resume alcohol on 1 Dec, Siam H3 have announced that the first run of Dec will serve as our AGM, Ex GMs Run and Christmas Party! We currently do not plan to try and have a hotel party this year. Friday, December 3rd is also tentatively pencilled in for the **Full Moon** 200th run and Full Moon AGM.*

USA

Hashes in the USA are still coping with COVID.

These guidelines are from **Eugene H3**:

We expect all hashers to follow current CDC guidelines in relation to masks. As CDC guidelines change, so will ours. This means that as we move back to live trails, fully vaccinated folks can hash without masks. Unvaccinated folks are expected to read the guidelines and follow them.

Private property owners can make their own rules about increasing (but not decreasing) mask wearing on their own property. Live trails are optional: You can still run a bit late behind the pack. OnOn.

The current Eugene H3 Miss-Management:

Grand Mistress: *Always Wet Pussy*

Religious Adviser: *Barely ManBelow*

Hare Raiser: *Polar Whoretex*

Haberdashery Team: *Barely ManBelow*

Beermeisters: *Space Invader*

Hash Flash: *Freedra GoodHome*

Hashy Hour Coordinator: *Bring 'em Young*

Webmaster: *Bangkok Taco*

Memphis H3 received a mention in the local newspaper for organizing a beer stop on the Memphis Marathon route. *'Look for us at Mile 9 and Mile 22 at North Parkway and Stonewall. We will have kegs, flabongos, music, and a PORTAPOTTY!'* While proud of this contribution to the marathon - well done guys - I have to point out that **Memphis H3** took second place in the report to the Memphis Ukulele Flash Mob *'a group of about 70 men and women from Memphis who play ukuleles for everyone.'*

Turkey

From Wicked Willy: *Hi Hashers. Anyone interested in visiting Turkey for your holiday next year then come to Fethiye and join Fethiye H3 and help us celebrate our 500th run. Weekend of 11th and 12th June 2022. We would love to see you here. On On Wicked Willy. GM Fethiye H3.*

Eurohash

The committee for the 2023 Eurohash is:

Grand Master	Neptunus
Senior Advisors	Higgins Urine
Bar Stooge	Higgins
Registration	Toed's
Event Management	
Rego Bitch	CockaTool
Party Animal	Neptunus
Web Slave	Pink Panther
Graphics Design	WhatsHisName
Trail Masters	
Thursday	Boar Whore Pink Panther
Friday	Dr. Flatus Higgins
Saturday	Slippery Edge Opee
Sunday	Little Adonis
Cocktail Mix Master	Opee
Lead RA	Urine
Bullshit Market	Pink Panther



The running shoes of hash legend Ian Cumming - should be saved for the hash museum!

Canada

Matthew Kleinosky drew attention to the 93rd birthday of *Sir NooKey*, (**Edmonton H3**) which makes him the world's oldest known hasher. *Sir Nookey* hared his own Birthday trail. He started Hashing in 1994 when he was already 66!

England

Another white power scare, although fortunately this was in England and not the USA so nobody was threatened with years in jail. Several Midlands newspapers reported that, *'The appearance of mounds of white powder in the streets of Old Town caused concern among Stratford residents on Tuesday (16th November), with some suspecting the piles were poison left to harm unsuspecting animals.'*

The Warwick Hash House Harriers, 'a social running group 'for the unfit, slightly fit and nearly fit' left the flour as route markers for their three-mile run that starts and ends at a pub. Grand master, Chris Hughes, said: "Our group was running in Stratford. We did explain the markings to passers-by while both setting and running the trail, but can confirm that we used harmless plain flour for our 'hare and hounds' style run. The Warwick Hash House Harriers would like to apologise for any concern that may have been caused."

Cambodia

Phnom Pen H3 celebrated their 1,600th run with a boat trip out to the run site. *Paul Midgie* has recorded his 900th hash with the kennel.

Podcasts

RA's latest podcasts include *Scud*, *Maid Marian* (founder **Manila Ladies**), *Sir Nookey* (world's oldest active hasher) and *BetBet* (**Sierra Leone H3**).

Singapore

Singapore is finally relaxing COVID restrictions and hashers can now run in teams of a maximum of 5. On-On's can take place in restaurants, certain hawker centres or coffee shops as long as all present are fully vaccinated.

Myanmar

Yangon H3 completed Run No 1,700 in November.

Iceland

Over the years Iceland has had very little hashing. There was a hash on a military airbase once, but no city hash. There has recently been a one-off event with Jürgen R. Schreiter and Hans *Neptunus* Dijkhuizen leading a hash trip to the island.

Phnom Pen H3 celebrate their 1,600th hash



Hashing returns to Iceland.



Hong Kong

Little Sai Wan H3 had some excitement when two co-hares were stung by hornets.

Columbia

Hazukashii has been touring South America and passes this news on from the InterAmericas committee: *After many months of questions and concerns, a small group of able bodied hashers have assembled to reignite the planning process to ensure this event goes off as scheduled.* The new committee members are:

Chairpersons	<i>ABBA & Chimbawamba</i>
Finance	<i>Where's Baldo & ICP</i>
Registrations	<i>Thar She Blows</i>
Logistics	<i>Mu-sick</i>
Trail (& web) Master	<i>Hazukashii</i>

U.A.E.

Campouts in Hatta are brilliant events, staged and sponsored by the always generous *Little Mo*. The upcoming programme includes a **National Day Run** on 5th December and the **EXPO 2020 Little Mo's Big Hash Campout Desert Safari** in January.

Ascension Islands

The hash have decided to suspend activity, *not* because of COVID, but because there are too many Christmas parties coming up! 'We will be back on the 27th at Lady Hill to walk of some of the festive excesses. Have a great time and see you all on the 27th'.





Peru

I see that hash veteran Magda Los (aka *Dead Loss*) (ex Burundi, Dar es Salaam and various other places) is setting trails in Lima.

Thailand

Pattaya H3 organized a clean up in the countryside. *'We will arrange more activities in the coming weeks to keep the spirit of PH3 alive!'*

Germany

Frankfurt H3 (Ed: possibly Germany's leading kennel!) announce that 'HASHMAS IS BACK - for a whole weekend!!' Starting with a pub crawl followed by a PROPER run and a HASHMAS DINNER!! Sunday brings a HASHMAS XmasMarketHangOver run. (Ed: since this was released Germany have issued new COVID restrictions).

Korea

Wandering Women H3 is a monthly, ladies-only kennel that hashes all over Korea. They will be having their next trail in Incheon.

Austria COVID Update

Vindobona H3 wrote: *'Given the regulations applying to meetings of clubs in Austria, we are obliged to suspend the Hash for the time being'*.

Round-up

New hash name: **Taliban of Oman H3**. Happy birthdays: **Mad Swede** (founder **Westra Aros Gurka H3**) and **Terry Mechan**. Announcements: **Pittsburgh H3** will stage their 2000th run in January.

Paraguay

There is talk that hashing has returned to Paraguay with **Asunción H3** staging their first run in some years. More news next month.



Above: Paul Midgie has recorded his 900th hash with **Phnom Pen H3**
Center: Vicenza H3 T-shirt
Latest: Absolut Trash from Malibog

Vicenza Derelicts H3

Hashers visiting Italy now have another option: *'HHHi! We are the Vicenza Derelicts Hash House Harriers! Derelicts! Derelicts! Derelicts! From the sacred wine country of Italy! We're commonly confused for the Venezia/Venice H3 (Ed: Presumably the USA version?) but we're the closest kennel you will get to Venice. Whether you've hashed with us, plan to visit us, or just want to represent us on your everyday shenanigans, check out our store! Thanks & On-on!'*



Danny Fenster

Hashing in prison

Danny Fenster

Born 1984 (age 37)
Nationality American
Occupation Journalist
Employer Frontier Myanmar

An American journalist, he was managing editor of **Frontier Myanmar**, a local news magazine.

In February 2021, the Burmese military staged a coup d'état and quickly curtailed press freedoms. The publishing licence of his former employer, Myanmar Now, was revoked in early March, but the outlet continued to report clandestinely.

Fenster was detained by authorities on 24 May 2021 at Yangon International Airport, while waiting to board a flight to visit his family in Detroit. Fenster has been detained at the notorious Insein Prison.

On November 12, the Myanmar military court sentenced Fenster to 11 years in jail.

A few days later on November 15, Fenster was released from jail and sent back to his family in the United States.



What the Wikipedia article on the left overlooks is that Danny is a hasher! While he was imprisoned he sent this message:

"On Saturday, May 29, at approx. 3pm, I ran for 40 minutes in a tiny circle around cell blocks 8 & 9 of Insein Prison. I had been arrested without running shoes, having planned to buy new ones in the States, and one can't hash in flip flops. It was, I declare, the 1ST (and, I hope, only) INSEIN PRISON BARE-FOOT HASH, 2021. The next day, both feet were covered in massive blisters, and muscles in the ankles and lower legs I didn't know existed screamed in anguish. It would be another month before I felt capable of running again - this time, with shoes - and so, alas, on the last Saturday of June, I reran the same route for the 2ND INSEIN PRISON HASH. I don't know when I'll be out, but until then, I'll be with you all in spirit every Saturday afternoon, on what is TRULY the shittiest trail of all time. ON ON".

Danny was released a few days later.





New Zealand lost a true hash legend with the passing of

Judith JUBES O'Connell

Pam Johns was possibly the first to break the news. 'We have sadly lost another member of our Hash family. Judith "JUBES" O'Connell passed away this afternoon - 4 November 2021 -in Rotorua Hospital. You will be missed by the many hashers you have known since you started hashing in the 1970's'.



Mother Theresa

Some really sad news. I just received an e-mail that broke me up. Only a little while ago we were visited here in Budapest by one of my very long time friends, *Mother Theresa* or *Mo-T*. He was here travelling through with *Dr. Flattus* before Euro Hash. I just received a notice from Daytona Beach that *Mo T* has left this earth. He was a great guy and one of the most wonderful people I have ever had the pleasure of knowing. Consider yourself blessed if you had the opportunity to spend some time with him. May wherever he is be a beautiful place and may he smile through eternity.

Auntie

New Zealand lost another hasher when Ian David *Auntie* Hingston passed away peacefully on Saturday November 27th 2021 at the age of 80 years.

Edward Curran

Edward Curran (1939-September 2021) has passed away after an eventful life. He grew up in Roslyn, New York, where he was captain of the high school football team and twice winner of the North Shore Invitational Mile Run. Ed served in the Navy, from 1962-1965, flying F4 Phantom bomber jets off the USS Enterprise. While on leave Ed toured Europe and climbed the Matterhorn! After leaving the navy he moved to San Francisco, where he was Assistant Engineering Manager for the team designing the King Khalid International Airport in Saudi Arabia. He later became the Vice President of Boeing Industrial Technology Group in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. His obituary noted that he loved adventure *'and was a member of the international running group called The Hash House Harriers'*.

Ed: Can anybody fill in details of this remarkable man's hash career?

William Beecher

William "Bill" Beecher was born on April 23, 1940. He and Nancy lived in Madison where he taught until he retired in 1996. *'He had many fun years running with the Hash House Harriers and stopping at local bars to connect with his favorite bartenders. He was often irreverent in words and behavior, which was endearing to those who loved him'*.

Charro Negro

Mexico City H3 lost a former GM with the death of Arturo Charro Negro López Portillo. On On.
(Below: Charro Negro in his young hashing days.)



Rehydration Run - 2021







The U.A.E Rehydration Run returned with a weekend camp in the deserts around Abu Dubai. Rehydration Runs - which consist of a short desert run between themed drink stops, followed by a night camping - started in Cairo. They were introduced as an alternative to the Nile Raft Race which had been declared too dangerous, due to the rising levels of river pollution!

The U.A.E. version was started by **Al Ain H3** but, as numbers on that hash declined, was taken over by **Abu Dubai** hashers. The U.A.E. event is traditionally staged in mid to late November in the deserts around Abu Dhabi and Al Ain. *Photos by Vomit Creek H3).*

Hash Stats

Port Vila H3 Roll of Honour

Numbers as at Run 2000

Gerard de Gaillande	1708
Ken Howell	1412
Jean-Luc Bador	1363
Henri- Edmond Russet	1328
Micjel Deroin	1268
Bernard Rolland	1259
Paul Phelan	1250
Mark Stafford	1120
Mark Lister	1076

Where Have You Hashed?



Vanuatu is a South Pacific Ocean nation made up of roughly 80 islands. The islands offer scuba diving at coral reefs, underwater caverns and wrecks from the Second World War. Port Vila, the nation's capital and economic center, is on the island of Efate. **Port Vila Hash House Harriers** was founded on 10/05/1976 by members and friends of the Playmate Ski Club (that is water skiing) including Malcolm *Tooth* Cooper and Carl Bay (ex Suva). Runs take place every Monday.

Where Have You Hashed? is a long-term feature on the excellent [gotothehash](http://gotothehash.com) website.

It is not perfect. I am not sure, for example, why each USA state scores a point while Australian states do not. However, it is certainly good fun and produces some interesting data. With 2 hashers recently breaking the 100 country barrier it seems a good time to print the top 20. *Go check it out!*

			Countries	US States	Big events	Total
1.	Hazukashii	Hash Nomad	101	31	19	151
2.	Higgins	BMPH3	100	12	49	161
3.	Commercial Whale	North Hants H3	95	8	39	142
4.	Mu-Sick	Key West H3	85	41	37	163
5.	Candyfloss	Yorkshire H3	83	4	27	114
6.	Quick Drawers	Mount Vernon H3	82	52	30	164
7.	ALICE	North Hants H3	81	8	30	119
8.	The Wolf [†]	Frankfurt H3	80	1	44	125
8.	Muthatuka	Cambridge H3 (UK)	80	3	5	88
8.	Mr Magoo	DCH3	80	38	27	145
11.	MTM		79	8	19	106
12.	Yark Sucker	BMPH3	74	2	22	98
13.	Keeps It Up	Brighton H7	69	8	17	94
13.	Wildbush	Brighton H7	69	5	17	91
15.	Thar She Blows	Key West H3	68	35	26	129
16.	CIA	Houston H3	67	35	38	140
17.	Big Shaker	OH3	66	6	8	80
18.	Run2Eat	City H3 (London)	63	4	18	85
19.	Sit & Spin	Frankfurt H3	62	65	100	250
20.	Weeny Schnitzel	Brazil Nuts H3	58	4	14	76

Hashers

A to Z

Letter **H** —————

Thanks to RA's podcast for information on many of these hashers!

Hopeless

Mark Hope

Little Sai Wan H3 & Typhoon 8 H3 (Hong Kong)

Hopeless arrived in Hong Kong in September of 1989, and was dragged by a work colleague to the **Little Sai Wan Hash** (28th of February, 1990). 1,070 LSWH3 runs later and *Hopeless* is still in Hong Kong, having clocked over 3,450 hash runs in 17 countries, and having hared nearly 500 times, so far!

In June of 1990, on his first “away tour” in Guangzhou, China, he was named *Flagpole* for running through the streets with the LSWH3 flag on a bamboo stick for the entire run. This was quickly changed to *Hopeless* (by *Gucci*) for setting three runs in succession where all three were washed out by torrential rain. The third effort also saw the restaurant cancel the booking. He is currently GM of **Hong Kong Friday Hash** (HKFH3) and the **Typhoon 8 Hash** (T8H3). *Hopeless* is renowned for his love of Carlsberg and catchphrases such as “never underestimate the stupidity of a hasher” and “mark your corners!”.

Hopeless

John Hopgood

Buenos Aires H3 (Argentina)

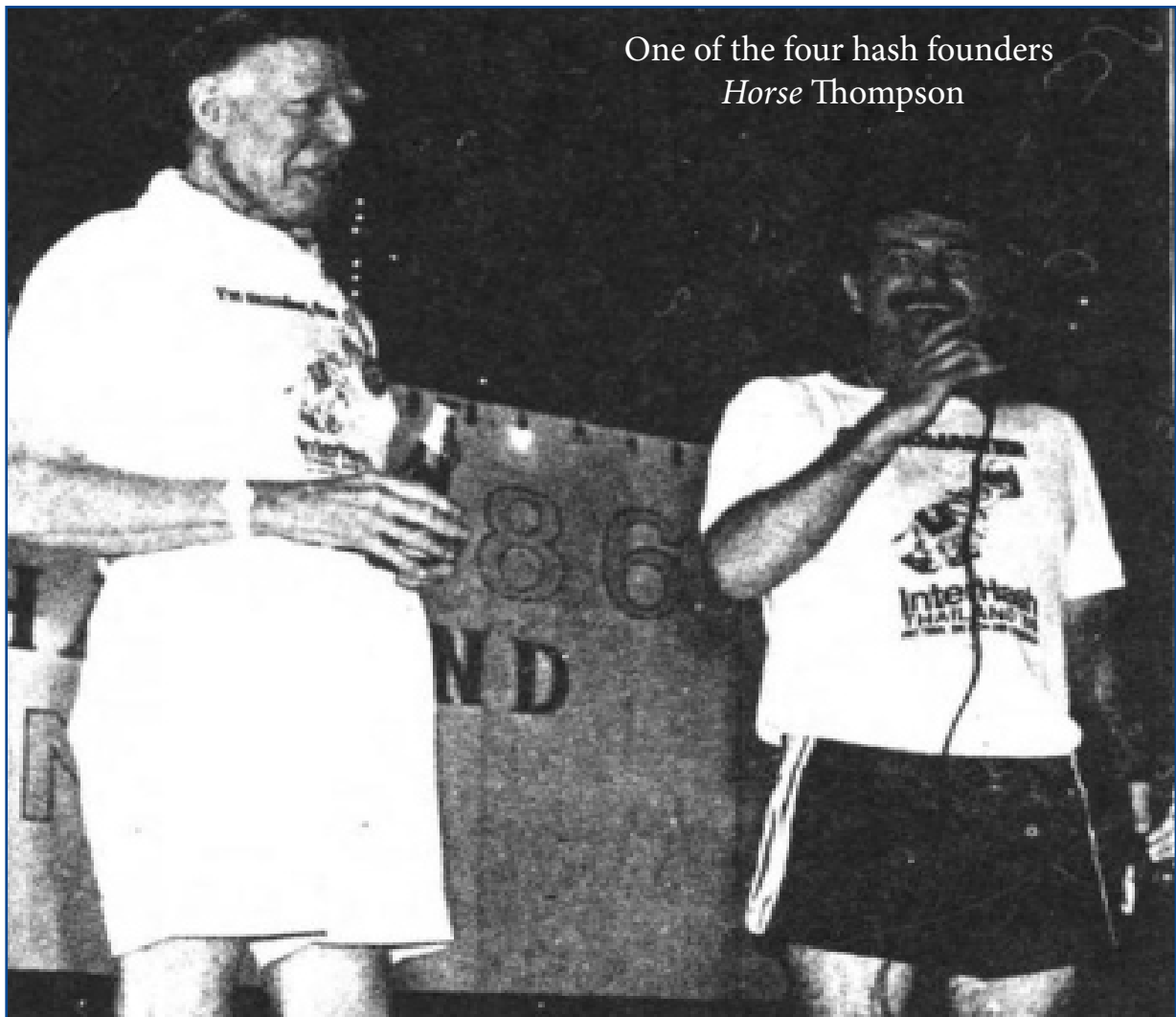
Hopeless (and wife *Emilia Bad Penny Hopgood*) re-founded the **Buenos Aires H3** in April 1993.

Horn-E

E L Foertsch

Chicago H3 (USA)

An ex-military man who read about hashing in June 1985 and went along to the Chicago hash. It was a big party for a leaving hasher and he has stayed on every



One of the four hash founders
Horse Thompson

since. He met the legendary Ian Cumming, who became a great friend. *Horn-E* founded, or co-founded- the **Friday Windy City** and **Full Moon** hashes. He has undergone several names changes, including *Beer Can* after his massive collection of such items.

Hooray Henry

Henry Liddell

London H3/Bermuda H3 (England/Bermuda)

When Henry *Hooray Henry* Liddell was elected GM of the **London H3** at just 20 he was clearly destined for great things. Countless down-downs later he is an international drinking legend – three-times Inter-Hash champion, EuroHash drinking champion and Hash record breaker with a best recorded time of 8.6 seconds for 2 litres of beer and 3 second flat for the one litre.

Hornbill

Seletar H3 (Singapore)

GM of **Seletar H3** in 2005.

Hornblower

Kevin Parnell

Seletar H3 (Singapore)

Born in 1948, he became a popular and long-term

member of **Seletar H3**. Also known as *Kool Kev* and *Cinderella*. *Hornblower* passed away in April 2019. On *On Ed*: A *Kev Parnell* is also mentioned as *Joint Master on the POM (Papua New Guinea) hash* - not sure if it is the same person?

Horse

Fredrick Thompson

Mother Hash

Fredrick *Horse* Thompson was a veteran of the early paper chases in Malaya and in 1938 joined his old colleague, Gispert, in KL. He missed the first few hash runs as he was on leave, but on his return took over as secretary and is credited with bringing an element of organisation to the club, including opening a bank account. *Horse* was not the most enthusiastic of runners, but was a noted short cutter. After a nasty war, including being shot while trying to escape from the Japanese, he returned to KL around 1946 and had a spell as Joint Master before retiring to the Philippines to run a sugar plantation. *Horse* was not a Hash name, but a nickname acquired earlier, apparently for his physical appearance. He made widely acclaimed guest appearances at InterHashes in Sydney (1984) and Pattaya (1986).

Horses Arse

Mahmoud Ali

Edmonton H3 (Canada)

Horse's Arse is an enthusiastic Hasher based in Edmonton, although he is also a regular visitor to his native Bangladesh where he first discovered Hashing in 1991. After returning from Dhaka to Edmonton he hunted out the local chapter and was an early member of **Edmonton H3** as well as joining the various regional Chapters that have arose over the years. Whenever he travels, running shoes, hash gear and a couple of bottles of booze fill at least half of his luggage and Horse's Arse's hash travels have included Kuching (2010 InteHash), KL (80th Anniversary), Brussels (Beer Odyssey) and Prague (2021 Euro-hash). Horse's Arse famously missed the return bus on the Brussels Beer Odyssey Ball Braker and, being stuck in a small town somewhere in Belgium without either money or ID, was offered a night's sleep in a police cell before being put on a train back to Brussels in the morning.

Hot Air

Mohsen al Ashmoni

Cairo H3 (Egypt)

In 1995 Mohsen was one of the first locals to take the role of GM of **Cairo H3**. (Ed: possibly the first.) During his spell as GM the kennel reached 400 members



Hot Air in his GM days

and celebrated their 800th run.

Hotlips

Jane Durrant

Warsaw H3 (Poland)

A key member of **Warsaw H3** with spells as both GM and RA. She managed 159 runs, with 28 hares, placing her in the kennel's top 10 all time list.

Hot Lips

Laurie Knott

Grand Rapids H3

A Grand Rapids boy who was a long-term member of the local hash.

Hot Tub Slut

Licking Valley H3

Founder of the **Licking Valley H3** and now tops their run totals with 149 hashes.

Howell, Ken

Port Villa (Vanuatu)

Run with Port Villa (Vanuatu) on some of the jogs



Ibo Ibo

that are seen as a prelude to a proper hash. Later became GM of the official hash from runs 351-400. Was still there five years later, by which time he topped the run total with 474 hashes and was RA. By the 2000th run he was on 1,412 hashes, one of nine Port Villa hashers with over 1,000 runs.

Hromiah, Adrian

Tehran H3/Cairo H3 (Iran/Egypt)

Believed to have started hashing with Mother Hash (Ed: can anybody confirm this?) and was a founder of the influential **Tehran H3**. In 1980 he moved on to Egypt where he restarted the Cairo hash in its present incarnation. Born in 1936, Adrian passed away in 1994. On On.

Hugh Heifer

Chris Muller

Puerto Rico H3/Rumblin' Roman H3 (Puerto Rico/USA)

Chris *Hugh Heifer* Mueller, an American law enforcement officer, started hashing in 1996 with **Fort Eustis H3**. He was accompanied by his new bride *Cock, Block & Tackle*. Since then (and with CBTs undying support) he restarted the **Puerto Rico H3** in 2004 and served as the RA and Hashmaster for the **Chattanooga Choo Choo H3**. A posting to the Philippines saw him elected as RA of the **Makati Metro Manila H3** and GM of the **Manila Fullmoon H3**. In May 2012 he founded the **Rumblin' Roman H3** in Rome, Georgia, USA. He has attended several World InterHashes and hashed throughout North America and Asia. One can always count on *Hugh Heifer* for a tune in circle!

Hugh Hugh Far Queue

Angeles City H3 (Philippines)

An **Angeles City H3** hasher and a fine runner who once took third place in the Manila Marathon with

Lake search fails to find boating victim

POLICE and civilian searchers did find no trace yesterday of a year-old Sydney man who disappeared after a 4m dinghy overturned in the choppy waters of Lake Macquarie just after midnight.

Despite an extensive search which involved the police launch, the Belmont police boat, several private boats and vessels on the State Fisheries, Maritime Services Board, Swansea Juneteer Coastguard and NBN, trace of the man could be found.

The missing man, Mr John Hensen, had accommodation at Shing Point and was returning Kilaben Bay from a barbecue at Belmont with a Kilaben Bay



Sheba . . . swam ashore from upturned boat.

shore to seek help, leaving Mr Hensen clinging to the boat.

Once ashore Mr Bodewes raised the alarm and a Coal Point resident set out to retrieve the boat and Mr Hensen.

The boat was found about 2.30am with the motor fouled in a rope tied to the front of the vessel and acting like an anchor.

Mr Hensen could not be found. According to Mrs Bodewes, Mr Hensen's four adult sons rushed from Sydney to help in the search using Mr Hensen's larger boat.

It is understood that Mr Hensen's brother was also helping search.

The police launch Doyle joined the search at 4am and combed the Lake until ten.

under by the motor so they drowned it off but were still un-

a time of 2:28. After suffering from dementia, Hugh passed away in 2021. On On!

Hugh Mongus

Todd Bennett

Eugene H3 (USA)

An important influence on hashing in the USA and Canada having founded both **Eugene H3** (1991) and **Saskatchewan H3**.

Hughes, John

Bandar Sri Begawan H3 (Brunei)

One of the founders of **Bandar Sri Begawan H3** which was created from the waiting list of nearly 100 hoping to join the **Brunei H3**. This was a controversial move in a community that had always been a one hash town. He left Brunei soon after the group was formed.

Human Dynamo, The

Wellington, Christchurch H3 (New Zealand)

The Human Dynamo joined **Wellington H3** in 1975 and was a founder member of **Christchurch H3** in 1979 and **Garden City H3** in 1984. He served as New Zealand's Grand Master between 1985 and 1986.

Hunkaspunk

Guangzhou H3 (China)

Hunkaspunk is a **Guangzhou H3** hasher with 334 runs (4th on the all-time table) and 65 hares to his credit.



Hopeless - long term Hong Kong Hasher

Hurricane

Lake Macquarie H3 (Australia)

Hurricane was a member of **Lake Macquarie H3** who sadly drowned following a Hash run. 'On the 1st of August 1983, "Lake Macquarie" claimed one of Newcastle's Hashmen - Hurricane. After a run at Dudley, Hurricane was rowing across the lake to miss the "Booze Bus" when he fell out of his boat and was claimed by the Lake. Hurricane was a great Hashman and friend and in his memory and name, Lake Macquarie Hurricane Hash continues to run'.

Letter I

I Need an Adult!

Justin Goff

Horses Arse H3 (USA)

Justin first stepped into the hash world on August 2018. Over the next few months, he hashed with **Horses Ass H3** and **Hellhound H3** anytime he could be in Lexington. 'He was king of finding the most epic trail treasures. Most notably he once picked up a toy coffee pot, dumping out the sludge and drinking from it in the circle'. Justin passed away in 2019. 'Even though he was only in the Hashing world for a small moment, he made a huge impact on our lives'. RIP.

Ibo Ibo

Michel Desloover

Manila Mixed (Philippines)

A native of Canada but a long time dual Canadian - USA citizen who spent almost 40 years working (mostly concurrently) with the US Army and the US Government, most of it in overseas postings. Although claiming **Manila Mixed H3** as his Mother Hash, he was in fact introduced to hashing by former **Bangkok H3** regular Bill Cooper who staged a one-off introductory Hash in Virginia in 1988! Since then Ibo has hashed in 42 countries including the KLH3 Diamond Jubilee, Mother Hash 80th Anniversary as well as the inaugural Eurohash (Paris) and the inaugural Eastern European Interhash (Warsaw). He was founder of the **Yangon Full Moon Hash** (January 1998) and the **Bangkok Angkaan Horny Hares H3** (April 2019). He re-founded the **Bamako Anglophone Sunday Hash** (2014) and the **Babylon H3** in 2004. He also set the only known hash (a one off Xmas Hash) at the then Bagram Air Force Base (Afghanistan). His hash name *Ibo Ibo* was awarded by **Samurai H3** (1992-3) and is a Japanese brand of condom. Since retirement he is based in Thailand. Ed: *Ibo Ibo is a good friend from Bangladesh and will*

be featured as a hash legend in a later edition.

Ice Queen

Dagmar Atynski

Vindobona H3 (Austria)

Ice Queen met the Vindobona hashers at the Ice Skating Ring in Vienna in 1999 and got addicted to hashing immediately. After having run regularly for 20 years with the **Vindobona H3** she was the first Harriette to reach the 1000 run-mark and became a member of the exclusive Order of VH3. Her new name is: Holy Roamin' Empress. If time allows she tries to find a pub which serves beer for EUR 1,-- (mostly in Bratislava) and sets a trail around this pub (to make the Hashers happy). She hashed in Zagreb, Brno and Bratislava and often attends Interscandi. One of her claims to fame is her ability to crush a boiled egg with her breast – as demonstrated in the Interscandic circle 2005.

Ichibawasan

Seletar H3 (Singapore)

Set the shortest trail in Singapore records when he and his co-hares were confronted by an angry cobra a few hundred meters into the run. They abandoned any further paper laying and returned to the car park!

I Dream of Jeannie

Saigon H3 (Vietnam)

A Saigon Hasher who set, what is possibly a hash record, by being arrested at her first attempt at being a hare. *Hang Down Your Head* was her partner in crime.

I-Feel Tower

Walter Moore

Richmond H3 (USA)

His brother-in-law, *TIC*, spent two years trying to get him to hash with **Richmond H3**. Once he finally turned out, in December 1997, it happened to be a shiggy trail with a beer stop on a mountain of mud. He was hooked! He acquired his name after confessing to having his first sexual experience in Paris. He and his wife, *2nd Cumming*, spent most of the next 24 years commuting all over the Eastern US for her job. During this time (and with help), he founded 15 kennels in 7 US States and 1 in Northern Ireland. Of those, 10 are reliably and regularly on trail. He has served as the Grand Master of the Hash Founders Hash since 2014. He recently earned a place in the **Guinness World Records** for the world's longest wearable coat. This hash 'cloak' is 69 feet long with room for thousands of patches!



Imelda

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Wichanee Ratanapa

Bangkok Harriettes/Thinking Drinking Hash (Thailand)

Imelda is a true hash legend. She has been a hasher since 1984 and has attended every InterHash since 1986 in Pattaya, where she was both a hare and on the committee. A decade later she became the first Harriette to act as Chairperson for an InterHash event. Her home kennels are **Bangkok Harriettes** and **The Thinking Drinking Hash**.

Indiana Jones

Fevzi Ersoy

Antalya H3 (Turkey)

A key figure on the **Antalya H3** where he is currently RA.

Induces

Angeles City H3 (Philippines)

First hashed with **Taipei H3** where he was named *PP* (*Permanent Press*) as his hash shirts always needed ironing. He moved to Angeles City where he would clock up 1,211 hashes, a record at the time. His full hash name is *Induces Menstruation*, which is an interesting story. *Induces* passed away in 2020. On On .

Inter Galactic Super Hero

Gerry Palmer

High Wycombe H3 (England)

Gerry Palmer is a long standing and last original member still running with **HWH3**, having started hashing with them on the 24th November 1992. He produced the hash trash for many years and started the web site. Has now completed 1,149 runs with **HWH3** as well as turning out with other local hashes over the years.

Irish

Ray Chadwick

Melbourne H3 (Australia)

Joined the hash in 1980 and is still there with 1,368 hashes to his credit. Was GM in 2005 and winner of the Jack Salmons Award in 2008. Currently scribe and set something of a record when he won the Prick of the Week three times in the same year, including for 'not inviting any male hasher to his 70th birthday party.'

Iron Balls

Floyd Doss

Long Beach H3/Los Angeles H3 (USA)

Was on the inaugural run of **Long Beach H3** in June 1985. He regularly hashed with Long Beach and **Los Angeles H3**, and at 65 years of age, started running triathlons. He also enjoyed 100 mile bike rides. He had enormous strength, stamina, and determination, but was also notably clumsy and was constantly injuring himself on trail. His health stayed with him into his '80s, *'but in 2003, we lost a strong, strong hasher'.* *On On.*

Isle, R

Mother Hash

On-Sec of Mother Hash in 1980 and Joint Master in 1981.



Itchy Bum

Jackie Johnson

Dhaka Mixed Hash (Bangladesh)

International teacher who hash and worked in Vietnam, Zambia and Bangladesh before returning to her native USA. Hash-wise best remembered for being one of a series of powerful female GM's on the **Dhaka Mixed Hash**. Loves cycling and spends holidays touring for hundreds of miles through the USA - which inspired her hash name.

Itchy the Clown

Steve Massie

Eugene H3 (USA)

Graduated in 1986 and left New York to work as a social worker in San Francisco. While training for a marathon was directed to the local hash by a friend. In 2001 he set his first clown hash after which he was named *Itchy the Clown*.

I.U.B

Ken Moore

Jebel H3 (Oman)

I.U.B. (Incredibly Ugly Bastard) was a long-term resident of Oman and a major organizer on the **Jebel Hash**, including overseeing a successful Gulf Inter-Hash. He was something of a wild lad in his younger days but calmed down in his later years. Never the keenest of runners. I.U.B. was a lover of beer and a good circle. (Ed: I.U.B. arrived at one hash with a flat tyre. He started to change the spare but had to stop every third turn of the wheel nut for a rest and a cigarette. He was **STILL** changing the tyre when we got back from a long run!) *On On old friend.*



Above: Horse's Arse. Right: I.U.B.

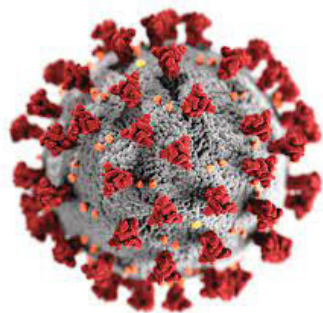
Hashing and COVID-19

December 2019

The first cases of a new disease are reported from Wuhan.



January 2020



The name COVID-19 is mentioned for the first time.

23rd

Wuhan, a city of eleven million people, is placed under quarantine.

The world braces as isolated cases appear across the globe.

31st

WHO issues a Global Health Emergency.

The worldwide death toll is around 200 with 9,800 cases.

February 2020

2nd

Travellers from Hubei province to the United States face a 2-week home-based quarantine.

3rd

The Trump administration declares a public health emergency.

Several countries - including Australia, Germany, Italy, and New Zealand - start imposing air-travel restrictions.

February 2nd

Beijing H3 suspended activity. This is probably the first time a run has been cancelled since the Tiananmen Square protests.



March 2020

6th

Numerous passengers and crew on a California cruise ship test positive and the ship is held at sea instead of being allowed to dock in San Francisco.

Europe becomes the epicentre of the pandemic. Iran and Italy are in crisis.

11th

With 100,000 worldwide cases WHO declare a Pandemic.

13th

US impose a travel ban on Non-US Citizens traveling from Europe

19th

California issues a Stay-at-Home Order

25th

Bangkok hashes close down

Distant Vanuatu escapes COVID and **Honiara H3** keep running.

Madras H3 (India) is an early pioneer of virtual runs.

March 7th

Oslo H3 stage their last hash before going over to solo runs.

14th

Port of Spain H3 suspends activity. This is particularly significant as they are about to host InterHash.

15th

The Paddy Day run in Dubai is the last **Desert Hash. Creek H3** hold one last hash then also suspend further activity.

19th

Cairo H3 suspends activity.

19th-21st

Inter-Gulf goes ahead with vastly reduced numbers and no bar crawl. *Hazukashii* is the only visitor to make the event.

23rd

Sydney, Hobart and Hamersley suspend hash activity.

March 5-9

The **Paris H3** 1000th successfully goes ahead.

March 12th

West London H3 suspends hashing. **Bicester** suspends 'for 4 weeks'.

15th

White House H3 suspend all hashing.

16th

A USA hasher, recently returning from Thailand, dies of COVID.

20th

Hashing is suspended in **Singapore** - the first time a run has been cancelled since the curfew of the sixties

23rd

Dar es Salaam H4 suspends hashing. This is probably the first time the hash has been cancelled since the death of President Nyerere.

Sweden take a different approach to the rest of the world and hashing continues. Hares are encouraged to set a hash within cycling distance of the centre to cut down on the use of public transport.

The world starts to panic!



March 23rd

Interhash - *just a few weeks away* - is pushed back to April 2021

April 2020

Nairobi H3 suspend activity but **Lagos H3** stage a joint AGM hash with **Apapa H3** and **Surulere H3**.

With Egypt trying to return to normal **Cairo H3** organize a felucca sail down the Nile.

Brazil might be the center of the COVID epidemic but the government is determined to ignore the problem and **Brasilia H3** are still running.

Saigon H3 are back hashing.

Seoul H3 take advantage of being a small enough group to slip under the radar and keep hashing.

(Ed: can anybody confirm this?)

Houston H3 stage their AGM run.

Hashing in Hong Kong continues under government restrictions. Only **Wanchai H3** are not hashing.



May 2020

2nd

Russia records a one-day record of 9,623 new infections.

India records a record 2,293 new cases in one day but Iran, with 802 new cases, sees its lowest daily count in nearly two months.

May 13th

Trump slams Doctor Fauci for his comments made to the Senate.

22nd

Brazil surpasses Russia as the country with the second-highest number of cases, following the United States.

May 26

The number of COVID-19 cases surpasses 5.5 million globally.



8th

"What do you have to lose?" Trump asks when touting the malaria drug hydroxychloroquine.

15th

US deaths reach 30,000 with one million cases.

UK Prime Minister Boris Johnson is taken into intensive care

16th

Trump entertains reopening the US economy in time for Easter Sunday.

Dr. Fauci reaches superstar status as Brad Pitt plays him on TV.

May 4

The Samoa government lifts the ban on non-contact sports allowing hashing to resume.

May 15th

The InterHash Council announce that Interhash 2020 has now been pushed back to 2022



COVID leads to economic cutbacks in the U.A.E. and the hash loses several members. Pilots and oil industry workers are badly hit. Hashing returns but the pack cannot gather in houses or in the desert so all runs have to start from pubs.



24th
In **Denmark** the permitted numbers allowed to assemble raises from 10 to 50 giving the hash more freedom.

Dhaka hashes are staging solo runs with virtual circles.

June 2020

Europe and South Asia appear to be coming out of the worse of the crisis

10th
US COVID-19 cases reach 2 Million.

The European Union reaches 60 percent of adults vaccinated with at least one shot and 41 percent fully vaccinated.

27th
Thailand announces a 30-day ban on indoor dining and gatherings of more than 20 people amidst rising cases.

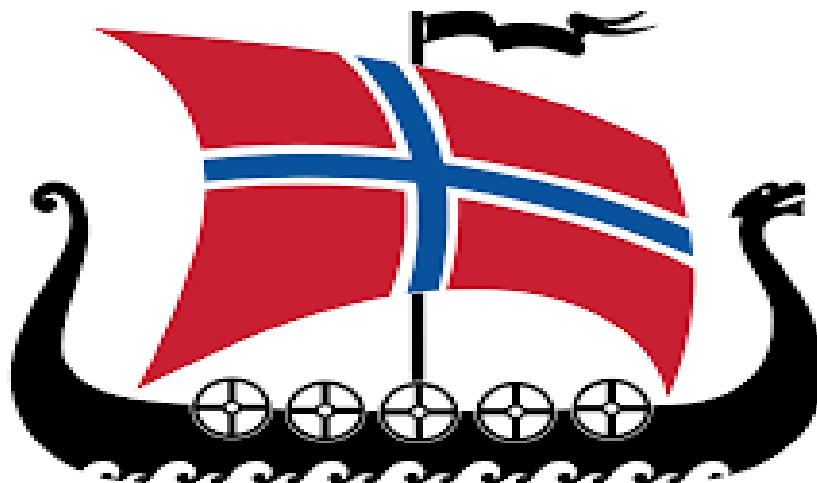
South Africa tightens COVID-19 restrictions as the country battles with the Delta variant.

From the end of May **Oslo H3** are back in full action with circles allowed if they are outdoors. The last regular hash had been on March 7. Oslo then missed two weeks before going over to solo runs. The good news is that Zoom gatherings attracted many former hashers now scattered around the world.

The South West China Hash is cancelled but over fifty hashers travelled from all over China to attend the Xishun Weekend.



New Zealand is returning to normality and kennels start announcing some big events that will go ahead later in year.



Hovering on the edge of victory

July 2020

We seem to be edging out of the crisis - but it is two steps forward and one step back....

7th

The USA begins its withdrawal from the W.H.O.

21st

Vaccines start to show promising results.

Singapore delays lifting restrictions after a cluster of cases linked to karaoke lounges forces 2,000 people to quarantine.

Dhaka hashers have the choice of solo hashes or running in a group.

6th

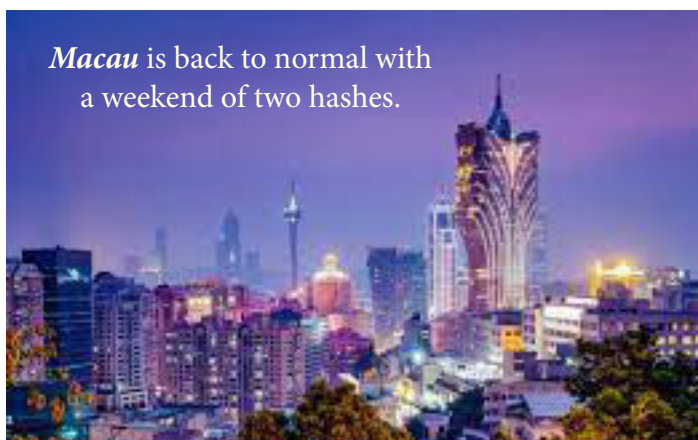
Pattaya H3 resume hashing and the **Bangkok Harriettes** are planning their first away trip for later in the year



**Hash House Harriers
Pattaya, Thailand**

August 2020

Macau is back to normal with a weekend of two hashes.



With China returning to normal the **Dogs of Shanghai H3** hold their inaugural Red Dress Run.

English hashes settle into some combination of virtual or small group runs with Zoom circles.

'It's hashing Jim, but not as we know it!'



Brunei kennels stop hashing, *one factor being that with the border closed there is no alcohol!*

Ireland announces a \$19 million support package for pubs.

New York announces its lowest rate of COVID-19 infection since the pandemic began, marking three consecutive weeks when the infection rate has been below one percent.

COVID-19 cases in France triple over the past month.

Italy reports 1,000 new COVID-19 cases for the first time since May.

Germany reports the largest increase in daily cases since late April.

Spain reports its highest level of COVID-19 deaths since May.

14th

New Zealand extends its lockdown in Auckland by 12 days.

31st

India reports 78,000 new COVID-19 cases. They now have the third-highest number of COVID-19 cases behind the United States and Brazil.

New Zealand hashers stage a winter camp trip to South Island with 69 turning up.

3rd

Thailand reports its first COVID-19 case after 100 days.

5th

There is a small outbreak in Melbourne, which extends its hard-lockdown until the end of September.

France reports 9,000 new COVID-19 cases, its highest 24-hour increase.

15th

The United Kingdom records 1,940 new COVID-19 cases, its highest daily increase since May.

18th

Denmark limits public gatherings to groups of 50 people or less.

22nd

The United States passes 200,000 deaths.

28th

The Netherlands implements new restrictions on restaurants and bars, and inter-city travel as COVID-19 cases surge.

30th

Major League Baseball announces it will allow a "limited number" of fans to attend the World Series event.

New York City's COVID-19 positivity rate reaches 3.25 percent—its highest figure since June.

Finland introduces a midnight curfew on bars and restaurants.

Sweden is trying to continue life as normal and *Ali Wank Bonk* is elected the new GM of the **Absolut Hash**. However, the annual trip to the Medoc Marathon in France is not possible, so a Medocseasn1 Hash is staged in Drottningholm Park.

UK Nash Hash is postponed until 2023



With the country simply ignoring COVID **Dhaka Mixed Hash** set a countryside run with a real circle.

Dubai hashes are back to real runs although they still can't meet in homes or the desert. *Nancy Boy* is the latest long-term hasher to depart.

Aberdeen H3 have been running '10 days trails' with the hares laying and regularly refreshing the flour over a number of days.



Macao H3 stage a Red Dress Run



COVID makes a come-back

October 2020

2nd

U.S. President Donald Trump and First Lady Melania Trump test positive for COVID-19.

7th

Spain declares a state of emergency in response to Madrid's COVID-19 outbreak.

12th

The United Kingdom imposes new lockdown rules across the country.

28th

France imposes a new national four-week lockdown as COVID-19 cases surge once again.

India surpasses 8 million COVID-19 cases.

The United States surpasses nine million COVID-19 cases.

New Orleans H3 are offering the following guide for those attending their runs:

- Bring your mask and wear it like you do at restaurants
- Be ready to buy food if you want to buy booze
- Plan to sit outside

San Diego H3 send an update to hashers.

'Covid has been a challenge for our Kennel, but we have been doing the right steps to keep running and keep our Hashers as safe as possible. This Saturday we will be running our Anal Event HashaThon which is our first event since the start of Covid.'



Capitan of Auckland H3 reports *'we had our first proper run in 6 weeks last night. In memory of Bananas who died of a viral brain disease in Thailand a month or so back.'*

Hashing returns to **Germany** and **Semen On The Pew** celebrates 20 years of hashing

November 2020

Stockholm hashes finally have to make concessions to COVID, introducing staggered runs in groups of 8 and no circle.

Episkopi H3 (Cyprus) go into hibernation.

Thailand is opening up and the **Bangkok Monday H3 AGM** takes place with *Gringo* as the new GM. **Siam H3** are planning a Christmas Party.

Qatar Nightcrawlers stage their 10th anniversary run.

Melbourne H3 are back to hashing after two lockdowns.

Americans head to the polls



The world passes 46 million cases.

Singapore reports 14 days without any new local cases.

COVID-19 infections have fallen by 30% during England's month-long national lockdown

Germany suggests tougher curbs. French restaurants remain shut.

China faces corona virus flare-ups in Tianjin, and Shanghai.

Samoa and Vanuatu record their first COVID-19 cases.

Cyprus announces local lockdowns.

Swedish Prime Minister Stefan Lofven warns of *'a very serious'* virus situation, as new curbs are set to come into force.

December 2020

3rd

President-elect Biden says he will ask Americans to wear masks for 100 days.

8th

The U.K. begins vaccinations.

14th

The U.S. death toll surpasses 300,000.

20th

With COVID numbers on the rise Boris Johnson abruptly imposes a lockdown on London and most of England's southeast. Countries across Europe and beyond began closing their borders to travellers from the U.K.



The **Jolly Roger H3** pencil in a hash cruise for January 2022.

Hashing is going ahead in Indonesia and **Medan H3** celebrate their 45th anniversary.

Bangladesh is still ignoring COVID and the local hash stages their annual Victory Day Run. This involves running around the streets with Bangladesh flags shouting 'Joy Bangla'. Hopefully nobody will notice!

New Zealand is almost back to normal. 200 turn up for *Ob's* living wake. **Wellington** celebrate their 200th and **Whangerei** stage a Red Dress Run.

It is not all good news. There is no hashing taking place in Myanmar and Vietnam is closing down once again with **Nha Trang H3** suspending activity.



Hashing in the time of COVID

By *Jetstream* of Cambridge H3

During the period of COVID restrictions the Cambridge Hash managed to keep running each week by running as individuals, rather than a group, with those who were isolating, joining in via Zoom virtual circles.

However, in January 2021, the second English lockdown introduced a restriction on non-essential travel. As the Cambridge Hash travel several miles to a different village outside the town each week, the Mismanagement sensibly decided to suspend runs to avoid breaking the rules and drawing attention to ourselves. The last CH3 run was therefore held on 3rd January 2021 with the Hares, Horny and Sox Maniac, laying a socially distanced trail at Wimpole.

What were we to do? Hashing has been our life and religion since our first run in November 1976! So, with 6 hashing households within a 500 metre radius in Girton, on the outskirts of Cambridge, we decided to lay a trail from the village which would not involve travel, and so the Girton Unofficial Non Travelling Hash, or GUNT, was born. Following jungle rules, one blob and you're ON and running individually or in family groups, we were able to stay within the lockdown rules. We did contemplate calling it the Cambridge Unofficial Non Travelling Hash but the acronym is rather inappropriate for a family hash!

Taking a rather relaxed definition of the phrase "public right of way" enabled us to explore lesser known parts of the local area and areas with signs saying "Private, Keep

Out" could be ignored. Running in small groups enabled us to be in and out before anyone noticed, with the occasional exception.

As the weeks went by we redefined the definition of non-essential travel to include travelling to the hash, so we ran further afield as the weeks passed. Unfortunately, all pubs were closed but we had the unexpected delight of pop-up mobile drink stops as the Hares walked their trails backwards with backpacks of beer.

Other benefits of these arrangements included the inability to arrive late, as there was no official starting time (this certainly suited us!). Although we did not have a circle or any mingling on the run, we did occasionally pass other hashers on the trail and were able to pass the time of day in a socially distanced and responsible manner. For those of us who rarely arrive at checks before the FRBs (Front Running Bastards) have checked them out and marked the true trail, it was refreshing to be able to search for dust at each check and try and find which way the devious Hares had gone.

Our weekly trails also attracted some new "runners" to hashing although they mostly disappeared when lockdown ended and they were able to return to their usual Sunday activities. Fortunately, lockdown ended and on 4th April we were able to restart regular Cambridge Hashing.

On-On! Jetstream

January 2021

China faces a new outbreak of COVID in Hebei Province.

14th

The WHO team tasked with investigating the origins of the outbreak in Wuhan arrive in China.

India starts COVID-19 vaccinations.

Newly elected US President Joe Biden halts the United States' withdrawal from WHO.

The world surpasses 100 million COVID-19 cases.

The number of confirmed cases in the UK has reached a new high, with more than 50,000 daily confirmed cases recorded in a week.

The UK announced a third lockdown



February 2021

Hashing in **Thailand** is hit by new restrictions. *Flash Git* posts: 'Earlier this week the Government announced measures to restrict the holding of all gatherings "posing a risk of disease transmission". The fine details will emerge later but it seems likely that events such as ours would be considered risky.'

In Australia **Cairns H3** post new instructions, leading with a warning not to come to the hash if you have flu-like symptoms.

There is no hashing in Turkey. As **Istanbul H3** explains: 'we're trying to get together by Zoom just drinking practice, there is not any real hash, we managed three runs last year, now it's not allowed because of the weekend lockdowns in the country.'

We enter the new year wondering if we will see any big hash events?

The first test will be **PanAfrica Hash** scheduled for early July in Kampala (Uganda) and the August **EuroHash** in Prague (Czech Republic).

Hashing restarts in the Philippines. In Sri Lanka **Colombo H3** are planning an April train trip. **Japanese** hashes are closing down again.

Azerbaijan hash stats show 'only' 13 hashers reached double figures in 2020.

Most US hashes keep open but restrictions vary. **Houston** are only having virtual circles and **Fort Eustis** are limiting numbers on the run.



Dar es Salaam H4 keep going under restrictions, including wearing masks when not running

WHO reports that the number of global weekly COVID-19 cases has dropped nearly 50% due to public health measures.

Anyone traveling to the UK from a country on the banned list will be required to quarantine for 10 days in a government-approved facility.

The death toll from COVID-19 exceeds 500,000 in the United States.

The FDA grants emergency use authorization to Johnson & Johnson's COVID-19 vaccine, the first single-dose COVID-19 vaccine available in the US.

With New Zealand virtually COVID-free hashing is returning to normal. **Auckland H3** celebrate *Scruffy's* 80th birthday run and they were scheduled to celebrate *Demon Daves* 2000th in March.

March 2021

Brazil records over 100,000 cases in a single day for the first time

Mexico becomes the third country to surpass 200,000 deaths from COVID-19.

Turkey records 26,182 new COVID-19 cases, the highest number this year.

Japan bars overseas spectators from attending the Summer Olympics in Tokyo.

March 17

The European Commission proposes an EU vaccine passport:

March 22

Britain bans travel from outside the United Kingdom in an effort to curb the spread of the virus.



Hashes all around the world (at least those able to run) celebrate **St Patrick's Day**.

Dubai's long-term Irish couple, *Pog Mo Thoin* and *Camel's Arse* set a run from the Dubliner's bar which attracts 20 hashers.

Seaman Staines and *Circumcised* offer a great countryside run for the **Dhaka Mixed Hash** and handed out some excellent t-shirts.

Hashing has continued without a break in **Stockholm** but the group has recently introduced new guidelines.

Hashers gather outdoors, usually in town to limited travel on public transport, and set off in staggered groups of 8.

Hashing continues in Hong Kong despite COVID-19 restrictions and HK's oldest hash (H4) hold their AGM on Monday 22nd February.

Most hashes in HK have introduced "staggered starts" to accommodate the "groups of 4" ruling.

Only Sunday's **Wanchai H3** are not running.

Bahrain is returning to normal and **Bahrain H3** and the **Bahrain Black Hash** come together for a Red Dress Run. This celebrates BH3's 2600th hash.



Houston H3 mark one year of 'lockdown' by staging a "real" hashing experience. The trail is laid by 11am and *'anyone who is uncomfortable being in a bar or a group setting can run the trail on their own at anytime'*

The main pack meet for a 2:30 start with an A-to-A run starting and ending at a bar with a large patio.

All hopes on a vaccine



Group gatherings were banned for a while but **Grenada H3** are now up and running again *'with approval for hash events given by the relevant authorities.'*

April 2021

Global cases surpass 150 million.

Global deaths surpass 3 million.

India records over 100,000 new cases in a day, surpassing its previous record for daily cases.

April 13

The United States pauses the use of the Johnson & Johnson vaccine after six individuals (out of nearly seven million recipients!) develop a rare clotting disorder.

April 20

The World Health Organization reports that global COVID-19 cases have increased for the eighth consecutive week.

A new variation that first appeared in India is officials designated the name Delta.

Hashing is slowly returning. **PanAfrica** is still on for July in Uganda and **EuroHash** is still a go for August in the Czech Republic.

The **Mekong IndoChina** is looking very uncertain, but this is due to political events rather than COVID-19.

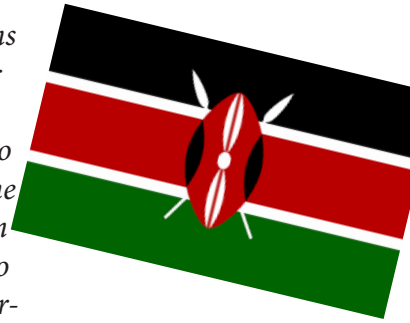
Hursley H3 are running under lockdown restrictions. **Glasgow H3** will be re-starting *'for the second time - we managed 3 trails before the lockdown came back.'*

Special COVID hashes have started up here and there - including Copenhagen and the **Melbourne Prohibition H3**. The latter *'carefully worked within the strict social distancing rules at the time. During the second lock down, we stayed sane by setting tailored individual runs for each other set within the 5km radius of our own homes with a virtual hash circle and each member sinking piss in their own sheds, backyards.'*

Since the COVID-19 lockdown (March 2021) **Phnom Penh** has held a Wednesday city hash. Originally known as the *Wuhan Outstation Hash*, it is now called the *Phnom Penh City Hash House Harriers (P2CH3)*.

In the middle of April the Bangladesh government impose strict new lockdown measurements and the Men's hash go into hibernation. The mixed hash continue with solo runs around a marked trail.

From Kenya *Thunder Thighs* reports that, *'currently our Hash is on a government enforced sabbatical owing to the third wave. Hopefully the government will lift the ban soonest and allow natives to participate in social, and perhaps sexual, intercourse'*.



May 2021

India becomes the first country to record more than 400,000 cases in a single day.

14

Greece reopens its borders to international travellers.

16

Italy lifts mandatory quarantine restrictions for travellers from the European Union, United Kingdom, and Israel.

19

The European Union agrees to open its borders to vaccinated U.S. citizens but imposes travel bans on India.

U.S. President Joe Biden asks the U.S. intelligence community to analyse the origins of the COVID-19 pandemic and to produce a report within 90 days.



June 1
The United Kingdom reports no new deaths from COVID-19 for the first time since March 2020.

June 12
Saudi Arabia bans foreign pilgrims from the Hajj and sets a maximum of 60,000 local pilgrims, all of which must be vaccinated.

The European Union reaches 60 percent of adults vaccinated with at least one shot.

June 26
UK Health Secretary Matt Hancock, who led the country's response to COVID-19, resigns after breaking UK COVID-19 rules.

June 27
With Thailand facing rising cases the government announce a 30-day ban on indoor dining and gatherings of more than 20 people.

Portugal and Spain impose new restrictions on visitors arriving from the United Kingdom, and Hong Kong bans passenger flights from Britain.

The first cruise ship to leave a U.S. port since the start of the pandemic sets sails.

A quarantine-free travel corridor between Australia and New Zealand is suspended following a surge in cases in Sydney.

Turkey announces a plan to lift all COVID-19 curfews.

June 2021



Yorkshire H3 are 'almost back to normal. New rules - maximum 30 on run - are still in place so hashers must register with the hare prior to joining the run'.

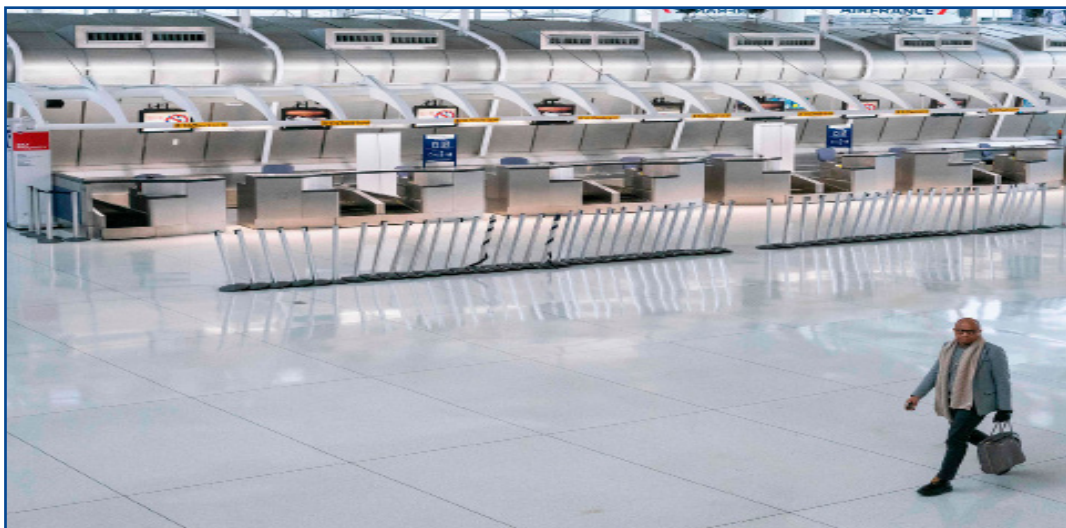
Manchester H3 has also decided to re-commence real-time hashes whilst abiding by government guidelines.

Lune Valley H3 feature in a Lancashire Post article. The spokesman for the group was Steve, 'my official 'hash handle', or nickname, could be too rude to publish' and he reported that COVID-19 led to only the second cancelled hash in Lune Valley H3's 21-year history. The first cancellation was due to flooding.

Kunming Spring City H3 and **Cheng-gong H3** have merged to form **Kunming Chenggong H3**. Attendance at each club has withered under COVID rules. The combined Kunming Chenggong H3 welcomed nearly 200 Hashers from all over China who came to Yunnan 'for four days of amazing trails . . . and drinking, eating, celebrations, and even some singing!'



Two steps forward - one step backwards



July-August 2021

TOKYO 2020



One in five U.S. COVID cases are now coming out of Florida.

A subdued Olympic Games go ahead a year late and without spectators.

29

England ends the mandatory two-week quarantine for travellers arriving from the United States and European Union.

August 2–August 9:
France Introduces Health Passes;

August 2
United States reaches a 70 percent vaccination rate.

Germany and the USA are to offer COVID-19 booster shots starting in September.

Amazon delays its return to the office until 2022.



Seychelles has not had a proper hash run since January this year. *We do “DIY” hashes, groups of up to 4 hashers go hiking and post photos of their adventures.*

Istanbul H3 stage a ‘proper’ hash followed by a visit to a bar, *‘great to get together again!! 12 hashers all vaccinated.’*

Lima H3 are hashing once again and stage some great looking countryside runs.

In the USA: **Happy Valley H3** state that, ‘the latest information in the local press is that *“a SafePass will be required at all locations outdoors or indoors where more than 20 people congregate”* - so please ensure that you have your SafePass available just in case we are visited!!’

With COVID on the rise, some Thailand hashes go back into hibernation.

For example there was this message from **Phuket H3**: *‘After consulting with public relations the GM has cancelled the Saturday hash runs while it remains prohibited to have celebrations or drink alcohol in public, around lakes and reservoirs, or at beaches’.*

Euro hash is still on but **USA Nash Hash** has been postponed.

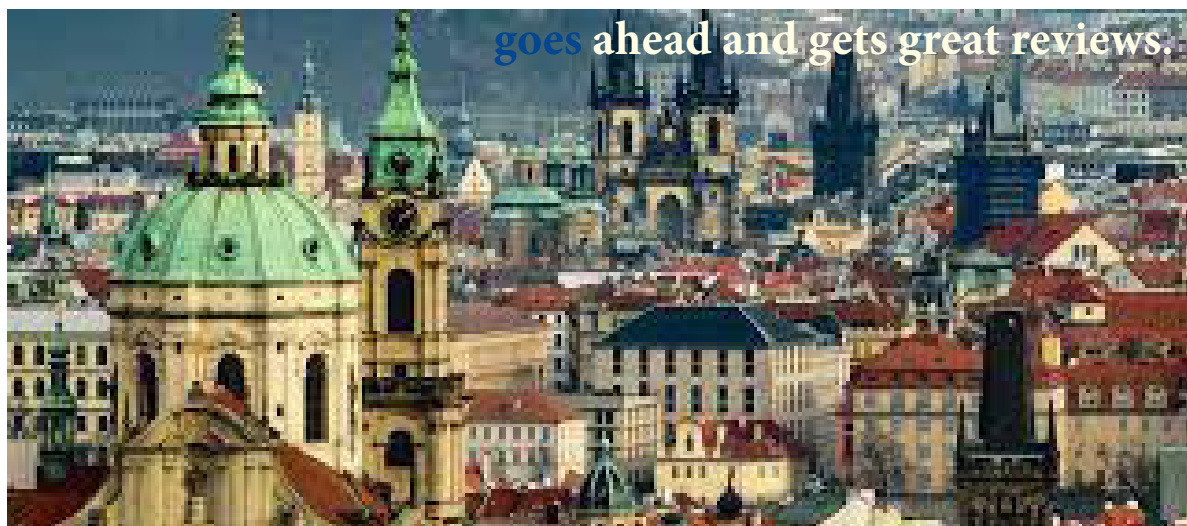
Many other USA events are going ahead in September including **Hashpocalypse** and the 30th Anniversary of the **Aloha H3**.

Phnom Penh H3 are still running but with some changes to the routine. *‘Due to the recently imposed restrictions, we will be Hashing without a beer tuk-tuk. The trail has been set and those that want to join can do the Hash for free and we will work out an on on afterwards’.*

A combination of an easily accessed run site and a feeling that it is time to get on with life sees 20 hashers turning up for a **Madrid H3** run. This is the biggest pack for many months and those who attend enjoy a good run through some hilly hiking trails followed by a fun circle.

September 2021

Euro Hash



The 2021 **New Orleans Red Dress Run** - one of the biggest events on the world hash calendar - is cancelled due to COVID-19 concerns. The decision is taken by the Red Dress Run planning committee and is not unanimous. Some Hashers decide they will hold a private Red Dress Run for vaccinated members.

Budapest H3 have a bonus when they are joined by eight hashers from the USA who are on their way to EuroHash in Prague.

Life is returning to normality in the heavily vaccinated UAE. This allows the hash to stage a successful **Indian Independence Day Run** hosted by the always generous *Fat Gandhi*.

Only nine African nations meet WHO's goal of vaccinating at least 10 percent of their population.

The United States surpasses 700,000 reported deaths from COVID-19.

The United States announces plans to lift travel bans on some fully vaccinated international travellers.

A U.S. Origins Investigation offers little new evidence of where COVID had originated from.

The first big Hash event!



Scarborough Hash House Harriers

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Due to serious Delta outbreaks in eastern Australia, the Adelaide Nash Hash committee reluctantly decide to postpone the **Adelaide Nash Hash** to March, 2022.

Scarborough Happy H3 joined **Yorkshire H3** for a joint hash. **Newcastle H3** provide a beer stop during the Great North Run. **Isle of Wight H3** are back up and running twice a week

October 2021

Eastern Europe records 20 million COVID-19 cases.

South Korea reaches its goal of vaccinating 70 percent of the population.

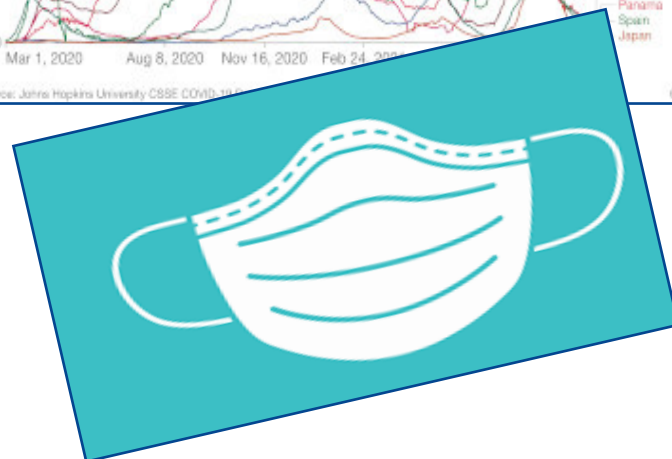
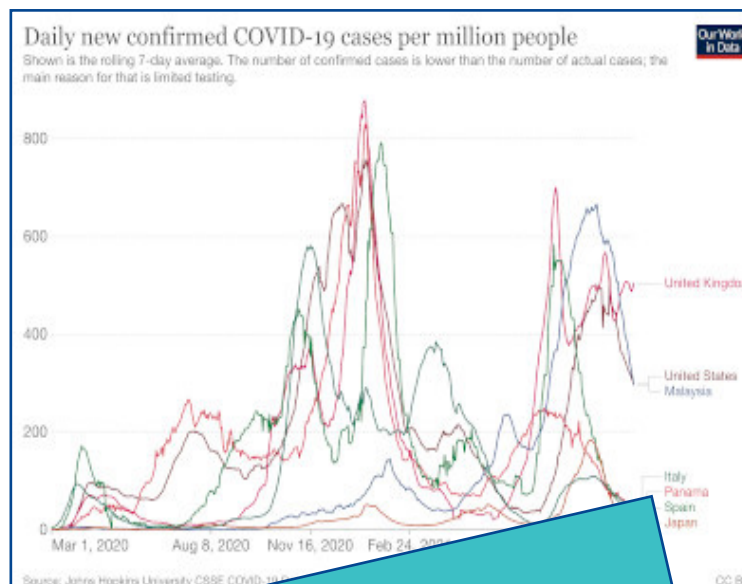
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New Zealand acknowledges that it will no longer pursue a zero COVID-19 strategy, following a prolonged outbreak due to the Delta variant.

15th

The United States announces it will lift restrictions for vaccinated travellers starting November 8.

Brazil reports more than 600,000 deaths from COVID-19 - the second country to do so.



Travel is still difficult but becoming possible and **Higgins** and **Hazukashii**. become (possibly) the first hashers to clock up 100 countries.

The Garden City - Winter Camp 2021 goes ahead from 13th-15th August. Eighty or so attend. *Theme of the opening night is "Masks" 'although this didn't kick in until the 11pm "Masked Hash Run"'*.

Dildo Dan announces that *'The Hole In The Ice'* is back on the hashing calendar. It is set for February 2022 somewhere on a frozen lake just north of Helsinki with a pre-Lube to Tallinn.

Turkey. There is an announcement from **Wicked Willy** (Fethiye H3): *'Well believe it or not, after an enforced break of 18 months we are now in a position to hash again. So, run 481 will be on Monday 4th October.'*

November 2021

Austria are considering a lockdown for the unvaccinated.

Russia's daily COVID-19 deaths hover near record-high numbers.

Malaysia announces it will open to international travellers starting January 1.

Greece requires unvaccinated citizens to show a negative COVID-19 test to access services.

Fears rise over a South African variant that is given the name **Omicron**.

Bahrain H3 was one of the first kennels to feel the impact of COVID with the 2019 Inter-Gulf being devastated by hashers dropping out. Things are now back to normal with weekly hashes going ahead throughout 2021.

Honiara H3 are back up and running. *'We are running out of Hares. Please come forward if you haven't set one for a while.'*

COVID has not gone away and there is a shock for the **Copenhagen H3** pack when a double vaccinated hasher tests positive soon after the hash.

Hashing in the time of COVID

A COVID timeline for Dubai

Data provided by Vomit

2020

Early March

- Flights to Bahrain are cancelled and the large U.A.E. contingent miss out on InterGulf.

March 15th

- The U.A.E. goes into a strict lockdown. March 15th is the last 'normal' hash.

March 22nd

- The first virtual hash - basically just a Zoom circle.

Spring and early summer

- 16 weeks of virtual runs follow.
- Hashers start to lose their jobs. *Toga* and family (airlines) *John Boy* (oil) *Shakes* (education) *Nancy Boy* and family are amongst those departing.

July 12th

- Hashers are allowed out of their homes! Long-term GM *Compressed Fart* sets a marked trail that

hashers can follow in their own time. Police take more interest in the hash's activities than normal!

- Four semi-virtual hashes follow.

August

- Normal hashes return BUT the pack cannot use desert sites or homes, so are limited to city runs from pubs.

2021

- Vaccinations are kicking in and bigger crowds are gathering in pubs. Several hashers catch now COVID.

- With city runs continuing the Trade Centre area becomes a popular venue for the first time.

August

- Hashes can once again be staged from homes, with *Fat Gandhi's* Indian Independence Day Run a notable landmark.

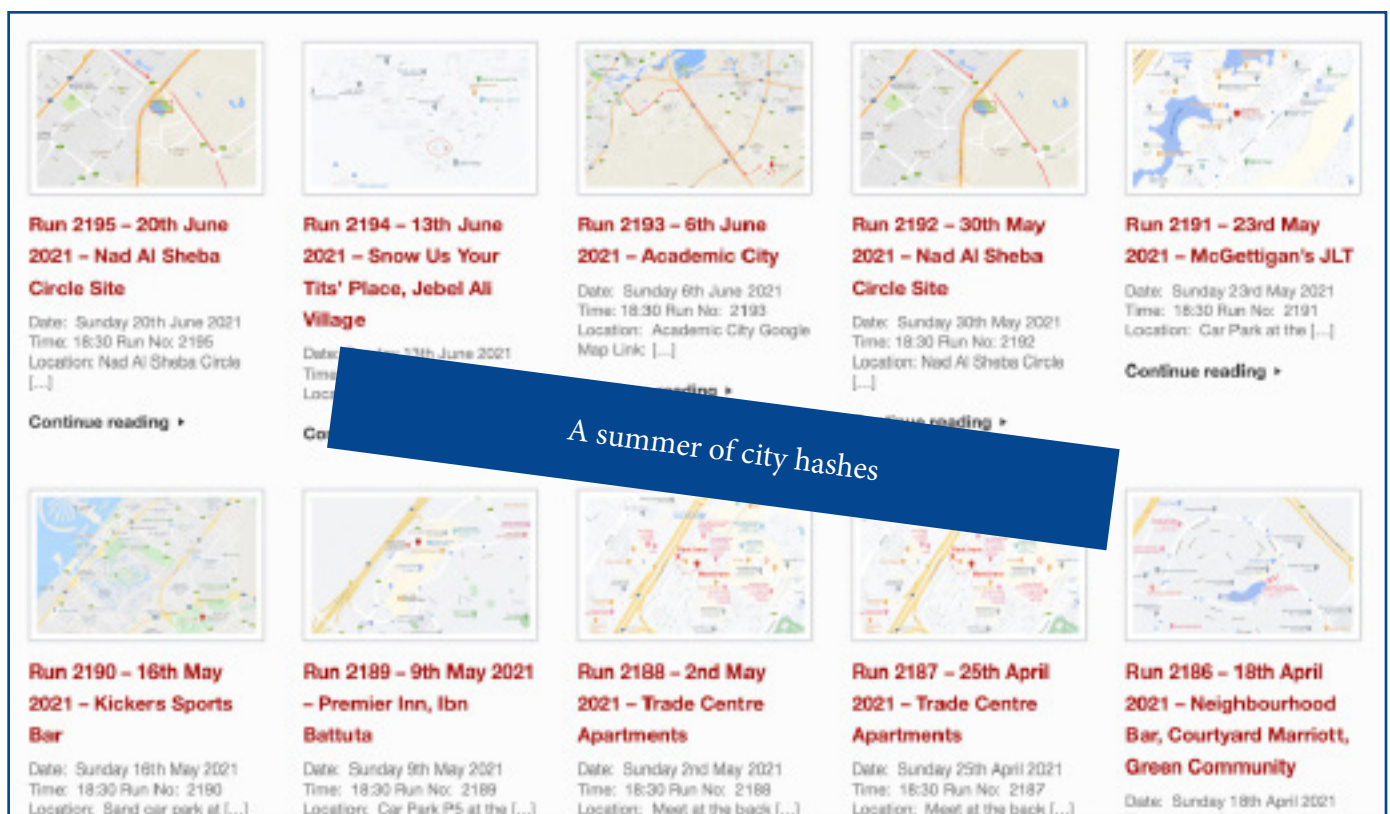


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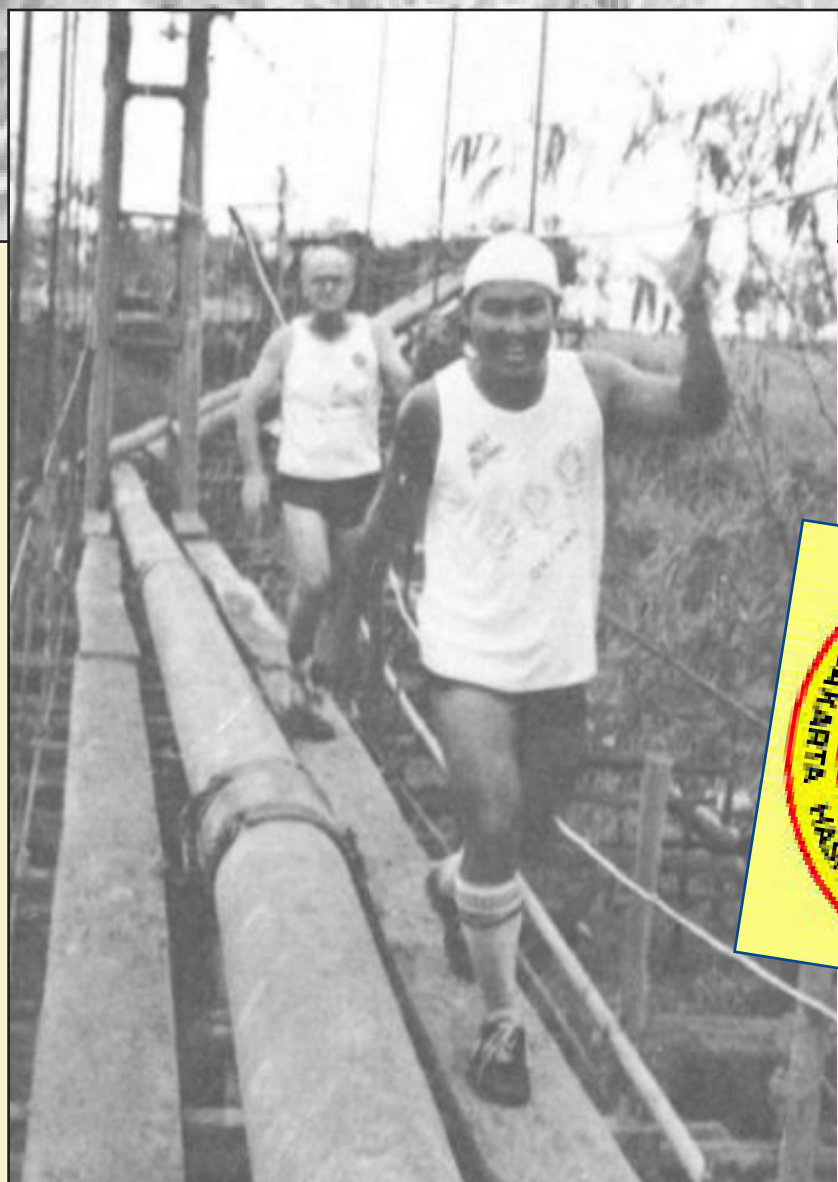
Jakarta H3 - the golden days



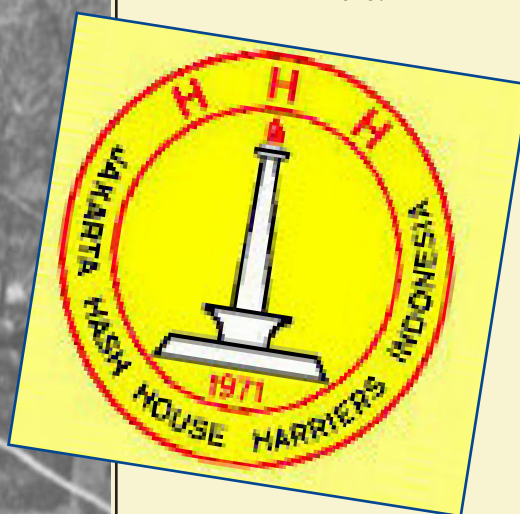
Four Hashers gingerly cross a bamboo "bridge", while a white goat from a nearby village tags along







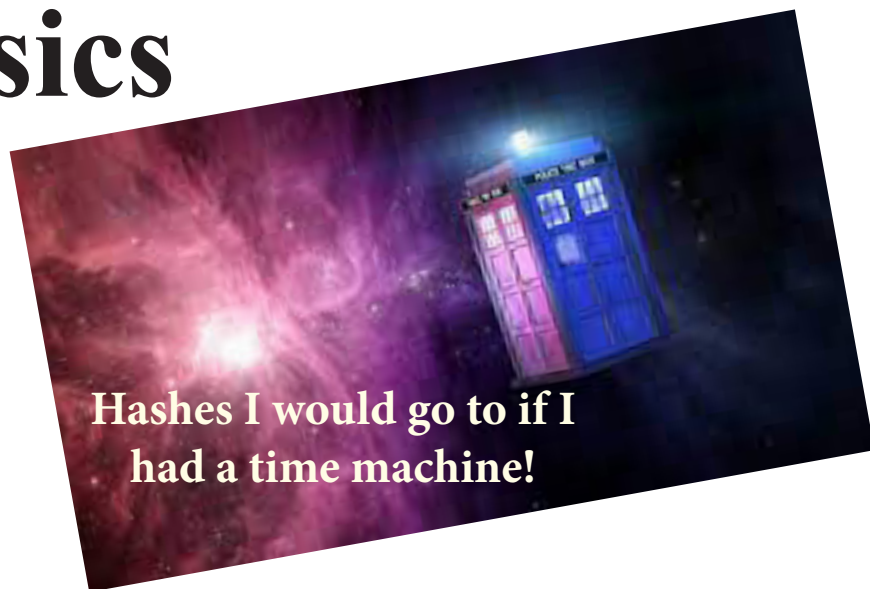
Above: The infamous railway bridge! Open girders with a long fall into a stream too shallow to break a fall! Still don't know how we never had a serious accident here!



Hash Classics

The Java Hash Dash

After the 1988 Bali InterHash **Garfield** and **Browneye** organised the **Java Hash Dash** described as a *'gentle bus tour for senior citizens.'*



Monday

- The main party fly from Bali to Surabaya.
- On arriving in Surabaya the boys are surprised to find there is actually a bus waiting for them as planned!
- The lads join the **Surabaya Monday Hash** *'a small family hash.'* For many this brings a reunion with ex-Jakarta hashers Brian and Pina Davies.
- The main pack are joined by an Aussie contingent who have travelled from Bali by bus and ferry.
- The party now board the Anker bus, a mobile bar. There is a more comfortable minibus (it actually has seats!) following in support.

Tuesday

- The drive to Yogyakarta takes a bit longer than expected, probably a reflection on the roads rather than the organizers map reading skills.
- On one occasion a door blows open and **Bogor Doug** is cut by flying glass.
- There are some 20 hashers in the Anker bus and 10 in the minibus.
- Hashers in the Anker bus drink the whole way and **Hacker** (New Zealand) spews up in the hotel reception.

*Notes extracted from a report by Rod Love
a Blond*

Wednesday

- The day is spent sightseeing and then they all join the **Merapi Hash**. This kennel has (probably) been reformed just for this occasion. (Ed: for those of you who have never been there Mount Merapi is one of the most beautiful places in the world!)
- There is a great run and the circle is wild. The highlight of the circle is an act by wives and girlfriends in leotards and black stockings. Sadly there is a no-camera rule. **Garfield** spends most of the circle on the ice. (Ed: I can believe that!)

Thursday

- Another long drive brings the buses to the hill city of Bandung.

For 200 dollars all included, it had been a great weekend.

The report mentions around 20 hashers taking part although that might not have been an exact count.

Those known to be there are:

1. Garfield
2. Browneye
3. Love a Blond
4. Hacker
5. Bogor Doug
- ?



Friday

- Friday morning is spent shopping or at the hot springs.
- The afternoon sees a hash set on the slopes of a volcano. So many turned up there is - as is usual at the time - two separate hashes.
- For many it is then on-on to the disco.

Saturday

- Saturday brings a relatively short drive to Jakarta via the Puncuk Pass.
- It is then on to the hotel or home.

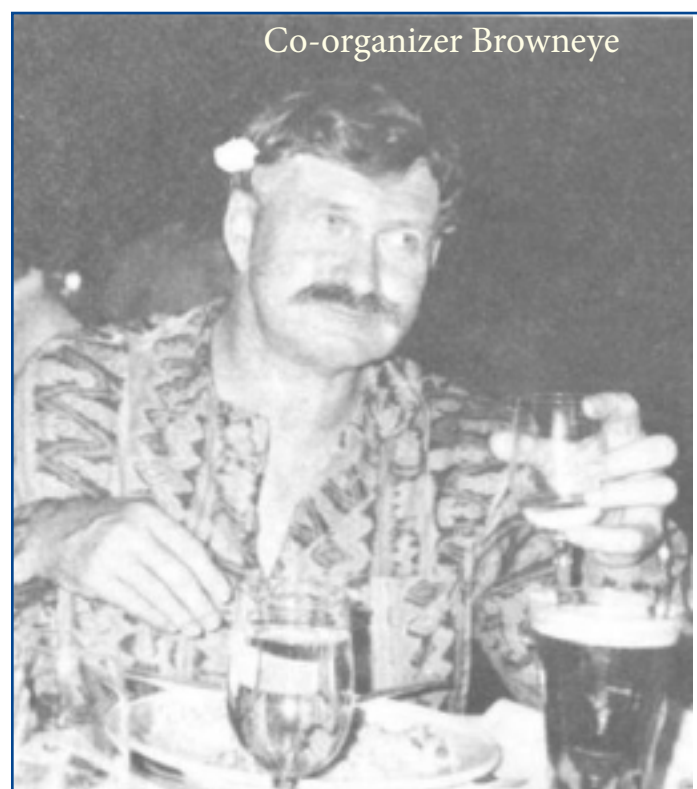
Sunday

- The party drive out to the scout camp at Cibubur for the last official hash of the tour.
- It is notable that the mood is now subdued as the

party start to wilt under the pressure!

Monday

For those with any energy left the weekly hash cycle resumes with a Men's hash.



Hash Stories Chinese Hash History rewritten

RA's podcasts have been a major source of new hash information and his interview with Mike Brown (who was on Singapore's second hash!) has pushed back the history of hashing in China by some nine years.

Once upon a time there was an annual (or possibly twice a year?) Canton Trade Fair that brought in numerous representatives from Hong Kong. In those dark days of Chairman Mao the delegations were closely chaperoned and expected to stay in the hotel.

However, in 1972 four Hong Kong hashers decided to race past the guards and take an 'illegal' jog in the park. There was no opportunity to lay a trial but, as they were all hashers, they deemed this to be the first Canton hash! The participants were *Mike Brown, Lex Hentenaar, Henning Voelzke* and *Werner von der Schulenburg* and there is photographic evidence of the event!

Stephen Kuch's 1000th Hash

Stephen Kuch's record setting 1,000th hash with one kennel is well documented, but I recently came across an account that might add a few details. The key points are:

- On the 2nd May 1982 Stephen Kuch recorded his 1,000th run with **Kuching H3**. In doing so he became the first hasher in the world to record a thousand runs with one kennel.
- This had been achieved in 22 years of hashing and is an underestimate of his total runs, as there were no records kept during the early years.
- Kuch had missed the first Kuching hash but had been taken along by a Kiwi friend to Run Number 2.
- At the time of Stephen's 1,000th run there was one (unnamed in the article) survivor from Hash Number 1 and he was still hashing, but had 'only' 900 runs to his credit!

Frank Giffney with his '*booming voice and red hat*' was the soul of **Kuching H3** for many years and he flew back for Stephen's 1,000th run. After the run there was beer, singing and food at Hornbill, a halal Chinese Muslim restaurant. The Guinness Book of records was approached, but refused to acknowledge this achievement as they deemed it 'too specialized'.



The recorded dates for the first official Chinese hashes are:

Beijing	? 1981
Guangzhou	10.4.84
Shekou	1211.84
Shekou Full Moon	13.9.92
Tianjin	28.2.93

A bit of POMH3 history

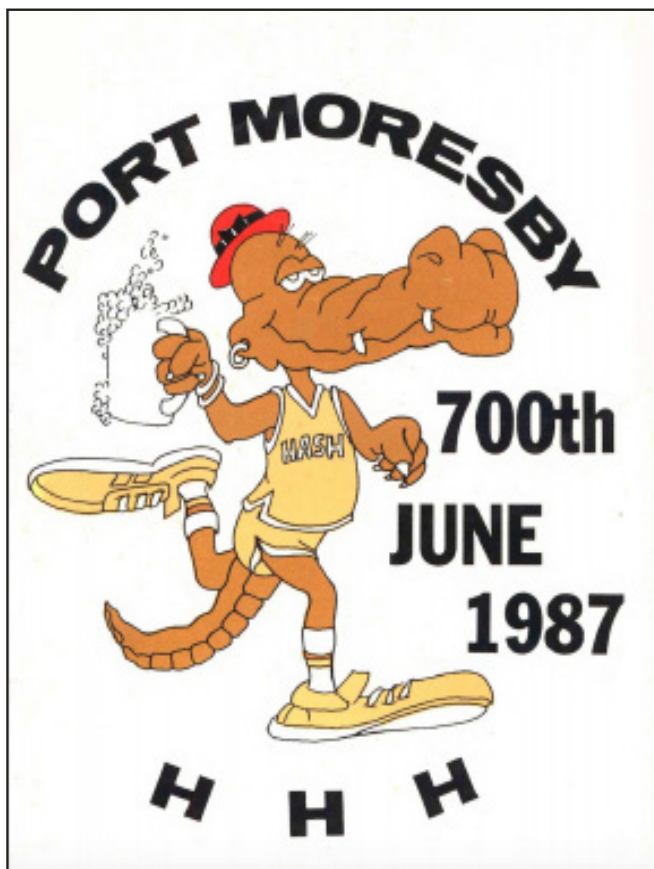
POMH3 (Port Moresby H3) was founded by Peter Mendl and Horst Wipperm with a first run from the Badili Golf Club on 7th January 1974. Until Run 200, there was no GM, Messrs Mendl and Wipperm in true hashocratic style proclaimed themselves God-mastas and arranged for the duties (the actual work) to be performed by 1 or 2 Joint Masters.

Among the list of Joint Mastas were:

Denis Haynes
Kev Parnell
Paul Forsyth
Brian Costello

The first GM was "elected" at the 1977 AGPU. Since then the honours list has included:

John *Odd Bollocks* Pollock
Jack *Old Goat* Francis
Derek *Derelict* Penny
Dave *POMMIE* Kent
Paul *Stud* King
Jim *Cock* Robins
Rod *Midnight Oil* Taverner
Rod *Warbler* Smith
David *Outlaw* Hill



Gordon *Honeypot* Lee
Stuart *Dimple* McLachlan
Rick *Figjam* Stanford
Chris *Krinkle Kut* Smith
Bruce *Tung 'n Gruv* Telfer
Mick *Deep Throat* Harrison
Ashley *Soggy Biskit* Huston
Dave *Killer* Kelso
Peter *Pulla* Davis

Searching through Surrey newspapers

While looking for information on Cecil Lee I carried out a search through the 'Surrey Live' online magazine. There was nothing on Lee, but I did find this charming story!

Parrot found on cricket pitch leaves vets stumped

A LOST parrot which was rescued from a cricket pitch in Farnham has been given a temporary home while its owners are traced.

The blue fronted Amazon was found by **cross-country runner Lee-Stuart Evans**, from Godalming, who managed to catch it and take it home with him.

"I was out running with **the Guildford Hash House Harriers club** and came across this parrot on a cricket pitch," he said.

"When I came back an hour later it was still there so I rescued it and took it home. I keep birds at home so I was able to house it for a while.

"I went through a database of parrot owners to try and track them down through the ring on its leg, but we haven't had much luck yet."

He took the bird, which he named Hash after the running club, to Waverley Vets where a member of staff is now looking after him.

"I would have loved to keep him with me but I don't think my wife would have liked that as much," said Lee.

Help in tracing the owners was sought from Bird-world in Farnham. But head keeper, Dean Jakings, said that it was hard to track down where the bird came from.

History of the Harriettes

Once again On On Magazine is proud to reprint one of Hazukashii's excellent articles. We encourage all hashers to visit the [gotothefhash](http://gotothefhash.com) website to find similar articles.

By Ed "Hazukashii" Howell
7 Mar 2015 (Updated 21 Sep 2021)

The Hash House Harriers (a.k.a. HHH or H3) were believed to have been founded in late 1938, as a variant of the old English Harrier clubs that date back to the early 19th century, or possibly even before. The history of the HHH has been fairly well documented, with the first 10 clubs being formed between 1938 and 1965 in Malaya (now Malaysia) and the near region to include Singapore and Borneo, as MEN ONLY organizations. What we have not heard is a discussion on the origins of the Harriettes (a.k.a. Harriets or Hens). There are references of women running with harrier clubs in the 1800s (the pre-HHH era), but early clubs are rumored to have allowed women to run, but not allowing them to set the trail. I have no specific details, but during my research on hashing, I recall a reference to a regular harrier club in Kuala Lumpur being active in the 1920s and early 1930s, as a mixed club for both men and women. Some of the founding members of the HHH had run with them as well.

The first recorded women's version of HHH is the Brunei Hens which were founded on 21 Nov 1966, by Robert Tiepel (no mention whether he ran with them or not). The Ipoh Harriettes are next, and were founded on 29 Aug 1968, by Loke Kai Heng. In a recent discussion with the current GM of the Ipoh Harriets, Boon Lee Lim "Jenny001", she explained to me that the Ipoh Harriets claim the title of the first mixed HHH club. Now, over 50 years later, there are numerous variations of mixed and Harriette only HHH clubs all over the world. Examples (from my own experience) include the Mission Harriettes in California, USA where men were required to remain behind two women at all times on trail. Another example is the Tokyo Ladies HHH, where only women were allowed to hold committee positions. The Harriettes of Oahu (HO Hash) and the No Strings Attached H3 in Florida, do not normally allow men,

but when they do, they must wear pink. Also, the Kuala Lumpur Harriettes and Bangkok Harriettes, where a woman is always the GM, but they are just a mixed hash club beyond that.

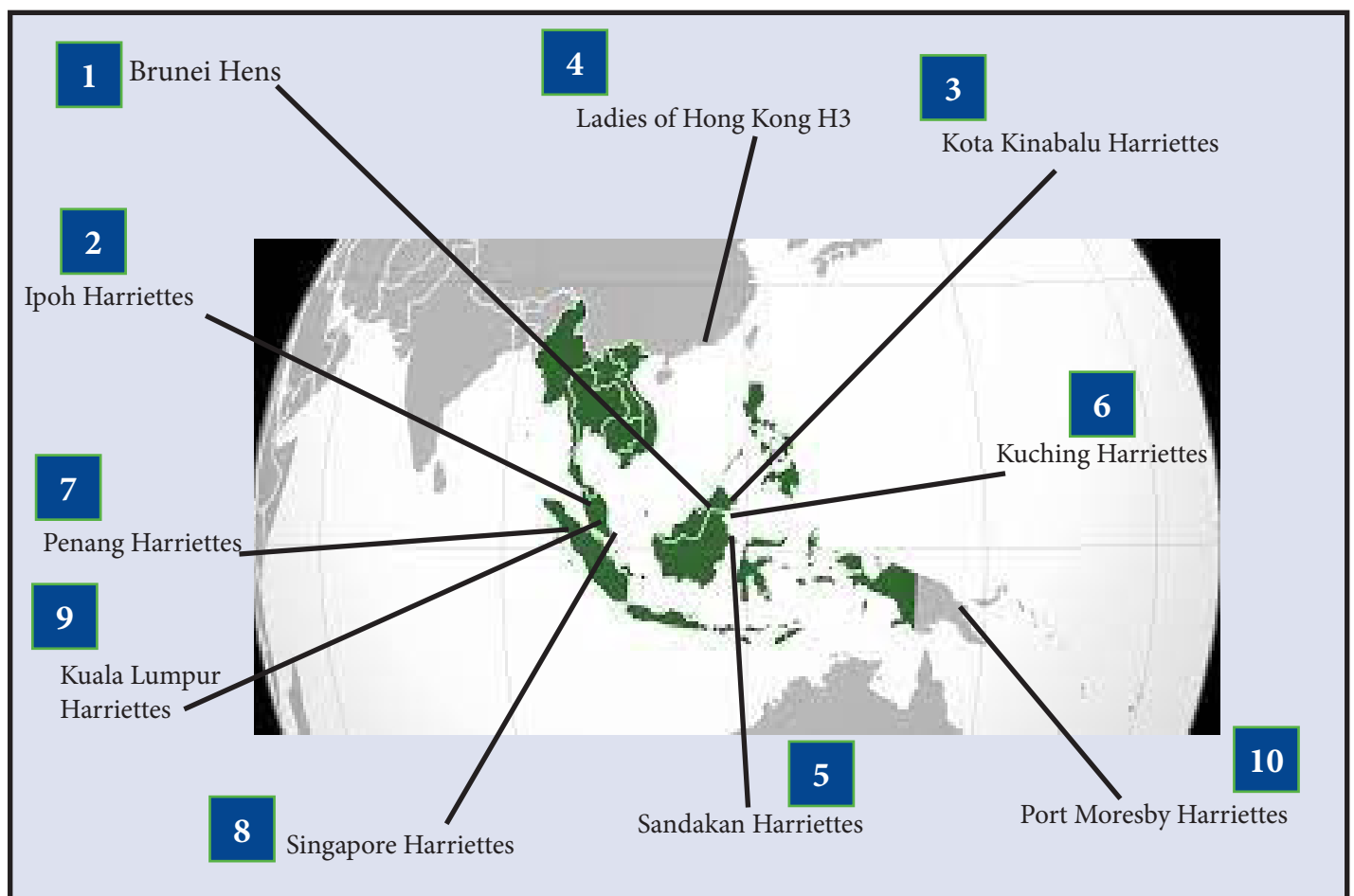
The first 10 recorded Women's Hash clubs are:

Brunei Hens	21 Nov 1966
Ipoh Harriettes	29 Aug 1968
Kota Kinabalu Harriettes	10 May 1970
Ladies of Hong Kong H3	15 Jun 1971
Sandakan Harriettes	31 Dec 1971
Kuching Harriettes	20 Jun 1972
Penang Harriettes	21 Nov 1972
Singapore Harriettes	17 Oct 1973
Kuala Lumpur Harriettes	18 Jun 1974
Port Moresby Harriettes	30 Sep 1974

There were potentially some mixed clubs that formed during the 60s and 70s, but the records are unclear as to when they transitioned from Men Only to Mixed. There are also isolated incidents of some women being allowed to run with Men Only clubs during this period, to include one Judy Prosser (an Aussie consulate member) that was a regular on the Jakarta Men's Hash in the early 70s. Another instance was, according to the club website, the very first run of the Colombo H3 in Sri Lanka had 40 runners on that first trail, including two women (Handwarmer and Iron Lady). At one point in 1984, Handwarmer injured her knee and could not run for a bit. The wife of another hasher was allowed to join the Monday hash, and enjoyed it so much she started bringing more women along. Well, this went on for a couple weeks and before you know it, the old boy's network started to revolt and declared that the Colombo H3 would become a Male Only club. In a show of uncommon grace, they did allow the original ladies to continue on as honorary gentlemen. The change in membership to male only caused a stir in the hashing community, and the forming of the Colombo Harriettes on 20 Jun 1984. According to the hash genealogy, this club was founded by Mike "Climb Every Mountain" Hill, as a mixed hash club. Originally it ran on Wednesday, but has since shifted to Saturday to allow for travel to more areas around the island.

The title of oldest active Harriette is bestowed upon Rajendar 'Glamour' Kaur, born 9 May 1933, has been an avid hasher for well over 50 years. Her first hash was on the Brunei Men's H3 in 1966, during a short period when women were allowed to participate. Once the number of ladies had grown, they were encouraged to start their own club (and leave the men to their own fun), and the Hen House

Harriers, the first ladies hash ever, were founded on 21 Nov 1966. Glamour participated on their first trail and was the first hen to achieve 100 runs, and the second to achieve 200. Unfortunately, at one point in the 70s she moved to another town to operate a branch of the family business. Sadly missing out on the weekly fun, Glamour asked for the Hens to move their hash day to Tuesday when her shop was closed. They agreed, and Glamour was able to rejoin the ladies hash, and it has remained on Tuesday ever since. Glamour states “There are so many things I enjoy about the Hash such as Halloween runs, 7and7 runs, Head dress runs, Pajama runs and so on.” She has also traveled to hash events in Kuching, Kota Kinabalu, Bali, Tawau, and Labuan, and has “at least 60-70 hash t-shirts in her collection. Fifty years is a long time to be a member of one hash club. She said, “Many of the ladies that participated were expats, so contact has been lost with most of them.” Although, she does keep in touch with two dear friends in the UK, who hashed with the Hen’s in the 1990s, and both have returned from time to time to visit her. Contributing to the hash, she has held positions as Grand Mistress, Egg Collector, and various other Committee positions. She still attends the Ladies Hash nearly every Tuesday, and has participated in over 1450 trails. Now at 88 years of age (and due to an old knee injury), she cannot run any longer, but is still a regular attendee to walk around and see her friends on the hash.



Readers Write in

A message from Bill Kirk

Nairobi H3 is unique in many ways, says Bill Kirk, a veteran hasher of over 600 runs. "I started hashing somewhere in the late seventies. I have to look up my old T-shirts to be sure," he says. "Hashing then was more a 'mzungu' thing, mostly expatriates. Not many Africans had cars then and it was difficult for them to get to the hashing locations."

That's changed, as I witnessed. Bill, who has run hashes in different parts of the world, says the Nairobi HHH is dominated by locals unlike in other parts of the world. Also unlike other hashes, the Nairobi HHH holds weekend hashes. "These are very popular and are held in out-of-town locations like Ngong forest, Mt Kenya; we even had a run in Rusinga Island which was memorable," says Bill.



The T-Shirt Story - from Bumbo

The T-shirt was for the 15th Anniversary of the Oman Full Moon Hash. I was hashing in Cebu so I thought I would get some T-shirts made. There is a guy that does great design shirts for the Cebu Hash.

On the back of the shirt design I had wrote Long Live the Dictator. The guy sent me a preview of the design of the front of the shirt by email, all looked good When I went back a week latter to collect them. The T-shirts had already been packed in the box. As I was leaving the shop, one of the girls who had done some of the art wok said to me 'Sir Bruce,' holding up my piece of paper with the words 'Long Live the Dictator. 'You spelt Dictator wrong. It's okay I have corrected it'.

On On Bumbo

We received this report from

Dr Diddle

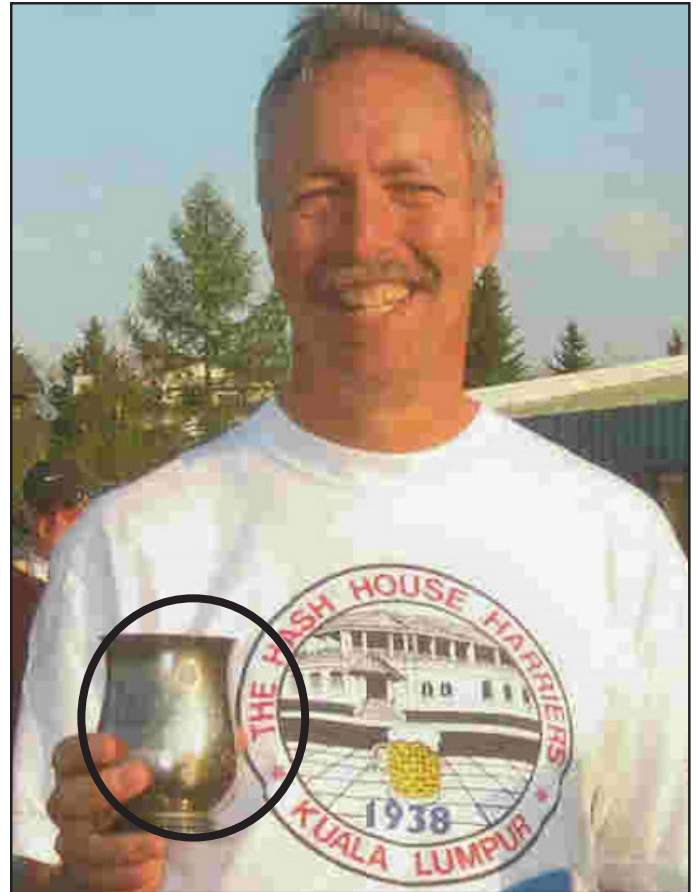
I first ran into the Hash on a Saturday night in the small bar of a Cambridge pub: The Fort Saint George in England. The Cambridge Hash was formed 3 weeks before, running on Sundays from pubs in different villages around Cambridge. The next morning, despite a serious hangover, I pedaled about 10 miles out to Comberton for their 4th run and my first run on October 22, 1978. After an inaugural run in the English mud, down-downs in a pub garden and subsequent on-on, I was hooked. I was a regular in the Cambridge Hash over the next 2 years before I moved to Edmonton. There was no Edmonton hash at the time, so I took a break until 1987-88 when I

Read this amazing story on Flying Booger's Hash House Harrier Blog, where he interviewed I-Feel-Tower

Have you ever been busted while laying or running trail?

I was nearly arrested for murdering my son. No shit, there I was, in Belleville, Illinois. I was scouting along a very shiggy creek with my 11 year old. I came back the next week without him. The neighbours watching from their window took note. They also took note of the large, red Swiss Army duffle I was dragging into the woods. They noticed the red spray chalk on my hands, too. Next thing I know, I'm happily taking the beer and ice out of my duffle down by the creek when I hear a Belleville Policeman tell me not to move. I have no idea how he got that close! His gun was about 4 feet from my face. I was handcuffed and two of them led me up the hill to their car. More police cars began showing up as they asked me questions, took pictures and examined the machete in my trunk. I had just moved to town, so I had out of State plates, no job and the only person I knew only knew my hash name. So when they called Hailey's Comet, he said "Walt? Walter Moore? Never heard of him." Somehow I talked my way out of this mess ... and got the beer back!

Does anybody
notice a theme
to these
pictures?



spent a year back in Cambridge and picked up where I left off. I think I was just over 100 runs there.

Edmonton Hash House Harriers started in September 1991. I heard about it a few weeks later and joined at the fifth run on October 7, 1991. That's where I got my name and I've run over 1000 runs with them and I've regularly run / mis-managed each of the several other Edmonton kennels: Old Strathcona, Full Moon, B.U.M., Intredible Walking, Snowshoe, Bash, etc. I'm the current Master/Hare Raiser for the Full Moon Hash.

I also spent 1995 in Singapore and ran with all each of the hashes there, mainly with the Lion City Hash (50+ runs). During that time, I also managed a number of runs with other Asian hashes in Malaysia, China, Hong Kong, etc, including a run with the Mother Hash in KL. Traveling over the years, I've run at other Canadian hashes, English and European hashes and a number of Caribbean hashes, even setting a Hash run in British Virgin Islands, (Hash started 2 hours after I landed during which time I recce'd, found a hash hold spot and set the run).

In 2004, I started a new hash: the Eclipse Hash that runs only during lunar and solar eclipses. We're currently planning Eclipse Run #14 for 4:45am on May 26/2021.

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Dr Diddle

