

On On Magazine

The History Magazine of the Hash House Harriers



Slow
Children
at play

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News

Philippines

Howard McKay (**Angeles City Hash House Harriers**) reports: I have been trying to keep the Alien/Bar Hop going for at least the last 10 years. Of my own volition I changed the venue/timing to Bad Decisions bar on a Thursday. There were two reasons for this, firstly on some Wednesdays you could hardly get in to La Bamba due to "Wow Wednesday". Secondly, given the sad death of Will La Valley, the loyalty aspect was not quite the same. It seemed reasonable to change the location to Bad Decisions Bar, easy to get to, easy to park a vehicle and, importantly, owned by a fellow Hasher. I laid out my proposal on the Hash Facebook pages and got one response. I announced it twice in the hash circle - no adverse comments, or indeed 'any' comments were made. In the past three weeks attendance to the Bar Hop has been three persons each time. I will now give up trying to 'flog a dead horse' and will make no further mentions of the "Bar Hop". If anyone feels inclined to keep it going, good luck.

Subic Bay H3 are doing well. A March run set by *Almoranas* and *Vienna Sausage* from the Cyclone Bar saw 36 turn up. *Get Your Rocks Off* got the Hashit.

England

Berkshire H3 staged a Red Dress Run around Reading. There was good coverage in the local press.

The **Crawley Run and Pub Hash (C.R.A.P)** had a special run in March. It was advertised as *Chipmonk's* last lay Meeting in Charlwood for one of Chip's favourite pieces of countryside his ashes were mixed with the flour as he 'lays his final trail'.

Hasher *Robocop* has retired after a distinguished career in the police force.

The Penguin completed 3,500th hashes with the celebratory hash coming with **Aberdeen H3** at Foggieton Woods just West of Aberdeen. "Just for clarification, the 3,500 Hashes survived by me today included the Hashes I ran in my 20 years overseas before I settled in Aberdeen." He distributed Penguin biscuits to everyone in the Circle. Thanks to *Panty Pockets & Bag O'Bones*



Top: A near miss for the **Gympie Hashers** as the trail took them past a fierce looking croc. **Middle:** Poster of the **Mount Vernon** annual chilli cook off. **Bottom:** *The Penguin*

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Joint Master – *Uro*

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On On 5.24 Hangs Loose

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On On! Hash House Harriers Talk and History · S6 E1

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RA has been busy with his excellent hash interviews. Most recently he has added:

Laid Bird (Stockholm)

King Sir Sir John (Madrid)

Hangs Loose (USA)

Puke Lids Taxivomity (China)

EyeFull (Stockholm)

USA

News from Orange County. Gispert's Trail Ale, the official Betty Ford's Relapse brew, is on tap at LaJara Brewing Co. *"This beer was brewed by hashers, named by hashers, and should be enjoyed by hashers! Stop by, support LaJara Brewing, and enjoy our creation!"*

Qatar

Run No. 1 of the **WW3 H3** - Doha Chapter was held on 4th of March. 14 souls braved the "shelter in place" warnings to complete the **Doha Hash** run no. 1,571. A slight change from normal hashing as due to safety concerns there were no flour marks. Two Iranian cells had been arrested earlier in the day plotting sabotage and the run did pass Police Stations and VIP houses. A warning came out later in the day not to park in front of electric sub-stations! No fire-works in the sky to report. A demonstration of the 3-person Temu bomb shelter was held in the circle with the hosts being squashed into a large cardboard box. Seven nations were represented.

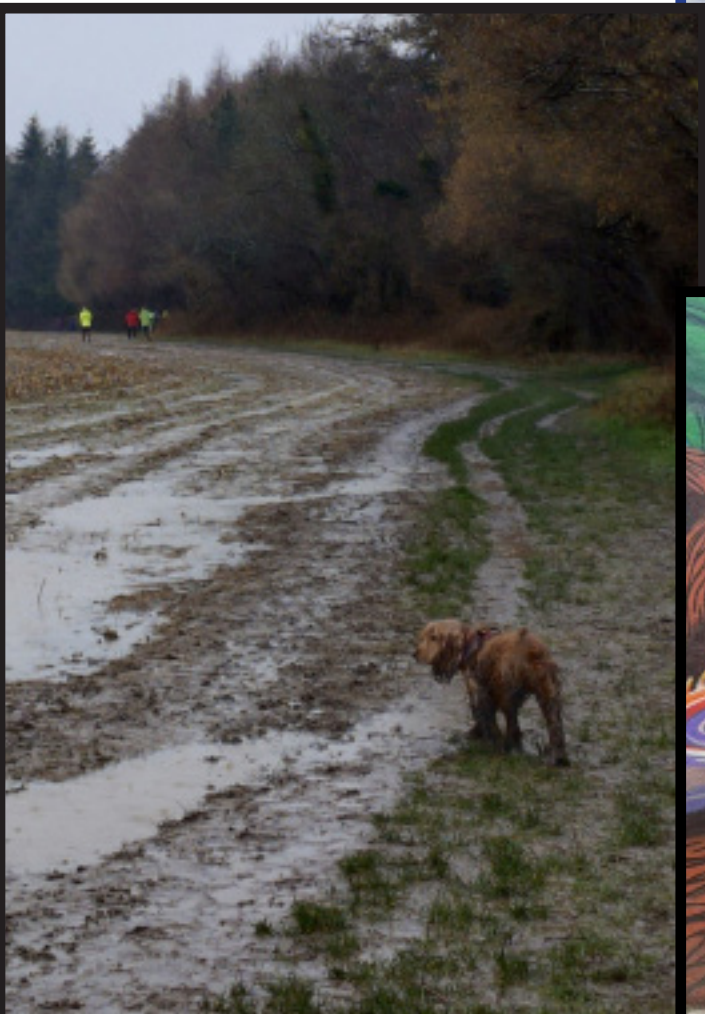
Thailand

A big night for the **Thursday Hash** with *Boob-a-Lube* setting the trail for his 400th run with the group. A good A to B run ended at a riverside restaurant where the hash veteran gave up free t-shirts and paid for dinner for everybody. On On *Boob-A-Lube*.

Chiang Mai Hash House Harriers have started thinking about venues closer to town due to fuel shortages.



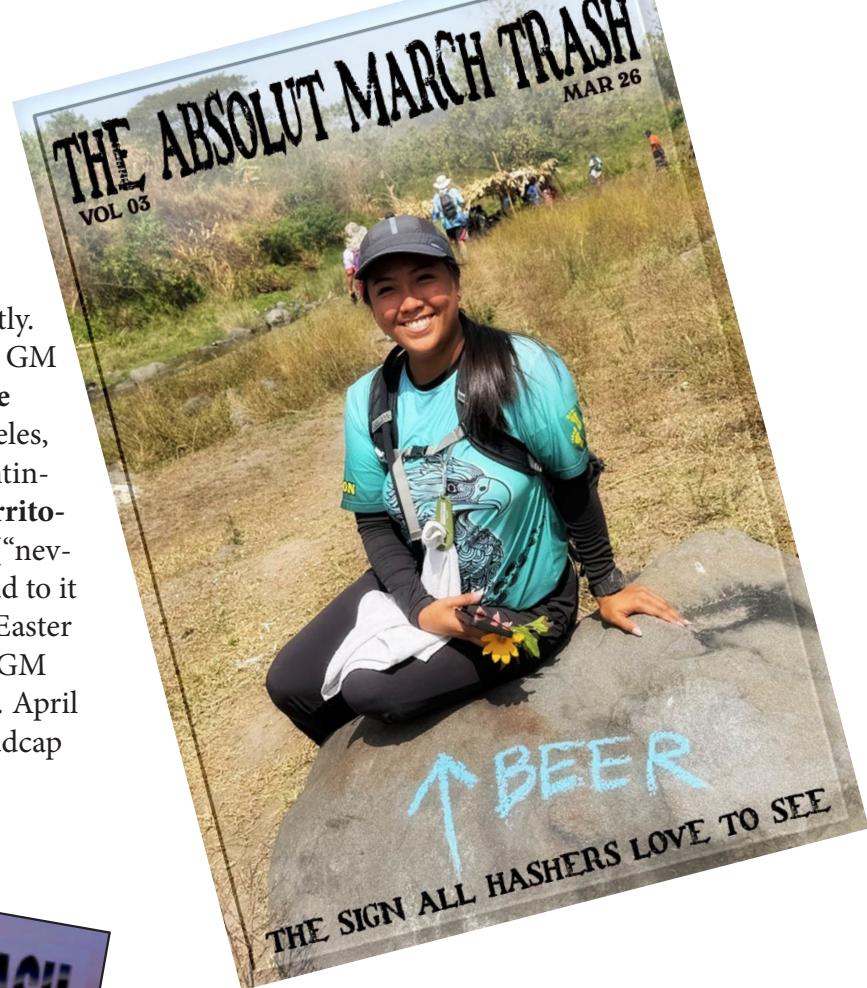
Right - Oslo Ski Hash. Below - **Surrey H3** dog wondering why they are not sat indoors watching TV Below and right - **Puerto Vallarta H3 Red Dress Run**.



News

Hong Kong

Triple change of the guard in Hong Kong recently. Hong Kong's oldest hash (H4) welcomed a new GM at their AGM in February - *Callum Brechin*. **The Babes H3** went overseas for their AGM in Angeles, Philippines where *Rooted* was confirmed as continuing her GM-ship. **N2TH3 (Northern New Territories)** have had a mid-term change of GM with ("never follow") *Liberace* taking over the helm. To add to it all, **Wanchai H3** will have their AGM over the Easter period where all bets are off as to who the new GM will be! (To be revealed in the next update)..... April will see the HK 7's rugby in its 50th year - a madcap weekend for sure. *Thanks to Hopeless*



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New Zealand

Auckland HHH have over 2,100 hashes to their credit and have 10 hashers with over 1,000 runs.

Demon Dave	2193
Shakespeare	1772
Obs	1503
Hacker	1583
Gawd Knows	1587
Phantom	1308
Nellie	1343
Arkles	1248
Mopiko	1177
Bighorn	1003

France

Next Run on Sunday 22nd March! **Aix H3** continue to run occasionally, with a run scheduled for the 22nd March.

Indonesia

A local Indonesia website **Living in Indonesia** gave a summery of the hash scene in Jakarta: On Mon-



Scenes from the *Lord Chicken Fucker Memorial Run*



day there is **Jakarta H3**, who like to think they're a bunch of macho men. Their circle includes singing and jokes. **Batavia Hash House Harrier Hoons (BH4)** meet on Thursdays at 5:00pm. This a strictly male run, except on the last Thursday of every month when there is a mixed run. Their circle is characterized by interactive repartee between participants resulting in reward or punishment. **TGIS HHH** - an adult mixed hash that runs every 2nd & 4th Saturday at 4:00 pm. Formerly called TGIF as the runs were originally on Fridays. **Betawi HHH** is a mixed hash that runs on Saturdays. **JAVA Hash House Horrors** run on the last Sunday of every month at 10:00 am. **Krakatau HHH** - Runs are held on the 5th Saturday in months that have 5 Saturdays.

Cambodia

There are two runs a week. Sunday (experimenting with Saturday) sees hashers going into the countryside and then on-on to the Villa Grange for some-extra beers. The Wednesday hash is in town. Your editor joined them for a long city run from the Lone Star Pub. A good crowd but I was disappointed there was no circle

Taiwan

There is a **Taipei Typhoon Hash** 'The moistest Hash in Taiwan.' They only run when the Government calls a day off for a incoming Typhoon. Runs start and finish at 7-11s. The Hare and GM for the next run are selected at down downs every run. Run Starts at 2:30PM.



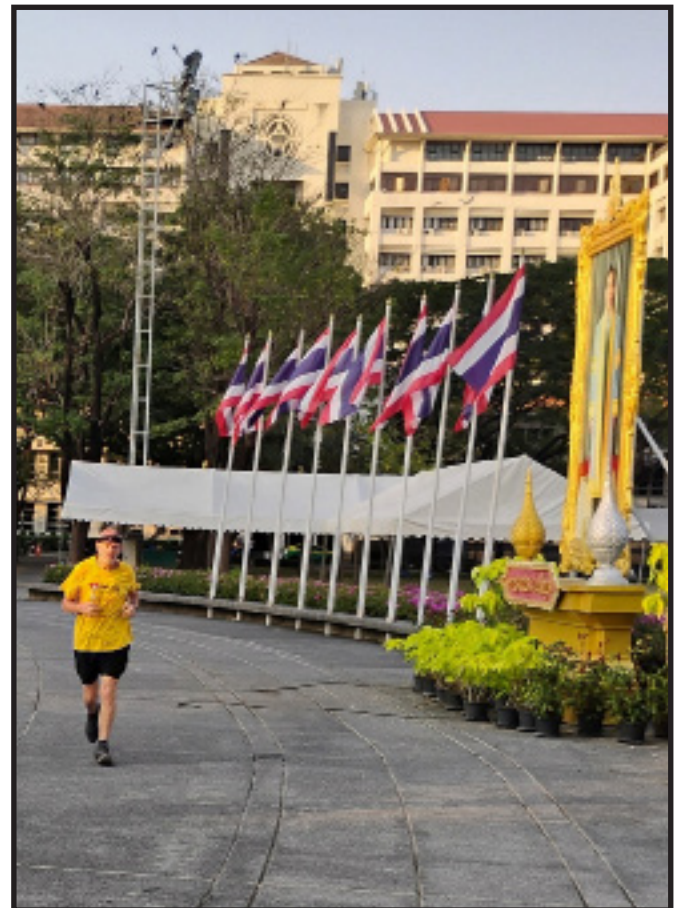
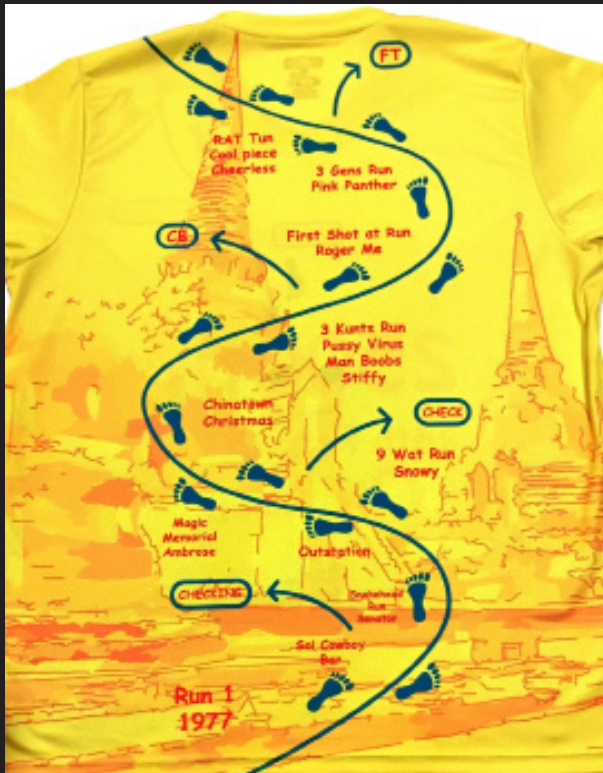
Dar es Salaam GM for the 4th or 5th time (he can't remember) *Wetdream* with a pet dog and a lion. (Would we lie to you?)

News - Bangkok 2,500th Monday Hash 2,200th

Monday 2,200th

Today, we celebrated run 2,200, and it was an exciting event. Lots of visitors, I think we had over 60 turn up, which is more than twice our normal attendance. Trail was over on the peninsula on the other side of the Chao Phraya River, so lots of greenery on trail.

Circle was raucous, with lots of chatter, so hard to follow, but all in fun. Many thanks to *Nibbles* as the GM and here, and the other organizers.





Bangkok H3 2500th

I doubt Bill Panton was even thinking about the 2500th run when he started this club back in 1977, but here we are. It was super hot today, but we all still managed to complete the 9 km trail through the open fields of Ayutthaya, the old capital of Thailand.

We had about 80 hashers turn up for this wondrous occasion, and the trail, circle, and dinner were all well organized and fun. None of us will be alive for the 5,000th hash, so hope we all made the most of today. On On.



News - Stockholm 1,000th

The **Stockholm Absolut H3** celebrated 1,000 runs (they only run every second week).

The fun started with a pub crawl and quiz around the centre of Stockholm.

Standing Ovation made a return to hashing after a long spell away.

The next day it was off to Mörby on the end of the red subway line. Hares were *Mizman*, *Touch 'n Go* and *Silly Con Feet*.

50 hashers registered.

With the weather warming up it was a little slippery.

The plans to walk across the ice and have the drinks top on an island had to be abandoned. (Hashers did see a moose walking across the ice!)

The circle went well with a notable contribution from the **Gothenburg H3** contingent.

Marmite and *Termite* were acknowledged as the longest serving hashers still standing.

Hash dog *Jackson* was brought into the circle and made to sit and wait before doing his doggy trick down down.

Shakes then brought in *Termite* and placed a beer in front of him, making him sit and wait until he could take it.

Tables were cleared for pizza and then dancing.

Sunday saw a Hare of the Dog hash around old town.





News - Hole in the Ice

There was a pre-lube in Stockholm on Wednesday and a large crowd of hashers followed up with a Thursday pub-crawl that took them down to the boat.

The buffet (3 hash tables) was quite excellent and then there was a surprisingly good hash around the ship.

The ship docked at Turku in the early morning and bags were placed in a van (a sign of the excellent organization all weekend) and hashers had a day in town.

We were then led to the floating museum ship Bore for breakfast. There was then a guided tour to the city centre including walking over the frozen river.

The last arrival, *The Nigerian*, arrived at 8.00pm and we waited for him mainly because he had the t-shirts!

A short one hour drive took us to Urpolo Manor with its quirky collection of saunas which would be home for the weekend.



The ground was slippery and care had to be taken. We gathered for a quick circle and then most hashers headed for the sauna. There was no main meal but sausages were provided and the beer was flowing.

Breakfast was excellent and then the pack gathered for the hash. It was a good run with a drink stop by a frozen lake. The excited pack caught sight of a wolf print.

The circle was followed by a very simple but well chosen meal (fish soup) and then some returned to the sauna while others collapsed after a long day.

There was a very short 'run' on the Sunday with the only serious slip on the hash (the hashers bounced), a final circle and then back on the bus to be dropped off in Turku.

Turku was the venue rather than Helsinki as there is a more active hash there to help with the organization.



Finnish Cuisine



Hash on the boat going over





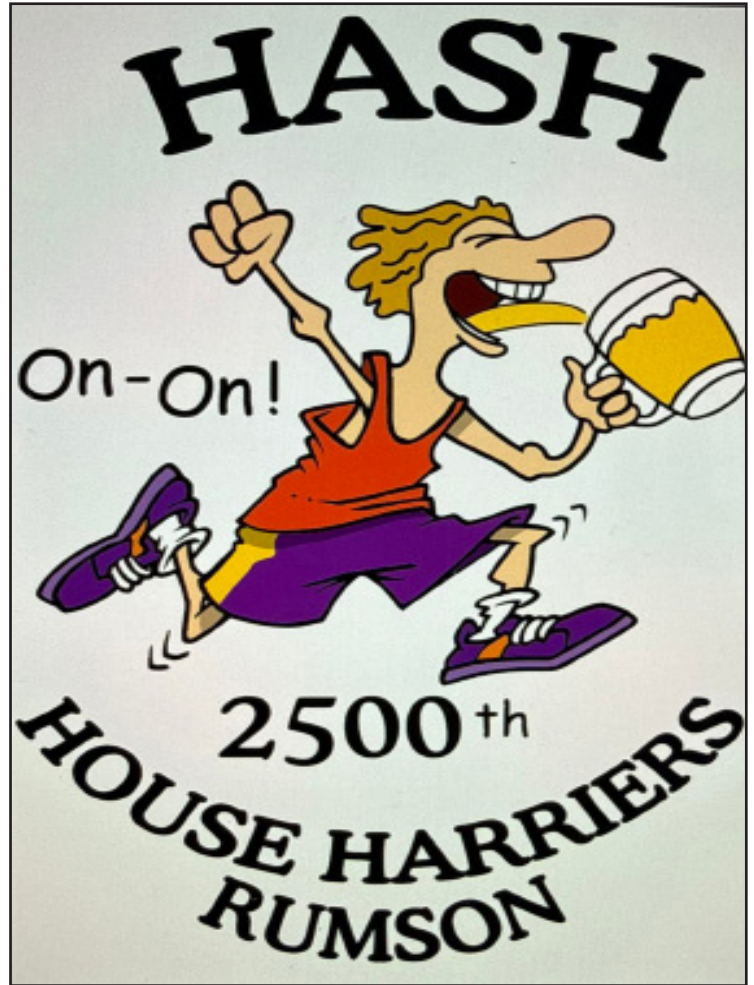
There have been an estimated 25 *Holes in the Ice* hashes with over 500 hashers having taken part.

News - Rumson 2,500th

Repeated from Facebook:

Thanks to all who showed up for Rumson's 2,500th hash run! It broke out even \$ wise (thanks to not everyone showing up at the microbreweries afterwards) and what made me really happy was several who said that it was "the best hash run that they had ever run (with a British accent - REALLY!!) AND OF COURSE NOT LOOSING ANY MONEY ON THE THING. I wasn't too happy with the cops being called on me (twice) but as much as we hate the lawyers, he saved my ass!! My favorite moment was Sundays Bloody Mary's at an Irish pub nearby, my stomach not so much eating hot dogs at the "Pickle Bar" outside the hotel night before. Don't know why but my name was givin to the locals (isn't standard reply always "Gil Jackson"?) I may need \$100 for bail money!!!

On-On, Cums



The Hell's Angels

of Hashing

Letter - Hash Hall of Fame

Dear Shakes –

I write in regard to the The Hash Hall of Fame – who gets the blame ? Indeed a personal reflection and a somewhat onerous task so well done for completing it. I suppose it amounts to a who's who of Hashing folk law and as time and hashers pass on it's a great way of remembering not only the Fab Four (Gispert, Bennett, Thompson, Lee) but also the pioneers and shakers of an embryonic movement.

But who do we thank ? The first guy who started to report and record? Maybe it's the guy who moved jobs and countries and founded one H3 after another. Perhaps it was a social mind switch as jogging become more recognisable indeed acceptable in the 1980's this coincided with a 'boom in the hash growing. After all following 1938 and G's pals it was some 24 years later when (Ian) Cummings escaped to Singapore to form Father.

The general consensus for the UK was 1969 when **Longmoor H3** down in Hampshire was formed (Capt Richard McAllister). It duly collapsed but was soon followed by the irrepressible H3 maestro Brigadier Ray Thornton down in **Plymouth Commando Forces H3** sprung up in 1971 and I haven't forgotten **Westcombe Park** either. We have oldies still running, **Bicester** and **Surrey** (1974) two of our oldest here in the UK and not far behind them are **Donnington** (1976) North of the border **Edinburgh** got in on the act (1981) and then a Tsunami of hashes followed throughout the eighties.

The omission you may have spotted is London from 1976 and a H3 which finds itself in the spotlight this year as hosts for Nash Hash UK. Mike Garbutt was a readily identified London hasher back then. I first met 'The Gut' in the beer tent at Ravenswood at SH3's Nash Hash conception in 1981. Many other luminaries since but I guess it is hard to ignore Henry after his amazing Inter-Hash Down Down title. London came close once before in organising a UKNH back in 1993 when *RoboCop* was the incumbent, but the logistics and costs were unsurmountable back then and it was deferred to C2H3. For 2025 *Bonnie* (and his LH3 cohorts) has however man-

aged to find the solution which offers the bedrock of UK hashing the ability to pitch up even if it is in snazzy motor homes. The committee I note contains none other than *Ryde* who offers vast experience and a sunny disposition. *Ryde* also puts in a shift on the Inter Hash Council. Perhaps its this that gives her the well deserved exalted position of being the only woman from the UK to make the 100, indeed the only Harriet out of 13 UK chaps!

So this brings me to a few omissions which I feel should be considered, certainly their influence has been felt here in the UK

1) **The Bear – Cambridge H3** sadly mentioned in your recent obituary column. His early influence on the UK hash scene will go unnoticed but it was at the 1983 UKNH that he introduced a GM's meeting and appointed a UK On Sec even if he wasn't present Tim Waller (East Grinstead)

2) **Prof – Bicester H3** a quiet understated gem of a hasher who revolutionised with technology the office of On Sec. We now had email. Prof also introduced a website based on a geographical, clickable UK image map. It was the first in the world to do so and paved the way for future ON Secs. Held office for 10 years. and possibly

3) **GBH – Berkshire**. While others can be credited in breaking the strangle hold over far eastern I-H it was GBH who fronted up the Cardiff Bid in 2004 and held a hash party in the millennium stadium. It was here where we switched from a GM's vote to individual attendees having the vote. I'm pretty sure the Jury is still out on this move.

So that's my two pen-nth I'm sure a few of your readers will have there own thoughts. Of course I must also add my thanks Shakes to my inclusion in such an exalted list a bestowed honour indeed.

Robo – The Human Sponge

UK Hash Historian

Coming Soon!

The **Hua Hin Full Moon H3** is turning 4, and we're taking the madness to the historic streets of Phetchaburi for a legendary outstation weekend! We're also celebrating a massive milestone: *Penny Lame's* 60th Birthday! Expect three days of fun, shrines, and enough beer to float a Thai navy boat.

WHEN: July 11th - 12th, 2026

WHERE: Mintara Hotel, Phetchaburi (Main Hub)

SATURDAY (July 11): The 7-Eleven City Hash! A scenic urban run where the "Water Stops" are strictly air-conditioned and sold in cans.

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Coming Soon!

PAN SONGKRUN HASH 2026 – Bigger, Brighter and More Joyful

Behind every great Hash event lies months of dedication, planning, and teamwork. The Pan Songkrun Hash 2026 has been no exception. Over the past year, the organising team has worked tirelessly to bring this unique event to life. From securing the perfect location and obtaining approvals from government officials, to negotiating with property owners, arranging food and beverages, and coordinating with multiple suppliers—every detail has required careful attention.

The team has travelled to the location numerous times, conducting several recce runs to ensure the trail will be memorable for all participants. What awaits hashers is truly spectacular. The breathtaking view from the hilltop is simply mesmerising, offering a setting that perfectly captures the spirit of Songkran and the adventure of hashing. One of the main highlights of the event will be the run along a historic fortress trail that winds through the jungle at the hilltop—an experience that promises both challenge and beauty for every hasher.

The event is organised by Kelab Maha Songkrun Hash House Harriers, the official kennel behind the Pan Songkrun Hash. The organising team consists of experienced hashers who have been actively involved in the hashing community for many years. Leading the team is the organising chairman, Cameraman (Thanabal), who brings with him vast experience in organising hash runs and major hashing events. With a strong team and seasoned leadership, the kennel is committed to delivering a memorable and well-organised event for the hashing fraternity. As the event date draws near, excitement continues to build. On 17 April 2026, hashers from around the region will gather for the 2nd Pan Songkrun Hash. Celebrating Songkran the hashing way is something truly special, and this event aims to deliver exactly that.

Organised in collaboration with the Tourism Authority of Thailand and endorsed by the Provincial District Office, and also endorsed by the Malaysian Hash Federation, the Pan Songkrun Hash has gained strong recognition and support. With 800 participants expected, the team hopes every hasher will enjoy one of the most memorable experiences of their hashing life. The 2nd Pan Songkrun Hash promises to be bigger, brighter, and more joyful, featuring a variety of delicious delicacies, great camaraderie, and the unforgettable spirit of hashing.

On On! Pan Songkrun Hash Organising Team



The screenshot shows the top section of a website. At the top left is a circular logo with a red border and the text 'INDOCHINA MEKONG HASH' around a central emblem. To the right of the logo is a navigation menu with links: 'Home', 'About', 'FAQ', 'News', and 'Bare Line'. Further right is a dark blue button with white text that reads 'Indochina Mekong Hash - 2026'. Below the navigation is a large orange banner with blue text that says '13TH TO 15TH NOVEMBER SIEM REAP'. To the right of the text is a circular logo featuring a brown bull's head and a glass of beer, with the text 'INDOCHINA MEKONG HASH 2026 SIEM REAP' below it. Below the banner is a white section with the text 'Welcome to Siem Reap' in a dark grey font, followed by 'for the *Indochina Mekong Hash in 2026!*' in a bold, italicized dark grey font.

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Hash Obituary

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Inspect Her Gadget

On Up to Chuck *Inspect Her Gadget* Hancock, who succumbed to his battle with cancer.

Curtis Peterson Curtis Peterson passed away on February 24, 2026. Graduated from the Montana School of Mines as a Petroleum Engineer and his work took the family to Houston, Dubai, Tunisia, and Ecuador. Curt and Diane were the heart of the expat community, frequently hosting or attending social clubs and dinners. He ran two marathons and joined the Hash House Harriers in Tunis and Ecuador.



Mr Nuisance John *Mr Nuisance* Anderson has passed away. As a hasher who knew him well said, “Yes he could be a nuisance however he had a heart of gold and they broke the mould when they made him. Wonderful hasher and friend on up to cause chaos above.”



Vincent Van Blow

Vincent Van Blow went to the great On After in the Sky after an extended illness. He is linked to the *Holy Shit What The Fuck!*, *Giggity*, *HANK*, *WereRabbits* and *Inland Empire/ CDA*. He recently spent time in Japan with *Samurai*, *Sake*, and *Tokyo Ladies*, attending many Nash Hash events. His Asian tours took him to Mother Hash, Mekong Indochina, Pan Asia, and Taiwan Down Island Run.



Pattaya Dirt Road H3

Dirt Motto - "Better Him Than Me"

Steve *Phantom* Broham

Dirt Road

GM

2021

2022

2023

Dirt Road Judge

110 Dirt Road Runs

27 Hares

"Loss of a Dirt Roder"

the passing on the morning 10th November 2025 of Steve "**Phantom**" Bromham .

He passed away in hospital following a stroke.



ers, holding the position of Dirt GM for years 2021, 2022, 2023. He was also Dirt Judge.

His first run with PDRH3 was Run #250 in December 2005.

He completed 110 runs and Hared 27 Dirts.

Our thoughts are with his family and friends. **R.I.P. Steve**

The Hash Gets Arrested

Dar es Salaam 1984

The 1980s saw the Dar es Salaam hash get arrested on two different occasions.

The city is on the coast so only offers a 180 degree radius to run in. Nobody wanted to go too far north, because driving back in the dark was considered dangerous due to lorries with no lights.

There was plenty of bush just north of town. However, some of this belonged to the army, there was no way of telling, it was just farmland, but given to the soldiers to feed themselves.

Around Run 25 we did a nice enough hash in this area. I had just had a shipment arrive from the airport (my father worked for British Airways) and my wife agreed to wait till I got home to open this treasure box. As a compromise I offered to leave before the circle.

Driving back I passed a convoy of army trucks heading towards the hash but thought nothing of it.

My hash guru, Charlie Woolman, had some spare parts for his car in the box so I took these around to his flat. There was no sign of him. I contacted other hashers and nobody was home.

The trucks I passed had rounded up the hashers for wandering across army land and called the police who took them to Oyster Bay Police Station.

The GM - a noted arsehole who was always in trouble with authorities - broke out of the convoy and went home. The police were furious and bundled all the hashers into a cell.

It was good natured and hashers were allowed to take their beer in with them.

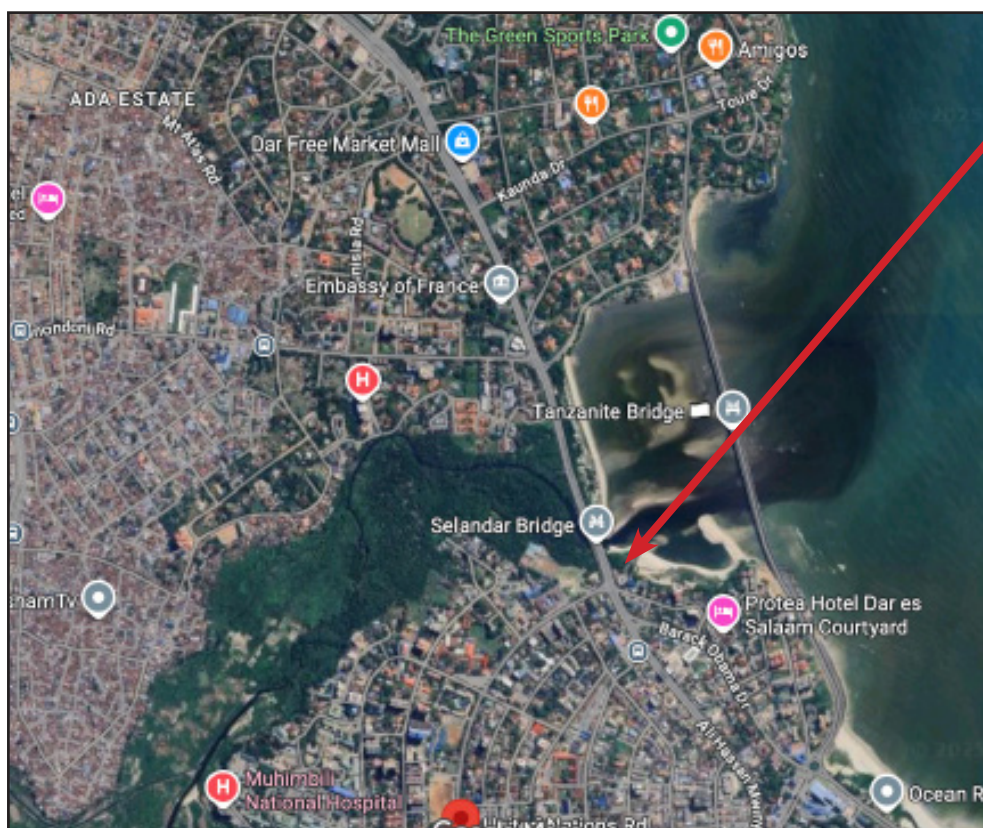
When asked if they wanted to phone the scribe Geoff Williams said, "no need, I am already here."

Hashers were finally released around 3am.

Collecting hash cash was a noted point of contention. The GM and his wife handled the money and we had built up a ridiculous amount of cash. Calls for a hash party or a free run were ignored.

The GM's house got broken into and the money disappeared. The couple stopped hashing soon afterwards.

Oyster Bay Police Station had once been a rather nice hotel. After rumours that the South Africans had tried to blow up Selandar Bridge the hotel was seized by the government. A hut was assembled to act as the police station and the hotel became accommodation for police officer families.



Dar es Salaam 1986

This brush with the authorities occurred about two years later and the hash trash exists.

Well, really, where does one start? The GM and PB gave us a lovely guided tour of the military establishments of Dar es Salaam for which they justifiably received a watery reward. Would have served them right if the buggers had been shot, I heard people say and according to Patrick that might not have been a complete impossibility.

Ass of the week award goes to Trevor for stepping forward when the gun-happy sergeant asked who would like to be arrested along with Simon while I personally was very impressed with the way that joint ringleader (PB) managed to camouflage himself behind his dark glasses.

He almost repeated the performance at the on-on but *Frogs* split on him forcing him to join Simon in a novel performance of "The Drowning Hasher."

For those who missed hash number 56 (you must have crystal balls) I will just explain that at 5:30, 26 hashers and two dogs were assembled and were waiting for the GM and Trev to emerge from the nearby army camp where they were enjoying the somewhat doubtful delights of a TPD unit's hospitably.

The long delay was put down by some to the TPD's inability to get the old electrodes working, while others thought it more likely that they were having difficulty finding Simon's genitals.

As for the run, well Simon completed a life-long ambition of laying a hash and then leading everyone around it and Robin was smiling the whole way around muttering "At Last, At Last". I wonder what he meant?

August, 1984

← The GM was Simon, a PE teacher at the international school.

← Trevor and Patrick were both teachers. Trevor was scribe and hashed regularly. Patrick turned out very occasionally to help colleagues organise a run from school grounds.

← Frogs was another IST teacher.

← The hares had set the run and had been waiting for the pack when the army arrived.

← Simon got endless criticised for racing on the hash. Because it was close to dark when they finally got away he guided the hash around the trail.

← The Hashit was kept until somebody else sinned. Robin had held it for several weeks.



Romania Eurohash 2026



EUROHASH 2027 ON-ON TO ROMANIA

Eurohash - A Brief History of the Early Years

Staged every two years, EuroHash overcame a rather shaky start to become one of the biggest events on the hash calendar.

Paris staged **the first EuroHash** in 1992 and it was a magnificent success, attracting 1,000 runners with the short distance to the French capital resulting in a notable English contingent. Friday started with a short run, then a metro trip and pub crawl of the Latin Quarter. By midnight, it was champagne under the Eiffel Tower. Saturday gave a choice of venues and there was a brilliant on-on in at 'The Winter Circus', where the Paris Harriettes cancan girls producing one of the all-time great hash cabaret acts.

Paris had been organized as a one-off event, but a meeting of GMs voted to do it all again the following year.

Eurohash 2 was in Spain and kicked off on the Thursday, with the Bangkok **Thinking Drinking Hash**. Madrid is a surprisingly hilly city, and several of the runs took advantage of the surrounding heights. The Saturday onon venue was a bullring where real - if young - bulls were produced. There was also a drinking contest,

The First 10 to Register!

- 1 Ich Been Laiden **Bucharest Full Moon H3**
- 2 Coochie Momo Chu **Bucharest H3**
- 3 Heejaa Whore **Bucharest H3**
- 4 Ringpiece **Berlin H3**
- 5 Herp Alert **Burlington H3**
- 6 Stop the Bus and Let My Friend Jack Off **San Diego**
- 7 Boar Whore **FILTH H3**
- 8 LIMP **Stockholm**
- 9 Gay sailor **Ulm**
- 10 Cosmo **Pittsburgh H3**

The **Stockholm Underground** hash called a halt to their Wednesday night run to let hashers sign up as soon as regos became available. All managed to get a spot and *Yes Please* was delighted to register as Number 69.

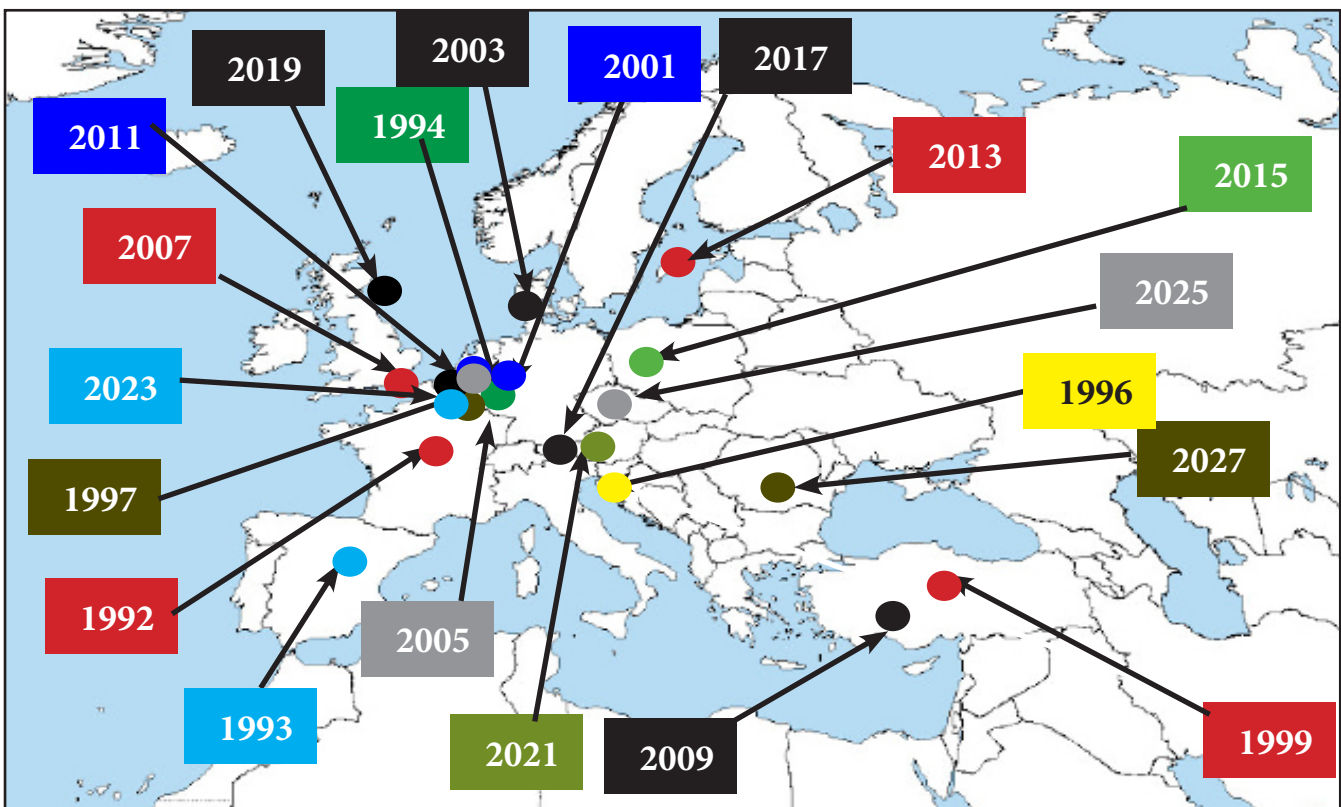
where *Hooray Henry* added to his titles. Despite the success nobody came forward to host in 1993, and the suggestion of combining it with UK Nash Hash was declined by the English contingent. Hashers left Madrid with no immediate plans and there was a feeling that EuroHash would switch to every two years. However, *Stray Dog* stepped forward to stage a **3rd Eurohash** in Germany the following year. Many hashers feel this was a renegade event but that is perhaps a harsh point of view.

Once again, the pack departed without deciding on the next venue and there was a feeling that this might be the third and last EuroHash. Instead, **Zagreb H3** came forward to host as part of their 1,000th run celebration and selected the island of Hvar as the venue. With the Balkans having a few minor problems at the time (bombs, landmines, wars etc) and with the advertising low-key, only around 50 hashers attended. Despite that the **4th EuroHash** proved a great success. The venue was a hotel that was specially reopened for the event, the island provided a perfect backdrop of sea, countryside and friendly villages and the small number of hashers resulted in a close bonding between those who did turn up.

There was pressure on the UK to host the next event but hashers once again departed unsure of where, when, or if, they would be meeting

again. After some delay *Higgins* came forward to offer Belgium as a somewhat dubious venue. Wasn't Belgium boring? And expensive? Hadn't Monty Python taken the piss out of them? Yes to all those. Yet thanks to the enthusiasm of the organiser and the brilliant beer 1997, was a magnificent success that put EuroHash onto a firm footing for the first time. With amazing intelligence for a man who has drunk so much alcohol during a single lifetime *Higgins* opted to host in 1997, thus putting EuroHash onto a two-year cycle that no longer conflicted with InterHash. The university campus 12k out of town was a perfect venue and the event produced two legendary trails, the Waterloo Battlefield Hash and the city trail, during which the Manneke Pis statue was dressed in a hash t-shirt and produced beer! (The statue had been converted to take kegs for an earlier beer festival). The evening produced some excellent cabaret acts, including the Surrey Harriette's impersonation of the Spice Girls.

Brussels was a turning point, and the pack went away with the 1999 venue already settled - the Turkish kennels would jointly stage EuroHash 1999 amongst the unique rock landscape of Cappadocia. From there, things have flowed smoothly from Red Light Runs in Amsterdam to Friday 13th runs at Hampton Court.



Romania

Eurohash 2026



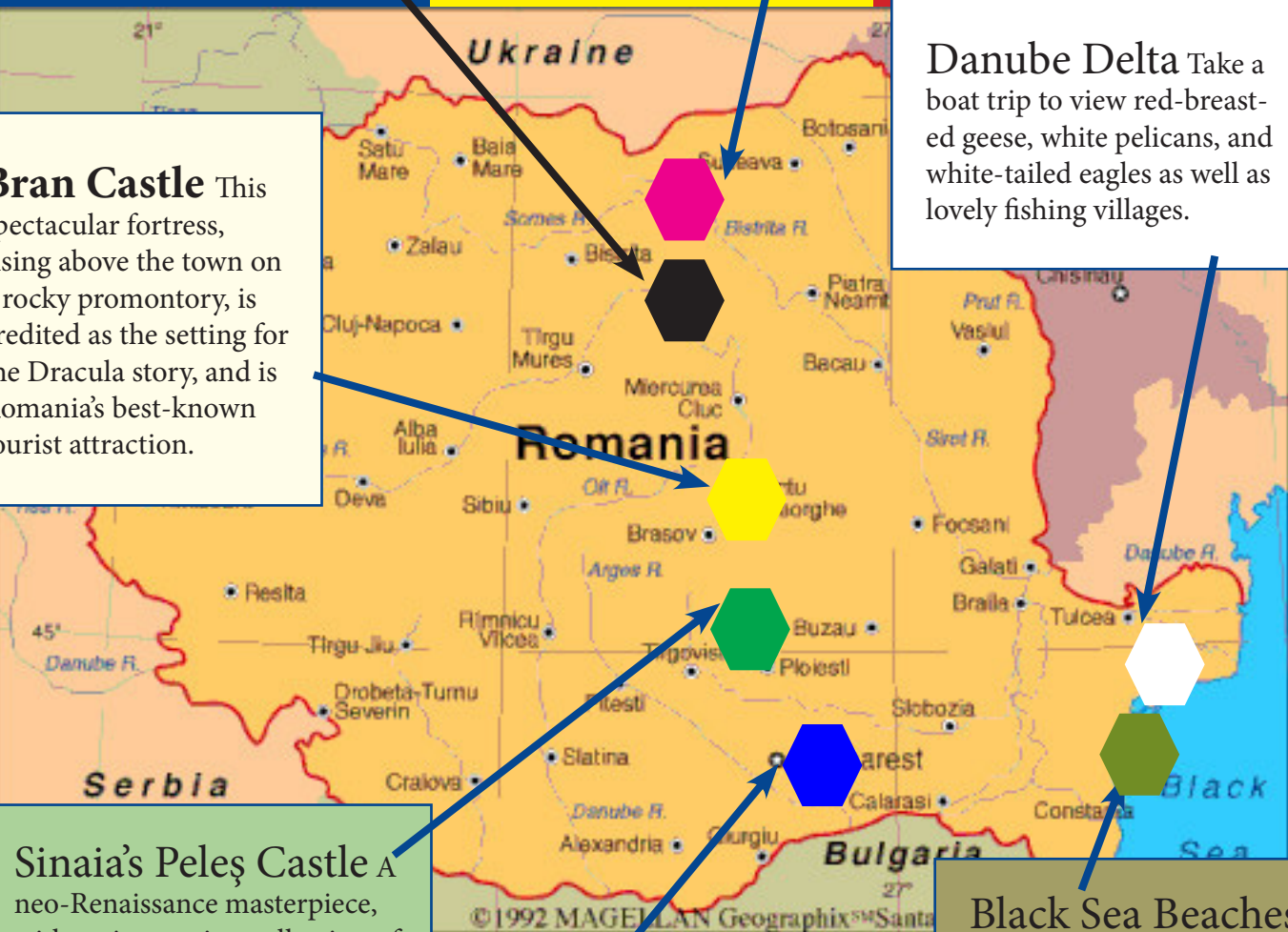
Sighișoara A UNESCO Heritage town with a historic centre and a well-preserved fortified medieval town.

Dealu Mare wine

area Wine tasting in the Dealu Mare region begins north of Ploiești and stretches to the city of Buzău. There is a 100km-long Prahova Wine Road that winds through remote terrain and isolated villages.

Danube Delta Take a boat trip to view red-breasted geese, white pelicans, and white-tailed eagles as well as lovely fishing villages.

Bran Castle This spectacular fortress, rising above the town on a rocky promontory, is credited as the setting for the Dracula story, and is Romania's best-known tourist attraction.



Sinaia's Peleș Castle A neo-Renaissance masterpiece, with an interesting collection of art, carpets, and an armoury.

Bucharest Think cobblestone Old Town, Triumphal Arch, Calea Victoriei shopping area, and plenty of quirky museums.

Black Sea Beaches Warm climate, miles of sandy beaches, ancient monuments, wineries and modern resorts invite travellers to consider Romania's Black Sea Coast as their summer vacation destination.

Staying On

Transnistria



Visit Romania

A VERY SLOPPY EUROHASH TRAIN-LUBE



Pre-Lube

Cum join *Sloppy Stool* for an unforgettable Pre-Lube to Eurohash adventure across Central and Eastern Europe. Kicking off in Prague, this multi-city journey follows Sloppy Stool by train through Brno, Bratislava, Budapest, and two stops in Romania, finishing in Bucharest just in time for the Red Dress Run that opens Eurohash

EUROHASH 2027 PARTY VENUE

Berăria H isn't just a beer hall — it's the largest beer hall in Eastern Europe and Bucharest's unofficial headquarters for questionable decisions and unforgettable nights. Long before it became the city's favourite place to party, the building started life in the 1950s as Pavilionul H, a massive exhibition hall built to show off Romania's heavy industry. Fast forward through a few decades, a major makeover, and the arrival of a whole lot of beer taps, and it has transformed into the modern hub of concerts, chaos, and cheers we know today.

Perched right next to Herăstrău Park, Berăria H blends history, energy, and the perfect dose of "this might get weird", which makes it pretty much tailor-made for hashers. It's big, it's loud, it's iconic, and if the walls could talk, they'd probably ask us to behave. (Spoiler: we won't.)

All that to say: it's the perfect home for EuroHash 2027! Where we will make memories... or conveniently forget them.



EUROHASH 2027 PARTY VENUE

SCHEDULE

August 2027

All events will take place in Beräria H unless otherwise indicated

THURSDAY AUGUST 12TH

OPTIONAL RED DRESS CHARITY RUN

FRIDAY AUGUST 13TH

1600-1900 Registration

1900-2100 Dinner

2100-0300 Opening Party

Live band, DJ, & unexpected surprises!

SATURDAY AUGUST 14TH

0800-1600 Trails

Ballbreaker to Walkers-up to 20 options

1400-1700 Lunch

1900-2100 Dinner

2100-0300 The Epic Party

Live band, DJ, skits, and even more surprises!
Plus, the official EuroHash 2029 bid presentation

SUNDAY 15

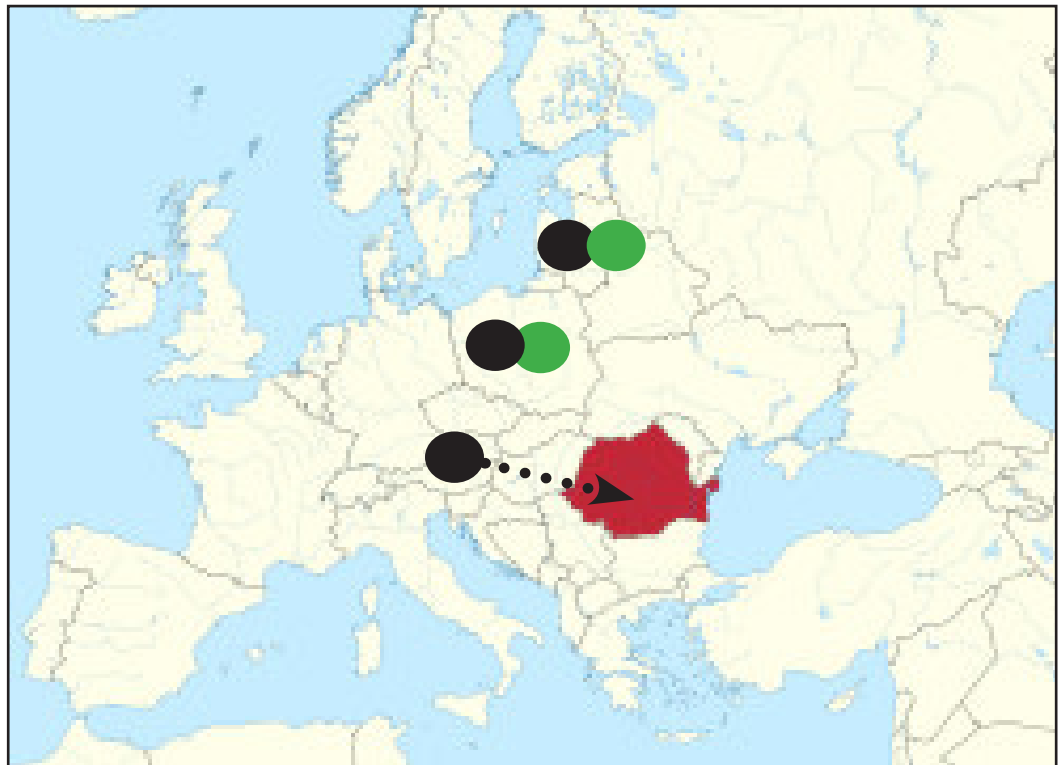
1100-1400 HANGOVER RUN & CLOSING CIRCLE

1100-1400 LUNCH & FAREWELLS

Pre-Lubes



Post-Lubes



Pre-Lubes

Sloppy Vltava Eurohash Prelube 2025!

Wednesday August 6th to Monday August 11th
Starting Prague, Czechia

Poz H3 *un #009

Saturday 9th of August

Poznań, Poland HARE: Muddie Buttie

Vilnius H3

Saturday 9th of August

Vilnius, Lithuania

Riga, Latvia

Monday 11th of August

Post-Lubes

Riga, Latvia

Tuesday 19th of August

Poz H3 *un #010

Saturday 23rd of August, Park Maciejewskiego,
Poznań, Poland

Hashers of the World

Cambridge H3 - The Class of 1982-83

Bogg, Penny Put in 38 runs this year to bring her total to 92. Completed the Cambridge Half Marathon and became Joint Mistress at the end of the hash year.

Ballard, Martin 'Fartin Martin' was a central figure on the hash and the leader of the *Booze Brothers* the greatest hash band of all time. Clocked up 61 hashes including 18 in 1982-83. Noted for his Gary Glitter outfit at hash parties. He and wife Eva edited the monthly newsletter.

Barker, Johnny Completed 126 hashes. To make things complicated there was also a John Barker on the hash.

Boddington, Anita Joined the hash on run number 2 and now had 157 hashes to her credit.

Boddington, Clive Joined on hash number 2 along with his wife. Only completed 4 hashes this year, increasing his lifetime total to 110.

Boothby, Len Was at both the first founders meeting and on Run 1. Now had 142 hashes. Set a Nash Hash trail and was organiser of the King Street Run. Became GM in 1985.

Butt, Chris His run total reached 92 but he had only completed 9 hashes this year.

Cartnell, Mike A relative newcomer with 56 runs, 34 of which had been completed this year. Completed the Cambridge Half Marathon

Chapman, Anna 59 runs with 31 of them coming this year. Completed the Cambridge Half Marathon and was the highest ranked woman in the hash squash league.

Chapman, Graham The hash horn with 75 runs to his credit. Third in the hash squash league. He and Anna took on the On-Sec role in 1985.

Clipson, Crissie The RA and later Joint Mistress. 167 hashes to her credit.

Cowley, Tom A central figure on the hash

with 149 runs to his credit, including 47 hashes this year (making him the year's number 1 hasher) Was a central organiser of Nash Hash and clocked a respectable 1:32 in the half marathon.

Crabb, Roger A new but enthusiastic member of the hash who had made a big impact. Voted 'Best Legs', played for the cricket team and ran the half marathon.

Deakin, John Hash Flash. 72 hashes with 35 completed this year.

Donaldson, Neil Joint Master with 120 hashes.

Dosanjh, Warren Was on the initial committee meeting to establish the hash and an early GM (1980-82). Had clocked up 209 hashes and a record number of 16 harings. Famous for his contribution to the local music industry. (A full profile in a future issue).

Down, Trish 58 hashes with 20 coming this year

Earl, Elaine 52 hashes with 32 this year.

Emerson, Bruce 56 hashes but only four this year.

Emerson, Lucy 87 hashes with a more limited turn out this year (15 hashes)

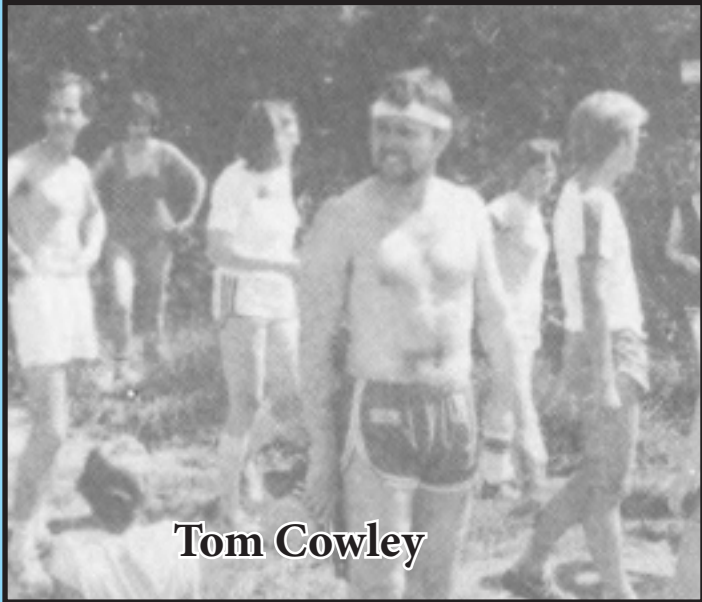
Emerson, Shirley 98 hashes and 24 this year.

Fain, Bob 74 hashes completed.

Fordham, Robin Joint Master with 68 hashes. Also clocked up a commendable 14 hares.

Grainger, Chris Joint Master with 115 runs to his credit.

Mick, Harper Joined late in the first year of the hash. Was now GM with 131 runs to his credit. A reasonable squash player.



Tom Cowley



Terry and Robbie Hogdson



Gorilla and Gordon



T.D.F. and Fartin Martin

Cambridge H3

Hartill, David Clocked 35 runs this year to break the 200 run mark A hash veteran who had joined on run 12.

Hassall, Neil 112 hashes (27 this year) Set the 'Bull Dog Run' at Nash Hash.

Hodgson, Robbie Long term hasher with 108 runs to his credit including 40 this year. A great help organising Nash Hash.

Hodgson, Terry Grand Mistress with 108 hashes to her credit, with 40 this year.

Jeffrey, Anne Was on run number 1! 159 runs to her credit.

Johnstone, Tim Former Olympic marathon runner and very occasional Cambridge Hasher where he was known as *Twinkletoes*. 6th in the Cambridge Half Marathon. Better remembered for his hashing in the Philippines.

Kavangh, Terry Had 133 hashes to his credit and was at the founding committee meeting. Runs the St Radegund pub and set up a mid week Cantabrigensis H3 to hash from there. A regular hare.

Keterridge, Roger Completed the Cambridge Half Marathon side by side with her husband Ron. Completed 39 hashes this year.

Keterridge, Ruby 213 hashes including 38 this year, joined on Run Number 2.

King, Clive Hash Horn. 66 hashes with 34 coming this year. A possible army man with the rank of major?

King, David Hash beer with 57 hashes to his credit, 31 of them coming this year.

Kinsman, Griffith Hash stats. 78 hashes with 19 coming this year.

Ladbrook, Phil Known as *Gorilla*. 76 hashes with 31 this year. Later had a spell as Hare Raiser and was GM 1987-88.

Larque, Sue Joint mistress. A relative newcomer with 45 hashes, 33 of them coming this year

Lowe, Rob A new and enthusiastic runner who clocked 42 runs in this, his first year. Completed the Cambridge Half Marathon.

Lindsay, Ron 82 hashes 13 this year. Collected 1.30 in the Cambridge Half Marathon and was the first regular hasher home.

Mills, Chris Hash Horn with 87 hashes to his credit with 33 this year. An organiser of the King Street Run.

Mathews, Linda 38 hashes this year and one of the organisers of Nash Hash.

Rix, Steve 55 hashes to his credit with 25 this year

Silk, Chris Joined the hash in its first year. 119 hashes to his credit with 46 completed this year

Silverman, Lew Was on Run Number 1. 153 runs but 'only' 19 this year,

Singh, Sammy On 76 runs but was slowly down with 16 runs this year.

Stuart, Gordon The GM with 172 runs. Had completed 18 hares. Noted for his contribution to the King Street Run and for streaking at Nash Hash.

Taylor, Ron Might have been a sergeant in local army base? Joined on Run 3 and was now on 127 runs. Hit 12 runs for the hash cricket team.

Taylor, Howard Another member from the army who learnt his hashing in Hong Kong. Was on Run Number 1 and was GM 1979-80. Had 181 runs to his credit and had set 10 trails.

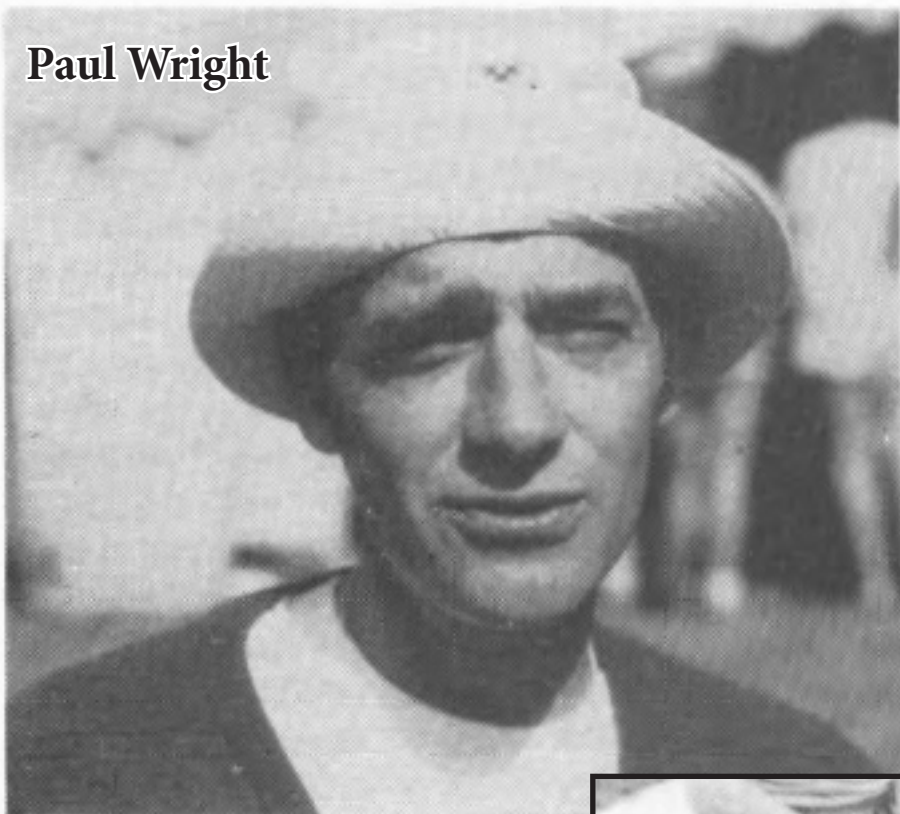
Umpelby, Mick Hash Horn. A newcomer with 39 runs 26 of them this year. Completed the Cambridge Half Marathon, topped the hash squash league and hit 9 runs for cricket team.

Wilby, Terry Joint Master with 131 hashes.

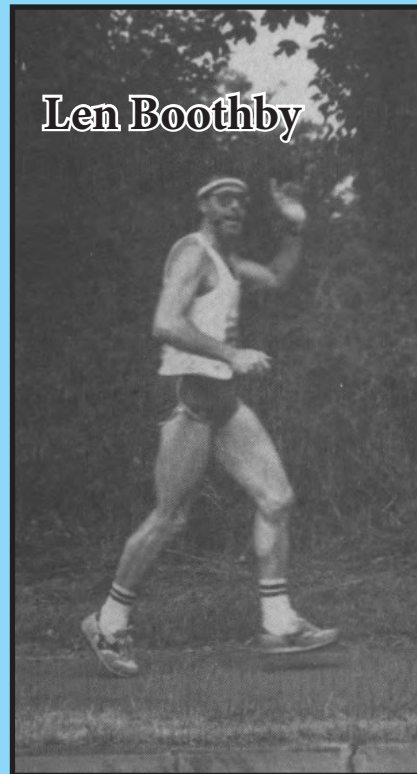
Wilson, Barry 56 hashes with 33 of them this year. Completed the Cambridge Half Marathon.

On On

Paul Wright



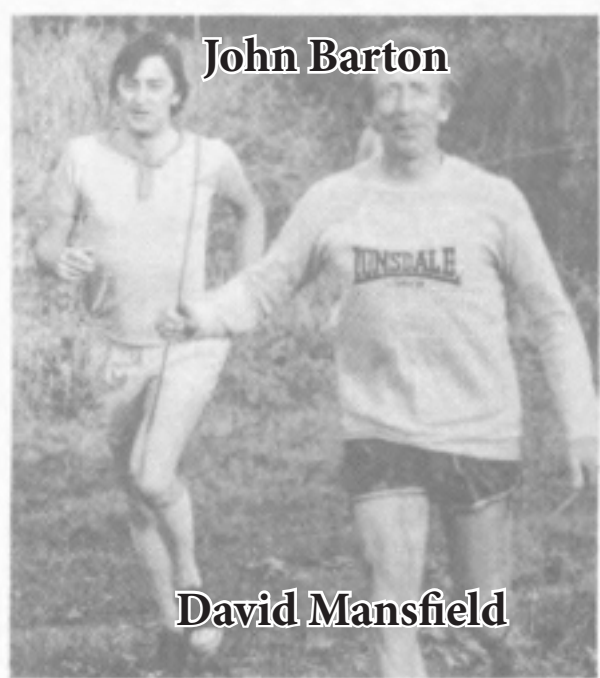
Len Boothby



Nail Hassall



John Barton



David Mansfield

Cambridge H3

RIP to a Hash Brother

A dark hash legend

I never met **George Wilkes** but he is certainly a hash legend. Members of the **Surrey H3** committee who organised the first UK Nash hash remembered him, and not fondly. Reading through the **Cambridge H3 Year Book** for 1984 and it is clear he made a similar negative impression. We are not talking about your average hasher pretending to be a bad boy. We are, I believe from what I hear, talking of a man who when drunk made other hashers feel uncomfortable.

I was quite fascinated by this and decided to do a little research. The way that George's name came up was a total surprise. He was mentioned in a full length article in the Guardian Newspaper. It was nothing to do with his hashing. The opinion piece by Tim Maguire looked at the eulogy -the part of a funeral service where a lay-person who knew the deceased talk about them. The author was fascinated by families who told the truth even if that meant portraying the recently deceased in an unfavourable light.

Who should this article feature but a hasher called George!



The image is a screenshot of a Guardian article. At the top, the author's name 'Tim Maguire' is displayed in blue. To the right are navigation links: 'HOME', 'ABOUT', 'WHAT I DO', 'TAKE A LOOK', and 'BLOG'. Below this is a dark blue navigation bar with white text for 'News', 'Opinion', 'Sport', 'Culture', and 'Lifestyle', followed by a yellow hamburger menu icon. The main image shows a priest in purple and white vestments standing next to a wooden coffin in a church. A group of people in formal attire are gathered around the coffin. Below the image, the article title 'Loose canon' is written in orange, followed by the sub-headline 'At a Christian funeral all are equal before God - even Cilla' in black.

As explained in the introduction to his article: “In a religious funeral, ‘the eulogy’ is where someone who isn’t a priest or minister is given the opportunity to celebrate the life, goodness and accomplishments of the deceased. The word comes from the Greek and it means ‘to speak well’ so by definition it’s a respectful and positive tribute.

In some of my ceremonies that’s exactly what it is, but in others, it’s quite the opposite. Families fall over themselves to tell me ‘the bad stuff’ about the person they loved, not just because it’s funny, which it often is, but also and much more importantly because they want to honour the reality of the life.”

He then describes two such cases, the first being our George:

George Ashley Wilkes was a bit of a wild boy. Married four times, twice to the same woman, his spiritual hero was George Best, who famously said, “*I spent a lot of money on booze, birds and fast cars. The rest I just squandered*”.

Named after the noble upstanding character played by Leslie Howard in the film ‘Gone with the Wind’, he had more in common with Clark Gable’s Rhett Butler. “Frankly my dear I don’t give a damn” was George’s motto and as his five children told me, ‘dad was infamous: you either loved him or hated him’.

Born four days after D Day, in World War II, George spent a year in the army after school before moving into the booming new business of television rentals. These were the days when ‘pay per view’ involved putting coins into the back of the TV, so his customers came up with lots of ingenious ways to avoid doing that and if he caught them at it, George would take a pair of pliers to their aerial cable to teach them a lesson they wouldn’t forget.

One of his lifelong interests was running. He and his best mate Rab were members of a running group of the old school called the Hash House Harriers who would meet up with a bag of flour, shake a dob out to make an arrow, shout “on, on!” and head off, leaving arrows of flour in their wake until they ended up at a pub a few miles away. After a few shandies, George loved nothing more than stripping off his clothes and streaking through the pub or climbing up a flagpole, with his tackle on display to all those unlucky enough to be below him. Rab told me that he and George travelled the world with the Harriers, getting barred or arrested pretty much everywhere they went.

Chatty and opinionated, George was an extrovert. He could be very funny – he was a great one for telling jokes by text – but he could also be a grumpy old bugger, and he was famously mean: if he could figure out a con to save a few pennies, he would. The most important things in his life were money, beer and women – in that order – but as his children told me, he taught them some valuable lessons, and one of the most valuable was not to be tight. ***The article then goes on to talk about another recently deceased person called Dane, who was not a hasher.***

The Cambridge H3 Year Book of 1984 noted that:

Edinburgh were placed at edge of field, ‘*away from the decent human beings*’.

The book recorded that two of the Edinburgh crowd had been arrested for streaking at Newcastle Station on the journey home.

Edinburgh stole a volleyball and a wheelbarrow chair that cost the hash £35.

There was this quote: “The only real niggle about Nash Hash ’83 (apart from George Wilkes)”

A later issue of the Year Book noted that the Inter-hash pre-lube in Bali saw George falling off the cliff (while running naked) and missing the flight to Jakarta.

Hash Beer

The beer is based on locally grown jasmine rice; the malt is imported from France and Belgium, the hops and yeast from Germany.

It is available throughout Laos and in Western-style restaurants in Cambodia. It is increasingly available in bars in Thailand.

In April 2008, LBC launched another beer brand, a 5% alcohol lager called **Lanexang**. "Lanexang" means "Million Elephants" and was the name of a historic Lao kingdom, 1354–1707. Since its launch, Lanexang Beer has been gaining popularity among local drinkers, although it can be relatively hard to find.

Beerlao Gold was introduced in 2010. Its distinguishing ingredient is "khao kai noy" rice, which is claimed to give the beer a "...good scent and non-sticky texture ..."

In 2018 and 2019, LBC launched two new beer types: **Beerlao White**, a white lager, and **Beerlao IPA**.

The company claims to have a 99% market share of the market in Laos, though this may be challenged by the recent arrival of Singapore's Tiger beer.

Beerlao is an official sponsor of many sports events in the country.

They issue one of the most popular calendars, showcasing the year's winners of the Beerlao beauty pageant.

Beerlao is now exported to the United Kingdom, the United States, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Korea, Ireland, Japan, Vietnam, Cambodia, France, Thailand, Denmark, Hong Kong and Macau, Switzerland, China, Singapore, and the Netherlands.

In October 2024, the Lao Brewery Company (LBC) exported more than 10 million litres of Beerlao across the globe, generating over US\$10 million in export revenues.



"A very nice beer that is light enough to help on a hot day. Good, solid taste."

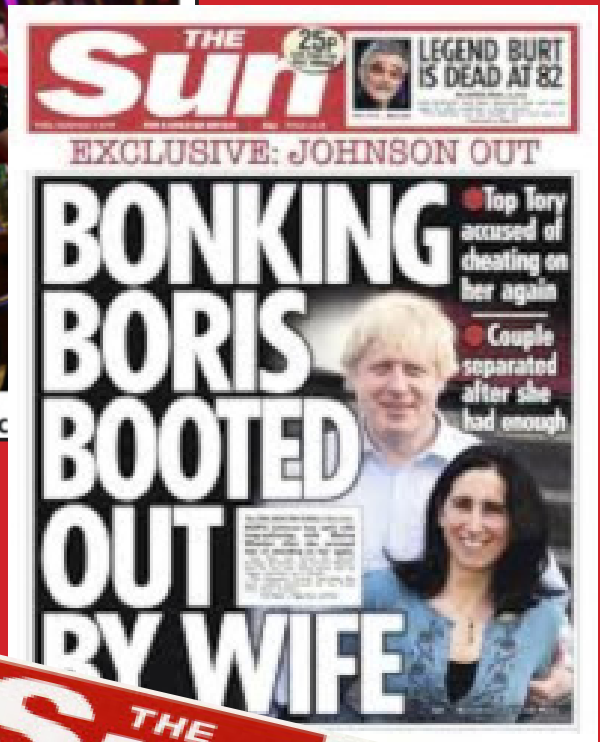


*Sharing a few
Beerlao's
with the
Vientiane
Hash*



Page 3 Hash Boys

The Sun newspaper celebrated the news of late drinking hours for the World Cup by searching for photos of fans in the last World Cup in Qatar. Who should they find but those two fine examples of hash manhood, Dido Dan and Soapy Tit Wank.



The Sun is a British tabloid newspaper. It was founded as a broadsheet in 1964 and became a tabloid in 1969

The Sun has the largest daily newspaper circulation in the United Kingdom

1969

By 1969, The Sun was losing about £2 million a year and had a circulation of 800,000.

Robert Maxwell offered to take over the paper and retain its commitment to the Labour Party, but admitted there would be redundancies, especially among the printers.

1970

Sex was used as an important element in the fight for readers, and the first topless Page 3 model appeared on 17 November 1970.





1982

One of the paper's best-known front pages, published on 4 May 1982, commemorated the torpedoing of the Argentine ship the General Belgrano by running the story under the headline "GOTCHA"

1986

On 13th March 1986, the newspaper published another of its best-known headlines: "FREDDIE STARR ATE MY HAMSTER".

1989

At the end of the decade, The Sun was heavily criticised for its coverage of the Hillsborough football stadium disaster. Under a front-page headline "The Truth", the paper falsely accused Liverpool fans of theft and of urinating on and attacking police officers and emergency services.

The pub was the Red Lion in Doha, which was home to both English and Welsh fans. The Filipino band was taught to play both, 'It's Coming Home' and 'Delilah' with the fans trying to drown each other out.

