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News

England

The **Oxford Mail** wrote an article on *'the great mysteries of Oxford'*. Oxford it seems doesn't get that many great mysteries, because number 5 on the list was, *'why were there piles of white powder all over Bicester?'* The story goes: *In 2019, residents in Bicester became extremely concerned after small piles of white powder were dotted all over the town. Locals were particularly concerned for the safety of dogs - in case they ate this mysterious powder. Others were concerned the powder were drugs.* The mystery was eventually solved, however, with Bicester Hash House Harriers revealing that it was just flour marking their running route through the town.

Fiji

Also looking back, but with a more serious tone, **The Fiji Times** reviewed the violence in the island's recent past. This was a time when people might be taken to police stations and tortured, while expats lived in fear of being expelled from the country. The University was a particular target and when hashers gathered at the house of the university VC, Geoffrey Caston, the police came round the next day and accused him of staging an unauthorised meeting.

Sweden

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. The editor joined them last month for a run around Skanstull, an old harbour area now renovated into a fashionable residential neighbourhood. It was a long 8-9 km course with

two drink stops (bring your own mugs). Drinks and chocolate bars were handed out at the end, but there was no circle and people departed quite quickly after the run. This might have been more to do with the temperature (4 degrees Celsius than COVID-19. *Sir Clever Dick* (featured as a hash legend some time ago) has just completed his 1,000th hash with the **Absolut H3**. He wrote that it was *'thanks to the hash that I'm still alive at my age. I've had so many runs, with so much fun, and I still feel so young! Thanks all of you for keeping me healthy and interested in an active life. Love you all! Yours, Sir Clever Dick'*.

Hong Kong

Hashing continues despite COVID-19 restrictions. HK's oldest hash (H4) had 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** is not running. *Thanks to Hopeless*

Philippines

Good to see that Hong Kong hash legend *Howard Mackay* is still running with **Angeles City H3**.

Bangladesh

For years the men's hash have struggled with traffic that has made it impossible to get out of the small area of town where most hashers live. As they were running more or less the same route each week, the boys stopped setting a marked trail and numbers declined. The decision to switch to the weekend has allowed hares to set trails in the countryside and numbers have risen to around 15. *Nippy Knickers* set an excellent trail around the seldom used Botanical Gardens for her 250th Dhaka Mixed hash.



Left: Malawi bid for Pan Africa.

Above: Hashing on the streets of Belgrade.

Ghana

Great to see **Accra H3** setting a few runs, although numbers look low. Would love to get a report from Ghana!

Malawi

Lilongwe H3 will be bidding to host Pan Africa Hash in 2023.

Bahrain

Local hash legend *Ali Jassim Al-attar* celebrated his birthday and 35 years of Hashing. The two hashes in Bahrain, **Bahrain H3** & **Bahrain Black Hash**, will come together for a Red Dress Run to celebrate BH3's 2600th run.

USA

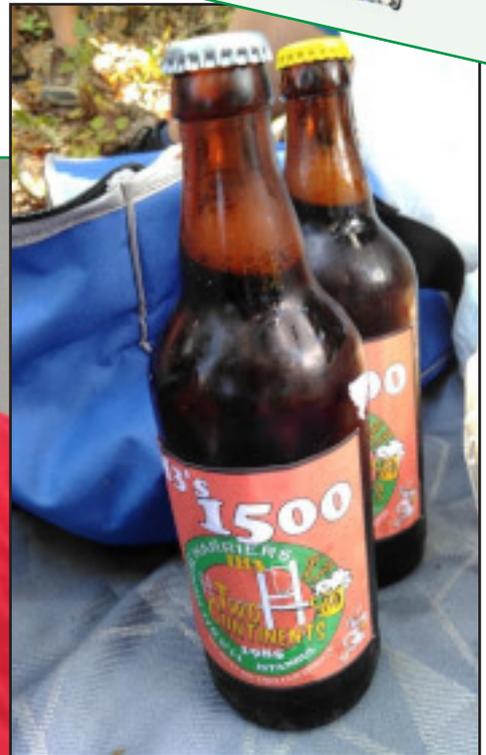
Houston H3 are marking one year of 'lock-down' by trying to stage a "real" hashing experience. The trail will be laid by 11am. *'Anyone who is uncomfortable being in a bar or a group setting can run the trail on their own anytime'*. The main pack will met for a 2:30 start with an A-to-A run starting and ending at a bar with a large patio. No down-down beer and no hash cash.

Grenada

Group gatherings were banned for a while due to COVID-19 but **Grenada H3** are up and running again with *'approval for hash events given by the relevant authorities.'*

USA

Epic Fail has suggested using the COVID-19 lull to write a history of the 30 years of TXIH (Texas Inter-hash). The call was for veterans of the event to *'get together, before you die of COVID, STDs caught in your younger days, and alcoholism and write down the history.'* The Texas Interhash is famous for its Mr/Mrs TXIH and Mr/Mrs. Nude competitions. Must run with them one day!



Left Bahrain has legend *Ali Jassim Al-attar* seen with his son. Above t-shirt for the Beijing 2000th Run scheduled for April.

Colombia

It is wonderful to see a hash active in the capital of Bogotá. Their latest event is a special Bachelor/ Bachelorette Hash in honour of two of their members about to get married. There were limited numbers (COVID-19 related?) and the event 'sold out'. On On Bogotá.

Internet

A new Facebook page 'Name That Hash' is attracting lots of attention. The idea is to post an old/interesting photo from some hash and see who can identify the event. Great idea!

New Zealand

New Zealand will be bidding for the 2024 Interhash. 'We have found a great location. We have partnered with Cargo Brewery in the Gibson Valley in Queenstown'. The event has provisionally been pencilled in for February 2024. 'Our current committee is 12 hashers including the current NZGM, members from Christchurch and Dunedin clubs plus

the only known Hasher living in Queenstown'. To remind people that in Fiji we came second by just 300 votes'.

There is likely to be bids from Fiji (again) India (Goa) and China, with rumours Turkey may join the list. New Zealand expects to be sending about 75 hashers to Trinidad, which should give them a solid base when voting starts. Thanks to *Bluevain* New Zealand Nash Hash 2023 will be hosted by **Takaka** in mid April. Incoming NZGM is *Birdtable* from **Woeful Hash**. Three hundred registrations are already listed, with many of the overseas hashers rolled over from 2021.

The first Post-Covid **Rangitoto** run was held on March 8th after 2 postponements. *Mongo's* 60th was held on Waiheke Island in February. **Whangarei Hash Red Dress Run** collected \$1335 and the Hash made the amount up to \$2000. This will be donated to Camp Quality that offers an adventure break for children with cancer.



Bob Dickhead Wilson sent in this wonderful photograph of the Old Farts. 'We meet for lunch on the second Tuesday of the month at the Saint Arnold Brewery in Houston. Any Hashers passing through are more than welcome to join us.'

Left to right: Ralph "Mighty Mouse" Lopez, Riyadh (Saudi Arabia) HHH, 1982, Mike Half Moon Mullaley, Houston Full Moon Hash, 1987 Zoltan Zoltan Mraz, Houston HHH, 1992 Rick Estrus Jaeger, Orange County Hash, (California), 1984 Jake Lube Job DeBoe, Houston HHH, 1986 Bill Dickhead Wilson, Kuala Belait HHH (Brunei), 1977



If you are going to do this, don't do it on the day you get your hash name! On On *The Wetter the Better* (Dhaka Mixed hash). Photos by Fat Fart

St Patrick's Day

Hashes all around the world (at least those still able to run) celebrated St Patrick's Day. Dubai's long term Irish couple, *Pog Mo Thoin* and *Camel's Arse* set a run from the Dubliners Bar, which attracted 20 hashers. *Seaman Staines*, *Gecko F@@ker* and *Circumcised* offered a great countryside run for the Dhaka Mixed Hash and handed out some excellent t-shirts followed by a barbecue.

Update of New Zealand Runs of Honour

Little Flic has completed 1636 of Mastertons 1653 runs.

Sun City's *Noodles* has completed 1778 of 1863 hashes.

Demon Dave of Auckland is looking to join Rotorua's *General* and *Father* as the only three NZ hashers to complete 2000 plus runs with a single club.

Dinki Di can claim a double 1000 plus with both Wellington Ladies and Geri's. When added today suggests a lifetime total of nearly 3000 runs. *Chips*, founder of Ladies, must have a similar total.

On On Happy Feets

Kiddiefromtampa announced that, 'many of you old time Hashers might remember *Happy Feets*, *Mark Jackson*, from the Orlando Hash. Sadly, he passed away from cancer today. He will be greatly missed! RIP Feets!!

Snowy

Drainoil informed me that *Snowy* has passed away. He hashed regularly with **Penang H3** from the late sixties until recently and would be remembered by the many Australian hashers who were stationed at RAAF Butterworth.

Lick 'Em

Lick 'Em, a popular hash dog with the **Swansea Jack H3**, has sadly passed away. 'He made us laugh every day and loved the HASH!!! He loved down downs and was a bit of an FRB but we can forgive him for that. We'll do a trail for him when we're all able to get together.' On On Lick 'Em

Hashers A to Z



Deep Throat
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Hashers

A to Z

Letter D

Dead Animal

Ian Hepher

Madrid/Montreal (Spain/Canada)

Ian *Dead Animal* Hepher started hashing in **Madrid** where he clocked up over 200 runs. On moving to Canada in 1994 he and *Foxy Lady* founded **Montreal H3**. He was a long term GM and by the time he moved back to the UK in 2012 had 755 hashes to his credit (4th on the Montreal all time rankings). During 2008 he clocked up 35 consecutive runs. Returning to the UK he founded **Evesham Summer Sundays Hash** and joined **Warwick H3** on Run Number 1. 2013 brought a return to Spain where he helped found the **Costa Blanca H3**. His hash world travels have taken him to Americas Interhash and the KL 60th and 80th anniversaries. In his working career he was an aerodynamicist, working with military aircraft. *Dead Animal* is now back in the UK where he continues to hash.

Dead End

Mary Moore

Hogs Town (Canada)

Originally from Dublin but now Canada based. Ranks just outside the top 100 on *Where Have you Hashed*.

Deadloss

Magda Los

World hasher

A Belgian ex-pat who has been hashing since **Moscow** in 1988. One of the most distinguished female GMs, she has held that role in Moscow, Canberra and Dar es Salaam. Was also founder of **Bujumbura H3**. *Deadloss* is a fine drinker and was Aussie Nash Hash Ladies Down-down champion and runner-up in the 1996 InterHash contest

Dean, David

Mother Hash (Malaysia)

David Dean was Joint Master of **Mother Hash** in 1953. He worked for the US Information Service and might well have been the first diplomat to take up

hashing. He might also be the first American to do so.

Debbie

Wes Harry

Dubai Desert/Brunei (UAE/Brunei)

Started hashing in Brunei in 1982. He might well have joined **Bandar Seri Begawan H3** on their first run, but that was the week he finally moved to the top of the waiting list and was offered a place with the original men's hash. Claims to have only once missed a hash when in country, although because of his frequent travels it took 27 years and 2 postings to complete 100 runs. Once set a check under a tree where a bear had built a nest. Work took him to Saudi and then to Dubai, which was followed by a stay in Glasgow where he completed his Ph.D. studies. He then hashed in Kuwait before making a return to Dubai. After three decades of hashing he was finally given the hash name Debbie. (His surname remember is Harry, therefore Debbie Harry! *Ed: can older hashers explain Blondie to younger hashers*. Now in his seventies, Debbie continues to be active on the Dubai Hash scene.

Deep Throat

Alan Seerup

Wellington H3 (New Zealand)

'It was in Melbourne in the 1980's that he (Deep Throat) was introduced to the wider world of Hashing and his trusting kiwi nature was sometimes taken advantage of by local legends such as Steamshoes and Herpes who used him as a fall guy at away events'.

Having been introduced to hashing *Deep Throat* went



on to clock up over 3,600 runs, both in New Zealand and around the world. He has passed the 1000 mark with 2 local Wellington hashes, as well as completing over 400 runs in his 2nd Hash home of Melbourne. DT has been co-hare with *Bluevain* for the last 4 Red Dress runs at New Zealand Nash Hashes. Over the years his University drinking training has stood him in good stead for Interhash DownDown events and he has 5 titles to his credit, including the most recent one in Fiji. He is also webmaster for the NZHHH website, despite having, in true Hash fashion, almost no skills in Websites. Luckily he has very good staff, with thanks especially to *Ra* in Vancouver and *Fire N Da Ho* his wife. (Ed: *Deep Throat* has been a great supporter of *On ON Magazine* - many thanks!)

Deep Throat

Pe Chanthong

Bangkok Harriets (Thailand)

Pe was possibly the original Deep Throat. She was the first Bangkok Harriet past 600 runs and was also credited for all of the **Men's Saturday Hash** runs where she and husband, Pitak, supplied the beer. Her work in supplying beer to several Bangkok hashes meant she was widely addressed as *Hash Piss*. She won the ladies Down-Down competition in Interhash Phuket and was runner up in Rotorua. Pe was killed on 12 June 1995 while driving home from Hash duties. A Down-Down mug was donated to InterHash by Bangkok Harriets and is used every 2 years in her memory. She was also an original member of the **Thinking Drinking Hash**.

Deep Throat

Terry Mechan

Hong Kong/Wirral (Hong Kong/England)

Was a founder member of the **Royal South Side H3** in Hong Kong, where he was Hash Minstrel from 1977 - 1980. Returning to England he was founder of the **Wirral and Chester Hash** in February 1987 and **MOH3 Hash (Cheltenham)** in 1997. In 1996 he started the **Global Hash Founders Hash** which is a Club for people who founded a Hash. Each Founder has a uniquely numbered Founders Hat (www.hash-foundershash.com). *Deeep Throat* also writes hash songs (<http://www.terrymechan.com/hashmusic-m.php>).

Demon Dave

Dave Ronson

Auckland H3 (New Zealand)

A long-time **Auckland H3** Hashman, Dave 'Demon' Ronson, aka 'Demon Dave' is approaching his 2000th run with Auckland (predicted for 12 April 2021).

At that point he will become only the third Kiwi Hasher to achieve 2000 runs with the same kennel. Demon Dave arrived in New Zealand from Preston in the UK in 1973 on a two-year work visa and never returned. Put off by some of the fitter members of the group (Ed: it was a long time ago and we were all younger) Dave didn't hash until *Animal* took him along in 1979, 'we haven't been able to get rid of him since'. He has missed only a handful of Annual General Piss-Ups and has built up an impressive list of Inter-Hashes and Nash-Hash visits. His most infamous hash exploit was getting caught by a rising tide in a mid-winter run across the mudflats off Point Chevalier. The rest of the pack swam for it, but Demon and *Bananas* (RIP), not being strong swimmers, took refuge on a patch of mangroves. They had to be rescued by the Coast Guard, an incident which made the newspapers complete with some embarrassing pictures. *Thanks to Captain*

Delhi Boy

Simon Batty

R2D2H3 and Bourne Valley H3 (England) *Delhi Boy* got his Hash name when he joined **Barnes H3**



Delhi Boy

in the UK after three years running with **Delhi H3**, and immediately found himself one of the youngest members of the Barnes pack. His impressive hash CV includes notching up 100 plus runs in each of India, Greece, Egypt as well as with Barnes. He has been GM in Athens, Twin Cheeks and Bogotá, and Joint Master of Delhi and Cairo. Following a ten-year Hash hiatus (no Hashes in Iraq or Afghanistan) he started to hit the shiggy again a couple of years ago with **R2D2H3** and **Bourne Valley H3** in UK. Has hashed in over twenty countries and still runs internationally when work, travel and COVID-19 permits.

Der Tulip Eater

Kaj Petersen

Copenhagen H3 (Denmark)

Kaj Petersen caught the hash bug in Hong Kong and went on to hash for the rest of his life, clocking up runs in over 40 countries. His greatest claim to fame is being one of the three founders of **Copenhagen H3** in 1980. He spent most of his life working for A. P. Møller. The Tulip Eater died on trail in Cambodia while taking part in the 2018 Cambodian Nash Hash. His life was beautifully summed up by this Facebook tribute from Jim Edens: *Kaj died doing what he loved and lived for. I was with him his final few days in Phnom Penh at Cambodia Nash Hash, and he was his jovial self, laughing and having a drink with friends. He will be missed by all who know and loved this man. RIP Der Tulip Eater.*

Designer Bush

Nancy West

Washington Hashes (USA)

Was GM of the **DC Full Moon Hash** and turned out with most of the DC area hashes at some time or another. She was famous for her Lingerie Run and pool parties. Designer Bush passed away in May 2010.
On On Designer

Detmann, Wolfgang

Bangkok H3 (Thailand)

A key figure in with the **Bangkok Men's Hash** from 1989 to around 1995. He regularly sat on the committee, including being GM in 1993. When not hashing he was a managing director in the health industry

Disaster

Ron McPhail

Medan H3 (Indonesia)

Disaster was a **Medan H3** hasher in the mid 1980's to early 1990's. He was a mechanical engineer and like a lot of the lads worked for Mobil Oil. Disaster



Debbie in his youth

was a great host and close friends often gathered at his home and sat around his famous bamboo bar. *'His hash name was quite apt as he was always moving from one disaster to another. On one particular Inter Hash he almost drowned crossing a river, he was rescued by fellow MH3 members.'* Following on from this infamous act he was presented with a life vest at a mixed gender event. After Indonesia, Disaster returned to live in the UK and passed away in the early 90's. His 3rd wife (*Princess Dianne*) survived him, as did his eldest daughter by his 1st wife and 2 more children (daughter and son) from his 2nd wife. On on Disaster! *With thanks to Wombat.*

Dickhead

Richard Hughes

Hobart H3 (Australia)

First run in the 1976-77 hash year and completed 1000 runs with **Hobart Hash** in 1999. 2003 was the first time he did not turn out regularly after which Dickhead only completed a couple of more runs. He is affectionately mentioned in the Hobart Hall of shame, *'Richard (Dickhead) Hughes for attempting to set a hash run on a five acre block, blaming H4 when he was breathalysed on a Monday night and for being Hughesy.'* His final run total with Hobart is listed as 1226.

The Hooray Henley Hash

as told by Ratshit



Ratshit, Bonkers and Sleazy



Robo Cop and Shampoo



Hooray Henry

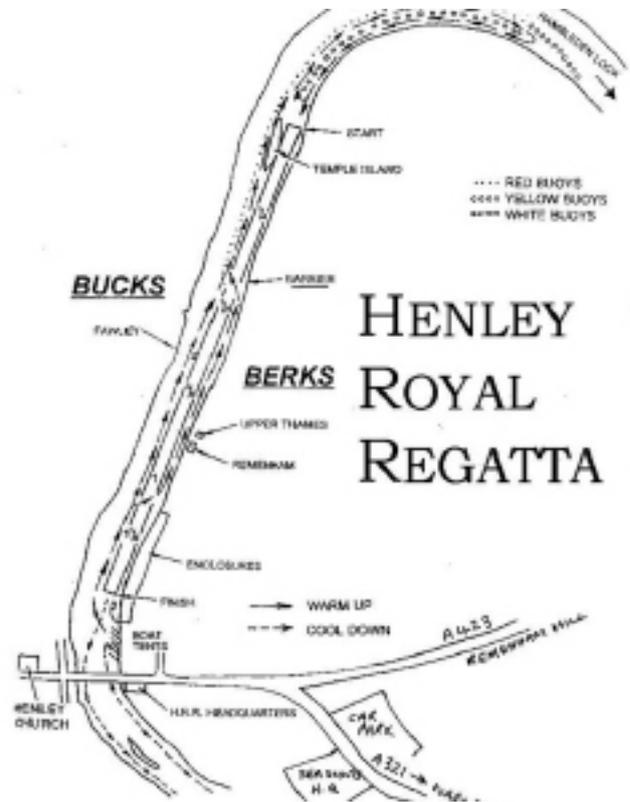


Hooray Henley Hash 2008?

The Hooray Henley Hash House Harriers (H5) came about as a result of a follow on to the UK Nash Hash which was held at Binfield Heath in 1986 and a bunch of hashers keen to visit Henley around the Henley Royal Regatta which normally falls in last week June first weekend in July (same time as Wimbledon finals). Basically, London hashers were in full swing for the seasons events which kicked off with Boy From Brazil's birthday in April, Royal Ascot, Wimbledon, Henley Royal Regatta, Glynebourne etc. etc. finishing off with a spot of shooting peasants beyond the borders and needed something to do around that time of year in the home counties close to their country estates.

The original founders of the Hooray Henley Hash were Banker (GM of London at the time), Hooray Henry (now lives in Henley), and Ratshit (fanatical

sweep rower – last year would have been his 40th year attending HRR) and the first run was held in Henley during the regatta weekend on 5th July 1987. Mother hash for the H5 would have to be Khar-toum H3 as the whole thing really grew out a chance encounter in the Sudan Club in Khartoum in 1980 and plans to start a hash rowing club on the Blue Nile – scuppered by the banning of alcohol shortly after (but the subsequent forming of the KGB – Khartoum Guild of Brewers). The H5 have run every year since and celebrated their 30th year of running on 2nd July 2017 with the usual start from Henley rail station on Sunday of the regatta. Turnout varies from around 25 on a quiet year up to 130+ depending on whether it's a camping weekend, the weather etc.. Last year was the first year we did not run as a result of Covid, but we'll be back this year in force somehow whatever the rules even if it's running in small groups and having a much wider circle. There have been a number of stalwarts of the Hooray Henley Hash over the years including Rhyde, Scrubber and Caboose who helped organise some memorable camping weekend events at the Henley Football club and for the last many years Lonely (and the many nameless helpers who help make this a memorable day) who has made this



every year since 1987, some years the pack includes many actual rowers including PogeMahone, DogButt (Kate/Siobhan Brownlow), Syph (Connor Brownlow), Relic (Colin Cracknell – introduced me to hash in Khartoum in '81), Petal, Prosperous Chicken. There are usually a number of overseas visiting hashers – I remember Broken Trojan, visitors from Trinidad, Samurai, and others and the regular UK visitors include Gadget, Thunderthighs, Fat Bastard, Rambo, Airhead, Mary Poppins, 2AM, Mad Cow, Tablewine, WhatDidYouSay, the Bicester and Oxford crowd.

For many the highlight of the H5 is getting dressed up and heading off for a picnic by the river watching the rowing and the day can be fantastic, but for many the hash marks the end of a 5 day (soon to be 6) drinking marathon attending the regatta where the bars open at 11:00am and close around 7:00pm when everyone rolls over the bridge to join the parties in the numerous bars in town. Many of the die hard spectators camp at Swiss Farm and its quite a sight seeing people crawl out of tents in full hash regalia – hotels in the area are booked for years in advance. Some lucky people manage to hire boats from simple 3 men in a boat types to gin palaces where the day starts before 6 am when the competitors are out on the water to get some training in.

Come and join us next time we can run and see what is fantastic hashing at its best and experience the quintessential British summer weekend at its best. On on to the next 30 years....

grow to an annual fixture on the Marlow H3, Berkshire H3 as well as London and Surrey hashes. The hash trails take in the beautiful countryside around Henley on both sides of the river, Hambledon Lock and Henley lock featuring heavily in most trails that are typically 10 km with spectacular views. Who can forget the house with the large scale model railway, the guy who owns multiple polo fields, running by the late George Harrison's house, running through the grounds of Lady Astor's country house, running by the antique caravaners of Great Britain, annoying the golfers whenever possible who think rights of way don't exist on their patch, the narrow alleyways through the back streets of the sleepy suburbs of the town. In the early days we would have the circle in the Fish pub (no longer there) or the Anchor in Friday street, but since the rise of gastropubs we now gather in the many fields in and around the town by the river banks. Lonely now guarantees a fantastic al fresco On On with selection of local beers, a lavish picnic including Pimms and the usual strawberries and cream sometimes served by the onboard crew of his lavish yacht that moors up by the bank typically in the grounds of Henley Management College.

After the circle many of the hash dress up in regatta togs and go to take in the regatta sights on the Berkshire bank

The Hooray Henley Hash has managed to run

Hash Legend

The Penguin

Epic does not spring to mind when you first meet The Penguin. He is quiet, unassuming and not so tall. But he is a legend in hashing terms. He has been there (run in 46 different countries), done that (held most Mismanagement posts) and been an ambassador for hashing for over 40 years.

Ron Strachan first bumped into Frederick 'Horse' Thompson in a mixed sauna in Bahrain. They both claimed to have lost their way. But only one, Horse, had previous experience of getting lost in hot steamy places, KL. He was one of the four founding fathers of 'Hashing'. Ron was so intrigued by his Asian hashing tales that next day he booked a flight to Jakarta. It was 1974. A few weeks later he completed his first run with Jakarta H3, and got lost. But he loved the experience and stayed 17 years.

The last time he saw the 82-year old Horse he nursed him through the 1986 Interhash in Pattaya with a few tales of his own.

Ron loves hashing the camaraderie, the beer and the food.

Food is important. There hasn't been a moment in Ron's life when he hasn't been hungry. Hence his early hash moniker, 'McGreedy'. But then he did something unexpected. At a JH3 on-on, (some say to celebrate his third engagement to be married... probably a myth) he stood on a table to demonstrate a highland fling, then flung himself into the restaurant's fish-storage aquarium. He surfaced with a fish in his mouth. The Penguin was born.

JH3 is a singing hash, and from the outset he had to make his dulcet Scottish voice heard above the cries of 'Speak English!' But he soon got his revenge by becoming the Master of Music 1979-80, and then Joint/Hash Master 1980-83. During that tenure, (1982) Jakarta H3 hosted the third world 'Interhash'. Having participated in the previous two (HK '78 and KL '80) helped him lead the IH Organising Committee, and to add new features to the event including its current Down-down competition. The Penguin has now run on 20 Interhashes (all-bar-1), and has served on many of its Organising Committees. He is a current and Founder Member of the 20-person Interhash Council which oversees the awarding and quality of the event.

Not satisfied with taming the huge, all-male Jakarta Circles (120+ runners) he became a founding member of the Jakarta Harriettes and the Jakarta TGIF mixed hashes. He then packed his running shoes to become a travelling ambassador for hashing.

He became a Founder Member and Trustee of the Hash House Heritage in KL. Its aim, to rebuild the original Hash House and provide a focus for all things hashing.

He also helped create new hash clubs in Oman (now Muscat H3), Spain (Mojacar H3), Croatia (Dalmatian H3), Holland (Merdeka H3, now extinct), and the international Indonostagia Exiles H3. The Penguin has run with over 170 different hash clubs, and participated in many regional events such as the Borneo, Dutch, German and Aussie Nash Hashes, and many other regional events, cruises and rail-jerks.

The Penguin is probably one of the most recognised hashers ever; with his sheepskin hair and smiley face. No doubt greatly aided by his on-stage performance at the Bali 1988 Interhash. He was inside a 2-man, giant papier-maché penguin (with Chris BB) squirting 'piss' and throwing lit fireworks out of its arse when something went amiss. It all went up in flames. BB escaped but The Penguin was trapped inside. He would have perished had it not been for the beer generously thrown by the 5,000 cheering spectators. A great act.

But what makes The Penguin a real credit to hashing is that he is a true gentleman. By his own admission, he always endeavours to.... a) do the right thing, b) drink beer, and c) be entertaining. But he seldom achieves it. As a front-runner he once relaid a trail to avoid the pack traipsing through an old folks home in Wales. But fell through the rusty top of their septic tank.... to the residents' delight. The fire brigade rescued and hosed him down. An ambulance took him to hospital via the Circle where he enjoyed several quick down-downs. Three out of three, a good day!

This vignette can only tell a fraction of the events that have made The Penguin a walking legend. He's been bundled into the back of a van in Papua New Guinea as a gang of hungry cannibals came ram-

paging down the street. And overtaken in a Libyan desert by President Gaddafi on a camel, pursued by rebels in a land-rover firing live shots at him. And he's been lost in the catacombs of Malta searching for a loo.

The Penguin is currently sitting at home in Aberdeen, house-bound by the Coronavirus curfew. He

is probably reminiscing on his 3,200 hash runs and wondering where the next one will be. Or perhaps he's singing hash ballads to himself as he plays his Blüthner piano with one hand and holds a wee malt in the other. Raise a glass to The Penguin, a living legend.

As recollected by Froggy Park.



Hashing Returns

New Zealand Nash Hash

30 January to 7 February

A fantastic week long celebration of Hashing in New Zealand.

- At the Hawke's Bay A & P Showgrounds, hosted by Pania H3. Nearly 200 hashers attended but there were no overseas visitors.
- Friday evening kicked off the main event. Saturday heralded the main runs around the iconic Te Mata Peak. There were spectacular views as well as lovely bush tracks. Head hare was *Likka* who had been planning this for years. Then it was back to the showgrounds in the afternoon for the drinking competitions and games. The theme was "Come as you are" and a top local band had hashers dancing into the night.
- Sunday was the recovery run and a meeting to elect the next NH venue. For the first time in years

For the first time Nash Hash went ahead without the usual big contingent of Aussie hashers, (only those with dual Aus/NZ citizenship could have travelled and would have had to complete two weeks quarantine). Many held their regos over till 2023.

there were two candidates, with Takaka winning over Auckland. The incoming NZGM will be *Birdtable*. The official close was followed by the unofficial cocktail party for the stayers.

- Pania Hash did a fine job with special credit to *Likka, Metal, Petal, Shunter, 2 Jugs* and *MB*.

Traveling to Nash Hash
From the North

Maungawhai 100th ,

Woeful and MoolooH3

Taupo

Fat Catz

From the South
Led by Feefifofum

Thursday
Fat Catz run from Tikotino.

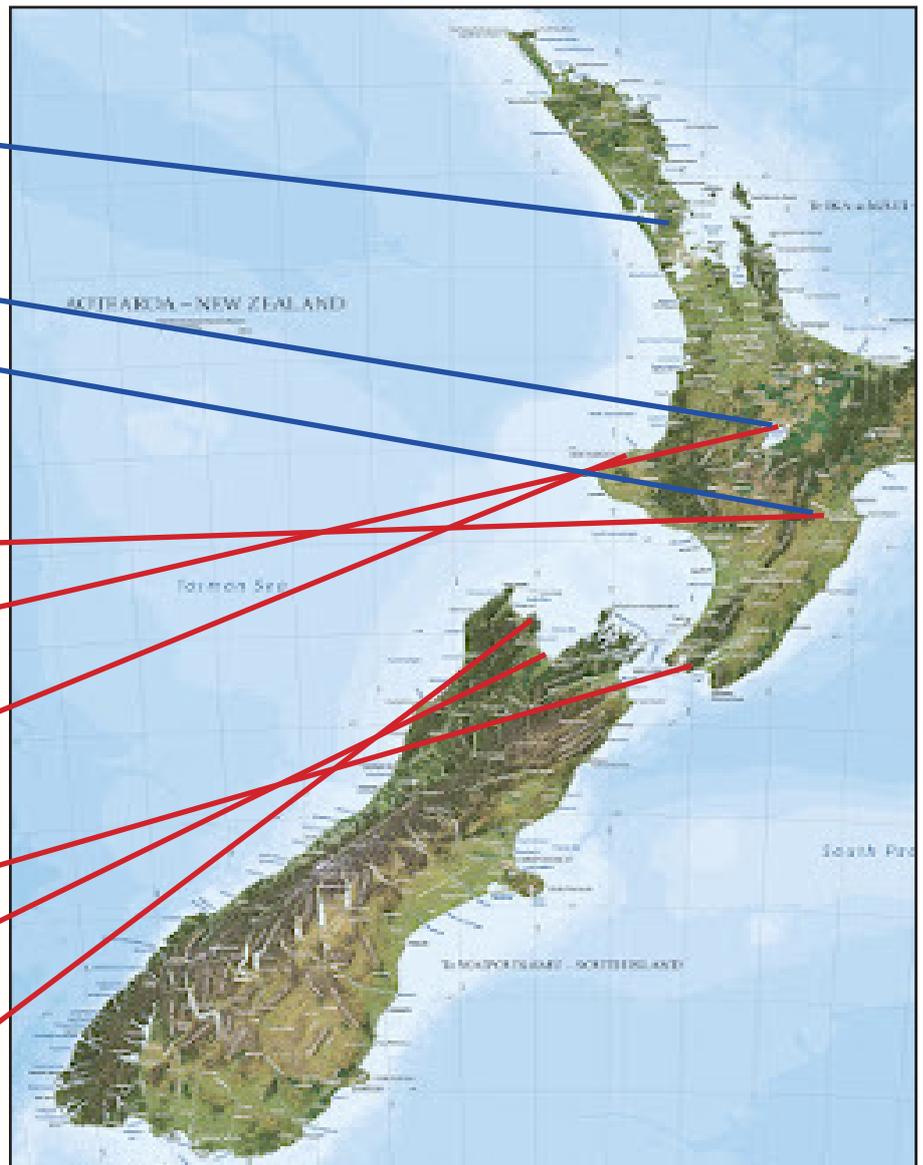
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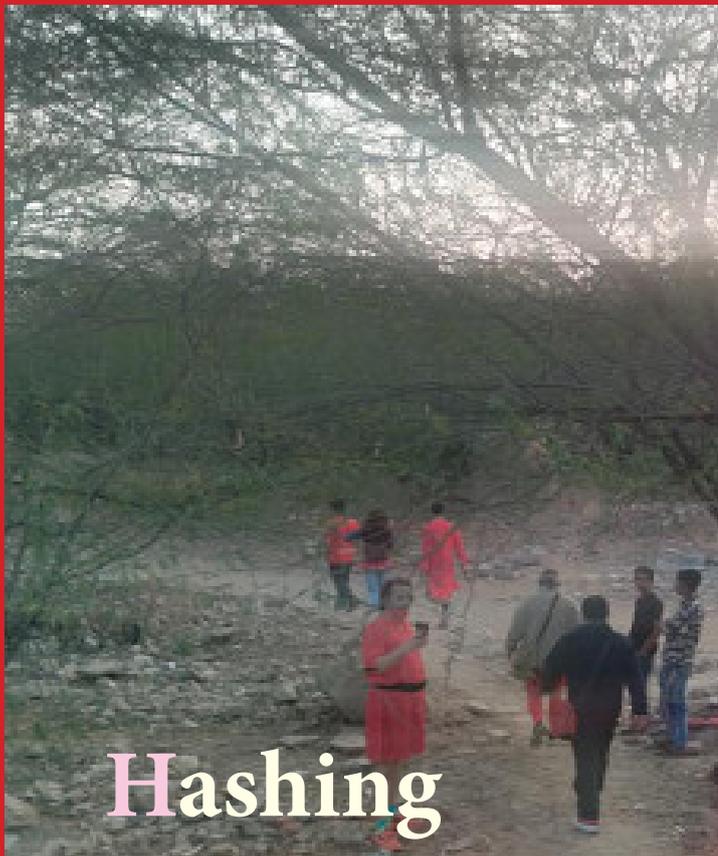
Tuesday
Energy HHH in New Plymouth

Monday
Wellington 60 hashers

Sunday
Nelson HHH

Saturday
Takaka HHH 50th
30 hashers.





Hashing Returns Capital Hash Red Dress Run



‘This was run number 1572. A reasonable turnout of 35 hashers and we had loads of fun. Thanks to Monkey Business.

An Indian Nash Hash combined with Monsoon Madness is coming up soon.



Original sources

The Chee Bye interview with The Colonel



The nature of hashing in Penang during the early years.

Chee Bye describes **Penang H3** as 'the original animals hash' which suggests they were a wild group. He notes that *Drianoil* was already there and that his bank kept a bungalow that was often used for hashes. Hash membership was almost entirely expat with large contingents from the RAF and Australian Air Force.

I had not realised that 2 of the last 5 last survivors had been on the same hash at the start of their careers.

Early racialism on the hash.

Chee Bye was one of the pioneer Chinese runners but he does not mention problems with fellow hashers. He does talk about being teased by his Chinese friends for taking part in such a strange activity. Jogging was not yet appealing to Malaya Chinese.

An interesting observation. It should be noted that in recent years peer pressure from family and mosque has driven many Malaysians from the hash.

How Chee Bye was nearly lost to hashing.

After moving to KL *Chee Bye* found **Mother Hash** too fast for him. He ran with **Sermbam H3** for several years, but after the departure of Mike Smith this group became 'too timid'.

I would love to find out more about Mike Smith if anybody knew him.

Forming of the Animals.

The Bear, *Herman Toda* and *Chee Bye* talked about forming a new hash at a meeting held somewhere down the 'back streets of the red light district'. This group became the famous Animals.

As pointed out in previous articles the seedy night-life of early KL needs to be researched.

Was this the origins of our most famous motto?

Chee Bye notes that the new group was described as '*animals and drunkards with a running problem*'.

This is perhaps the most important observation! It sounds as if our '*drinking club with a running problem*' motto might have originated with the Animals? However, it is also possible that the motto already existed and was simply adopted by the Animals.

Forming of the Hazards.

17 years later *Chee Bye* found he could no longer keep up with the Animals pack. He became one of the founders of the Hazards.

Reading between the lines it seems too many young runners were joining and the old hands were being left behind on the run. In another article *The Bear* suggested 'new comers' were also trying to change traditions in the circle.

How Chee Bye got his name.

Chee Bye did not get a hash name for 32 years!

Hash Stats

The 1000 club updated

Justification for the 1000 list

To my mind the one and only (no, the two and only) things we hashers do compete in is beer drinking and blind puppy dog loyalty to the hash.

The more times you turn up, and the most times you hare a trail, the more respect you win!

I therefore think the 1000 list finds an acceptable balance between acknowledgment and being competitive.

The 1000 list has also created lots of interest from hashers scanning through the names and saying, 'yes, I remember him/her! So, On On and keep sending in nominations and new totals. *Shakesprick*

1-10

Boob a Lube.....	Thailand (Bangkok437 Bangkok Monday 439).....	4122
Deep Throat	New Zealand (Wellington 1160, Geris 1008).....	3689
The Brewer.....	Scotland (Edinburgh 1831, TNT 1750).....	3581
HazuKashii	Hawaii and world travels.....	3300
Hopeless	Hong Kong.....	3276 updated
Polly	Brunei and others.....	2800
Flasher	Bali.....	2700*
Pancho.....	World Hasher.....	2700*
Dinki	New Zealand (Geris 1450 Wellington Ladies 12250).....	2675
Mad Duster.....	Scotland (Edinburgh 1326, TNT 1328).....	2654

11-20

Rambo.....	England (London 1159 West London 1369).....	2528
Uncle Gerry.....	England (Singapore 365, Surrey 2158).....	2522
Miss Piggy.....	Sri Lanka (Men 1120 Harriets 893).....	2013
Ahpisto.....	UAE (Creek 1179 Desert 830	2009
Flying Dutchman	Scotland (Edinburgh 665, TNT 1337).....	2002
Demon Dave.....	New Zealand (Auckland)	2000
John Fletcher.....	Brunei.....	1985
Mr Nuisance.....	Scotland (Edinburgh 906 TNT 1073).....	1979
Little Big Horn.....	Bangladesh (Men 916 Mixed 1051).....	1967
Pirelli	Glasgow and world travels.....	1910

21-30

Boomer	Australia (Hobart).....	1900
Albert Woo	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1883
Little Shit	Scotland (Aberdeen H3).....	1879
Ryde	England (London 1120 West London 758).....	1878
Minty Hole.....	Bangladesh (Men 779 Mixed 1093).....	1872
Sir Sullo	Australia (Central Coast).....	1870
Banger.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1858
Biddy.....	Australia (Hobart)	1961

Shepherd	Australia (Hobart).....	1953
Pope.....	England (London 570, West London 1358).....	1928
31-40		
Dicky.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1920
Frank Noriega.....	Thailand (Bangkok Monday 1076 Harriets 838).....	1914
Boomer	Australia (Hobart).....	1900
Albert Woo	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1883
Little Shit	Scotland (Aberdeen H3).....	1879
Minty Hole.....	Bangladesh (Men 779 Mixed 1093).....	1872
Sir Sullo	Australia (Central Coast).....	1870
Banger.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1858
Biggles.....	New Zealand (Wellington).....	1845
Snifer.....	England(Bicester).....	1809
41-50		
Popeye	Australia (Perth H3).....	1800*
Boof.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1800*
Scrambles	Australia (Hobart).....	1786
Noddles.....	New Zealand (Sun City).....	1778
Quasi	Australia (Melbourne).....	1731
Barry Moore	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1749
Bart Stewart.....	Brunei (Brunei H3)	1730
Fugis.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1704
Lady None	Australia (Central Coast).....	1700
Mildew/Gnash.....	New Zealand (Wellington).....	1700
51-60		
Mase.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1700*
Troppo.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1700*
Panels	Australia (Perth H3).....	1700*
Precious.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1700*
Richard On.....	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1688
Glami.....	England (Tamar Valley)	1676
Six35.....	Australia (Melbourne)	1665
Amam.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1664
Father Abraham	Denmark (Copenhagen).....	1660
Chips.....	New Zealand (Wellington Ladies)	1650
61-70		
Black Bollocks.....	Sri Lanka (Men 1311, Harriettes 326).....	1637
Little Flic.....	Mew Zealand (Masterton).....	1636
Pee Wee.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1630
Grotti.....	Australia (Melbourne).....	1629
Town Planner.....	New Zealand (Wellington).....	1617
Spider.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1616
Chopper.....	England (Brighton).....	1614
Sir Eve.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1614
Tarzan.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1609
Likka.....	New Zealand (Pania).....	1601
71-80		
Mother.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1600*
Coops.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1600*
Local Knowledge.....	England (Brighton).....	1590
Little Flic.....	New Zealand (Masterton)	1590
Sir Stan The Man.....	Australia (Central Coast).....	1589
Jacek (Jack) Blocki.....	Cyprus (Episkopi).....	1585

Pork Finder.....	Thailand (Bangkok).....	1569
Lord Glo-Balls.....	Austria (Vindobona).....	1561
JFK.....	Sri Lanka (Men)	1560
Jim Burke.....	Cyprus (Episkopi).....	1557
81-90		
Sir Eve.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1557
Chappie.....	New Zealand (Wellington).....	1556
TC.....	New Zealand (Wellington).....	1556
Mermite.....	Sweden (Absolut 700 Underground 853).....	1553
Dildo Dan.....	Qatar, Dar es Salaam and others.....	1550
Little Mo.....	UAE (Desert).....	1548
Phantom.....	Australia (Melbourne).....	1539
Pounce.....	Australia (Hobart)	1539
Termite.....	Sweden (Absolut 694 Underground 829).....	1533
I-feel Tower.....	USA (Richmond area).....	1531
91-100		
Pricky.....	New Zealand (Whangarei).....	1525
Big G	Australia (Hobart)	1522
Victory Rocket.....	?	1521
Hacker	New Zealand (Auckland).....	1518
Dagy.....	New Zealand (Garden City).....	1516
Shakespeare.....	New Zealand (Auckland).....	1515
Pisspot Kev.....	New Zealand (Wellington).....	1510
Dreary.....	Canada (Calgary).....	1509
Obs.....	New Zealand (Auckland).....	1506
No Cup.....	Thailand (Phuket).....	1503
101-110		
Sewerage.....	New Zealand (Masterton).....	1504
Capt Haddock.....	Cyprus (Kirtton)	1500*
Dicky.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1500*
XYZ.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1500*
Mac the Mouth.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1500*
Megasaurarse	Scotland (Edinburgh 1132)	1500*
Alan Holden	Middle East	1500
Yagus.....	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1499
Tony Ambrose	Thailand (Bangkok 1345 Monday 152).....	1497
Featherlite.....	Sri Lanka (Men 1396, Harriettes 89).....	1485
111-210		
The Blessed Saint Norman....	Austria (Vindobona)	1482
Dogshit	New Zealand (Masterton).....	1466
Grotti	Australia (Melbourne).....	1482*
Fairbrother	Australia (Melbourne)	1465
SAS	Dubai (Desert 1459).....	1462
Hacker	New Zealand (Auckland)	1464
Sir Sir James.....	Spain(Madrid).....	1462
Cardinal Monk	Austria (Vindobona)	1459
King Shit.....	Canada (Calgary).....	1442
McSheery, Tom.....	Cyprus (Epsikopi).....	1442
211-220		
10 Speed.....	New Zealand (North Shore Hussies).....	1442
Hj Ahmad.....	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1432
Klinger.....	England (Cambridge)	1429
Gawd Knows.....	New Zealand (Auckland).....	1418

Jimmy Koh	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1417
Bedsores	England (Cambridge).....	1415
Camel's Arse	Dubai(Desert).....	1412.
Panther.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1407
Phantom.....	New Zealand (Masterton)	1403
Hard to Port.....	New Zealand (Norwest)	1402
221-230		
Sir Inky.....	Australia (Central Coast).....	1400
Mudman.....	USA (Flour City).....	1400*
Snowplough.....	New Zealand (Geris).....	1400
Boweltrowel	UAE (Creek).....	1400
Acko.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1400*
JK.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1400*
Baron.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1400*
Scrotus.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1400*
Mullet	Australia (Perth H3).....	1400*
Stir	Australia (Perth H3).....	1400*
231-240		
Clever dick.....	Sweden (Stockholm Underground 1000 Absolut 471).....	1401
CountZero.....	?	1391
ThirStig.....	Denmark (Copenhagen).....	1395
KC.....	England (London 684 West London 703).....	1387
Flortte	England (Winchester)	1385
Silver Fox	Mandurah	1389*
Timekeeper	England (Winchester).....	1378
Goodyear.....	New Zealand (Wellington).....	1375
Victoria.....	England (Brighton H5).....	1374
Mudman.....	USA (Flour City).....	1361
241-250		
Chicken F**ker.....	Bangladesh (Men 690 Mixed 667).....	1357
Knickers.....	England (London 698 West London 655).....	1353
Geestring.....	New Zealand (Capital).....	1351
Pantom II	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1350*
Sir Ballpoint.....	Australia (Central Coast).....	1350
Turford, Ray.....	Cyprus (Epsikopi).....	1341
Liddell.....	Cyprus (Epsikopi).....	1341
Carroll, Jim.....	Cyprus (Epsikopi).....	1341
Sourpuss.....	Wellington (New Zealand).....	1340
KBKC.....	Bangladesh (Men 1336 Mixed ?).....	1336
251-260		
Magpie.....	New Zealand (Auckland Hussies).....	1334
Tito.....	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1331*
Bedsores.....	New Zealand (North Shore Hussies).....	1322
GGaust	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1322
Shakesprick.....	Dar es Salaam/UAE/ Bangladesh.....	1320*
Foggy Glasses.....	Norway (Bergen).....	1321
Top Gum	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1315
Chickenman	Philippines and Moshe hash	1314
Vichal Senator.....	Thailand (Bangkok).....	1319
Hangman.....	New Zealand (Palmerston North).....	1315
251-260		
George Hanson.....	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1312
Paul Turton.....	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1306

Irish.....	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1303
Easy rider.....	Australia (Hobart H3).....	1304
Jughead.....	New Zealand (Masterton).....	1302
Bum Burner.....	England (Barnes).....	1301
Captain Hook.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1300*
Lady Moz.....	Australia (Central Coast).....	1300+
Sir Tic Toc	Australia (Central Coast).....	1300+
On On Don.....	England (Brighton).....	1299
271-280		
Kack2	England (Tamar Valley).....	1297
Last Tango.....	?	1296
Old Bailey.....	Denmark (Copenhagen).....	1296
Benghazi.....	England (Cambridge)	1294
Governor Honkers.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1289
Biff.....	England (Tamar Valley)	1288
Barney.....	England (High Wycombe, H3).....	1287
Snowplough.....	New Zealand (Geri's).....	1400
Angel of mercy.....	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1284
Grandpa.....	England (Tamar Valley)	1286
281-290		
Happy.....	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1280
Hardly.....	Canada (Calgary)	1281
Twisted Sister.....	Canada (Calgary).....	1281
Jules.....	Australia (Hobart H3).....	1280
Right.....	New Zealand (Wellington Ladies).....	1277
King Klong Tiger.....	Thailand (Phuket).....	1275
Gnashers.....	England (Tamar Valley).....	1274
Nicko.....	Cyprus (Kirton).....	1323
Toe Truck.....	New Zealand (Mooloo H3).....	1260
Airman.....	England (Brighton).....	1257
291-300		
Amnesia.....	England (Bicester).....	1255
Wolfgang von Nivea	Thailand (Bangkok).....	1254
Ricky Ho.....	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1254
Smiler.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1253
Sir Romeo.....	Australia (Central Coast).....	1250+
Pyro.....	Canada (Calgary).....	1250
Hard Drive.....	New Zealand (Auckland).....	1250
Crotch Thumper.....	USA (Lexington).....	1250
Gilligan	USA (Daytona Beach).....	1250
Monkey Glads.....	England (Bicester).....	1249
301-310		
Dingo.....	New Zealand (Mooloo).....	1246
Extra Testicles.....	Australia (Southside).....	1240
Wheels.....	England (Yorkshire).....	1239
Blue Balls.....	Canada (Calgary).....	1237
Plunder.....	New Zealand (Auckland Hussies).....	1236
Seaman on the Pew	?	1231
Potholes.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1230
Jetstream.....	England (Cambridge).....	1228
Phantom.....	New Zealand (Auckland).....	1222
Dave Norris.....	Cyprus (Epsikopi).....	1211

Hamersley

Hamersley have 23 hashers with over a thousand runs.

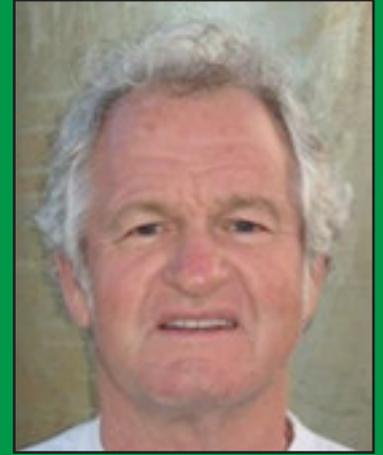
Between them they have completed 34,319 hashes.

If you estimate they have drunk five beers each on every run the total comes to:

171,745 beers



Top row
Popeye 1920
XYZ 1610



Left to right
Baron 1500
Biggles 1200
Boof 1870

Left to right
Captain Hook 1380
Coop's 1680
Dags 1060



Left to right
Dingo 1140
Mac the Mouth
1560
Mase 1810





Left to right
Mother 1700
Mudguard 1130
Panels 1725



Left to right
Precious 1730
Replicar 1300
Scroto Maimus
1440



Left to right
Slops 1200
Stir 1480
Tampax 1800



Left to right
Troppo 1819
Voodoo 1030+
Wimpy 1310+

Hamersley

301-310

Induces.....	Philippines (Angeles).....	1211
Abomintor.....	Norway (Bergen).....	1208
Old Bailey.....	Denmark (CopenhagenH3).....	1205
Portia.....	England (Winchester).....	1204
GG.....	Australia (Melbourne).....	” 1201
Sir Clark Kent.....	Australia (Central Coast).....	1200
Sir Henry.....	Australia (Central Coast).....	1200
Whose Shout.....	England (Brighton).....	1201
Plumley.....	New Zealand (Nelson)	1200
Bugfucker.....	Dubai and others.....	1200*

321-33

Wimpy.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1200*
Replicar.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1200*
Bondage.....	England (Bicester).....	1198
Silverfox.....	England (Bicester).....	1197
Single Malt.....	England (Bicester).....	1197
Panther.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1407
Gorgeous Woodpecker.....	Thailand (Phuket).....	1196
Sandman.....	New Zealand (Palmerston North).....	1195
Morhaer von Richard Kopf..	Austria (Vindobona).....	1191
Part Timer.....	New Zealand (Norwest).....	1187

331-34

Jackson Hii.....	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1187
Wantie.....	New Zealand (Energy).....	1187
Snowplough.....	New Zealand (Geri's).....	1400
Cuddles.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1184
Humpy.....	New Zealand (Mount Maunganui).....	1180
Rigid.....	New Zealand (Energy).....	1174
Tampax.....	England (Tamar Valley).....	1172
Perky.....	New Zealand (Mount Maunganui).....	1171
Motor Mouth.....?	1170
Mind the Gap.....	Austria (Vindobona).....	1168

341-350

Mad Dog.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1168
Half Pint.....	Sri Lanka (Harriettes).....	1166
Steamshoes.....	Australia (Melbourne).....	1165
Half Ton.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1165
Twice A day.....	Spain(Madrid).....	1160
Downthere.....	New Zealand (Wellington Ladies).....	1159
Scrotum.....	England (Tamar Valley).....	1154
Unmentionable.....	England (Cambridge).....	1152
69er.....	New Zealand (Mount Maunganui).....	1152
Mike Saxon.....	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1152

351-360

Lady Refill	Australia (Central Coast).....	1150
Mopiko.....	New Zealand (Auckland).....	1148
Toe Truck.....	New Zealand (Mooloo).....	1150?
Irish.....	Australia (Melbourne).....	1152
Proof.....	England (Bicester).....	1150
Nellie.....	New Zealand (Auckland).....	1148
Penis Head	USA (Daytona).....	1148
Mother Superior.....	Austria (Vindobona).....	1144

Music Boy.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1141
Jobless.....	Sri Lanka (Men).....	1140
361-370		
Dingaling.....	England (Bicester).....	1137
Dame Dukie.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1135
Urchin.....	New Zealand (Palmerston North).....	1135
Gannet.....	England (Tamar Valley).....	1133
C..t sucker.....	UAE (Creek).....	1132
Phantom.....	New Zealand (Auckland Hussies).....	1131
Webwanker.....	Sri Lanka (Men).....	1128
Warbler.....	England (Winchester).....	1128
Inter-Galactic Super Hero.....	England (High Wycombe).....	1119
Hot Rod.....	England (Tamar Valley).....	1118
371-380		
Gordon Nicol	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1117
Hot Tub Slut.....	USA (Sin City).....	1100
Batty.....	England (Winchester).....	1115
Norris, Dave.....	Cyprus (Epsikopi).....	1115
John Malthousev.....	Brunei (Brunei H3).....	1114
Wha-da-say.....	England (Bicester).....	1112
Modess Joe.....	New Zealand (Wellington).....	1112
Happy.....	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1112
Arkles.....	New Zealand (Auckland).....	1107
Kip Blake.....	England (Bicester H3).....	1106
381-390		
Counterfiet.....	England (Newcastle H3).....	1100
Pubic Male Servant.....	USA (Kansas City H3).....	1100
Chap Bitch.....	USA(Kansas City H3).....	1100
Nellie.....	New Zealand (Auckland).....	1110
Snowplough.....	New Zealand (Geri's).....	1400
Biggles.....	Denmark (Copenhagen H3).....	1107
Biggles.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1100*
Teg Dekcuf.....	Australia (Perth H3)	1100*
Spud.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1100*
Mudguard	Australia (Perth H3).....	1100*
400-4		
Dingo.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1100*
Tampax	Australia (Perth H3).....	1100*
Gorilla Snot.....	New Zealand (Mooloo).....	1100
Herpes.....	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1100
Hurricane.....	England (Tamar Valley).....	1106
Flying Dutchman.....	Austria (Vindobona).....	1099
Smurf.....	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1094*
Ice Queen.....	Austria (Vindobona).....	1090
John Fletcher.....	Brunei.....	1085
Kipper.....	England 1084 Glasgow. ? York).....	1084*
411-420		
Pimp.....	England (Tamar Valley).....	1083
Mrs Beeton.....	England (Winchester).....	1083
Arkles.....	New Zealand (Auckland).....	1081
Sirloin.....	New Zealand (Dunedin)	1078
Eager.....	New Zealand (Hobart).....	1075
Cenghiz Disgusting.....	Thailand (Bangkok).....	1073

Crusher.....	Australia (Hobart H3).....	1073
Bambi.....	Sri Lanka (Men).....	1070
Auntie	New Zealand (Wellington).....	1069
Treetop.....	New Zealand (Geri's).....	1069
421-430		
Slush Puppie.....	Austria (Vindobona).....	1052
Fireman Jim.....	New Zealand (Sun City).....	1067
Thunderpiss.....	Denmark (Copenhagen H3).....	1064
Red Light District.....	New Zealand (Christchurch H3).....	1064
Nipplepink.....	New Zealand (Capital).....	1063
Polly.....	England (RSD2).....	1063
Burke, Jim.....	Cyprus (Epsikopi).....	1060
Ticket.....	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1060
Honka.....	England (Winchester).....	1060
Weasel Shit.....	England (Yorkshire).....	1059
431-440		
Wiggy.....	England (Brighton)	1058
Pol Pot.....	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1047
Clit.....	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1029
Puck.....	Australia (Melbourne H3).....	1027
Thunderpiss.....	Denmark (Copenhagen).....	1055
Malibog.....	Sweden (Absolut 472 Underground 576).....	1048
Pockets.....	New Zealand (Panai).....	1051
General Menace.....	England (High Wycombe H3).....	1046
MacWatt.....	New Zealand (Mount Maunganui).....	1046
Psychlepath.....	England (Brighton).....	1046
431-440		
Cardinal.....	England (Brighton).....	1046
Scrambled Dog.....	Spain(Madrid).....	1044
Marie Tamponette.....	Austria (Vindobona).....	1041
Beep Beep.....	New Zealand (Christchurch).....	1036
Hairdresser.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1035
RLD.....	New Zealand (Christchurch).....	1035
Mr. Petit.....	Denmark (Copenhagen H3).....	1033
Gotlost.....	England (Brighton).....	1028
Rod Bug.....	Thailand (Bangkok).....	1024
Free Willie.....	Austria (Vindobona).....	1023
451-460		
Lost	England (Tamar V3).....	1019
Gatecrasher.....	New Zealand (Geri's).....	1019
Handle.....	New Zealand (Capital).....	1018
Captain Condom.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1016
Snoopy.....	UAE (Creek).....	1013
Lord Limp.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1012
Sturmeriod.....	England (Tamar V3).....	1012
Turkish Delight.....	Canada (Montreal H3).....	1011
David Stanton.....	England/UAE (Wirrel 610, Abu Dubai 390).....	1011
Handle.....	New Zealand (Capital).....	1018
461-470		
Mudlark.....	England (Brighton).....	1006
Go Kart.....	Turkey (Ankara)	1018 (2016)
Mountain.....	Goat Greece (Athens).....	1012
Greyhound.....	England (Brighton).....	1007

Coy Boy.....	New Zealand (Auckland Hussies).....	1007
Mustapacunt.....	Canada (Montreal).....	1006
Codpiece.....	Denmark (Copenhagen H3).....	1005
Sir Culchie.....	Spain(Madrid).....	1004
Straddle Various.....	England (RSD2).....	1003
Easy Rider.....	Australia (Hobart).....	1000*
470 -		
Dude.....	Australia (Wagga Wagga).....	1000*
Slops.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1000*
Sgt Bilko.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1000*
D.A.G.S.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1000*
Voodoo.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1000*
Rooted.....	Australia (Perth H3).....	1000*
Debby Hurrell.....	GB Cambridge.....	1000*
Ann Byrne.....	1000

* Total believed to be higher

There are several hashers over 1000 runs who I need a few more details from: Walkie Talkie, Karina Morris, Ian Bodycoat and Robin Bodyvcoat, Robyn Adele, Bum Pumper, Gooley, Blow Deep.

From memory there are certainly hashers who must be well over 2000 runs but I have not been able to contact. This is particularly true for the Indonesian hashers.

From London H3 'we have lots of hashers who will easily have done 1000 runs.' *Knickers* runs with London Hash, West London Hash, and has run with City Hash since their first run in 1989. *MoreOn*, *Martian Matron*, *Mouthwash* have also done lots of hashing around the world, and are regulars on the various London Hashes. *Marxist* first came across the London Hash in 1980 in Queens Wood, Highgate, and later found them in the Wrestlers, Highgate. He's run with them ever since, also with City pretty much since they began, and West London in the early days too.

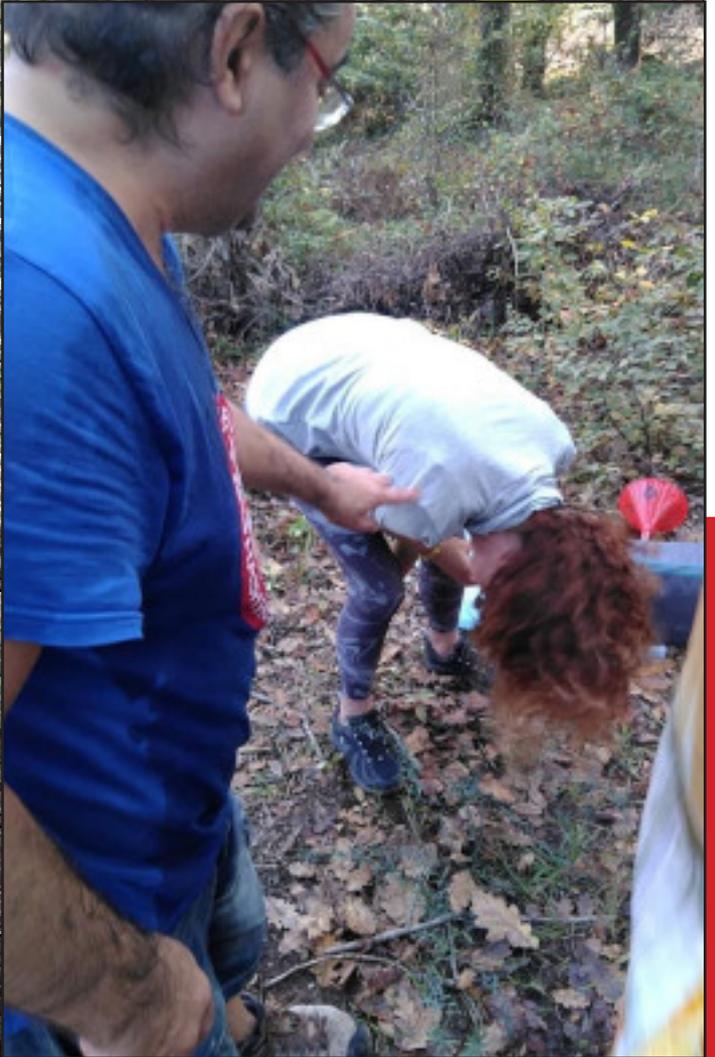
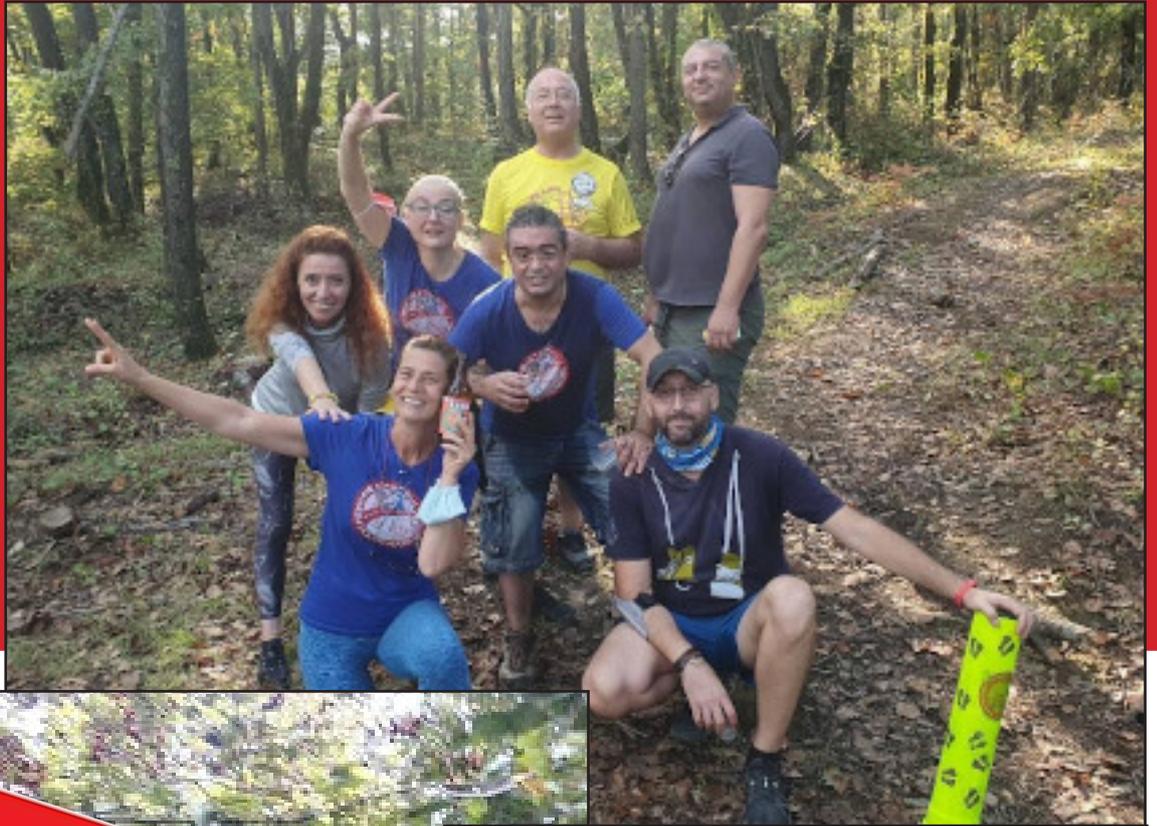
The list is just for fun. Estimates are fine but should be identified as such. If you are on the list please send me your updated career score every 20-30 hashes completed!

Graham John Parker:

This is a list of Central Coast Hashers who have done 1000+ Runs. We are knighted once this milestone is reached.

Sir Sullo.....	1870
Lady None	1700
Sir Stan The Man.....	1589
Sir Inky.....	1400
Sir Ballpoint.....	1350
Lady Moz.....	1300+
Sit Tic Toc.....	1300+
Sir Romeo.....	1250+
Sir Clark Kent.....	1200
Sir Henry.....	1200
Lady Refill.....	1150

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Nice to see
Istanbul H3
still active,
if with small
numbers.
On on Guys



Bophathatswana

A Hash you have never heard of!

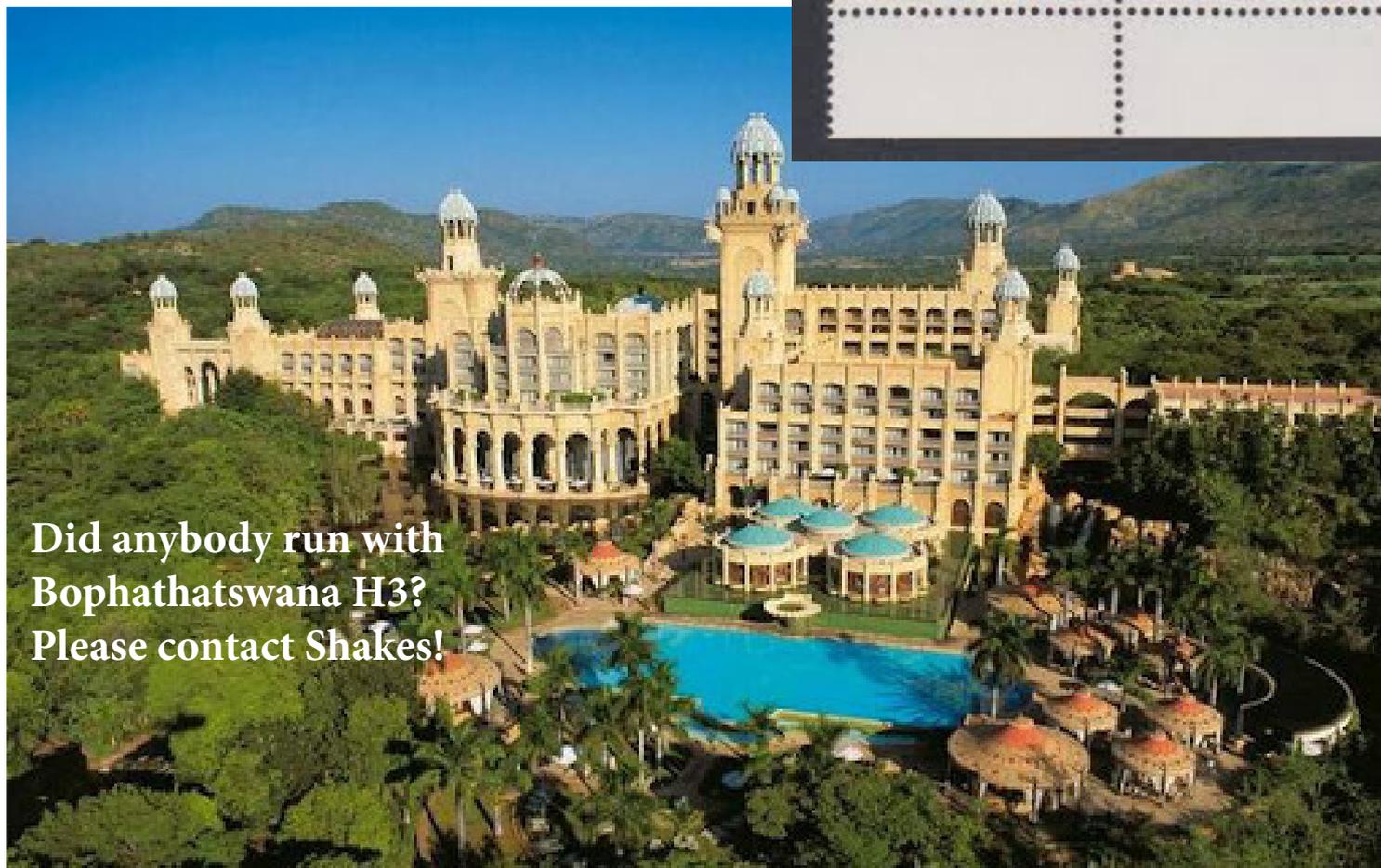
You can be forgiven if you can't place the country of Bophathatswana on a map. It no longer exists, and in fact never really did!

In 1977, South Africa, in an attempt to ease growing criticism from the international community, granted 'independence' to various homelands - Ciskei, Transkei, Venda and Bophathatswana.

This was never recognised by any other country and their independence was always token. When, for example, President Lucas Mangope was removed in a coup, South African forces poured across the border and restored him to power.

One legacy of the homelands is their stamps. They were accepted by world's post offices, but simply considered as being issued by South Africa.

The homelands borders were based on ethnic groups and Bophathatswana was not helped by being



**Did anybody run with
Bophathatswana H3?
Please contact Shakes!**

a scattered collection of seven enclaves. On the other hand Bophathatswana was surprisingly rich in minerals, particularly platinum.

Bophathatswana also opened Sun City. At the time gambling was strictly controlled in South Africa and Sun City had a casino! With Johannesburg only a two and a half hour drive away it became a popular weekend break.

Bophathatswana would host a Queen concert and a world heavy title fight between Mike Weaver and Gerrie Coetzee.

Several expats came to work here, including *John Oldfield* who had been a keen hasher with the Creek H3 in the UAE. (His hash CV also included Manilla InterHash and Pattaya Pan Asia). On 30th October 1989 he organized the first Bophathatswana hash with 2 hares, 13 runners and one visitor, *Jock Dalzell* from the Botswana based **Kalahari H3**.

After that, **Bophathatswana H3** met every two weeks and celebrated their 30th run the following May. By then they claimed a hardcore of 16 hashers and a group of 30 'occasional' hashers. Names were given out after ten runs.

The ties with **Kalahari H3** continued, with the Botswana group coming to enjoy the luxury of Sun City and Bophathatswana hashers travelling to Botswana to join desert camps with their traditional southern African braais. These trips were noted for roads that sorely tested saloon cars, and on one famous occasion the hare got completely lost and the convoy drove around the desert for a considerable time.

On on

Classic T-shirts

My friend Ripper (ex Dar es Salaam, Khartoum, Zambia and now Sri Lanka) sent me this t-shirt. African T-shirts were rare in the 1980s making this one for the Khartoum 400th a collector's item.



Readers

Write in

Shakes, great to read again about John O'Rourke. Just the mention of his name brings back so many events/memories. However just a few comments on some of the published material, although not suggesting corrections:

1) John told me he learnt to fly Spitfires (Army or no Army), although he never saw active service. Also when I was a member of the Flying Club we had a friend who had a major fall out with John many years before over some incident in the Squadron (whatever that meant). It is possible he was in the RAAF Reserve.

2) You are right about John being very opposed to the ladies starting hashing. However, it is not true that he helped lay some of the early trails. The help came from a few other S'pore Men Hashers. How do I know? As you know Mrs G was the Founder and she is absolutely certain he never involved himself with the Harriets in any form, in fact having a go at her every time we met up. Also his wife Elizabeth, a formidable lady, was a very early Harriet, so he never stood a chance. Ironic as many believe that the Harriets have thrived better than the Monday night Men's.

3) The paragraph under the Heading Wingnuts is incredibly familiar, and very much in my style. I would put money on that I wrote it. What is your source?

No criticism, just for the record.

ON ON. **Uncle Gerry.**

Editor:

Hi Gerry, many thanks for your comments. The aim of the magazine is to create a place where serious historians of hashing can share information and ideas.

(1) I never intended to doubt that John flew Spitfires, just offered a mystery that somebody might be able to explain.

(2) Thank you for the correction. Mrs O'Rourke sounds a wonderful lady.

(3) Not traced down the source of the Wingnut quote but working on it!

My good friend **Debbie Harry** (featured in The A to Z section this month) shared some interesting memories:

Brunei

● **Labi H3** was the first to take Hashing into the interior. *I am sure they have folded.*

● He mentioned one Brunei run that involved a swim across a reservoir, where he was the only hasher home before midnight. He suggests that this resulted in several long serving from the original Brunei hash transferring to the rival BSBH3.

● He also tells the charming story of driving home from a hash and finding a lost Chinese runner stumbling down the forest path. The poor guy had been running *with the rival hash* and Debbie delivered him safely to his own group.

UAE

● **Desert H3** and **Creek** were fierce rivals but at one point in the 1980s *Bogworm* was RA of both kennels. He wore a hat on one circle and was bareheaded on the other, using this as evidence that there were in fact 2 different RAs who just happened to look similar!

● The Creek has always been fiercely all men. (Ed: although they are too old to be fierce about anything these days). The one and only exception was *Bunny*, a British female army officer who, as a guest from Hong Kong, was allowed to run with them. She made such an impact that she was told she would be welcome anytime she was visiting. However, when some of the local expat women took this as a sign that they could also run on the Creek, the GM - having just spotted a hasher of the bumpy gender - stopped the run half way round and made his feelings known. She was allowed to stay for the circle to watch the hasher who had invited her drink a naked Down-Down!

Wombat made some corrections to last month's Medan H3 (Indonesia) article:

1. *Trapper* is missing in the list of Batavia Hash founders.

2. Prior to the 200th MH3 run (Ed: around 1977) Medan was a one beer city, Bir Baris, a French beer. Beer Bintang bought their brewery and Anker also moved into town. At the 200th run at Lake Toba we had both Bintang and Anker taking care of us for almost free. A vote was held and needless to say Bintang won hands down. The local Anker rep (Little Anker) had also joined MH3 in the hope that this would sway us, needless to say he was in the bad books with his manager afterwards.

A meeting of the Whales



Sperm Whale (right) intermingles with Commercial Whale at the Bicester H3, 24th May 2014.
Sperm Whale: "We have intermingled many times in the past generally at big hash events. We last intermingled at Kelso UK Nash Hash 2019.

A selection of front covers from the Hashtrash edited by Malibog.

