



5<sup>th</sup> Jan 2012

Run Number 194

Gallaghers Birkenhead

Alternative Entrance (Hare), FCUK, Madhatter, Compo, Snoozanne, 10" and ET



The rendezvous was a quirky pub called Gallaghers. Had an old world feel with its polished wooden floors. Also offered a barber shop, a book exchange and military memorabilia was in abundance.

The weather had been awful for the past week with cold, rain and wind and it did not ease off during the evening.

Birkenhead was quiet. I suppose most would be recovering from the past few weeks' excesses.

Route took us through Hamilton Square, before turning towards Birkenhead Park,

Claughton had a selection of large impressive older houses . The Hare was concerned about losing one of the pack (10'') but fortunately he was spotted at the front of the pack.

Went through Arno park for an impromptu Port stop. For clarification there is a difference between Port and Sherry in more than just where the respective drinks are produced.

Sherry - Fortification is added once fermentation has been completed  
Port;- Fortified during fermentation which stops fermentation so that all the sugar is not turned into alcohol.

I presume that most Hashers would consume whatever they are confronted with.





There was a post Port tumble by **Snoozanne** but no lasting injuries were apparent.



Not only the Titanic's final plunge is to be commemorated this year.



Rain started again towards the end of the run., Sustenance was taken at the local chippy with tomato and chilli dips. Picnicking from a boot of a car would not have been enjoyable on this occasion.





A brief Circle was formed. The Hare was profusely apologetic fearing that the run was too long as she had overestimated the athletic prowess of the assembled pack.

**Mad Hatter** and **ET** had DD for returning gloves left in the chippie to **AE** rather than bringing them to the circle for return.



Returned to Gallagers to thaw out and discuss timetable for future events.







The Hash Cash Safe. - security is paramount

