



17th May 2012

Run Number 206

Starting at The Albert, Lark Lane, Sefton Park

The Pack Carthief,(Hare) Cleopatra; 10"; Lilo Lil; Compo

The excuses were even faster and thicker than for the last run and a reduced pack assembled. A passer-by was inveigled into taking the Flash so we are all present.



The Hare had planned a long route but with potential for trimming depending on the Pack size and a democratic poll dictated the length that he should set. The Hare set off and after 10 minutes (or however long it took the lads to finish their pints and the lasses to quickly catch up on the past two years) the pack followed.

It was not the most energetic of packs ever and so it was just as well that the hare set plenty of checks and the OnOn was never too far off – once even within sight of the check!!

After discussing which way it was the hare had gone off, we set off down Lark Lane.

It seemed the whole area around Sefton Park had been dug up and the pack had to negotiate several construction sites on the way.



Finally, the park beckoned. Was it going to be down the main alley?



Oh no, a sneaky detour around



first, before we were allowed into the greenery.

The hare lead us all over the park, throwing in many diversions



and throwing around a lot of flour, although he took great pains to make us believe otherwise:



The pack reflected on how lovely it was to see the park in the daylight and was delighted by all the restoration work and new features.



At the start Lilo Lil had declared that she would be the back marker, but in actual fact she seemed to be leading the pack most of the time and it was someone else we had to wait up on:



A three way check out of the park



and on to



then down



before at 8:15 (note the time!!!) the



was spotted.

Back at the cars **Compo** had organised some food and it had almost disappeared before a Flash could be taken.



A circle was formed and the democratic process continued.

Lilo Lil was called up for being a Technoasher. (Using her smart phone on the Hash.

This was promptly followed by

Lilo Lil as returnee

Scratching around for sinners **Compo** told the story of the canoeist who was feeling cold and lit a fire inside the canoe to warm up. Disaster struck and the canoe caught fire proving that you cannot have your kayak and heat it.

The **Hare** for his efforts.

We retired to the Albert for lively chat and good ales.