



Coronavirus Virtual “Run” Number 451

24th September 2020

Living rooms across Merseyside, North Wales and Grantham

The Pack: VR (Hare), Compo, Snoozanne, Mad Hatter, Eccles, 10secs, Victim, Carthief, Sticky Rice, OTT



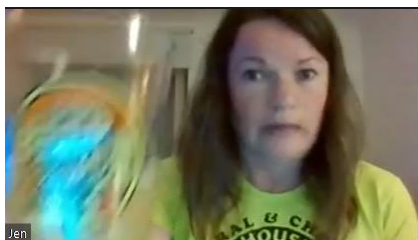
Sticky Rice only appeared briefly at first before wandering off and leaving a blank screen, though we kept seeing her cross to and fro; as someone said, like the intro to The Muppet Show. She eventually returned with a cable which she is clutching triumphantly here. There was some comparison of hash shirts; VR said she was wearing a WCH3 Hare Shirt which sounded like the penance for some misdemeanour. Snoozanne revealed the secret of her quizzing success in the shape of a Hash Quiz notebook in which she had recorded all the quiz answers since the dawn of lockdown. Though since most of them were “South Georgia”, it was not clear how helpful it would be...



Round 1 of the Quiz asked us to identify pubs and their locations from pictorial clues. Round 2 consisted of some fiendish anagrams of Hashers' names, and Round 3 asked us to identify dogs and their owners from picture of the dogs alone. VR then went through the answers. OTT had thought the first pub was the Prince of Wales, through some convoluted logic featuring the fact that Edward VIII had at some point held that title. When VR revealed the 2nd answer as the Cock and Seaman, Eccles caused some ribaldry by asking us if she got half a mark for getting cock; going off at half cock as someone put it.



When we came back from the break, we compared scores; Snoozanne and Mad Hatter had of course won with 16, there were several scores in the 12 neighbourhood and Compo romped home with the wooden spoon on 10 points.



In the absence of the RA, we simply gave the Hare a down down. Eccles said she was pulling a face in the screenshot whereupon she pulled an even worse one, as seen here. She recommended the beer, Lupo Capisco from Polly's Brewery, bought at The Beer Lab in Heswall on last week's Wirral circular walk. She said they did Mail Order; Eccles asked if she could order a Male without the accompanying beer. The conversation then started out on COVID and spread to other diseases. Carthief recounted the story of his virus; he had been transferred by ambulance (flashing blue lights, etc) from Arrowe Park to the Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine where he was kept in a special low-pressure environment with fans blowing cold air at him. Eventually the disease was diagnosed as typhus, contracted in Nigeria. This elicited other stories of treatment at the School of Tropical Medicine; Val succumbing to malaria in Kathmandu (though she had arrived at the School by public transport) and Victim starting out thinking he had something respectable like tick fever but discovering he actually had three different kinds of worm.



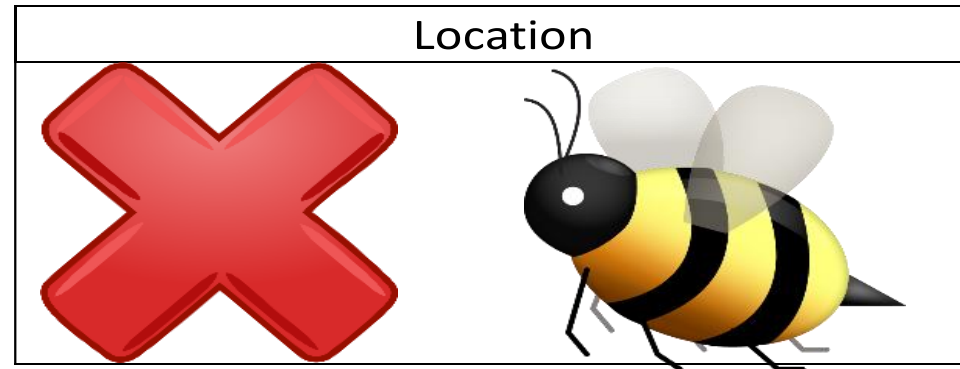
Eventually only VR, Compo and 10secs were left. The conversation turned to spreadsheets and it transpired that this is a secret passion for VR. Compo unwisely mentioned pivot tables and the rest of the evening is a bit of a blur...but if you ever want to produce a pie chart comparing weekly expenditure in the Bow-Legged Beagle, the Lazy Landlord, and New Brighton Wetherspoons, then look no further...



Round One

Name that Pub and Location

(a little imagination and poetic licence required!!!)





Pub Name



&



Location





Pub Name



Location





Pub Name



Location





Round Two

Who's the Hasher?

Can you solve the anagrams?

Who's the Hasher?

1. Nectarine Antetravel
2. DARTH MEAT
3. No Wise Raptus
4. Chivied Inglorious Trunk
5. Continue Lacey
6. Kerb Toasters

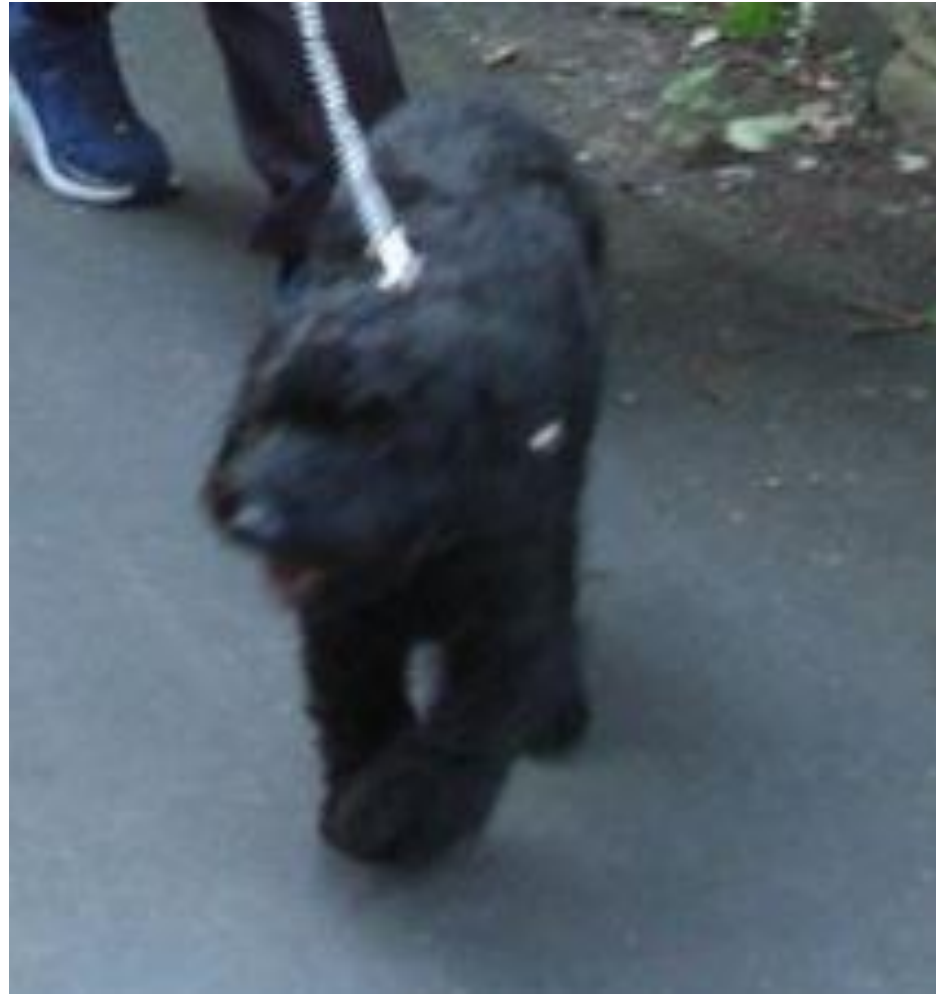




Round Three

Hashers & Hounds

Who is this hairy hound and who is his (hairless) master?



Who is this hell raiser and who tries to control her?



Who is this lovely lady and who brought her along to Hilbre Island?



Who is the beautiful boy and who navigates him to the hash?





The End





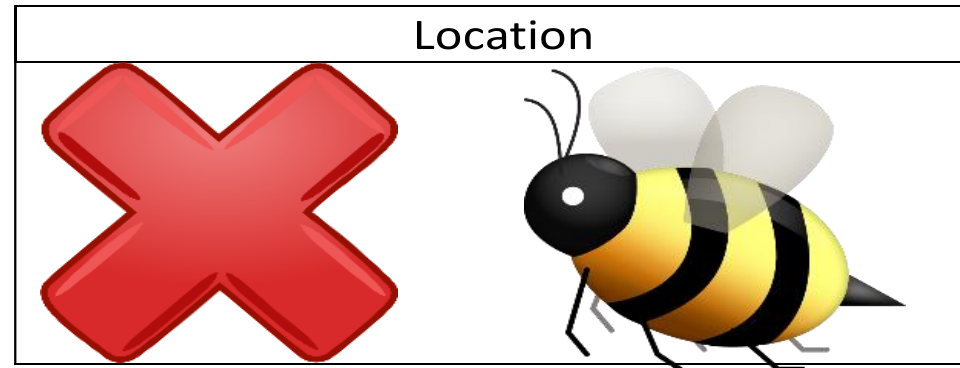
Round One Answers

Name that Pub and Location

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Stamps Bar



Crosby



Pub Name



&



Cock & Seaman

Location



Waterloo



Pub Name



Little Owl

Location



Bache



Pub Name



Refreshment Rooms

Location



Rock Ferry



Round Two

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1. Alternative Entrance

2. Madhatter

3. Austin Powers

4. Virgin on the Ridickulous

5. Auntie Cyclone

6. Breast Stroke



Round Three

Hounds & Hashers

This is Loki and his master Brookside



This lively lady is Luna with Victim, an extra point if you also named Bimbo



This lovely lady is Bailey, she drags Two Dicks along for his annual MTH3 exercise



This hash hound is George, he now assists Wigan Pier with the satnav and parking



Have yourself a well earned beer!

