



Run Number 467

15<sup>th</sup> April 2021

Bache Station Carpark

**The Pack:** Overdrive (Hare), ET, OTT, Cleopatra, Compo, Aunty Cyclone, VR, Snoozanne, Madhatter



The chosen meeting point was the station car park – I believe for the benefit of ET who was the only rail traveller this evening. Strict instructions were received to avoid leaving vehicles in the Morrisons car park to avoid outrageous fines. 'No reason to park at Morrisons'.

Still too soon in the pandemic for welcoming hugs/kisses. We were waved off by Compo who was sadly too poorly to join the hash but had come along to pass over the beer and indulge in one (beer).

Hash flash completed then straight to the platform where ET recently had alighted his train – Disappointingly it was not to be one of those mystery hash train trips. The route moved onto the suburban desert on the other side of the tracks.



*Apprehensive dog (Not one of ours) in Countess Park*

It had been dry for a few weeks, the welcoming sunshine was misleading – additional clothing was donned as the evening progressed. Managed to complete the course with dry feet on grounds previously associated with more challenging water features.



*Ostentatious garden furniture on display*

Snoozeanne had switched back through a little park unobserved which resulted in a delay as the pack went on an irrelevant search. Was found further along the trail.

There were extensive discussions to establish interested parties/tables required as we passed near the proposed post hash drinking venue - Countess (Previously The Frog).



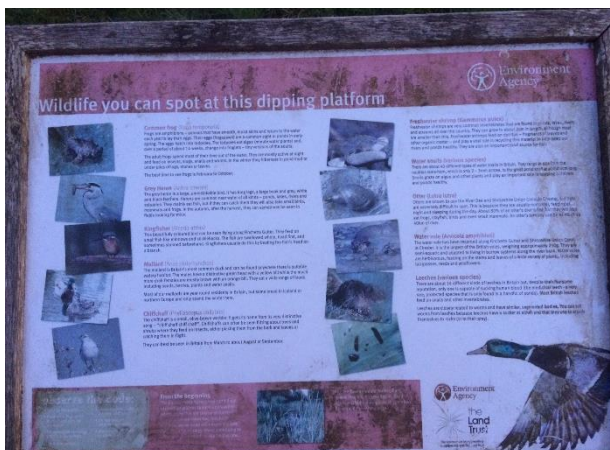
Beer venue negotiations (This is why we all look serious).

Ventured into Countess of Chester Country Park and followed the Poppy trail which was established in 2018 to mark 100 years since the end of the First World War.

Also visited the Chester Wetlands Project. Apparently Kingfishers and Herons can be seen. Obviously too cold for them this evening.



Well I can't see anything wild?



Probably looking for the wrong animals



*Only a drinks menu on offer this evening.*

**Down Downs awarded:-**

Overdrive - Hare

ET - For risking public transport

Madhatter - Excessive searching for Snoozanne.

Aunty Cyclone – Unusual regular attendance.

Retired to The Countess pub. The rush for the booking of tables had not been necessary. Most sensible drinkers seemed to have gone home once the chill of the evening took hold.



*A summer drink on the terrace – suitably attired*