



ERSEY THIRSTDAYS HASH HOUSE HARRIERS

Run Number 48 12th April 2007: Jubilee Inn Corner Appleton Road and Hatton Hill Road, Sefton

The Pack: Austin Powers (Hare), Grutel, Snoozanne, Carthief, Cathy, Sarah, Sherpa, Long Paws, Carless Whisper, Penny, Hovercrap, Compo, Lilo Lil, Don.

The Hare and **Compo** were making sure that they would not be dehydrated on the run when the rest of the Pack started appearing at the pub and made their way down to the carpark, where **Austin Powers** had arranged pre-Hash entertainment in the form of a local who decided to swim across the canal and back again. How does he do it? In addition Cathy phoned and kept up a commentary on her progress to the start, especially interesting as she went to the wrong Appleton Road to start with.

A Hash flash or several followed with the usual markings description laid out in front.



Whilst the swimmer's friend implored us to clap his friend's achievement, we ran over the canal and onto a check. By the time the trail had been called along the canal, the swimmer was out of the water, but **Snoozanne** was worried that our cars might be damaged as we had not clapped enough.

The Trail led into



Eventually coming out at



And we made our way via some more scenic route



to the edge of Bootle Golf Club before turning back down Northumberland Way and onto the Primrose Valley Park again

Running through the park, we came across the efforts of some locals who had set the pile of wood chipping alight.



And some more checks



A long haul around the edge of the park led finally to the On Inn, and the welcome refreshments. Our virgin Don decided to run straight home and missed the Circle.



Whilst the Pack were awaiting the RA's pronouncements, he had somehow managed to arrange further entertainment when two locals appeared with plastic boxes full of frogs from their garden ponds. These were released on the edge of the canal, but at least one managed to escape

By this time **Hovercrap** had lit the BBQ, and was cooking the weenies. **Compo** declared that the weenies were hot. Perhaps he had not noticed the BBQ.



Austin Powers was overheard to say that one had to be exceptionally careful when running naked through cactus. It puts a whole new meaning to the word Shortcutting.

The sermon was delivered by **Compo**.

It concerned the first yodel. A traveller arrived at a farmhouse half way up a mountain side in Switzerland and asked for a bed for the night. He was given a bed and the farmer's daughter decided that she needed some horizontal exercise. She reappeared in such a good mood that the farmer's wife decided to indulge herself with the traveller as well. The traveller left early the next morning and was down in the valley and half way up the other side when the farmer having found out about his daughter's activities shouted at him "You bastard, you shagged my daughter". The traveller replied "I laid your old lady too". The groans that greeted this would have made any yodeller proud.

Returnees

Grutel and Penny. Penny's excuse was that she could not find us, and **Grutel's** was that this was only the second time we had been this far north.

Notice the casual manner with one hand in the pocket.



Snoozanne for bragging that she had no mud on her.
Penny for saying that she was on a check (It looked like this X)

Lilo Lil for running with one shoe on and one shoe off. She asked for a lager and was given a Stella. She said that she liked a little beating.

Compo was called up with the Shitshirt

And explained that he had lost the
Compass. Cathy had found it.

The candidates for the award were

Carthief, for trying to splash mud
on to Sarah.

Long Paws for missing muddy part
of **Snoozanne's** Neston run.

and Sarah (I forgot to write down the
reason).



Long Paws was
elected by the remainder of the pack.



Cathy was called up for her anointment and after a short history of her claims to a name whilst she sat on the ice, she was anointed **Sticky Fingers**.



It is just me or is there a trend in the Hash names given by the MTH3.

Long Paws (long pause could be a euphemism for a stretch in prison)

Carless Whisper (theft of car)

and now **Sticky Fingers** (also a reference to thieves and pickpockets)

Maybe Liverpool is getting to **Austin Powers** or does he have a dark secret?

Finally **Sherpa** was given a send off, it being her last run with MTH3

I think that the Hare was thanked as well, but I did not record it.

Some of the Pack retired to the Jubilee Inn.