

Brisbane Hash House Harriers Run #2235

Hares: RON THE BOMB and 4X

Monday 17 December, Hot (34 degree day + high humidity), imminent thunder storm.

As part of the introduction, the Hares promised to spread themselves over all the vehicles to prevent any hail damage. The pack voiced some concern over the hareing statistics of one of the Hares, inferring that inexperience will cost us dearly. It did.

The novice GM DIVOT introduced a new runner PARASITE, (hardly new – he’s probably as old as any of us, just from other Brissie hash groups). Divot set us off on time – in several packs. Looked like about 13 runners, 14 walkers, and a couple of one and two’s doing their own thing, plus another 4 or so looking ‘stationary’.

The trail headed off northwards to a RG at Taunton St. That was quickly sorted, then further north till a railway crossing at Fairfield. Another two crossings, then we were up near the Corso. A second RG at 15 minutes into the run and a 360 after 30 minutes got the run pack back together. Then the hard yards started for most, heading down to Long Pocket Reach. But a bit of local knowledge from MILES O’TOOL, and with a few followers forming a breakaway shortcutting pack-ette, saw this group complete the run in just under the hour. The true trail stalwarts staggered in, the last of them timed at 1 hour 17 minutes. The circle had been in progress for some time already. The storm had held off, sparing the cars, but the humidity was off the scale!

SO! ICE for the Hares was the first order of business. Our new Monk aka FUCKNUT, introduced himself with a topless SOPHIE MONK as his emblem, had a list of ‘bad boys’ including CHARDARSE, LAYUP, and RADAR to work through, but the SOTW new tee shirt was awarded to BAREBUM.

Cold beer and spicy homemade chutney for the snags followed.

ON ON into 2013.