



RUN 41 MARKFIELD

'THE MAD HASHERS TEA PARTY'

SUNDAY 8 JULY 1990

HARE: WALLINGTON (assisted by Ellymay)

Another gloriously sunny day for the Quorn Hash. And a welcome return to the Wallington homestead, but where was everyone? Surely not all on holiday!

However, a small pack (only 7 runners) set off from Wallington Pad - leaving his mum and dad to erect the tent and get the Barbecue started!

A number of false trails; Optimistic twisted his ankle; Virgin Jasper didn't know which way to go, and they were off deep into leafy lanes towards unknown territories! The constant rumble of the M1 made communication difficult. Rodney had long since disappeared leaving a very hoarse Ellymay waving his arms trying to attract his attention. No good! He'd gone! Meanwhile, Wallington and the others galloped ahead over stiles, across sparkling brooks, finishing with a long 'On-Up' and over to the craggy outcrop for a panoramic view of the country (and a chance to catch one's breath!)

'On-On' they called (I think it was Cathy) and off again they went, dodging wild beasts and even wilder people until Ulverscroft was reached and a very welcome BS (Beer Stop to you!)

NB: This was the only benefit of such a small pack - plenty of beer!

After what seemed like hours, a well watered pack headed back up the 1 in 8 before darting off left through fields of grey mares and chestnut stallions. A cunning triple loop en route scattered the Hashers in dense undergrowth - a rescue was required courtesy of the Hare and his assistant (Moi!). Soon, everyone was accounted for and were off once more through knee high undergrowth, brambles and snakes (snakes?!).

Suddenly, grass turned to tarmac as our heroes made their weary way back to the Wallington Pad for copious B-B-Q sausages, Tandoori Chicken legs, burgers, salads, wines, beers etc etc - need I say more? Yum, yum.

Apres Hash

No 'Down Downs' [a bit pointless really!], but needless to say they would have been awarded to Wallington and Ellymay; Rodney [for being Rodney - Hasher Extraordinaire); Cathy [for getting lost 3 times on the way); Jasper for being a Virgin and not complaining once; and Optimistic and Supercheck for being the only two left without a drink!

*Sunday 19th August
11am*

Receding Hareline

Please, please make a real big effort to get to the next run [Run 42) where the fun and games will be provided by Mango and Crafty at 'The Star', West Leake.

Run 43	Cathy & Dave	One Summer's Eve TBA
Run 44	? *	16th September
Run 45	Optimistic & Supercheck	21st October
Run 46	?	18th November
Run 47	Zupada	16th December

* Old John Carpark
Braigate Park 11am

WANTED!

Hares required to lay trails in September, November and early 1991 - have a go, Joe! It's fun, it's easy and what's more you can lay it close to where you live! For best results do it in pairs and share the fun and laughter as the pack blunders through those carefully planned false trails and bar checks! It's well worth it, so please help out.

Keep on Hashing!

On! On!

Ellymay

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