

Ottawa Hash House Harriers

Run 1586 - 02 March 2015



OTTAWA HASH HOUSE HARRIERS

RUN 1586

When: Monday, 02 March 2015
Hare: Mustard Balls setting a live trail
Where: Foolish Chicken, 79 Holland Ave., Ottawa
Hashers: 29 including 1 visitor
Under Cover Handy Lover from Asheville N.C.
Distance: Runners 6.5 Kms
Distance: Walkers 3.02 Kms
Weather: At 7pm -6c windchill -14c with drifting snow

*The fear of a Mustard Balls' anticipated long run did not deter the twenty-nine hashers from enjoying the, relatively, balmy minus six temperatures. There was even one visitor, *Under Cover Handy Lover*, from North Carolina somewhere in the sunny south who was undaunted by a Canadian winter.*

Once the introductions in the opening circle were over the Grand Mattress called in the hare for the blessing only to discover that he had already departed on trail. The pack was then ON ON in hot pursuit through the residential area of Hintonburg to eventually cross the Western Parkway, or is it now the Sir John A McDonald Parkway? Whatever it has been renamed to it was ON ON over the parkway to fight our along the Ottawa River Pathway which is now a hardened cross-country ski trail. Extreme caution had to be used because a slip off the 'trail' ended up in knee deep snow.

After safely departing the snow drifts the hare set a tricky trail through Tunney's Pasture where the pack was left searching for trail. The trail was eventually found and it was once again ON ON through the residential area of Champlain Park to reach the rehydration stop. The pack enjoyed themselves on the various playthings that were provided for their childish

entertainment. As it turned out this was a very short **Mustard Balls'** run. It may go down in the OH3 history books as it was only 6.5 kilometres.

The walkers departed, with a map in hand along their own trail but were having so much fun they even went around the block before reaching the rehydration stop. Along the way back to the ON IN they happened upon an errant hasher enjoying a peaceful drink and managed to drag him along to the circle.

*The Grand Mattress quickly called the circle to order and commenced with the usual down downs and introducing our visitor from North Carolina, **Under Cover Handy Lover**, before turning over to our illustrious Religious Advisor. One of the first punishments that the RA doled out was to the GM for not knowing that **Mustard Balls** would be a live hare! By the end of the circle it turned out that every hasher had committed at least one crime and one even showed up without underwear!*

When the pack was asked to rate the run out of 100 it was hard pressed to come up with a rating of 69%! However, the food and service was rated as 99.9%

UPCOMING EVENTS

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RUN 1586

When: Monday, Mar. 9th, 2015 @7:00 pm
Hare: Fat Ass
Where: 107 Tower Road, Ottawa
Hash Cash: \$10.00 for Hash down-downs

RJDEAU HASH HOUSE HARRIERS

RUN 68.5

When: Thursday, Mar. 05, 2015 @7:00 pm
Hare: Twisted Knob
Where: Cock & Lion Pub, 202 Sparks St. Ottawa
Hash Cash: \$5.00 for Hash down-downs

“Perogie Run”

When: Saturday March 7, 2015 @5:00 pm
Hare: Corkscrew (but there's no run - "it's the Perogie" says the GM)
Where: 20 Gervin St. Ottawa
Hash Cash: \$15 for dinner and Hash down-downs.
Theme: "I'm a Lumberjack"

Note: Corkscrew recently had two big trees dropped in his back yard and can use help clearing the limbs. Power tools, chain saw etc. will be available for your enjoyment. We may even have a fire. So we now have power tools, chainsaw, beer and fire. Should be fun.

Those who don't give a hoot about Joe's back yard and his limbs, can go cross country skiing (from his yard). If necessary, the lumberjacks will clear a path through the limbs.

Runners Trail



Walkers Trail

