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# Ottawa Hash House Harriers

Run #1572

Remember, remember the fifth of November

**ANNUAL GUY FAWKES RUN**

03, November 2014



George Cruikshank's illustration of Guy Fawkes,  
published in William Harrison Ainsworth's 1840

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# The Fifth of November

Remember, remember!  
The fifth of November,  
The Gunpowder treason and plot;  
I know of no reason  
Why the Gunpowder treason  
Should ever be forgot!  
Guy Fawkes and his companions  
Did the scheme contrive,  
To blow the King and Parliament  
All up alive.  
Threescore barrels, laid below,  
To prove old England's overthrow.  
But, by God's providence, him they catch,  
With a dark lantern, lighting a match!  
A stick and a stake  
For King James's sake!  
If you won't give me one,  
I'll take two,  
The better for me,  
And the worse for you.  
A rope, a rope, to hang the Pope,  
A penn'orth of cheese to choke him,  
A pint of beer to wash it down,  
And a jolly good fire to burn him.  
Holloa, boys! holloa, boys! make the bells ring!  
Holloa, boys! holloa boys! God save the King!  
Hip, hip, hoor-r-r-ray!

## R\*N #1572ND

REMEMBER, REMEMBER THE FIFTH OF NOVEMBER  
ANNUAL GUY FAWKES RUN

WHEN: MONDAY, NOV. 3RD, 2014 @7:00 PM  
HARE(S): A SCOT, AN IRISHMAN, AN ENGLISHMAN AND A WELSHWOMAN  
(THE IRISHMAN FAILED TO SHOW)  
WHERE: CHATEAU LAFAYETTE (THE LAFF), 42 YORK STREET  
HASH CASH: \$5 FOR HASH DOWN-DOWNS.  
HASHERS: 42 INCLUDING 2 VIRGINS (JUST BEN, JUST ALEXIS)  
DISTANCE: RUNNERS 5.67 KMS  
DISTANCE: WALKERS +/- 4.5 KMS

This year's Guy Fawkes Run had a great turn out of forty-two hashers including two virgins mustering at "THE LAFF" the usual venue for the event. Because of the tragic events of the past weeks it was decided that fire-works and a bonfire would not be appropriate. Also the usual trail around the Parliament buildings, except for an historical stop at the Peace Flame. was also curtailed.

After the introductions, an attempt to explain the multitude of trail markings, the promise of a short trail, as well as some historical awareness the runners were off searching for the first mark! Meanwhile the walkers departed on their own route but both groups would eventually meet up at the Oscar Peterson statue.

One thing this trail had in abundance were checks as well as some long false trails. Well they did keep the runners fairly well grouped together.

The first Historical Hold which also served as a Song Stop was held in front of the Notre-Dame Cathedral Basilica. Although there was no free beer for the hashers the hashers did learn about the origins of the Fifth of November and Guy Fawkes (see below for details).

It was then on to pounding more pavement through the streets of Lower Town Ottawa. After several confusing checks and false trails (well isn't that what they are supposed to be?) it was on the second Historical Stop in front of the **OLD OTTAWA GOAL**. It was here that one of the hashers bared their soul and explained that one of his distant relatives was the last person to be hanged in Ottawa! It was the infamous Catholic, Patrick James Whelan, a known Fenian who was accused of murdering Thomas D'Arcy McGee (see below for details).

From there it was ON ON to the statue of Internationally renowned, Canadian jazz pianist Oscar Peterson. Once all of the hashers had arrived flowers for those who wished to leave them at the War Memorial or Tomb of the Unknown Soldier were distributed. The group was informed

that there was no trail markings from this point to the Cenotaph and the Eternal Flame. A solemn procession then walked to the Cenotaph where, as a mark of remembrance the flowers were placed. After several moments of silence it was on to the Eternal Flame.



The hashers rejoined the marked trail by the Chateau Laurier Hotel and after a brief stop to say Hello to Colonel By, it was off to the rehydration stop in the 'old' Dominion Tavern.

Eventually crossing the street it was back to the ON IN and the circle.

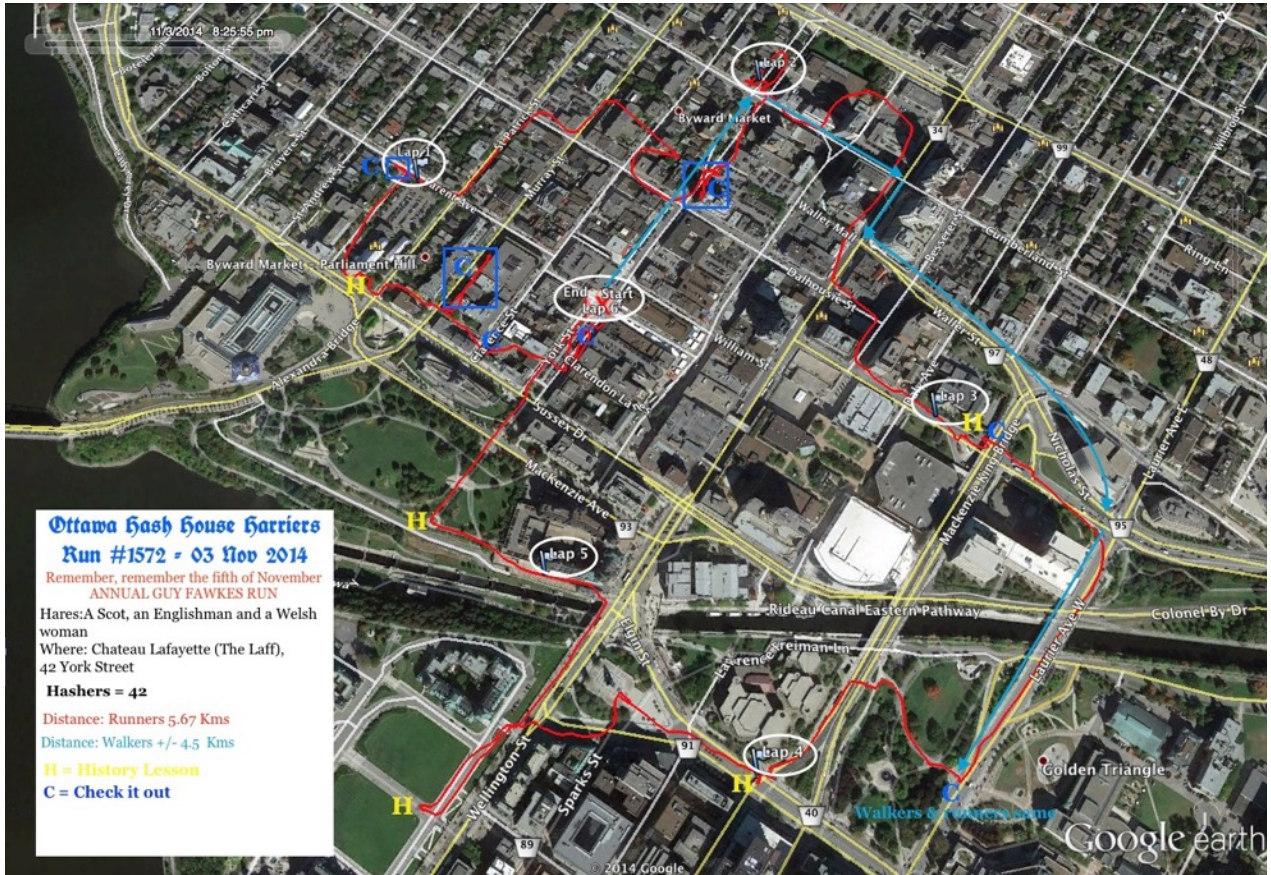
The two virgins were brought in and introduced to the circle and explained who brought them. **JUST BEN, BY COMES IN PAIRS** (who usually brings two females!) and **JUST ALEXIS, BY THUMB SUCKER**. While the virgins were both given the usual three options they decided to sing a duet! The GM and RA then commenced handing punishment for the great number of crimes that were committed on trail.

Probably the most memorable part of the evening was when **Just Sue** was brought into the circle to be named. Several names were put forth but the one that garnered the most votes was "**Happy Ending**". This name directly relates to the happiness that she gave an old man when she helped him get his 'bike' off a wall.

In the opening circle **Backwash**, famous for setting long trails, said that this night's trail would be short which brought cries of Yah Right! However it did turn out to be a short evening run. When comments about the run came up **Taste the Rainbow** said that for once **Backwash** was right and hopefully it would not be the last



time! **Backwash** simply said something like Don't



hold your breath.

## Receding Hare Line

### Run #1573

When: Monday, November 10, 2014 @ 7:00 pm  
Hare(s): Double 06.9  
Where: Carleton Tavern, 223 Armstrong Street  
Hash Cash: \$5.00 for hash down-downs

## Perogie Full Moon Hash

When: Saturday, November 8, 2014 @ 5:00 pm  
Hare(s): Fat Ass  
Where: 107 Tower Road, Ottawa, Ontario  
Hash Cash: \$15.00 for dinner and hash down-downs

## POSH NOSH

When: Friday, December 12, 2014  
Where: Algonquin College's Restaurant International  
Cost: \$38.92 per person, including tax and tip  
What you get: 4-course meal which includes appetizer, soup or salad, entree (3 choices to be arranged closer to the date), dessert, tea and coffee  
They also have a full cash bar with beer and wine  
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT CHEAP THRILLS  
AT [harrisonwatson@yahoo.ca](mailto:harrisonwatson@yahoo.ca)

## ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

When: Saturday, December 6, 2014 @ 2:00 pm  
Hare(s): Flounder and Cumikazi  
Where: 2650 Flannery Drive, Ottawa, Ontario  
Hash Cash: \$10.00 for food and beer  
ATTENTION: THIS IS A KID FRIENDLY HASH SO BRING THE LITTLE,  
AND NOT SO LITTLE ONES. SANTA WILL MAKE AN APPEARANCE

# Guy Fawkes

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

**Parents:** Edward Fawkes, Edith (*née* Blake or Jackson)

**Born:** 13 April 1570 (presumed)York, England

**Alias(es):** Guido Fawkes, John Johnson

**Occupation:** Soldier; Alférez

**Plot**

**Role:** Explosives

**Enlisted:** 20 May 1604

**Captured:** 5 November 1605

**Conviction(s):**High treason

**Penalty:**Hanged, drawn and quartered

**Died:** 31 January 1606 Westminster, London, England

**Cause:**Hanged

In 1605, thirteen young men planned to blow up the Houses of Parliament. Among them was **Guy Fawkes**, Britain's most notorious traitor.

**Guy Fawkes (13 April 1570 – 31 January 1606)**, also known as Guido Fawkes, the name he adopted while fighting for the Spanish in the Low Countries, was a member of a group of provincial English Catholics who planned the failed Gunpowder Plot of 1605.

In 1604 Fawkes became involved with a small group of English Catholics, led by Robert Catesby, who planned to assassinate the Protestant King James and replace him with his daughter, third in the line of succession, Princess Elizabeth.

According to Fawkes, 20 barrels of gunpowder were brought in at first, followed by 16 more on 20 July. On 28 July however, the ever-present threat of the plague delayed the opening of Parliament until Tuesday, 5 November.

A few of the conspirators were concerned about fellow Catholics who would be present at Parliament during the opening. On the evening of 26 October, Lord Monteagle received an anonymous letter warning him to stay away, and to "retyre youre self into yowre contee whence yow maye expect the event in safti for ... they shall receyve a terrible blowe this parleament".

The King ordered Sir Thomas Knyvet to conduct a search of the cellars underneath Parliament, which he did in the early hours of 5 November. Fawkes had taken up his station late on the previous night, armed with a slow match and a watch given to him by Percy "because he should knowe howe the time went away". He was found leaving the cellar, shortly after midnight, and arrested. Inside, the barrels of gunpowder were discovered hidden under piles of firewood and coal.

The trial of eight of the plotters began on Monday 27 January 1606. Fawkes shared the barge from the Tower to Westminster Hall with seven of his co-conspirators. They were kept in the Star Chamber before being taken to Westminster Hall, where they were displayed on a purpose-built scaffold. The King and his close family, watching in secret, were among the spectators as the Lords Commissioners read out the list of charges. Fawkes was identified as Guido Fawkes, "otherwise called Guido Johnson". He pleaded not guilty, despite his apparent acceptance of guilt from the moment he was captured.

The outcome was never in doubt. The jury found all of the defendants guilty, and the Lord Chief Justice Sir John Popham proclaimed them guilty of high treason. The Attorney General Sir Edward Coke told the court that **each of the condemned would be drawn backwards to his death, by a horse, his head near the ground. They were to be "put to death halfway between heaven and earth as unworthy of both". Their genitals would be cut off and burnt before their eyes, and their bowels and hearts removed. They would then be decapitated, and the dismembered parts of their bodies displayed so that they might become "prey for the fowls of the air"**.

On 5 November 1605 Londoners were encouraged to celebrate the King's escape from assassination by lighting bonfires, "always provided that 'this testimonye of joy be carefull done without any danger or disorder'". An Act of Parliament designated each 5 November as a day of thanksgiving for "the joyful day of deliverance", and remained in force until 1859. Although he was only one of 13 conspirators, Fawkes is today the individual most associated with the failed Plot.

# Patrick J. Whelan

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia



**Born:** Patrick James Whelan c. 1840 In Galway, Ireland

**Died:** 11 February 1869 Carleton County Gaol

**Cause of death:** Hanging

**Nationality:** Irish Canadian

**Other names:** Sullivan, Smith (alleged)<sup>[</sup>

**Occupation:** Tailor

**Criminal charge:** Murder

**Motive:** Fenian sympathy

**Patrick James Whelan** was a suspected Fenian sympathizer executed following the year 1869 assassination of Canadian journalist and politician Thomas D'Arcy McGee.

He maintained his innocence throughout the proceedings, but the government needed somebody to blame, and although the evidence against Whelan was entirely circumstantial, he was "the perfect candidate". Questions about his guilt continue to be voiced, as his trial was "marred" by political interference, dubious legal procedures, allegations of bribing witnesses and easily discredited testimony