Rideau Hash House Harriers



Run #65 08 January 2015

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When: Thursday, January 8, 2015 at 7:00 PM Where: Riverside Pub 3673 Riverside Drive

Hare: Flounder

Hash Cash: \$5 for Hash down-downs.

Hasher: 16 including 1 Virgin

Distance: Runners 3.98 Kms

Weather: at 7pm Cloudy -9 wind SSW 9 Windchill -14

The hashers had not darkened the doors of the Riverside Pub for quite a while so on this warmish evening sixteen hashers assembled in anticipation of one of Flounder's infamous runs.

After the opening circle the runners were ON ON in one direction while Flounder took the walkers in the opposite direction. However, during the opening circle he said that he would be marking trail along the way. As it turned out while the runners were finding their way through the streets on the west side of Riverside Drive the walkers were ambling along on the eastern side.

The hare had incorporated many checks and even a couple of hash holds for the runners. No doubt this was so that they would not catch up to the walkers. At two places he did have the runners floundering around looking for the marks that he had hidden either under or behind automobiles. Once the runners were on trail again they made their way through the Hunt Club Woods, which was Flounder's attempt at a bit of shiggy. Well, you do have to give him at least a little bit of credit for taking us down the snow packed trails. It was later learned that the runners were indeed on same trail that the walkers had been on. It must have been a bit of a shock for the walkers to discover a bit of shiggy on their trail.

Back at the ON IN in deference to the patrons in the pub it was a very subdued circle. Singing and complaints in your inside voice can be very difficult for most

hashers. The GM brought in the standard sinners before bring in **Just Gerald** the virgin to be introduced to the assembly. After explaining that he had learned about the hash on *Meet Up*, and had no idea what it was all about **Just Gerald** was offered the usual three initiation options but as he could not come up with anything appropriate he decided to do a little dance. Cries of option three rang out from most of the harriettes.

When the hare was brought in to defend the trail cries of, you cannot hide the marks, and just because a plough comes along and erases the marks is no excuse. You should have anticipated that and placed the marks in a more appropriate location. The only positive comment that came out was; "At least it wasn't in white paint like he did once before." The RA awarded the run 6.9 out of 7.

The hash closed with a very quiet singing of the hash hymn.

The venue proved to be very adequate and there were only good comment about the food and service.

Receding Hare Line

Run #1582

When: Monday, Jan. 12th, 2015 @7:00 pm

Hare(s): Sheila and Never-Never

Where: Conroy Pub, 4 Lorry Greenberg Drive, Ottawa

Hash Cash: \$5 For Hash Down-Downs.

Don't forget WinterRude is coming up the weekend of 07 February

