

RUN NO: 2515

Hares: Scruffy and Anchovy

Venue: Crown Hotel Lutwyche

About 35 turned up in various states of disrepair. DIVOT has had a nose job; BULLRUSHES has had part of his arse attached to his face; ROYAL SCREW prepared for his hip replacement tomorrow by not running or walking; and GREWSOME reckons his meniscus is stuffed. I had one of them once but after a good dose of the demon drink it disappeared. As a result, there were only five runners - OPTUS, BUGS, PEE WEE, XXXX and myself. ARSEPLAY started but failed miserably and was last seen about 500 metres from the start heading in the wrong direction.

The trail headed west towards Grange Thistle Soccer Club. The runners lost the trail and met up with the walkers but in true spirit backtracked to pick up the real trail. It would help if the alternate trails were marked with an FT. There was a lot of backtracking at check points due to this, and also the length between the check and the first arrow on the correct trail.

Despite this, we were able to pass Wilston Grange AFC where I have vivid memories of getting a kick (the only one that year) and wend our way home in just over one hour.

Markings were scarce and often around corners or on the opposite side of the road, but the location was good and the trail went through some interesting country.

PUSHUP was able to glean some interesting facts about ARSEPLAY, WASTE OF TIME and BAREBUM, but the latter was the clear winner of SOTW with the story about his motorised golf buggy taking off and ending up in one of RQ's pristine lakes.

RUN: 6 out of 10

VENUE: Okay

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