

11 Jan 2021

Run No. 2644 "Committee Run"

Hares = **Tinkerbell & Bugs (Live Hares)**

Venue = Purtell Park, 57 Carwoola Street, Bardon

Shit!! Brisbane had been declared a COVID "Hot Spot"! (not to be confused with a "Wet Spot"). Complete lock-down for three days in Greater Brisbane Metropolitan Area, with no travel except for exercise in your own area, and everyone to wear masks up until 6pm Monday night!!!

Luckily Brisbane H3 runs at 6:15pm, so a large group... (make that two separate groups of less than 20 people each) arrived socially distanced in the vast carpark. All were wearing masks, of note were **Irish Joke's** panties-look-alike mask and **Tinkerbell**.

But the prize went to **Inspector Rex!**



And then the bad news... due to COVID, the committee run entertainment was cancelled, and it wasn't possible for **Even Optus** go out to set the run. Into the void stepped **Bugs** and **Tinkerbell**, who volunteered to live hare a trail out to Simpsons Falls.

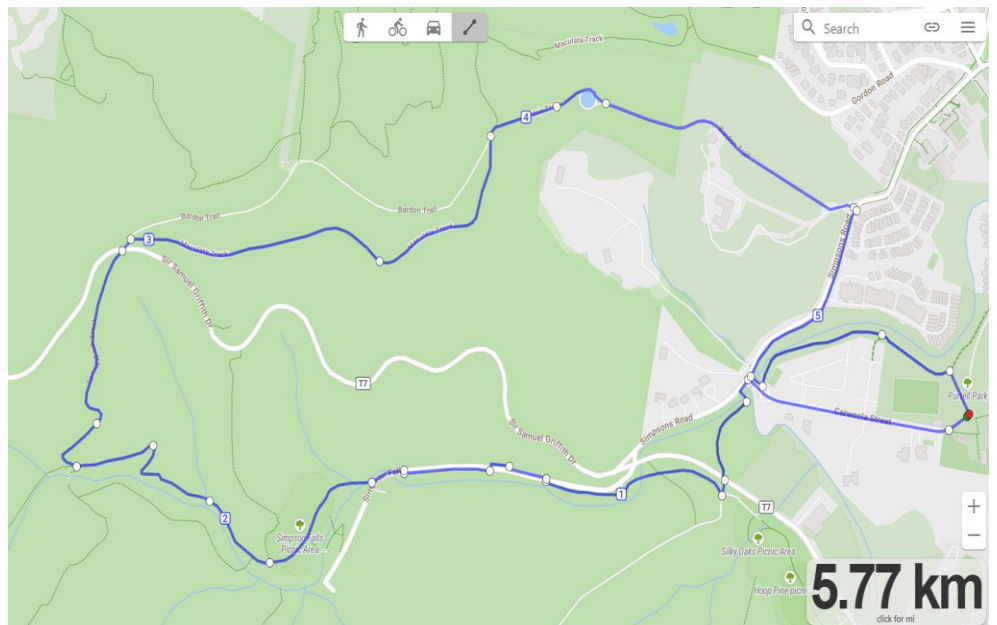
The pack set off in daylight, with **Bugs** chalking the run as we went. Runners included **Inspector Rex**, **Peewee** and **Craft**. The run circuit was as per below, with scenic views of Simpson Falls, then up the mountain to Chanel 10, and back down via the Bardon reservoir. (Why is it that the mountain seemed steeper and rockier than last time I ran up it?).





The walkers did an out-and-back, turning at the 2.3km mark in the Simpson Fall Picnic Area.

Back at the venue, **Boxa** had done his usual fantastic job of supplying cool refreshments. The food was a selection of Yiros wraps: beef, lamb, chicken, fish, vegetarian (and Wuhan wild animal?), And there were chips too!! (That ticked all the food groups). **Brengun** loved his meal so much, he had to go round showing everyone! (Now that **Miles** is gone, is **Brengun** angling for Whinger of the Year?)



The committee (including **XXXX**) had gone to a lot of trouble and the venue was great. Unfortunately due to Covid, there was no circle. I reminisced with **Pushup** about his 2.5 hour run at Brisbane Forest Park, about ten years back, out by Enoggera Reservoir. Also **Royal Screw** kept us amused by his recollection of a past Balls Up, where the Hash Act consisted of a choreographed Village People number, with **Royal** as the Cowboy, **Snappy** as the Indian, and **Craft** as the Bokie.

A shame about the cancelled entertainment. Here's photos of what we missed out on.....



Run 10 / 10 (What do you expect, when I'm the hare!)

Circle (None due to Covid19)

Food 8/10

On on **Tinkerbell**

