



# HASH TRASH



## 1001 BRIGHTON HASH NIGHTS

DATELINE: AUGUST, 1997  
EVENT: BH7 1000TH RUN CELEBRATION  
VENUE: TBA – STANMER PARK?  
PROGRAMME: ALSO TBA

BH7 celebrates its 1000th run on 18th August, 1997 and we hope to have a big bash exclusively for all BH7 hashers. However, this is a rare milestone achieved by only a very small handful of clubs in the UK and accordingly plans are afoot to have an open hashbash on August bank holiday weekend. This will comprise an unofficial Sunday run, then the 10001st on the Monday after an evening of the usual hash fun and games including, hopefully, a band, barbecue grub, a large quantity of Harvey's, hash cabaret acts and overnight camping for guest hashers.

This same weekend is also the 1997 nash hash which is always oversubscribed and there are consequently thousands of UK hashers looking for a good alternative. We can provide this but we need to start NOW.

If you wish to help with the organisation or have ideas for how we can celebrate this event let Bouncer or Don know as soon as possible

REMEMBER: YOUR HASH NEEDS  
**YOU!**



I've been caught out this time with no material of any real interest and very little time to sort something out. What to do? Welcome back then to the run reviews which are always good for filling a hole. Hopefully this will once again become a regular feature of the trash so keep your eyes open and get those write ups in. Next trash in May, and any material will be considered.

**The Black Horse, Rottingdean**  
**1st January 1996 – 'Navy' Nigel Wilce**

Although this run had one of the smallest packs on record, there was no doubting the enthusiasm of the crowd. After mucking about with the high street we charged up to the Mill and north along the downs. Despite the open ground the course was well marked and soon we headed back east to the main road where for some reason known only to themselves at least two hounds checked straight back to the pub!

We then had a long haul up into the cold night air along a metalled road which saw at least two runners turn for an early bath, after a nice muddy spell down hill, a farm track brought us into Saltdean where the call went up for a beer stop at Navy's gaff. Mutton kept us waiting for some time whilst he checked a false before the rest of us gave up and went without him back along a footpath to a much earned and appreciated cider and mince pie stop 200 yards from the pub. A couple of pints of Beards and Old saw the New Years resolution out the window, and the new hashing year start in fine style.

**The Bull, Shermanbury**  
**8th January, 1996 – Hugh's 406th**

A quick look at the weather and Bouncer submitted to his cold and opted out of this one. Good job too as this was possibly the wettest hash ever with everyone getting wet to the waist, and a couple of the shorter runners disappearing altogether. Not surprisingly the hare led most of the run as a lot of the marks were underwater.

Back at the pub Bob Luck had key trouble with his nice electric central locking Porsche, after his dousing, and couldn't get in the car to get beer money and dry gear Whoops! A quick attempt to dry the key battery out by the electric fire failed to elicit any reaction from the car so Bob Wallace came to the rescue and charged the 1 inch battery up with jump leads to his car battery. Just in case his battery got drained from the effort, of course, he started the car first. Amazingly this worked but the code was now well and truly scrambled leaving Bob to await the arrival of Sheila to rescue him.

What a shame the manager of this pub is such a prat and refuses to give extra plates with the pizzas leaving customers to eat off the table. This used to be a good pub but the attitude of the staff means that I for one won't be going there again.

**Royal Oak, Wineham**  
**15th January, 1996 – Bouncer and Pete H**

Billed the Tough Guy training hash number 3 there was no way the hares were ever going to live up to Hugh's efforts the week before. Hills were out because of the distance involved which left only a mega distance and a live hash to warrant the title. All hope that the somewhat unfamiliar terrain and rapidly descending fog would throw the hounds off the scent were absolutely founded to such a degree that not one hasher completed the course and all found their way back to the pub along the roads.

The hares complete the set in just under two hours and were amazed to see Pete Eastwood just leaving the pub. SCB they cried to his insistence that he'd done the lot. Inside the truth was out – we returned from the first check said Elaine!

Perhaps 7.5 miles is rather a long way in winter but once again a couple of good pints and the finest toasties in Sussex soon restored the mood!

**Blackboys – Joint Hastings H3 (sort of)**  
**22nd January, 1996 – Mary & Trevor**

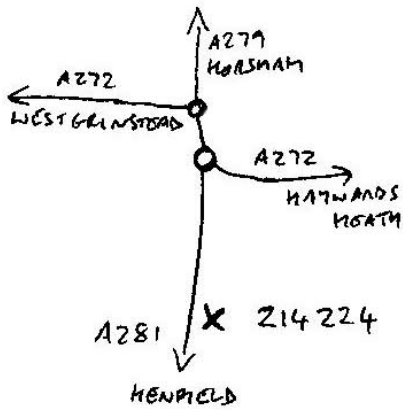
What can the locals possibly hope to gain by painting out all the road signs? Far from discouraging tourists they simply trap them within the territory they are attempting to keep them from. There's precious few ways of getting to Blackboys without going cross-country hence the late arrival of certain hounds. Fortunately Trev's blue chalk markings were enough to confuse the pack long enough for lates to catch up.

What followed was a rather fine hash by all accounts with a good mixture of steady road sections and shiggy, and The Hedge. Markings did seem to be somewhat random though the hares rejoinder there was plenty there yesterday was a bit predictable. Unfortunately the presence of a footpath map showing the pub and ways to get there meant that some FRB's escaped the call back and arrived back almost 10 minutes before the last.

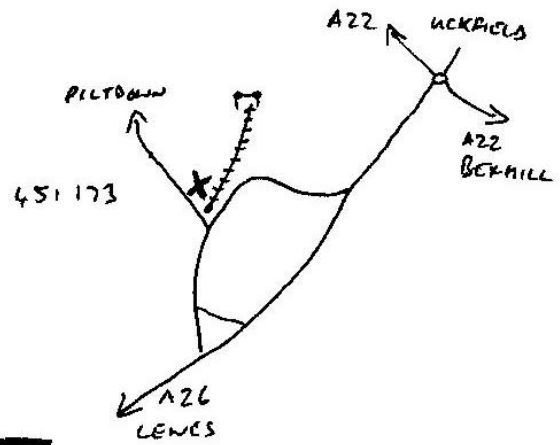
It's good to see the Blackboys open again after the fire a couple of years ago (plumbing repairs courtesy Ivan the fireman), and to enjoy some of Harvey's Old from what is traditionally their flagship pub (the best beers sent here folks).

# EASTER BUNNY HARELINE

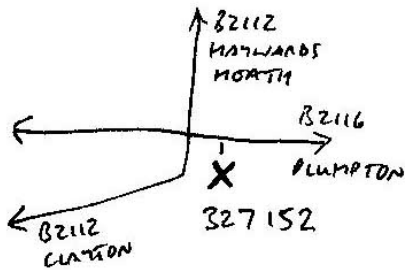
Run #926 - 18th March, 1996  
HARE & HOUNDS, COWFOLD - BOB L. & DON



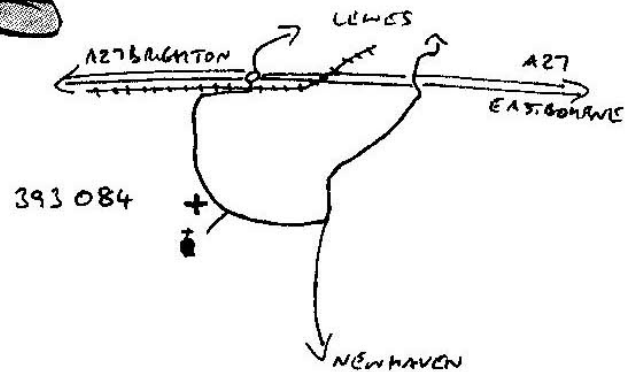
Run #927 - 25th March, 1996  
LAUGHING FISH, ISFIELD - PETER B. & DAVID E.



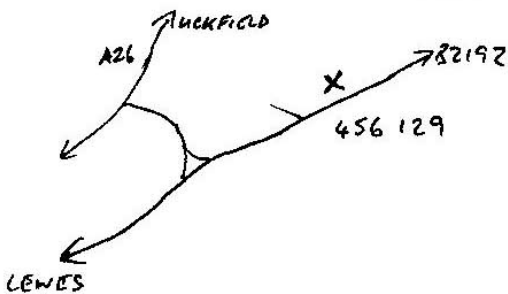
Run #928 - 1st April, 1996  
DITCHLING HALL CAR PARK - PETER E.



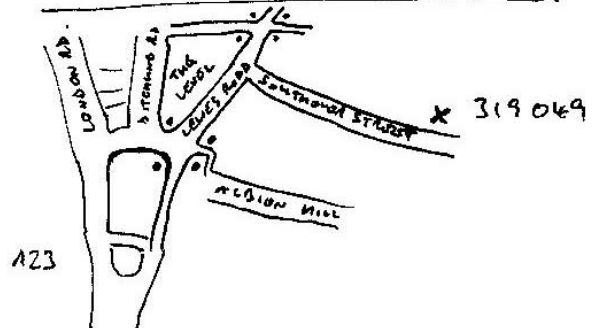
Run #929 - 8th April, 1996  
THE JUGGS, KINGSTON - IAN ELWICK



Run #930 - 15th April, 1996  
GRASS MAN, RINGMER - TONY F.



Run #931 - 22nd April, 1996  
DOVER CASTLE, BRIGHTON - TONY M.



All Runs 7.30 FOR 7.40 START. NO RESPONSIBILITY ACCEPTED BY PUBLISHER FOR COMPLETELY FALSE INFORMATION OR MAPS. SCALE: UNKNOWN.

**Evening Star, Brighton**  
**29th January 1996 – Tony Maries**

After milling around outside the pub for a few minutes and discovering that London H3 would not after all be joining us for this supposedly joint effort, our attention then turned to the hare. Where the hell was he? Tony ambled round the corner at about 7.45pm and after playing with his chalk for a while pointed the ON which various hares, working on the possible assumption that it was live, had been unable to locate.

Confusion ensued as we struggled to find marks until it turned out they were about halfway up the lampposts. A fairly straightforward dash up past the station and on towards Seven Dials was curtailed when we then cut on towards Preston Park station. The usual frolic in the woods followed and on we went to Withean. By now time was already getting on as we touched on Patcham before charging up the hill towards Hollingdean. At this point I lost the trail and went for the short cut arriving back at the pub bang on 9.00pm. Others valiantly attempted to find the beer stop by covering every other are of Brighton, but the marks defeated most.

Back at the pub, Jeff had done some valiant work putting together a free buffet for us single-handed (literally as one arm was plastered, ossifer) despite a customer being carted off to hospital in the meantime. Pete the boss and full-time oshit (over seas hashers in town) then showed us the brewery to round off a fine evening. We'll be running from here again soon and hopefully will be joined by Pete and LH3 then.

**Blacksmiths Arms, Offham**  
**5th February, 1996 – Don & Ian Elwix**

After a few long runs we were promised a short night out by the On-sec and consequently had the best turn out so far this year. Going was firm and I mean bloody firm verging on crunchy! The first 1/2 of the run was excellent minor roads cutting back and forth until I was lost, before we hit the hard stuff along the banks of the Ooze. A lovely check in the woods led eventually to us scrambling up the old chalk tunnel up to the Chalk Pit Inn, and almost losing a number of hashers as Mr. Mutton 'accidentally' dislodged a huge rock which had me limping for the next five minutes.

Crampons were the order of the day as we then scaled the side of the quarry up to the bmx arena on top and the hash became well and truly split asunder. The check on top took us out onto the Lewes downland 10 course, my first experience of Sussex running when I received a profile instead of a map of the course! Up on top the wind chill factor must have been about 50F below and the light gear worn by Mr. Danmore was enough to freeze the most appropriately dressed hashers. A surprise regroup occurred when a golden hash rule was broken and ALL the front runners opted to check down. Wrongly. That didn't happen for another 5 minutes when we took a very pleasant turn back to the pub through the woods and into the warmth for the end of a fine hash.

**Shaves Thatch, Poynings**  
**12th February, 1996 – Hugh**

As usual the exit from this pub was along the road, this time across to the golf course where we were accosted by a woman advising us that we couldn't go that way. 'But it's a footpath' saith one hasher, 'yes, but it doesn't go anywhere' she replied. Naturally the trail went thataway!

Don was hare on the ground as Hugh was live but even he couldn't work out where to go from Albourne church. The process of elimination eventually produced a trail although Les Plumb took an early bath - literally - when the footpath sneaked off into the bushes without telling anyone. Those that avoided getting their legs wet soon got their just deserts as the mud rose in the next field.

Oscar became legend as his flashing collar scared the wits out of any locals in our way who could see nothing but a red glow whipping in and out of the bushes. Naturally there was another long road stretch on the run in to the pub where we found Tim who had apparently run a hash all on his own even hitting the correct trail once or twice. He seems to be getting the hang of this because it was another fine Hugh run.

**The Fountain, Plumpton Green**  
**19th February, 1996 – Roger Rabbit**

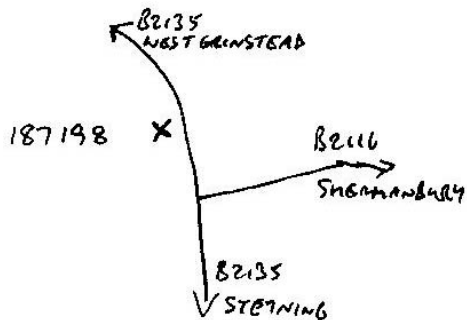
Starting as just one more cold night we charged up the hill north out of Plumpton with little idea of what was to come. A cut across the fields led on to a muddy wooded stretch with no option but to walk or lose your shoes. It seemed as if we were going directly back to where we'd just come from when we did a half back at the next check but instead the trail led off eventually to Chailey. Gentle rain had turned into gentle sleet and then to gentle snow by now.

Come the turn back at Chailey the road's were now quite white, but the hash carried on regardless. Eventually we lost it as white chalk marks became indistinguishable and we ended up with a long road run until we picked up the outwards trail again which we just followed back to the pub. Hugh wasn't convinced so as soon as we worked out where we were he clambered over a gate into a farmyard whilst the rest of us went back to the pub to find our cars completely submerged under the snow.

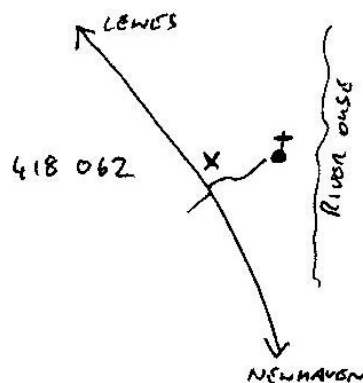
This was a good run that will be fantastic in summer, if we can ever find it again! Rumour had it that the landlord was laying on grub for a donation to charity, but I had to leave so missed out there.

→ EG from Nigel Wilce!

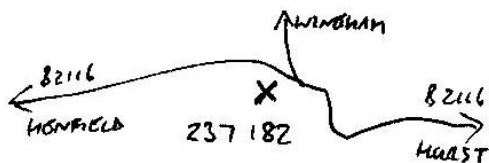
Run #932 - 29th April, 1996  
GREEN MAN, PATRICKS GREEN - SID & HUGH



Run #933 - 6th May, 1996  
ABERGAVENNY ARMS, RODNELL - NIGOL W & T



Run #934 - 18th May, 1996  
LUSGAT SHEAF, WOODMANCOTE - ELAINE



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:-

- 12th MAY - MASH NASH MEGABASH T.B.A.
- 1st JUNE - SOUTH DOWNS RELAY
- 7th-9th JUNE - CYPRUS INTERMASH
- 12th JUNE - HARVEYS BREWERY TRIP

## 1996 SUSSEX FIXTURE LIST

Date	Location	Distance	Time	Series
24th March	Worthing	20 miles	10.30am	Grand Prix
	Tortington	10 kilometres	11.00am	Fun Run League
8th April (Monday)	Lewes	5 miles + 2 miles	11.00am	Fun Run League
6th May	Burgess Hill	quarter marathon		Grand Prix
12th May	Portslade	5 miles	11.00am	Fun Run League
19th May	Hailsham	10 miles		TBA
1st June	Southdowns	100 mile relays		
16th June	Heathfield	10 kilometres		Grand Prix
	Hove	5 kilometres + 1.1 miles	11.15am	Fun Run League
30th June	Shoreham	10 kilometres + 5km	11.00am	Fun Run League
3rd July (Wednesday)	Steyning	6 miles	7.30pm	Fun Run League
7th July	Hove Park	WSFRL relays 6 x 1 mile	11.00am	Fun Run League
21st July	Burgess Hill	4 miles	11.00am	Fun Run League
18th August	Crawley	5 miles + 1.5 miles	2.00pm	Fun Run League
1st September	Fittleworth	5 miles	11.15am	Fun Run League
8th September	Hellingly	10 kilometres		Grand Prix
15th September	Brighton	5 miles		Grand Prix
21st September (Saturday)	Henfield	4 miles + 1 mile	5.00pm	Fun Run League
22nd September	Worthing	Half marathon		Grand Prix
13th October	Eastbourne	10 kilometres		Grand Prix
	Lancing	10 kilometres + 1.5 miles	11.00am	Fun Run League
20th October	Barnes Green			Grand Prix
3rd November	Worthing	5 miles + 1.5 miles	2.30pm	Fun Run League
10th November	Preston Park			Grand Prix
17th November	Brighton & Hove	10 kilometres		Grand Prix
24th November	Crowborough	10 kilometres		Grand Prix
1st December	Southwick	4 miles	11.00am	Fun Run League

WIRRAL & CHESTER H3.

# 500 RUN

WEEKEND 24TH - 26TH AUGUST 1996



Runs --- Transport to and from sites

Hash Entertainment -- Tee Shirt etc.

BOOK EARLY (Limited Numbers) ----- £50 before 29th February 1996

£55 before 30th April 1996

£60 after 31st May 1996

Cheques made payable to:- Wirral & Chester 500.

Real Name

Hash Name

Address

Phone No

Hash

Fax No

T -- Shirt Size M\*/L\*/XL\*/XXL\*

Run Length -- Knitting Circle\*/Normal\*/Ball Breaker\*

Drink Preference Beer\*/Lager\*/Wine\*/Softies\*

I am a Carnivore\*/Veggie\*

Accommodation Preference Camping\*/Caravan\*/College Room\*/ B & B\*

Our Hash will\*/will not\* be providing an act for Cabaret

Years on this planet Under 30\*/ 30 to 40\*/ 40 to 50\*/ E.V.R. Candidate\*

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