HASH TRASH
SEPTEMBER 1997
WASHER RUNS 1002 - 1005



1000th Reviewed

Well the 1000th run has now come and gone. The run from Devils Dyke on 18th August didn't exactly follow the original route as suspected, as no-one could remember what it was. No surprise there as I can never remember the run one week later, let alone 19 an'a-bit years.

Talking of which I was somewhat surprised to find that there is no history - at least judging by the response in the last trash there's been nothing worth remembering! Is this because everyone's memories fade in the following morning's hangovers? I hope so. Never mind, Phil's colour sheet was impressive to look at if bare on detail. If there is any interest at all in a hash history perhaps it would be better served by a separate booklet to the trash anyway so please do give me something to work with, otherwise it'll be limited to the last 5 years as I'm only a new boy.

Back to the run, the pack assembling at the top for pre-hash piccies was impressive with probably 80 runners making this our biggest ever turn-out. The run was marked with flour (thumbs-up) and shredded paper (thumbs very down - at least toilet paper dissolves in the rain!), and the early running was made by the current band of hash regulars until the massive on-back from the bottom of the cwm. A brief cut across the top of the dyke led into a long drop (official) to the bottom of the downs and a mountaineering finish up the funicular railway.

Loads of beer was duly distributed though sadly no down-downs. The disparaging remarks about the antics of other hashes in the sheet showed a rather unfortunate ignorance of the social purpose of the hash circle. Agreed that there is no place for beer wastage but there really is nothing quite like the circle for making newcomers and outsiders feel welcome and for uniting the regulars, and for an opportunity for a chat to everyone, to thank the hares, to warn sinners and make presentations etc. It's not necessary to have more than one or two down-downs each time so let's consider perhaps a monthly welcome circle.

Down at the Royal Oak we were rewarded with more beers, a barbeque and a chance for many to catch up with old friends whilst Phil carried on his distribution business from the back of his car in the car park. Glasses and t-shirts are still available but please be quick as there are limited supplies and we need to get the re-order in for t-shirts ASAP. All-in-all a pretty good time was had by all. My apologies to Wiggy for busting his nose during Bouncers bounce challenge and I am eternally grateful to him for not setting his wolf on me.

INTERHASH

I am taking deposits of £80 for registration for this event to be held 2nd-4th October next year in Kuala Lumpur. Full registration is \$150.00 so I shall probably need a bit more once rate of exchange is established but we can spread the cost if they're all booked at once. Confirmed so far:- Bouncer and Lin (registered), Wiggy and John Hemings (cheques received). Bubbling under:- Lin's Mike, Niel, Bunter plus various other possible's. Please try and get me your cheques by 15th September latest.

Fares and accommodation costs will be available later on but a rough guide figure is flight £460.00, accommodation £20 per night. This includes free internal flight and there are loads of add-ons available throughout the Far-east and Australia.

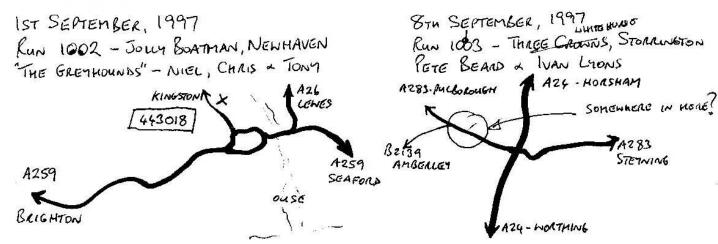


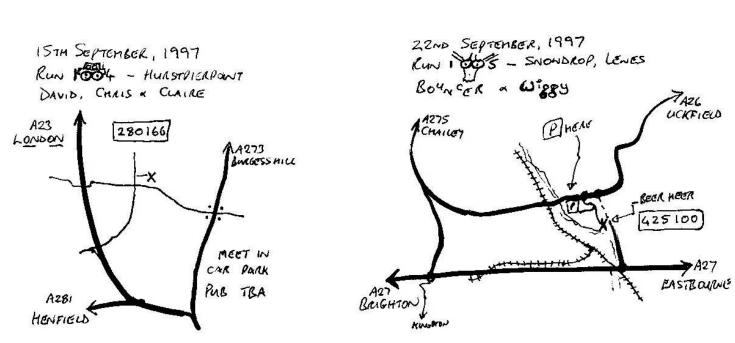




HAVE YOULAND ONE LATELY?

RECEDING HARELINE RUNS 1862-1265 - SOPIEMBER 1997





PARTICIPATING PUBS

Use the column below to show your preferred pubs. Marks from 1 to 5 please! (5 = Good, 1 = Poor)

BRIGHTON

Basketmakers Arms Gloucester Road (01273 689006) Belle Vue Buckingham Place (01273 382312) St. Martins Street (01273 607753) Bugle Constant Service Islingword Road (01273 607058) Dover Castle Southover Street (01273 605492) Surrey Street (01273 328931) **Evening Star** George Beard Gloucester Road (01273 607765) Upper St. James's Street (01273 602521) Hand in Hand London Unity Islingword Road (01273 681722) Trafalgar Street (01273 695892) Lord Nelson Park Crescent Park Crescent Terrace (01273 604993) Dean Street (01273 203472) Prince Arthur Sir Charles Napier Southover Street (01273 601413) Sir Loyne of Beef Windmill St./Sussex St. (01273 380580) Sussex Yeoman Guildford Road (01273 327985) Tap & Spile Upper Gloucester Road (01273 327075) DITCHLING White Horse West Street (01273 842006) EAST CHILTINGTON Jolly Sportsman Chapel Lane (off B2116) (01273 890400)

FIRLE

Ram Inn off A27 (01273 858222)

HAYWARDS HEATH

Star The Broadway (01444 413267)

HOVE

Montgomery Street (01273 771624) Eclipse

(Not open Mondays)

Farm Tavern Farm Road (01273 325902)

ISFIELD

Halfway House Rose Hill (01825 750382) Station Road (01825 750349) Laughing Fish

THE ALE-EMENTARY ALE TRAIL

Introduced by John H. Watson M.D., (Late of the Army Medical Department)

We were sitting in the lounge bar of one of Sussex's local hostelries, during one of our baffling investigations, when Holmes proclaimed: "This is a truly magnificent pint of ale here, Watson!"

"I'm glad you like it, Holmes," I replied, before taking a mouthful of my own drink and then continuing: "I suppose that there are few establishments in the area selling such good ale as this."

"On the contrary, my dear Watson," he countered "there are plenty. Why, the local CAMRA branch have just produced a passport listing a selection of public houses in the area that sell good ale. And I intend to track down the best ale house for myself."

"What in the deuce is a passport? And what does it do?"

"Here, I'll show you." He replied, as he produced from his pocket a small

"You take your passport along to each public house listed. Purchase a pint of Real Ale or Cider and get one of the bar staff to rubber stamp one of the boxes on the centre pages."

"I notice that the 2nd South Downs Real Ale and Cider Festival is also

"Oh well observed, Watson. My brother, Mycroft, will be there, at the membership stall, and anyone producing a passport can get him to stamp it. That passport will then be entered into a free draw at the end of the trail to win a copy of the 1998 Good Beer Guide."

"What a splendid idea." I said.

"Once you have completed 20 pubs," Holmes continued, "you will receive a special Ale Trail T-shirt. If you have completed 30 pubs, you will receive an Ale Trail Sweat Shirt. And best of all, if you complete all 40 pubs, you can choose an Ale Trail Sweat Shirt and either an Ale Trail T-shirt or a unique inscribed glass. Oh and I strongly advise anyone not to drink and drive, as the local constabulary will enforce the law."

"I quite agree. This sounds absolutely fabulous. When do we start?"

Holmes took another sip from his pint, before replying.

"I deduce that the trail runs from the 1st June 1997 through to the 30th September 1997. The passports should be returned to be received by 14th October 1997."

"By Jove, Holmes! How on earth did you reach that conclusion?"

The Great Detective drank a mouthful of his beer, raised his pint in the air, smiling, as he replied: "Ale-ementary, my dear Watson."

PARTICIPATING PUBS (Continued)

LEWES

The 2nd South Downs Real Ale and Cider Festival- See Below Black Horse Western Road (01273 473653)

Brewers Arms High Street (01273 479475) Malling Street (01273 477110) Dorset Arms Gardeners Arms Cliffe High Street (01273 474808) Mount Place (01273 473152) Lewes Arms Royal Oak Station Street (01273 474803)

LINDFIELD

Linden Tree High Street (01444 482995)

NEWICK

Church Road (01825 723293) Crown Inn ROTTINGDEAN

Black Horse

High Street (01273 302581) SCAYNES HILL Church Lane (off A272)

Sloop Inn (01444 831219) SEAFORD

Golden Galleon Exceat Bridge

Cuckmere Haven (01323 892247)

Wellington SHOREHAM

Steyne Road (01323 890032)

Brunswick Road (01273 453660) Buckingham Crabtree Buckingham Road (01273 463508) Red Lion Inn Old Shoreham Road (01273 453171)

UCKFIELD

Alma Arms Framfield Road (01825 762232)

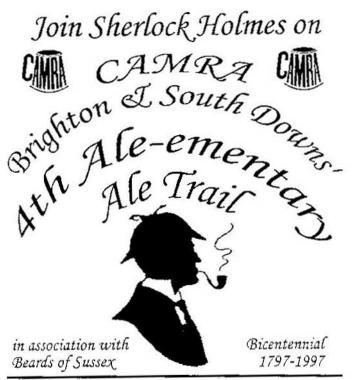
Opening Hours:-

Since the change in the Licensing Laws, certain pubs are now open all day. However, it is advisable to contact the pub beforehand in order to avoid any disappointment.

MYCROFT

at the 2nd South Downs Real Ale & Cider Festival, Old Corn & Hop Exchange, Lewes. Friday 4th July and Saturday 5th July 1997

As an added bonus, visit the membership stall, get your passport stamped and enter a FREE PRIZE DRAW to win a 1998 Good Beer Guide.



June 1st to September 30th, 1997.

Passport sponsored by HARVEY & SON (LEWES) LTD.

PASSPORT NO .:

You will probably struggle to complete all 40 pubs, but with a t-shirt award for completing 20 you may find this ale trail a bit of fun.



19th and 20th September

Friday; 5 to 11 and Saturday 11 to 4 and 6 to 11.

The Richmond Rooms, The Assembly Hall, Stoke Abbott Road.

Approx Forty Real Ales, from £1.40 / pt.

Tickets available *NOW!* but availability is limited. Just £3 for evening sessions and £2 Sat lunchtime.

Send s.a.e. to Stuart Elms, 15 Rackham Rd, Worthing BN13 1LH, with cheque, made payable to CAMRA, Arun and ADUR branch, stating which sessions you wish to attend.

HOW TO WIN AT WORDSMANSHIP

After years of hacking through etymological thickets, at last a sure-fire method for converting frustration into fulfilment — jargonwise. Euphemistically called the Systematic Buzz Phase Projector, the system employs a lexicon of 30 carefully chosen "buzzwords":

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
0. integrated	0. management	0. information
1. total	1. organizational	1. flexibility
2. systemized	2. monitored	2. capability
3. parallel	3. reciprocal	3. mobility
4. functional	4. digital	4. programming
5. responsive	5. logistical	5. concept
6. optional	6. transitional	6. time-phase
7. synchronized	7. incremental	7. projection
8. compatible	8. third-generation	8. hardware
9. balanced	9. policy	9. contingency

The procedure is simple. Think of any three-digit number, then select the corresponding buzzword from each column. For instance, number 257 produces "systemized logistical projection", a phrase then can de dropped into virtually any report or briefing with that ring of decisive authority. No one will have the foggiest idea of what you are talking about, but the important thing is that no-one is going to admit it!