Hua Hin H3 Run #298 - 24<sup>th</sup> January 2015 Burns Night Celebration

Location: Off Soi 88 (Route 1043)

Google Map link: https://goo.gl/maps/cDcMm

GPS Coordinates: N 12.557340, E 99.928858 (N 12 33.440 E 99 55.731).

Hares: Scotch Tape & Brambles Bill

Hash Snacks: Miss Snickers

Hash Notes: Tinks

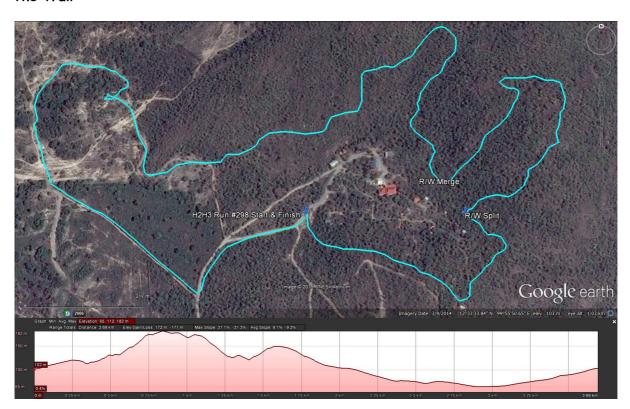
Hash Photos: Dazzling Masslin

Number of Hashers: 76

## Pre-Hash

Upon arrival at the run site no early hashes, probably as a result of me being too early. Next to arrive were the Hares followed shortly thereafter by the Biermeister. From then on it was an ongoing arrival of hashers and by the start time we had amassed 76. The pre-run circle was called and the Hares introduced to the masses. Usual briefing, paper on the right, one split for long and short, and a recommendation to stay on trail as there we could encounter bees on the way back.

The Trail



The pack set off and the first obstacle was a fence followed by a lengthy uphill trail close to a barbed wire fence on one side and dense shaggy on the other. This resulted in a single file march up the hill. Tink's forgot his GPS so backed tracked to collect and rejoined the pack by the time they reached the first check on the hill top. Some excellent views over Hua Hin from the top and then on through the trees to the run/walk split where Hare Brambles was waiting. At this point the walkers only had a 100 metre walk to the run/walk merge, while the Runners/Rambos ventured uphill and down on a 700 metre loop to be met again by Hare Brambles. Shortly thereafter there was a shortcut option but Hare Scotch Tape was on duty and directed all to take the full trail as it was not 5 o'clock yet. From here the trail followed a well worn path with some devious sharp left and right turns with an attempt to throw the hounds of the trail. At one point several hashers spent some 5 minutes or more looking for trail. At this point Old Macdonald questioned what we were doing and got the obvious response.

However he did find the trail and disappeared without a call and left the rest to find the trail. From then on it was a gently wander back, no bees encountered and on home in just on the hour. Donkey Cock was on a 20 baht wager with Hare Brambles that he would be back within the hour. He collected much to the surprise of Hare Brambles as he thought the trail was longer than it actually was. The trail was in fact only 3.7 km for the Rambos and 3.1 for the Walkers. Despite the short distances the terrain made progress fairly slow and resulted in almost everyone being back in the hour. The main exception was a new Flying Scotsman, No Name Andy.

## Post Trail and Circle

The pack settled in to consuming Miss Snickers dips washed down with the usual cold drinks and reminisced about the trail and other happenings during the past week. Tinks introduced Athol to the assembled masses and most of the adults sampled this tipple produced by no other than Miss Snickers. Some of the members changed into various styles of Tartan. Apparently Tin Tin was rather curious as to want was under the tartans when all of a sudden there was a scream. Old Macdonald was apparently living up to the Scottish tradition. As it was now approaching 6 o'clock Tinks called the pack to order for the post Hash Circle.

First into the circle were the Hares, Scotch Tape and Brambles Bill, receiving their down downs for well laid trails. Next was Miss Snickers for the usually good snacks and in particular the Athol brose. Next were Virgin Hashers Cole, June, Peter and Greta. Next was birthday girl Annabel and now paying Hashers having reached 8 years old.





The circle was then treated to a skit involving three hospital patients Scotch Tape, Jock Twat & Hugmanannygoat being introduced by Hairy Punt to the Queen (Legs Wide Open). The final outcome was a play on "Burns". Next it was christening time and Karen and Jeab were called into the circle where Scotch Tape took over duties as the Religious Advisor. Now Karen was due to have been christened at an earlier run, but had to disappear for another engagement. Scotch Tapes dementia had set in and the proposed name was forgotten, so Karen waits for another time. Several proposals were put forward for Jeab based on her back ground as a teacher, and David's love of dogs together with his ability to be late rather than early. The final adopted name was Doggy Style and so the RA completed his christening duties. It was then pointed out that one of our newer members, No Name John, was wearing new shoes. He had obviously been briefed and entered the cycle with one shoe in hand. His down down was transferred to the shoe following which the down down was completed from the shoe. Finally Old Macdonald and Tin Tin were called in for the pre-circle investigation as to whether or not he was in commando style mode. The circle Down Downs finished with next week's Hare Quick Mickey Mou providing brief misdirection's to next Saturdays CAH3 run and promise of a free food ON ON ON.

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