Hua Hin H3 Run #302 - 21st March 2015

Location: West of the bypass (Route 37) from Km marker 39

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

GPS Coordinates: N 12.494372, E 99.828989 (N 12 29.662, E 99 49.739)

Hares: Mudman & Muddy Joe

Hash Snacks: Pussy Galore & Son of Pussy

Hash Notes: Tinks

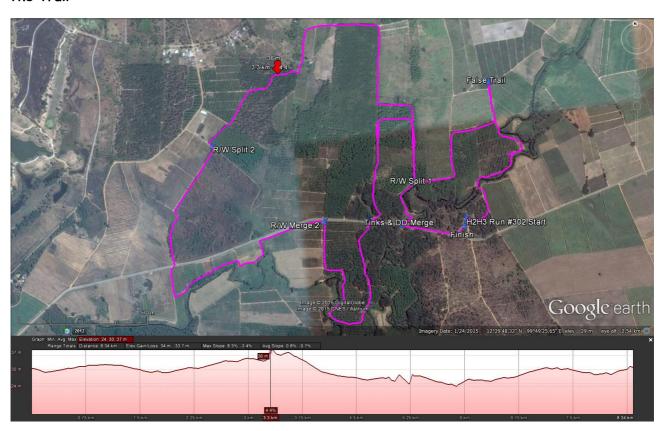
Hash Photos:

Number of Hashers: 44

Pre-Hash

The Hares had chosen a new location west of the by-pass, south of the Majestic Creek Country club and east of the Pranbury Dam. The hash site was shaded and included an unused toilet block. There was also a old building with adequate covered area should it rain. No likely hood of that as the weather was hot, overcast and windy. Hashers started to gather from around 3:45 until late the last ones arriving at 4:30. The Hares, Mudman and Muddy Joe then gave a 7 minute briefing on what to expect on trail. We were also advised that we would face a river crossing very soon into the run.

The Trail



The pack set off following new thinly shredded paper to the first check. Having remembered the prerun briefing the pack took the obvious turn towards the river, with Bush Whacker leading the way across the concrete spillway occupied by a truck. Hashers negotiated around the obstruction but Bella (David Delays faithful hound decided water was best), soon to be called back by DD. From then on it was to the second check and the finding of a false trail. Bush Whacker advised me that I was going in the right direction but did not advise on the false trail. He was seen going back to the check and following the walkers who were also calling "on Paper". Next was the first run/walk split. The runners passing around a rubber tree plantation and then round a pineapple field and past a small farmer croft with barking dogs to the next check. Brambles waited at the check for the front runners to call and then broke the check. At this time me and Davey delayed (DD) were tail end Charles. Somewhere

between here and the second run/walk split we should have come across the merge point. Not seen. At the second split, walkers could be seen in the distance as DD and me turned right to see Brambles and Bent Banana in the distance. From here on the trail was reasonably easy to follow although more of the new sized shreddy could have been used to make the trail more visible. On across the gravel road and more bush land until coming out again on to the new graded road. Upon arriving at the second merge DD and I were joined by Old Macdonald, and we made our way following trail. It appeared that a tractor had passed through the area in some place as the paper. But persevere we did and eventually came back out on the road. No other hashers in site. Old Macdonald called paper right and DD crossed over and also found paper. It subsequently turned out that he had found the first part of the outgoing walkers trail. Having been advised by Old Macdonald that Mudman had told him when you reach the road turn right for a short cut home. With this advice I then went and joined DD which was a mistake as it resulted in a further 1.5 km of trail walking. We eventfully arrived back at the start. Everybody was back except for Spook resulting in Mudman and Brambles going out on a search and recovery trip.

Post Trail and Circle

Not sure when the first hashers arrived back but I know me and DD were over 90 minutes and Spook was probably near 2:15 hrs. Snacks prepared by the Pussy clan were well received and washed down the Leo, Chang and other preferred beverages. Some discussion as to were some of us got lost did not detracted from pleasant hash location and trail

Tinks eventually called the pack to order while Mudman and Brambles were out on the recovery operation and awarded the following Down Downs:

Hash Snacks: Pussy Galore and Son of Pussy

Returners: Stamp Licker, Rotten Dame, Patrick and Mark

Lost Hasher: Spook

100 Runners: Merry Can Can and Peaches

Virgin Hasher: Edward

Lost & Found: Spook - someone left shirt in his car last week but no claimers

Leavers: Merry Can Can, Brambles Bill, Latecomer and HYHMY

The circle was closed with Old Macdonald advising on behalf of Donkey Cock that next weeks CAH3 run would be somewhere on the Chom Phol Road.

On After

Between 25 and 30 Hashers then moved on to Restaurant 94 in cetral Hua Hin for further socilasing.

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