

H2H3 RUN #453 - Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2021.  
Early St Paddy's Day Run

Location: Khao Yai, Cha-am District, Phetchaburi  
GPS Coordinates: N 12.791472, E 99.925111  
Google Map Link:  
<https://goo.gl/maps/5Uz71BbcJsJDcUrK9>

Hares: Dragon Tail and Ballbanger.  
Biermeister Team: Jock Twat & Legs Wide Open  
Ice Man: Tinks  
Tax Collector: Tinks  
Scribe: Tinks

Number of Hashers: 48

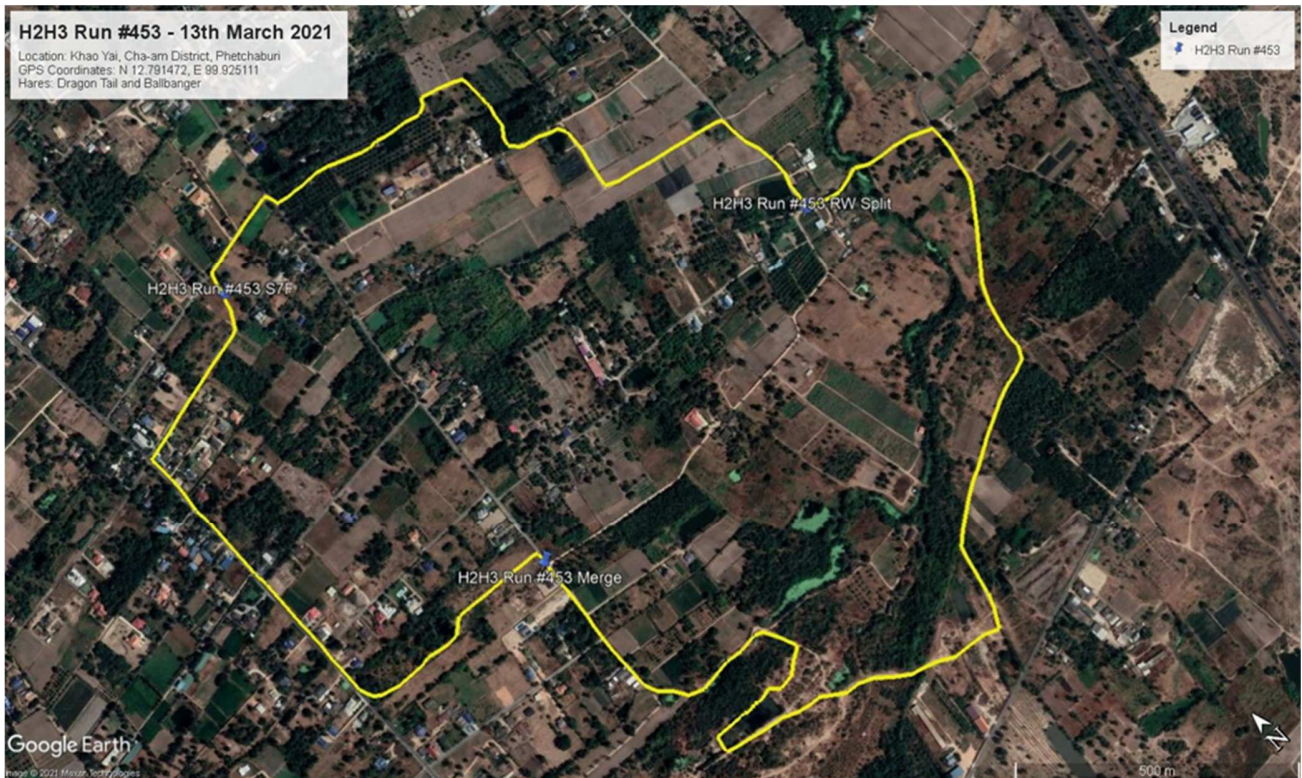
### Pre-Run

Ballbanger confessed to me during the week that the true Lead Hare was Dragon Tail, having planned the whole trail, walked it and that he had only walked it once and gave his approval. No problems with parking as the land plot was expansive. Upon arrival at the hash Dragon Tail gave a stick on shamrock to each Hashers. Several hounds also turned up in appropriate dress, either as Leprechahns, wearing green or Guinness Hats. The numbers increased as we got closer to the start time although there were a few traditional late arrivals still missing.

The pack was called to order and Dragon Tail advised that there were two trails Walkers and Rambos but no checks. No barbed wire, but we could expect dogs as all houses in the area had at least one. However, to ward off the dogs the hares had provided an adequate supply of Shillelagh's (Irish Clubs).



## The Trail



With the briefing over the pack set off out of the carpark and turned right. On route Hotpot was arriving at the run site and so Saffi and Zen got a head start with the FRB's while Hotpot continued to drive to the run start. The trail then went right and then left through trees. Shortly after we came out and followed a dirt road and came across our first dog. No problem just a couple of woofs and a wagging tail and then on we went skirting various fields and houses and passing through more trees and emerging onto a tarmac road which led to the run/walk split. Again no problem with dogs upto this stage as all that we passed were on a tether although yapping a lot. At the split, walkers went right and runners left. At this point Ding-a-ling, Orange Pippin and I were together and set off on the Rambo trail. We came across what was a dip in the road for a water course. As we approached three youngsters on a bike with a cart full of harvested leucaena in tow were having difficulty completing this crossing and became stuck at the top of the exit ramp. Ding-a-Ling went to their rescue and helped by pushing the bike and together with the power of the bike they managed to reach the top and on they went having said big thankyou's. Shortly thereafter we were asked by a mother and daughter on a bike as to why we were going in this particular direction when everyone else had gone on the walkers trail. Orange Pippin explained in Thai that we were on a longer trail and would be joining the rest of them a bit further on. On we three pushed not seeing any others in front or behind for some time but we did eventually close on three other tail-enders, who normally run, Black Buttocks, Hong Ting Tong and Head Ballcock. However, due to the terrain we could not shortcut to the path on which they were heading in the opposite direction to us. As we eventually made the double right turn to follow they disappeared left behind a line of foliage. When we reached the left turn they were now many metres ahead having sprinted away so as not to be passed by us. We continued on till we finally reached the merge point. From here the trail led to another tarmac road and then went right and headed in the direction of home. We could see fellow hikers ahead of us now. Eventually the trail broke right and led us back to the big open field and the start point.

### Pre-Circle:

Upon our return most of the pack were tucking in to a great spread of food provided by the Hares in the absence of an On After in the nearby area. Salad, chicken, pork and fruit set out on the table. The traditional crisps were

also available. Plenty of cold beer, soft drinks and water to hand. Traditional late comers Slime and Lucky Me although not there at the start had an excuse for not completing the trail this week due to one of Slime's shoe losing a sole. As the setting sun lit up the sky it was time to call the post run circle to order.



**Circle Down-Downs:**

**Hares:** Dragon Tail and the helpful co-hare Ballbanger a thumbs up for both the walkers and runners' trails.

**Slow Runners speeding up to avoid being overtaken by the tail enders:** Hong Ting Tong, Black Buttocks, and Head Ballcock

**Ghost Emails:** Dimwit failing to send email on behalf of Paddy Whacker for eggs. Checking on my phone at the time showed no email received.

**Virgin Hasher:** Dimwit introduced virgin hasher Aoife (ee-fa) and followed up with the traditional three Virgin questions and joined her in the DD.

**Non-Running Late Arrival:** Slime with excuse for sole-less shoes.

**Returner:** Buk together with her minder for the day Master Baker.

**Irish Dress:** those wearing Irish dress code or green and orange.



**Birthday Boy and 44<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary:** Jock Twat and Legs Wide Open

**The Irish Jiggers:** Aoife and Dimwit

**Toast to the Hares:** Slime thanked Ballbanger and Boss Dragon Tail for a well-organized Paddy's Day Run prior to announcing location of Next Week's run location.

**Next Week's Hash:** Slime and Lucky Me

**On After:**

With the hash beer box closing the Hares had a sideline bar available to purchase beer while the Hash food was being finished. A group of hashers gathered around with the boxes of beers and continued socializing later into the evening.

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