



HUA HIN HASH HOUSE HARRIERS

Founders : Tom (TLC) & May May

November 2000

Mismanagement:

Grand Master

Tom Crowley

On-Sec

May May

Hash Scribe

David Cocksedge

Hash Sniff

Keith Trevallion

Hash Flash

Colin Wood

Visitors: Jaew, Klaus, Bill Evans

ReHash Run No.: 5
Where: Cha-Am

Hares: Doug & Mike
Hashers: 12

Date: 18 November 2000
Visitors: 3

H2 H3 run number five – 18 November 2000

MOST northerly run yet – in Petchubri province, on a fine course laid out by hare Doug East not far from his condo unit in fine running weather. There was also a record turn-out for a local Hash: twelve (count 'em) assembled for the off at 4.30pm. The Grand Master greeted three new Virgins - Jaow from Little Big Horn, her boyfriend Klaus from Germany, and Bill Evans, an old-time Asia and Hua Hin hand from the UK.

As usual, Rambo runners Elliott and Colin were swiftly setting a hot pace as the field spread out, heading back towards town, but again as usual their lead was short-lived, as they branched off on a false trail within a few hundred metres. So we continued, through mud trails and pineapple plantations until the front runners, chased by GM, May and Bill, broke away after around 18 minutes. The pack included Josie (Hash Sniff Keith T away on a visa run to Cambodia), David and Jak, plus Hare Doug and Alaskan Mike followed by Klaus and Jaow; latter on a new exercise regime to combat the unwanted effects of Kloster beer. The main hazards this time were excavation lorries laden with mud who forced hashers off the trail as they churned past on their way to who knows where.....

After a long complete circle, bristling with checks and false trails, the two sleek hounds, fresh from a 10km charity race in Bangkok, reached the finish site just over 41 minutes after the start. The rest of us trailed in at respectful intervals, with shoes suitably muddied as overnight rain had turned parts of the trail into a quadmire.

During the Hash Circle, Doug and Mike were awarded T-shirts, and complimented on a decent course. The Grand Master politely poured beer over new shoes worn by three members, and the Virgin Hashers performed a "down down". The On On was announced as The Little Big Horn bar, where no less than three birthdays were being celebrated that evening. Live on UBC, meantime, England's Rugby team inflicted a rare defeat on Australia. There was a massive gathering at above venue, where some excellent food was laid on and avidly consumed. A large contingent of Aussies were the loudest present, but this group was mysteriously silent at the final whistle. The festivities then went on until 5am for some red-rimmed night owls among Hua Hin's local and expat community..

Hua Hin's Hash number six will be on 9th December at 4:30 p.m.; the course laid out by mystery Hares. Details from May, the On Sec, (032) 536797; e-mail may1may@aol.com.

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