

HASHINGS

February 17, 1986

RECEDING HARE LINE

Run No. 80

- Date : Sunday, February 23, 1986 at 11 a.m.
- On-On : Opposite Cornel's Supermarket, Digana Village
- Down-Down : Location top secret, but bring your Digana Club bar tickets - they might come in useful!
- Hares : Lead parts - Puffa + Wife of Bath
Supporting cast - Late Starter

This run will be followed by a BBQ at Digana Club, and Laments, Pibrochs and other ethnic tear-jerkers for a departing haggis-basher

- Run No. 81 - Sunday, March 9. Hares, Hash Alamanack and Scotch Jock.
- Run No. 82 - Easter Sunday, March 30. Hares Bandy Berty and his Amazing Appropriate Technology. Morning run in environs of Kandy to permit après-hash splash and gnash at some flash hotash (You don't think there is such a word do you?).

Ode to Run No. 79

Where have all the hashers gone

Long time passing

Where were all you strong fitmen

Long time ago

Where have all the main run gone

Gone to Colombo every one

Pilgrim Minor on his own

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Where have all the check circles gone

Long time passing

What happened to rest and run

Long time ago

Where can Swagman lay his head

Hare declares that checks are dead

On-ly false trails and bars

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Where have all the voices gone

Long time passing

All those cries of ON, ON, ON,

Long time ago

' Are you ON ' called Sauerkraut

No response came from the front

Silently Late Starter runs

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Where have all the mountains gone

Long time passing

I remember the fiftieth run

Long time ago

Only one steep hill this time

Bandy Berty climbs it fine

Shame on you, Marathon Man

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Where have all the coconuts gone

Long time passing

Fallen down beside the trail

Long time ago

Lancelot collects them 'till

Kangus throws them down the hill

This main run is fun

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Where have all the young girls gone

Long time passing

Guinevere and Good Looks gone

Long time ago

Queen of Sheba the only one

With us as we stumbled on

ON ON through pepper groves

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Where have all the long runs gone
Long time passing
Nearly home with wind to spare
Short time to go
Lovely Grecian leads the pack
Pilgrim b*****d at the back
When will they ever learn
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RUN NO. 79 - LEMONADE RUN

The lemonade run lost some of its runners when the hare conscripted entrants for a rather dubious main run. (He even got Kangus!) Both runs set off together up through coconut groves when a sample of what was to come occurred as the trail ended in a bar without a check circle! Marathon Man's final revenge!

After scavenging around the trail was finally picked up on top of the ridge and the two runs separated. After a short downhill section the lemonade run, to much relief came upon a check circle. Plod and Parleyvoo led off down towards the reservoir but alas On-on back up.

The Sword with the Kandy Young Ladies were miles behind at this stage but were quickly urged on by Gingerbread II.

At the next check circle Plod took the wrong trail again and Parleyvoo, Puffa, and Bumble led off down a steep bank on the correct trail (Puffa sur la bum).

On-on again and just as the dam came into view the run turned inland and upwards and also out into the open.

The next section was a devious loop laid by the Hare with the intention of returning to the Down-Down using part of the previous trail. Of course Electrozoom and Sniffer Dog didn't believe the Hare would attempt such a misguided route and therefore followed an unmarked path

Meanwhile the majority of the run had reached the Beer Wagon and last to come in were Mars and Micro Mars accompanied by Pot Black and Scotch Jock.