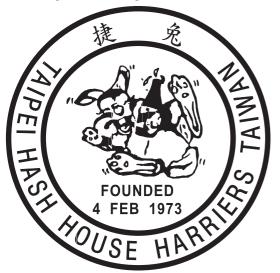
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待宰的兔子/HARE LIST			
次數/NO.	日期/DATE	地點/RUN SITE	報導/SCRIB[
	2005/01/22	金山(核二廠開始有麵粉) ※一定要攜帶手電筒	Yakuza江天寶
1674	Boots郭承權	Jing-Shan(Take <u>Second NuclearPower Plant</u> Will Get Mark FM.)	
	0931914072		GuruNarayan
	2005/01/29	復興崗捷運站門口→老湖南餐廳(北投中央北路四段)A→B(北投大業路有麵粉)	Loan Shark
1675	Seasame王志仁	開車者於北投大業路有麵粉,車停妥後,帶背包.含衣物及現金50元或悠遊卡, 忠義站搭捷運至復興崗	許經發
	0918281388	捷運站,換裝後背包由啤酒車載回 B點	GuruNarayan
		Fu-Hsin Gng→Guan Du A→B(Take Bei Tou Da-Yeh RD.Will Get Mark FM.)	
	2005/02/05	横山(北二高竹東交流道開始有麵粉)	Cicada劉漢建
1676	Dump-N-Run(Mark)	Hengshan(Mark from 2 nd freewayExit to Chu Tung)	
	0935047118		GuruNarayan

Taipei-Hash Run Honours(紀念跑次)

Merc(825) Kung Fu(600) Gun Shit(550) Sluice Man(425) Massage(400) Black Fur(325)

Hobo(250) 李易殊(75)

China Hash Run Site:Xin Dian

Date:2005/01/23

Hare:Vulture

上 值歲未寒冬,又逢大陸泠氣團南下影響,自昨日(星期五)起氣溫驟降至12℃左右,夜裡在睡夢中,隱 約聽見雨聲,暗自擔心今天(週六)天氣倘未好轉,對於參與捷兔跑山的兔友,又將是一次嚴峻的考驗,幸好,清晨醒來雨勢已歇,只是,氣溫依然泠洌無比。

今天的兔子Bush Baby(本名Duncan Robinson),英國人,年齡不詳,是今年度的副會長,來台多年,已然成為一個"台灣通",普通話也能說上幾句,參加台北捷兔大約10年有餘,是個開朗、親切的老兔友,在筆者的印象中,他亦屬於勇腳的兔友,之前,體型微胖,挺個大肚子,但跑山速度絕不輸年輕人,去年,因病住進榮總,幸好我們捷兔有多位在榮總任職的名醫兔友,在渠等精湛的醫術及悉心照料之下康復出院(猶記得啤酒車公告欄曾經



Bush Baby

張貼其就醫時,用啤酒當點滴治療的照片,他就是這樣被治好的。),在家稍事調養數月後,隨即重新回到捷兔的懷抱,雖然身形較以前消瘦,跑山的速度亦稍有減慢,惟相信假以時日,必能恢復其往日的雄風,在此,恭喜他也祝福他。

筆者於午後2點30分自家中出發,沿途交通順暢,行至故宮附近,依循麵粉記號直行,由內雙溪聖人橋右轉,未久,抵達集合地點時已3點多,此時李家誠(Plod)正循例帶領兔友們作暖身操,於是趕緊換好衣服加入行列,至3點15分獵狗開跑,心裡納悶,為何今天晚15分鐘開跑?經兔友告知,Bush Baby因麵粉用罄,至商店補貨,惟車未停妥被拖吊,而致延誤起跑時間,真是所謂的出錢(繳罰金)又出力。

此一路線應屬士林內湖地區親山步道範圍內,一開始是水泥陡坡,之後沿著一條小山徑下坡,遇一Checking,只見獵狗們四處狂奔、吠叫(Are You ON?)花費數十分鐘,筆者順著左邊的叫聲跑去,沿著柏油路至溪山路387巷後方的登山步道左轉而上,沿途有登山布條,是一條大眾登山路線,但因昨夜雨後,路況濕滑且甚陡峭,行來倍感艱難,在12℃左右的氣溫下,竟也揮汗如雨渾身濕透,持續大約25分鐘的爬坡,開始下坡路段,此時,筆者已經落後甚多,未幾,來到坪頂古圳,在農業社會的時代,圳道在居民的生活中一直扮演著舉足輕重的角色,從日常生活的飲水、灌溉用水、到人畜盥洗,甚至涵養森林、水土、無不息息相關。坪頂古圳共分為坪頂古圳、坪頂新圳及登峰圳等三條圳道,係於清乾隆六年(1741年)至西元1909年(日據時代)陸續建造完成,這三條古圳均源自蓊鬱蒼翠的鵝尾山。不但依舊保持原有自然的風貌,清澈見底的流水依然潺潺不止,而且還供應當地高品質的飲水和灌溉用水。難能可貴的是,由於古圳在七星農田水利會經營管理之下,保存相當美好,不但成就了當地特殊的花卉產業,也使平等里、溪山里成為大台北都會地區高水準的居家生活環境。徜徉古

圳,沿岸翠綠的美景,盛開的野花,迎風搖曳,美不勝收!走進宛如綠色隧道的自然步道,周遭的生態系相當完整,山黃麻、筆筒樹及吸引 蝴蝶的澤蘭、山菊等植物,黃口攀蜥、草蟬、斯文豪氏蛙等動物及昆蟲、水生生物資源均相當豐富,目前不但是台北市民登山健行、做森林 浴的好地方,更是市民進行自然觀察最理想的步道。今日有幸再度倘佯其間,途中並得涉其冰涼的水源而過,令人心曠神怡。5點10分左右 回到集合點,Down Down已在進行,正在頒發由兔友周正順Image所提供的西裝給得獎的兔友,並令其當場脫衣更換,且有冰塊侍候,此 刻,儘管氣溫愈來愈低,大夥的心中卻有一股暖流伴隨著現場的氣氛而澎湃不已。

筆者因有要事未待Down Down結束,即先行離去,故無法報告其後Bash情形。末了,再一次向辛苦的兔子說聲謝謝!ON ON!

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HARE: Bush baby(Duncan Robinson) Weather: cloudy Scribe: Bush baby

Site:Wai-Shuang-His

With the Asian Tsunami Disaster still very much dominating the news, it is pleasing to note that the Taipei Hash has collected about NT\$50,000.- from its members in donations for the relief efforts. This money will be passed to the Taiwan Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation which is taking an active roll in providing medical care and helping in the rebuilding of homes for the survivors in Indonesia and Sri Lanker, the hardest hit regions, as we know that the funds will be used in full directly for aid purposes and will not be subject to 'sticky fingers' if passed to some of the other agencies handling donations. Anyone still wishing to make a donation, please contact 'Whore House' as soon as possible.

On the useless information front, possibly due to the extreme cold spell that has been gripping the northern parts of Taiwan for the past two weeks or so, nothing noteworthy or of passing interest seems to have occurred. However reading through some back numbers of the News Letter for inspiration, it is interesting to note that two years ago the China Post gave prominent coverage to the report that the size of women's breasts in Taiwan was on the increase. Hopefully this trend has been continuing and judging by the size of the pair of jugs on a local wench brought kicking and screaming to the run by our resident caveman, the report is not without foundation.

Big breasts aside, if you are wondering how it is that the Hare is writing up the report on his own run, it is because our resident Scribe, 'Guru', who was at the run, took it upon himself to join a small group lead by 'Old Machine' and start out early even before the Hare had even made it to the run site and marked the trail. It is not absolutely clear what paths they took or where they went, excepting they spent a long time at it, but the up-shot of this was that as 'Guru' felt that he could not write an honest report on a run he never saw, or even make it up a la 'Buffalo', he asked around for others to write it. Thus with no other takers, all claiming their individual inability to string two words of one syllable together in a sentence, the onus fell to me, the Hare, and as such with the literary licence to blow my own trumpet, I can state that this run was one of the finest in the annuls of the Hash!!!

The ironic part was that the Hare nearly did not make it to the run as on his way to the run site, stopping to pick up an additional bag of flour at the 7-11 opposite the Palace Museum, he had his car towed, all in the 2-3 minutes he was inside the shop. However with the kind assistance of 'Fire Bird' and 'SM Shit' who were passing by at the time, he was able to chase down the tow truck, loan the fine and retrieve his car from the pound in Jiantan and make it to the run site for a slightly delayed start. The Cohare, 'Bamboo' in the meanwhile, fearing the Hare would not make it in time, had co-opted 'Carrier' to assist and so it was that when the Hare did finally arrive, he had two co-hares to aide with the marking.

The actual run was a very traditional Taipei Hash classic, very much an old site revisited; an oldie but goody with real live Hares. It combined a steep climb out of the start through wooded hillsides, a stretch of road, a nasty long and steep climb up a very muddy path through mostly bamboo stands, a long and fast stretch alongside an irrigation ditch, a river crossing, some shiggy with oranges for the picking on the way, another fast stretch alongside a second irrigation ditch, a little more road and finally down through woodland past some graves - no Taipei Hash run is complete without at least one grave - to the On-In. Front runners who actually completed the run, were back in a few minutes over the hour. Some complaints were made about the checks, particularly the second, being too hard to solve but with the current practice of pre-marking, the art of solving checks and back-tracks is all but

With the light fading and the temperature dropping like a stone and Hashers attempting to find every possible means to keep warm from the hot ginger soup provided by 'Mrs.Piss' to thick coats and sweaters, our fearless leader, 'Bamboo', finally called for Down-Downs. Even 'Peniless' had brought along his pet mobile winter-model comforter; no raving beauty but certainly very desirable for cold winter nights!!! However, not so 'Buffalo' and 'Plod'; 'Buffalo' parading round the parking lot in the buff and 'Plod' sitting chest deep in the stream beside the parking lot, taking a long leisurely bath. To cap it off, the GM insisted that all recipients of Down-Downs should sit butt-naked on blocks of ice. First up were the Hares followed by usual parade of Old Timers reaching some mile stone, First Timers, Hash Sinners which on this occasion included the Hare again for both having his car towed and taking a mighty dump while marking the run, and finally a bunch of not seen too often runners, mostly foreigners, including the China Hash GM, Dave 'Frontal Lobotomy' Hill, who put in a brief appearance claiming his knee was still not up to the riggers of running.

With Down-Downs finally over and night falling fast, it was then discovered that 'Bull Wang' (in his 80's) and his son had not returned. 'Buffalo' claimed he had seen them some 15-20 minutes before on the trail but in the scramble of Hashers leaving for the Bash or home, no-one asked exactly where they had been seen and so it was that the Hare and GM/Co-hare together with a few other kind souls, spent a long cold hour scouring the trails and roads around the run site looking for them. Finally while returning to the parking lot from one fruitless search, the Hare found them walking back and leaned that rather than take the short On-In trail through the woods in the gathering darkness, they had opted to walk back down along the main Wanli road, one very long and cold walk!!!

All's well that ends well and so another fine day of hashing, if not on the cold side and laced with a little drama, came to a close. The GM even made it to the Bash which was held in the crocodile farm, and was able to scrape up a few grains of rice from the all but empty plates.

On-On

































