

BH3

250th



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BRUNSSUM
HASH HOUSE HARRIERS
250th HASH
3 JANUARY 1987
SOUVENIR PROGRAMME

ON WORD ONE - BRUNSSUM HASH HOUSE HARRIERS

Welcome to the 250th meeting of the Brunssum Hash House Harriers - BH3. The pack was founded on 6 September 1982 by Lt Col Peter Hewlett-Smith assisted by Brig Tony Clay and Col Norman Green. There were 12 hashers for that inaugural run. In fact there have been only four occasions when the number of hashers has fallen below 10. The pack has gone from strength to strength over the 250 hashes, and we have had over 450 members during that period. In 1985 the average attendance was 30 and in 1986 it has been 41. Perhaps the record attendance was over the Christmas/New Year season last year when over four hashes we had 354 participants, a record which we hope to break this year - with your help.

In its four and a half years life, the pack has developed a number of traditions. We are very much a family pack, welcoming old and young alike. We have had a number of quinquagenarian members - some of whom are still around - we have had two mums who have run while expecting, and we have several under ten year old members. We hold a number of thrashes, but the highlight of our social year is the "Christmas Thrash and Annual Hash Awards Ceremony" and we have specially orchestrated celebrations for the hashes at Christmas, Carnival and Easter. Members who complete 100 hashes and departing members who have completed 50 hashes are presented with a tankard or goblet. No less than six T-shirts have been issued in the name of BH3, the last for today's hash, and a recent innovation has been the award of a badge to any hare who has laid 10 trails. There are now queues of volunteers as hares, which has made life much easier for the Hare Razor! On a more serious note, in 1985 we ran a charity hash in aid of Paraplegic Games and in 1986 we contributed to "AFCENT Aid", a charity drive to fight starvation in Africa.

Our hashes normally last for 30 to 45 minutes and are notable for being devious rather than long, although we quite frequently have hashes which last 60 to 75 minutes. Today's hash is likely to be in the latter category. We try to avoid having to hold or regroup at checks. The start of a trail must be within 100 metres of a check, but there is no limit to the number of marks or to the length of a false trail. Sometimes there are short cuts for the slower members, but the hares deal with this when the occasion arises.

Many old members will be joining us today and there will be many visitors. We bid you all welcome, thank you for joining us to celebrate this milestone in the life of the pack, and hope that you will find the hash testing and enjoyable.

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JM SIMON



ON WORD TWO - THE WELCOME

Welcome to the Brunssum Hash House Harriers' New Year trail, which more importantly is the 250th run in our undistinguished history. A particularly warm welcome is extended to those former members of the BH3 pack who have travelled long distances to join us; equally we welcome members of neighbouring packs who join us for this festive run. Today is the day that we review the few achievements since our formation and the even fewer things achieved in 1986. At the same time, we must marvel how so many of us get so much enjoyment out of so little. (We do enjoy it don't we?)

I am particularly pleased with the pack's performance over the past year; we have boasted an average of 40 mad members per run, during 1986. Furthermore, for Carnival, Christmas, Boxing Day and New Year Hashes, we have turned out nearly 100 suitable cases for treatment on each occasion. Hash Madness is not confined just to our beloved Brunssumer Heide, we also travel into Germany and Belgium to perpetuate our mischievous art. In fact, on our occasional run at Vals, the sawdust is spread generously over all three countries; the trail has been known to be so arduous that not all the hashers return!

Whilst our main theme today will be to enjoy our run and post hash thrash, we will also be saying a fond farewell to some of our senior members. As a result a new lead exponent of short-cutting will have to be found! Please accept, in my absence, best wishes for the New Year and happy hashing in 1987.

JM DICK

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| <p>BARGAIN OFFER XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX</p> <p>ONE YEAR'S FREE MEMBERSHIP of the HIMALAYAN HASH HOUSE HAPPYERS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Don't forget to bring a rope!- Beware of the falsies!- Cold drinks no problem! <p>XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX</p> <p>Our motto is: "NEVER REST ON EVEREST"</p> | <h1>4H</h1>  |
| <p>BARGAIN OFFER</p> | |
| <p>PT103</p> | |

BRUNSSUM HASH HOUSE HARRIERS

(Founded September 1982)

COMMITTEE

| | | | |
|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| On President | Gary Engen | Hare Razor | Chick Adams |
| Grand Master | Harry Hopkins | Social Hash | Gerd von Rundstedt |
| Joint Masters | Simon Fraser | Hash Barbecue | Bill Larrabee |
| | Dick Jurvelin | Hash Haberdash | Ian Anderson |
| On Secretary | Des Hill | Hash Flash | David Pepperell |
| Hash Cash | John Walker | Liquid Hash | Phil Flowers |
| Hash Records | Colin Cheesman | Assistant Liquids | Dennis Nickels |
| Religious Adviser | Gil McCluney | | Cal Ader |

RUNS AND TRAILS LEADERS

| | <u>Runs</u> | | <u>Trails</u> |
|----------------------|-------------|----------------------|---------------|
| Chris Anderson | 191 | Simon Fraser | 25 |
| Phil Spooner | 173 | Phil Spooner | 24 |
| Ian Anderson | 143 | *Peter Hewlett-Smith | 23 |
| Gil McCluney | 136 | *Willie Shackell | 20 |
| Sue Spooner | 128 | *Sue Shackell | 15 |
| Simon Fraser | 120 | Des Hill | 14 |
| *Sue Shackell | 114 | Nigel Vandyck | 14 |
| *John Dixon | 111 | Gary Engen | 13 |
| *Al Lewin | 110 | Ian Anderson | 11 |
| *Willie Shackell | 107 | *John Dixon | 11 |
| Sallie Vandyck | 105 | Sue Spooner | 11 |
| Gary Engen | 104 | Chris Anderson | 10 |
| Nigel Vandyck | 104 | *Mike Jennings | 10 |
| *Peter Hewlett Smith | 100 | Richard Tarr | 10 |

*Former BH3 Members

CLASSIC TRAIL LAYING

SCALE : 1 BLISTER = 1 MILE

THE SHOE LACE
(gets everyone
tied in knots)

THE RAILWAY SIDING
(alright once you get up steam)

THE ROMAN CANDLE
(gets on everybody's wick)

THE CATHERINE WHEEL
(fireworks for the pack)

THE BASEBALL
(rounders for all)

THE HASHIT
(an old favourite
with the pack)

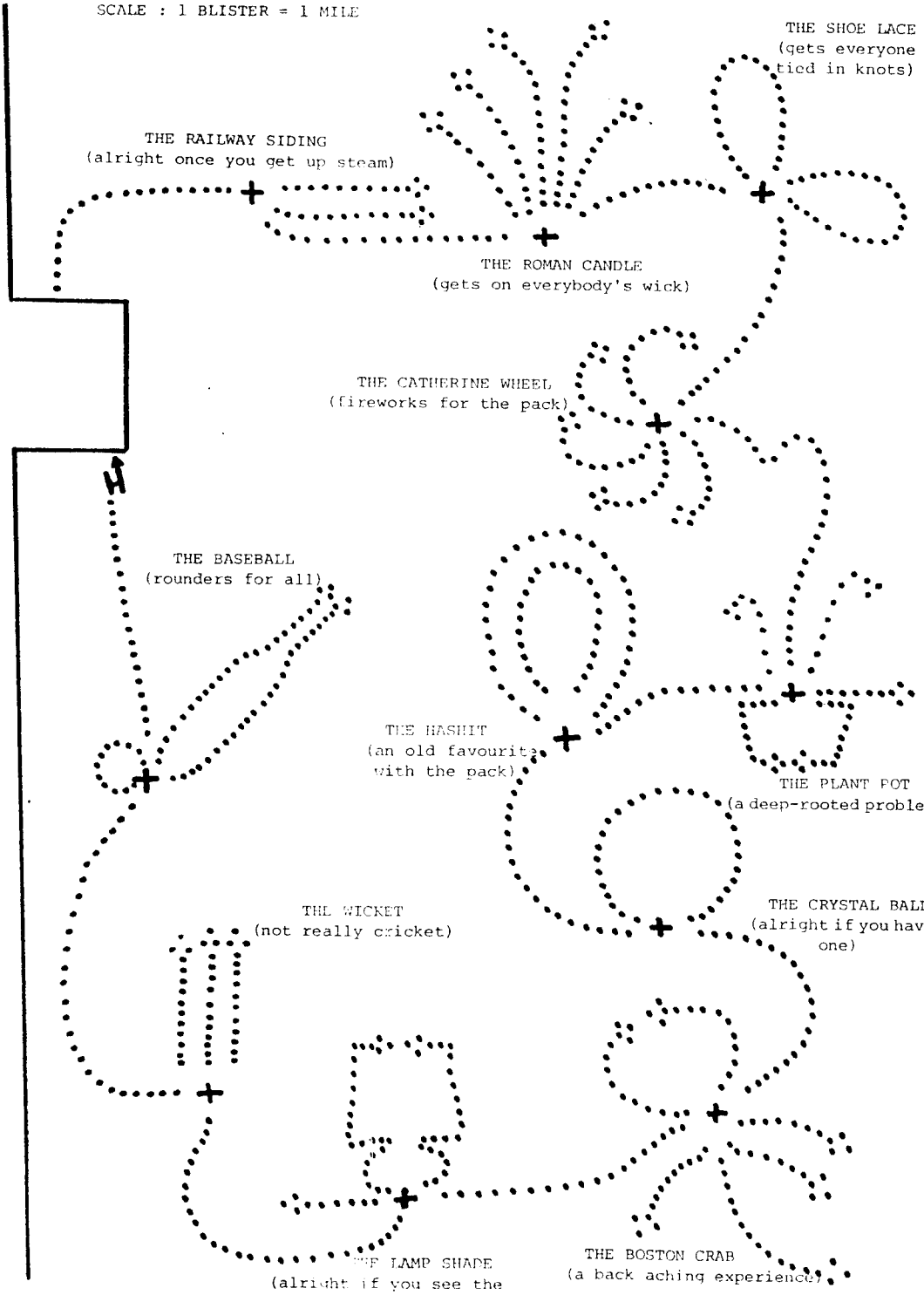
THE PLANT POT
(a deep-rooted problem)

THE WICKET
(not really cricket)

THE CRYSTAL BALL
(alright if you have
one)

THE LAMP SHADE
(alright if you see the
light)

THE BOSTON CRAB
(a back aching experience)



HASH HOUSE HENRY HORNCASTLE

HARRIER EXTRAORDINAIRE

REVIEW OF 1986

by Duncan

DOES IT HEAR GO BACK THE WAY WE CAME?

IT'S ONE OF PIP SNOOPER'S SIGNS!

KISS KISS

HARRY SKINPOH IS KISSING THE GIRLS AND TAKING THEIR MONEY AGAIN!

IT MUST BE RACOL NAYEN SHE'S THE ONLY HIGH-HEELS WALKER I KNOW

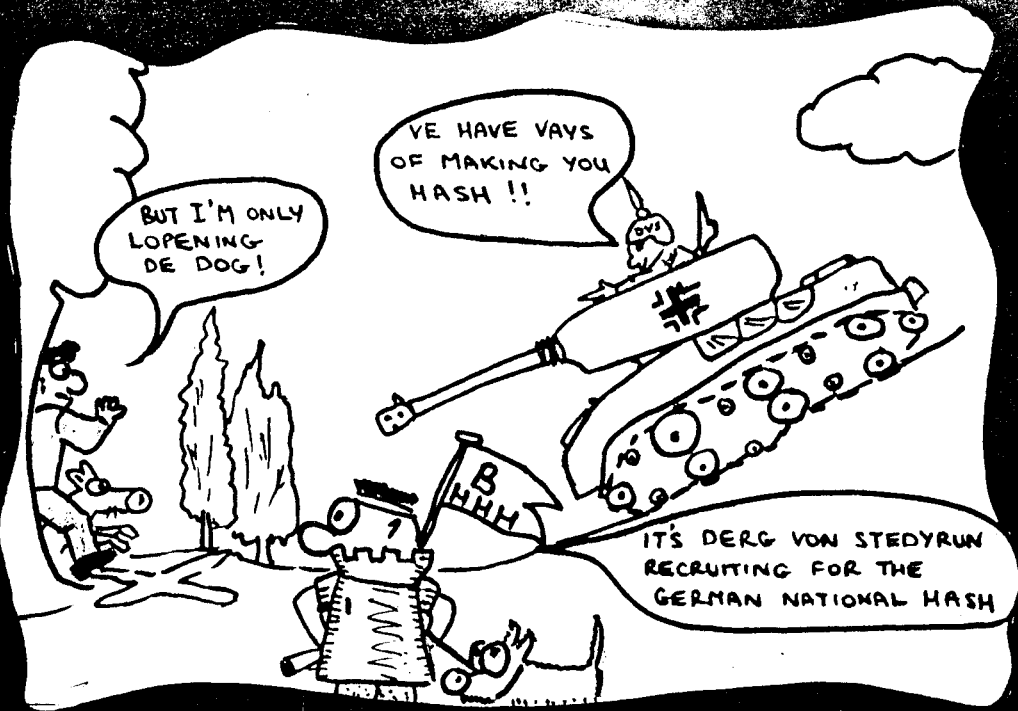
WELCOME TO THE 264TH OR IS IT THE 250TH RUN OF THE 643

IT'S NOT EASY TO COUNT TO 250

BUT IT'S ON THE T-SHIRT!

THE PACK FOLLOWS SUE DERRY EVERYWHERE - EVEN DOWN FALSE TRAILS







WELL THIS IS DIFFERENT

I WISH HE WOULD STOP PLAYING SCOTTISH SOLDIER!

CHECKING FROM HERE!



THEY DON'T CALL HIM "HACKSAY LILIMELL" FOR NOTHING!

IT'S THE HASHIT FOR HIM FOR SHORT CUTTING..... FOR HIM FOR POOR SIGNS..... FOR HIM FOR POOR CORNER MARKINGS..... AND HIM FOR RUNNING OUT OF HASHITS !!!!!

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OPEN AWARD

GROUP WASH

WASH

ON ON

I SWEAR THOSE SHORTS ARE GETTING LONGER !!



Every pack requires a member who constantly reminds them of the traditions of hashing; its gentlemanly nature, the requirement for correct, loud and unambiguous calling on the trail, and the arts of good trail laying. For over 3 years Phil Spooner has been the lead spokesman on the "arts" for the BH3 pack; he has also served on the committee as Hash Liquids, Joint Master and On Pres. We will miss his excellent service to the Pack, including the masterminding of our Christmas Thrash awards ceremonies, when Phil leaves HQ AFCENT on posting in February.

We will be saying our farewells to the Spooners in a few weeks, but the 250th run is an appropriate occasion to remember and commemorate Phil's contribution to the Brunssum Hash House Harriers. At the same time we should not forget the loyal support given by Sue Spooner, whose hospitality and contribution to the Pack has been superb.

Best wishes to Phil and Sue on posting to Catterick; going to a location with a newly formed Hash pack will save you forming one! Our loss is their gain. Best wishes for the future.

ON PRES GARY



ON WORD FOUR

HASH CASH LAMENT

For just two months - Hash Cash I have been,
Have I been thrifty or just plain mean,
Is 2.50 a reasonable sub?
Well it keeps me in beer when I go to the pub.

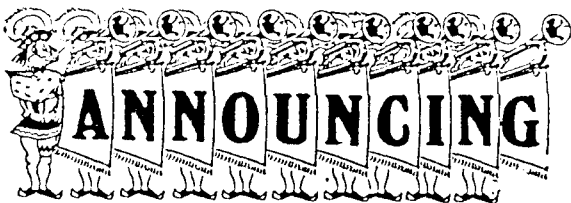
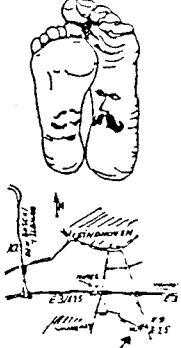
What of the debts from Hash Cash's of yore,
Did we pay for Nigel to visit Africa's shore?
And what about Harry - a man for the ladies,
Did we purchase his brand new Mercedes?

When I look at the books, are we worth a great deal,
Should I be honest - or should I steal?
Is there enough to abscond to the sun?
No - I'll just have to stay and continue to run.

HASH CASH JOHN

A DAY IN THE LIFE OF HASH TRASH





EINDHOVEN NO. 3 WINTERHASH JAN. 31

1330 HRS - START RUN

1600 HRS - DOWN-DOWN

1700 HRS - HASH MASH

FEE: HFL 15.00

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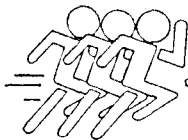
JAN SLAATS: 040-110239

FRI 19 JUN
Evening Meeting

GRAND BRU

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SAT 20 JUN
1400 HRS
START RUN
followed by
DOWN-DOWN
BUFFET & PARTY



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HOUSE
HARRIERS**

SUN 21 JUN
Morning Meeting

RUN IN THE BELGIAN ARDENNES

FEE: HFL 40.00

WEEKEND



CONTACTS:
As above



JUNE 20 1987



30 MAY 1987

- * T-SHIRTS
- * BARBECUE
- * BEER/WINE
- * CERTIFICATE

COST APPROX DM 25

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