

Convict Trash



Run 1743: 10th February 2020

Hare: Bower Bird - Gymea

Starters Gun

Dundee was earlier than usual and decided to keep his 'Man Flu' in the car as **Goldmart**, sociably, tried to engage him in conversation. Hare **Bower Bird** ably assisted by **Goon**, made some last minute adjustments with a high-viz-pink marker to the Trail map before going off to collect **Cannon Mouth**. **Venus** appeared to have done the 'Ted' on the recently evacuated campsite and was festooned with bags of bibs and bobs to be returned to fellow campers. **Sir Les, Spinifex** and **Moa Goa** all shared stories of their return drive through torrential rain.

Grewsome was the last of the regular runners to arrive on his bike, emulating **Ringless**, who had arrived 20 minutes previously. Now it's not understandable to anyone in **Bingo's** family how someone can evaluate to almost the second, how long it would take to ride from South Miranda to Gymea and without a GPS to guide him. **Grenade** finally made an appearance and confirmed she had done a good job of writing-off her car and that a new one is on its way. Taxing who was momentarily (and at some 100m) mistaken for Brockie by a short-sighted Harriett, had again mastered the Public Transport system. Rabbit sported a wrist cast and bandages having lost an argument with her excited Pussy.

Dirty Weekend and **Tickle** arrived just as **Blondie** deciphered **Bower Bird's** pink trail map and **Bingo** called 'On Out!" after checking **Joker's** watch.



Bower Bird's Basic Bendy Broadside

Our most experienced harriette decided to show us the beauty of the inner shire by setting a circuitous route around the leafy Gymea suburb not experienced by hashmen previously – a circuitous root that is, although many have experienced circus roots and even the occasional Rodeo root (that's where you enter from behind, taking hold of the pony tail and whispering in her ear that she's not as good a root as her sister, then seeing if you can hang on for 7 seconds).

Anyway, **Joker**, **Curtseying** and **Cannibal** led the slow procession up the steps to the station entrance and a right heading east towards Miranda when the dawdle became a slow jog to an On Back, where the front runner were joined by **Blondie** and **Tickle**. Then then Pack turned left heading north towards the Tradies. Another left heading west now and a few bendy streets, until the trail turned south for the first time, eventually crossing the Kingsway (now I know you're not supposed to say THE Kingsway just Kingsway but it doesn't make sense). **Duck** at this time was creating his own pantathon *(sic)* as the humidity was taking charge, ensuring the rest of the pack were creating enough moisture to start their own rain cloud.

Duck and **Sir Les** led up the hill to Bath Road then across President Avenue and back down towards Miranda and south again towards Gray's Point and **Joker** began giggling like a schoolgirl thinking of Wanganui off to the right – he loves that bloody awful long hill. I think we should have his head examined by a neuroscientist. (if that's not how you bloody spell it I don't know). **BB** had chosen a less impressive hill to climb before heading back home through some back entrance – yes I'm aware that some people enjoy that particular mode of entertainment - and a delightfully cold bucket.

Excellent run BB, again not sure what it was awarded but think it was a respectful acknowledgement.

On On Anonymous.

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Circle Up

Runners returned from all directions, while the walking Pack including the hip-still-mending **Hannibal**, **Brockie** and **Dish** were already settled into their first coldie.

RA's Report

Gymea

- Named after that tall flower Gymea Lily named by Aboriginals.
- Became a suburb in 1855, Medium house price now \$1.1 million.
- Nothing else very interesting about Gymea. Except Gymea Pub opened in 1959 was a Rex Hotel.
- Owned by champion boxer Vic Patrick of the 40s and 50s.
- Jeff Fenech said "I love youse all" and he also said he was the best Aussie Boxer never to win a world title.
- Frank Packer wanted to send him to US to fight but Vic didn't go because he remembered another Boxer, Les Darcy going to the US many years before and died.
- Vic started boxing in early 1940s during WW2. He was born to Italian immigrants and his birth name
 was Lucca. His trainer said he will have to change his name as we were at war with Italy; so he
 became Vic. Vic received an OA and is in the Australian Sporting Hall of Fame. Vic Died in 2008, aged
 86

Run Review

Hellismellher opined...

- The trail was reminiscent of last weeks' run with some challenging hills and plenty of high humidity.
- Bower Bird had managed to include some 'tricky bits' I'm thinking Hellismellher became disorientated.
- There was a nice bush section read short and the Pack navigated it without incidence.
- **Double Banger** delighted in the hill challenges but was particularly grateful we did not have to tackle Wanganui Street. The trail instead made its way up Avenal Street, which is just as steep!
- Awarded 9/10

Visitors

- Curtseying
- Cannibal (Visiting from Fiji)

Athletes Birthdays New Shoes
Spinifex – 900 Spinifex Not this week
Ringless - 400

Pricks

Nominee	Nominator	'Cause		
Goldmart	Spinifex	Taking mobile calls in Circle.		
Dirty Weekend	Sir Les	Gave up the camping Honeymoon suite to Spinifex.		
Spinifex	Sir Les	Appropriating the Honeymoon suite at the expense of paramours Dirty and Duck.		
Grewsome	Dirty Weekend	Constantly re-arranging accommodation for everyone at the camping grounds (except for Spini 'cause he wouldn't dare).		
Dundee	Goon	Not knowing what 10 inches is but willing to compare it to his third leg.		
Hannibal	Taxing	Being jealous of his new Puppy's ability to lick his own (the Puppy's) balls.		
Doc	Grewsome	Editor was overwhelmed with details at this stage but it had something to do with Spinifex (again).		

Pricks: Spinifex and Hannibal

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#	Date	Hare	Start
1745	17 Feb 20	Spinifex	The Captain Cook Hotel - 33-35 Kent St. Millers Point
1746	21 Feb 20	21 Feb 20 Pig The Sty, 34 Dillwynia Road Heathcote	
1747	28 Feb 20	Grewsome	

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Events:

Date	Event	Details	Contact
13-15 March 2020	St Patrick's Weekend	East Maitland	Squatting Squaw
	History Weekend		
	Christmas in July		
3 Aug 2020	1770 Run		
10 Oct 2020	AGPU		