

# **Convict Trash**



Run 1764: 5<sup>th</sup> September 2020

Hares: Rabbit – Hurstville Grove Goldmark - Maroubra

## **Starters Gun**

Darkness was rapidly descending as a smaller group of Hashers – 16 I think - assembled in the park opposite the Italian restaurant awaiting late shows – **Hellismellher** and **Doublebanger** sans son **Scott**, who had succumbed to a high work load instituted by his boss (father). Oh the young people of today, so lacking in strength and reliability.

In our day, working 14-hour days with 10 minutes for lunch, 2 hours travelling, couple of hours in the Pub with mates, dinner and a few hours sleep, then back into it 7 days a week. We thought it was luxury. But you tell that to the young people of today and they don't believe you.

Being the last to arrive at the gathering, which has the same effect as when asked for volunteers, you're the last to step backward: **Dundee** won the nomination for TM. Full explanation from the Hare, it was noticed that the map had been completely hand drawn. Yes completely hand drawn, streets and all, fully named and even readable for someone with poor eyesight; amazing!! Not only that but all the Checks and On Backs were marked in the correct proportion to the street and easy to follow, I think **Rabbit** has set the mark for future Hares to follow.



## Rabbit's Relentless Rapid Ramble

**Short and Curly** was still a no show and **Merkin** was still nursing his sore bum and then **Pig** had a sore knee and decided to walk, **Hellismellher** and **Doublebanger** hadn't arrived so there were only 3 runners – **Bingo, Grewsome** and **Sir Les** but it didn't matter because the Hare had set such a good run that, throughout the run, the walkers were in front from time to time.

**Bingo** called ON and we headed up Hillcrest Avenue to an On Back on Denman before heading back up Hillcrest to a Check On King Georges Road. **Grewsome** headed further up the hill before **Sir Les** found the trail heading west up KG's Road, before turning right into Greenbank and another On Back, then further up the hill to Woniora Road and a Check. **Pig, Merkin, Stopcock** and **Sniffer** had already hit the lead by this point by talking their way forward.

A mad woman's loop ensured the walkers were well in the lead as we headed down McAkim to an On Back and then down some steps to a park with plenty of chalk to show us the way back up to KG's Road and a dilemma for **Bingo** as she could see **Grewsome** calling on further down the road but **Dundee** was calling On across the road and she didn't have any little green walking men to show her the way even though there were no vehicles anywhere on the horizon. When in doubt blame **Dundee**, who is used to accepting blame for things over which he has no control.

Heading towards Penshurst station **Pig** was again in the lead, walking casually and putting shit on everyone, as we entered the council carpark and **Grewsome** had found the trail but lost everyone else as we shortcutted across the railway line and down an alley beside the railway line to an On Back, then down to Railway Parade and into Pacific Avenue to an On Back on the side lane.

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**Pig** was again in the lead again as we headed down Laycock and an On Back on a side road, then left into Denison into Dudley and an On Back on Maclauran. **Sir Les** decided to shortcut down to Hillcrest as **Pig** was In the lead as we headed down Dudley and back along Hillcrest to cars, where **Pig** had already changed and ordered his food letting everyone know that he didn't intend to run anymore as this was the first time in many years when he beat the runners home,

Well set run Rabbit definite ten out of ten.

On On **Dundee**.



#### Goldmark's Gruelling Gallop

The Eastern group gathered in the carpark near the Pavilion of Maroubra SLS Club. What a night for a runit is not freezing, not very windy and most importantly not raining. So at exactly 6.35pm **Blondie**, **Duck**, **Tickle**, **Canookie**, **Ice Box** and **Hot Dick** headed out south into Arthur Byrne Reserve to find the first steep incline for the evening that would take them up, up, up to Broome Street. Meanwhile the walkers just did a little shortcut straight up Mons Avenue.

After experiencing the climb to Broome Street the runners continued north past Broadarrow Reserve, John Stone Park and Bay Gardens. A few more twists, turns, steep inclines and a hill or ten found them at the Northern end of Marine Parade with a spectacular view all the way to North Bondi.

Continuing on east then south along Marine Parade they discovered an 8/10ths bucket out of the wind behind the new amenities block in Jack Varney Park. Just enough time to enjoy the view of **Blondie's** favourite swimming spot Mahon Pool and off they headed south.

Fortified with **Goldie's** now famous Spiced Rum **Hannibal**, **Spinni**, **Moa**, **Dirty Weekend**, **Doc** and **Dish** sprinted down Marine Parade behind the runners to join them in the Seals Club.

OnOn Dish

# RA's Report

#### Maroubra

- A famous event in Maroubra was the sinking of a ship called the Hereward in 1898.
- It was a fully rigged iron ship weighing 1,513 tonnes.
- It was heading up to Newcastle when it was hit by gale force winds.
- It was shipwrecked at the northern end of Maroubra Beach.
- There were still parts of the ship left till 1967, until it was decided to blast the last pieces of the ship away. There were many failed attempts to re-float it.
- However, even to this day, when there are big tides and swells that wash away sand from the beach, parts of the ship have been exposed.
- There is a street in Maroubra named after the ship.
- Average house price \$1.9 Million.

#### **Hurstville Grove**

- Was originally called Gannon's Forest
- Later named after William Grove, a member of the First Fleet, who settled in the area. He was a Horse Handler.
- In late 1800's the area was renowned for its wild Brumbies who roamed the area.
- Maybe this is why William Grove settled there?

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- He and others caught the wild Brumbies and trained them up as Racehorses. In fact, one of their horses, The Stud, ran in the 1906 Melbourne Cup. It didn't win.
- Hence the names of some of the streets in the area Stallion Pde, Mare St, Gelding Lane etc.
- It's a very small suburb only 2,392 residents
- Average house \$1.5 Million.

#### OnOn Cold Duck.

Athletes Birthdays New Shoes
Not this week Dirty Weekend Not this week

## Committee 2020-2021

Members are now encouraged to think about taking a committee role for the 2020-2021 B2H3 year! If you would like to be on the next Committee (or if you have never been on Committee and should be!) reach out to the Committee member you would like to replace!



#	Date	Hares	Start
1765	14/9/20	Grewsome	Will be notified to Members
		Ice Box and Hot Dick	Will be notified to Members
1766	21/9/20	твс	Will be notified to Members
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## **Events:**

Date	Event	Details	Contact
10 Oct 2020	AGPU	ТВС	
19 Oct 2020	1770 Run		

