



Botany Bay Hash House Harriers Convict Trash



Run: **1614**
Date: **14 August 2017**
Hare: **Merkin**
Location: **Captain Cook Hotel, The Rocks**

Hareline

Run:	Date:	Hare	Run Details	On On
1614	21/08/17	Bingo	Royal Hotel, 314 Railway Parade, Carlton	Same
1615	20/8/17	TBC		

Run Report:

Guess who ate it this week? I said, guess!

CIRCLE REPORT

Historian: Hannibal (BA MA PhD, Sexologist, Viticulture Oenologist, Pomologist, Hippotherapist, Gumologist and Victoria Secrets Model, was absent, too busy apparently, can't think why). The RA looked to Goon who looked blank, having been given no advance warning he would be called upon he was not properly prepared and Wikipedia had shut down for the night. JJ bravely stepped forward and told everyone absolutely nothing.

To make up for it – and if you are really interested – read on, if not, turn to page 3:

Prior to colonisation, the site of Barangaroo was a territory of the Cadigal people of the Eora Nation. It was renowned as a highly fertile area for fishing and hunting.

"The harbour was the main thoroughfare for a lot of Aboriginal people," environmental educator Clarence Slockee said. "At this point in particular you're very close to Balmain, Goat Island and across to Blues Point, so very easy access to the harbour from this spot; You'd go in a nuwi." (of course!).

A nuwi, or canoe, was traditionally fashioned from tree bark. "Primarily you'd go up in the wet season towards Parramatta and you'd get them from the stringy bark," Mr Slockee said. "No good going in the dry season because they just crack and break and it's very hard to remove the bark from the tree in one piece, so you've got to wait until it's pliable (of course!).

"once it's nice and wet, you can remove it in one piece and you can work it to your heart's content to make a very large nuwi." (The bigger the better, of course!)

Today, the area is also renowned for an abundance of baludarri (leatherjacket). "We had a few swimming around a couple of days ago (as fish do). They were feeding on jellyfish (yum!), which was quite interesting to watch," Mr Slockee said (of course, well, may be not!)

Formerly known as Darling Harbour East, the precinct was renamed in 2007 after public consultation — and Barangaroo proved to be the most popular choice.

Who was this 'woman of resilience', Barangaroo? Barangaroo was a Cammeraygal woman and a key figure of Sydney's early colonial settlement. She was married to Mr Bennelong. Accounts of Barangaroo describe her resistance to European custom, their clothes and determination to practice cultural tradition.

Open to the public for the first time in a century, the foreshore of Barangaroo Reserve has been designed around the pre-industrial shoreline. "To recreate the headland that originally existed here, it's an engineering marvel. Now we have this amazing reserve that has all endemic Sydney species (really? Sydney species planted in Sydney? Must have been a smart horticulturalist!) growing upon it, and also the height and the breadth of what was a major rock formation."

Today Barangaroo Reserve boasts 84 species of native plants, including the vivid hairpin banksia (banksia spinulosa). "The headland is back, Barangaroo's back in spirit, we're here as Aboriginal people promoting culture and interpreting this wonderful site."

Run Reporter: Grewsome. His main complaint (and a very minor one) was the faintness of the arrows – heaps of aboriginals hoofing around promoting Barangaroo impinged on the integrity of Merkin's chalk marks. Grewsome said it was an interesting and scenic run in the city and the first time B2H3 has had its own run around the new headland. He also reported Dundee's boast of sticking to trail and running all 7.4k of it, however, Grewsome also ran the whole trail plus a bit of too and fro-ing to capture back markers and his GPS recorded 5.4k... Dundee is a legend in his own and its healthy for old blokes to maintain their fantasies. Score – 9.48 and good on you Merkin for setting a run outside the Shire, not many hobbits are brave enough to do that.

Visitors: Ice Box and Hot Dick.

Prick Nominations:

Taxing nominated **Dundee** who had emailed her information about where to meet for the run (whether tonight's or the C2S I am not sure) and ended it with "thank you Racing...". Blamed lack of glasses but the truth came out later (see below);

There was a multiple nomination from **Rabbit : Top Bunk** and **Pseudo** who proved themselves to be true hashmen and not wear hats (apologies, missed the occasion – Royal Randwick, Royal procession, passing

James Packer's pile of concrete or was it the cold night air....). This was followed by the comment that explained everything, if a hashman doesn't wear a hat on a cold night, his brain dies....

Prickette Nominations:

Tickle nominated **Squatting Squaw**, while following trail, Tickle ran down a million stairs to find an on back and had to run all the way back up, what does SS do, takes the escalator of course. Her excuse, sore thighs from romping with the RA, sorry, wrong notes, from running up heartbreak hill during the C2S.

Taxing and **Holeproof** were also nominated for cheating, trail went up a steep set of stairs from Barangaroo towards the top of the hill where the Palisades Hotel sits. Bloody, hell, stuff that, let's take the elevator, of course! Excuse, both of them also had sore thighs from romping, sorry, running the C2S.

PRICK and PRICKETTE OF THE WEEK: DUNDEE AND SQUATTING SQUAW

Dundee blames his poor eyesight on Mrs Palmer and her five daughters.. of course!
Can't blame his mother, she told him he'd go blind.

Dates for your Diary

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Details</i>
SEPTEMBER 2017	50 YEARS OF HASHING, SYDNEY	DETAILS ON THE B2H3 WEBSITE SO IF YOU WANT TO BE INFORMED <u>BLOODY WELL READ IT.</u> IF YOU DON'T REGISTER BEFOREHAND, YOU WON'T BE THERE, END OF STORY.
14/9/18 to 16/9/18	Mother Hash 80th. Anniversary – Kuala Lumpur	www.motherhash.com
7 OCTOBER 2017	AGPU	CLUB KIRAWEE – THEME – DISNEY!!!

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I TOLD you your shoe was untied!"**

