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#### A Springtime Message from the On Pres

As my watch enters its last quarter, the 'nod, nod, wink, wink' brigade are out looking for a potential successor. One thing is for sure; whoever is chosen will bring more YOUTH to the position! Something very desirable to an Athletic, Sporting Club where pounding up and down the bondu at high speed is the tradition ... that was until last June!

As Spring arrives, bringing with it rising temperatures, so too will weekly attendances increase with returning ex members and guests etc.

During the past quarter, we have had one very wet Open Run in the Prastio area, where Guests outnumbered our Members 2-1, and we have had 3 Saints Days, each with a differing style and Hare management. St.George's Day is to follow and promises to offer something distinctive, memorable and enjoyable. 3 more Open Runs are programmed culminating, on 12<sup>th</sup> June, with the Handover of On Pres ceremony. We look for good attendances at all. Details are to be found the website www.episkopihashhouseharrierscyprus.org

Nogsie's retirement, after so many years as Bashmaster, came with a great sense of appreciation from all Members of EH3. He gave us tremendous support over some 15 years and his talents and enthusiasm will be hard to replace. Thanks Nogsie for all you have done for us – the good news is that you will still be entertaining us with that tasteful, refined and cultured language of jokes. On! On! Mate.

The Hash Brit Sports Personality of the Week has continued, see last Quarter's Winners below. On Handover day the best performance of the year will be chosen and announced.

My best wishes to all Epi Hashers, their families and our Guests for the Spring time season.

On! On!

True Blue Brit?

On Pres

		HASH BRIT SPORTS WINNERS – Q3				
Run Sport		Award Winner	Competition	Country		
2428	HORSE RACING	TONY MCCOY	BBC SPORTS PERSONALITY OF THE YEAR	IRE		
2429		BOXING DAY RUN - NO CRIT				
2430	CRICKET	ENGLAND TEAM	ENGLAND RETAIN ASHES SERIES v AUS	ENG		
2431		NEW YEARS DAY – NO CRIT				
2432	DARTS	ADRIAN LEWIS	WORLD DARTS TITLE	ENG		
2433	CRICKET	ENGLAND TEAM	WIN ASHES SERIES 3-1	ENG		
2434	RUGBY	JONNY WILKINSON	WORLD RECORD POINT SCORER	ENG		
2435	GOLF	MARTIN KAYMER	ABU DHABI OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP	GER		
2436	GOLF	PAUL CASEY	EUROPEAN TOURS CHAMPIONSHIP, BAHRAIN	ENG		
2437	RUGBY	RONAN O'GARA	WINNING DROP GOAL v ITALY	IRE		
2438	SOCCER	WAYNE ROONEY	MAN UNITED v MAN CITY – SCISSORS GOAL	ENG		
2439	SOCCER	LEIGHTON ORIENT TEAM	FA CUP WIN AGAINST ARSENAL	ENG		
2440	GOLF	LUKE DONALD	WGC MATCHPLAY TITLE – TUCSON, AZ.	ENG		
2441	ATHLETICS	HELEN CLITHEROE	3000m EURO INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS, PARIS	ENG		
2442	RUGBY	MARCO BERGAMASCO	6 NATIONS VICTORY v. FRANCE – ROME	ITA		
2443		OPEN RUN – NO SPORT				
2444	RUGBY	IRELAND TEAM	BEST PERFORMANCE – 6 NATIONS TOURNAMENT	IRE		
2445	GOLF	PAUL LAWRIE	WINNER – ANDALUCIA OPEN	SCO		

## RUN 2431 - THE BRIGHTON SHIVERERS ON KB BEACH (By kind permission of Mike & Mary)



RUN DATA: Hashers - LOTS, Checks - 7, Check backs - 2, Distance - 4.9 Km, Time 42 mins.

<u>RUN SUMMARY:</u> The annual 'Brighton Shiverers' affair with the RV on Kyrenia beach, well perhaps a tad more like in the KB taverna and very temporarily in the ocean! 2431 was undoubtedly planned by Jimbo the Critmaster, the Para from Brighton and his dear wife Mary, the younger half of the Dynamic Duo and stray white dug with one black ear. Highlights of the run undoubtedly were Mary's glu-wine and the many 'Barbie Connoisseurs' who failed to ignite 50% of Nogsies toys.





#### RUN 2432 - AS FAR WEST ON THE AKROTIRI PENNINSULAR AS POSS'



THE RUN DATA: Hashers (all sorts) - 27. Checks - 8. Check backs - 3. Distance - 4.4 Km. Time - 43 mins.

THE RUN SUMMARY: The unrestrained excess of the 'Festive Season' had taken its toll by 2432 ensuing in the low turn-out, daft location for the RV and consequentially NOT THE BEST run of 2011! Indeed as aptly put by the Critmaster, it was shite. Saving grace for the hares was the relocating of the chop to the Stables. Pete Moore was foolishly allowed to be stand-in jester and Trevor from Sunderland completed 100 runs.

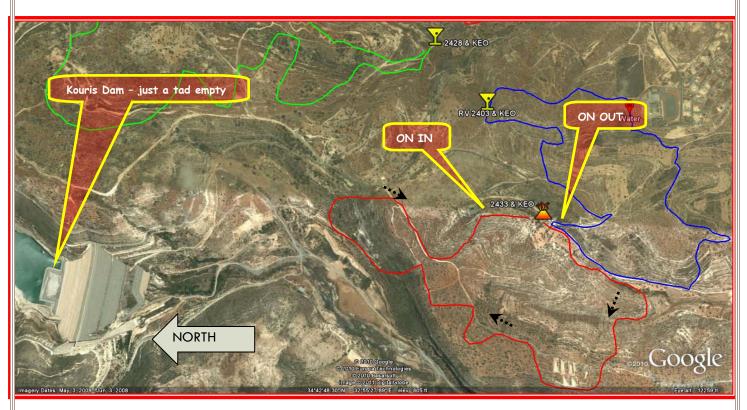
"I believe he

doesn't like me"

# MENTIONED IN DISPATCHES RUN 2432



## RUN 2433 - IN THE STOMPING GROUND OF THE ERIMI-ITES (OR JUST A TAD SOUTH OF KOURIS DAM)



RUN DATA: Hashers 34, Checks 8, Check backs 2, Distance 4.5 Km, Time 45 Minutes.

RUN SUMMARY: There we were, a click or so SOUTH of Kouris Dam - having manoeuvred through the major tips of Cyprus, back in the land of the Erimi-ites. Notwithstanding the shite track and humungous rubbish tips the run wasn't bad at all - but not wonderful!

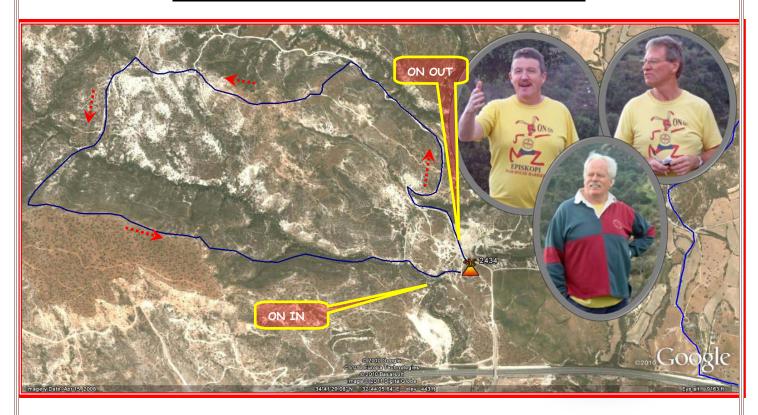
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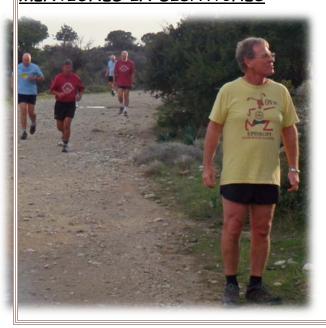
### RUN 2434 - THE PHEASANT FARM (OR NOW IN THE LAND OF THE PISSOURI-ITES)



RUN DATA: Hashers 27, Checks 8, Check backs??, Distance 5.3 Km, Time 65 minutes.

RUN SUMMARY: Not much to say about this outing conducted by two Pissoiri-ites and a military educator from Epi' other than the run was neither recce'd nor laid by Mickey Ball. Well I certainly hope so or his reputation is in tatters! It Fast Run was long, distance between checks preposterously long and the time between the first and last runner unbelievably long. The Slow Run was grand! Nev Rushton produced his pal Mark Jones - the strange bloke from Norfolk, or thereabouts, who lives under a sun lamp, shaves his legs and is rumoured to be shacked-up with some civil servant from Epi'. On Pres' foolishly selected the 'Blue Blood, from Paphos way to crit' the Slow Run.

#### MENTIONED IN DISPATCHES





#### RUN 2435 - THE GREAT PUDDIN' RACE RUN

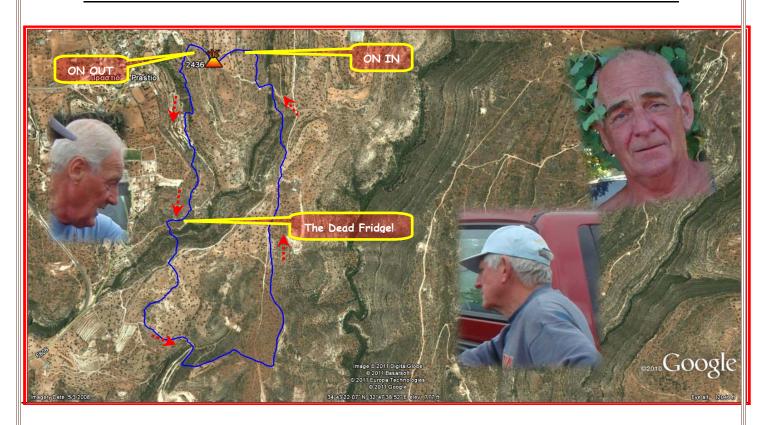


### RUN DATA:

We can only reiterate the praise laid upon this outstanding run by the Critmaster, "A perfect 10 out of 10!!!!!



### RUN 2436 BACK TO PRASTIO FOR YET ANOTHER RE-RUN OF A BENSLEY SPECIAL

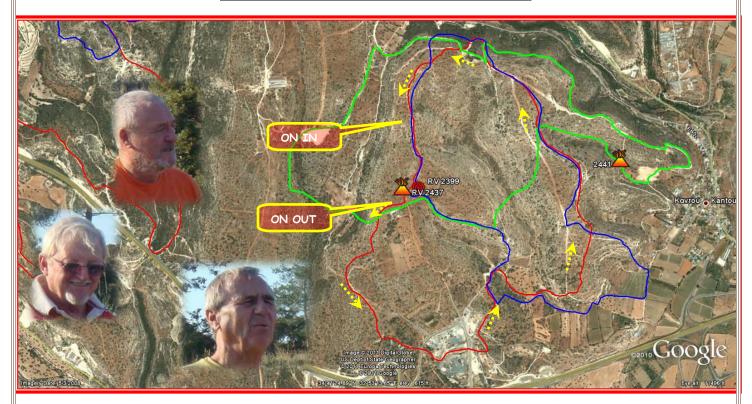


<u>RUN DATA:</u> Hares of the day were Bob Bensley, Nick Smith and Roger Smith - welcome back to haring Roger. Not much else to say about running just a tad SOUTH EAST of Prastio other than there were 35 runners, Hash-Ash was presented with a new hat and yet again we visited the 'Dead Fridge' - or Bob's marker for the gorge crossing point! The chop was grand.

#### A NEW HAT FOR HASH-ASH (OR OUR CURRENT PYROMANIAC)



#### RUN 2437 - TUESDAY 08 FEBRUARY 2011 AN OFTEN ABUSED HILL BY KANTOU



RUN DATA: Hares Barney Bruce, Nev Rushton and Geoff Fryatt. Thirty-one Runners thrashed around this well trodden hill just a tad WEST of Kantou - albeit being promulgated as EPISKOPI. The RV of 2437 is shown by the fire symbol, probably the highlight of the run, and

the 'Fast Route' in 'Red'.



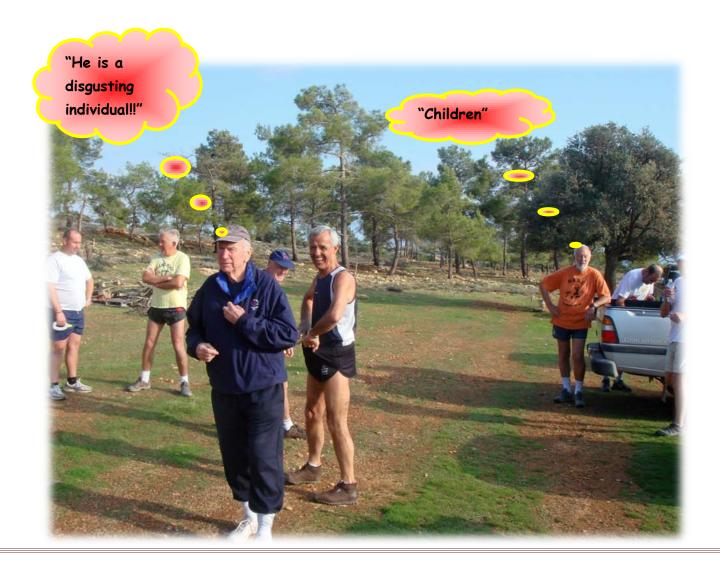




# RUN 2438 - 15 FEBRUARY AT RADIO SONDE OR OVER TOM'S TUNNEL



RUN DATA: Hares Mike Hillyar, Trevor Kemp and Colin Garland; in the company of a mere twenty runners.



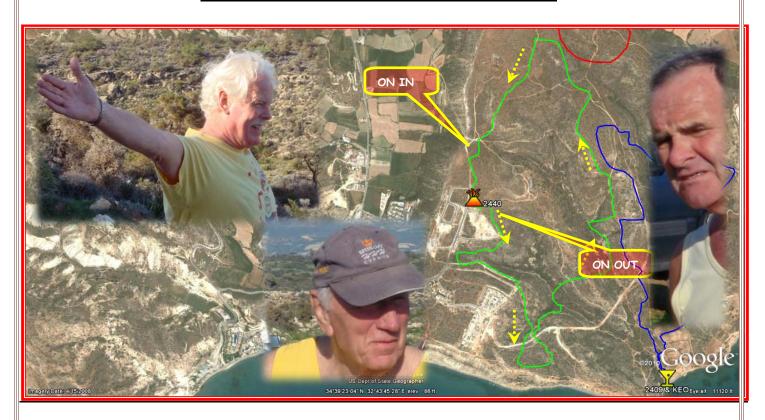
### RUN 2439 - 22<sup>ND</sup> FEBRUARY (We return to SOTIRA)



<u>RUN DATA:</u> Hares - Pete Moore, Sid Swan and Tony Flower with a total of 31 Hashers. We returned once again to the long valley just a tad SE of SOTIRA for a typical 'Moorish' run. Or always lay a trail of at least six, if possible eight clicks in length. 2439 achieved the later!!



## RUN 2440 1<sup>ST</sup> OF MARCH (PISSOURI WITH A WELSH CONNECTION)

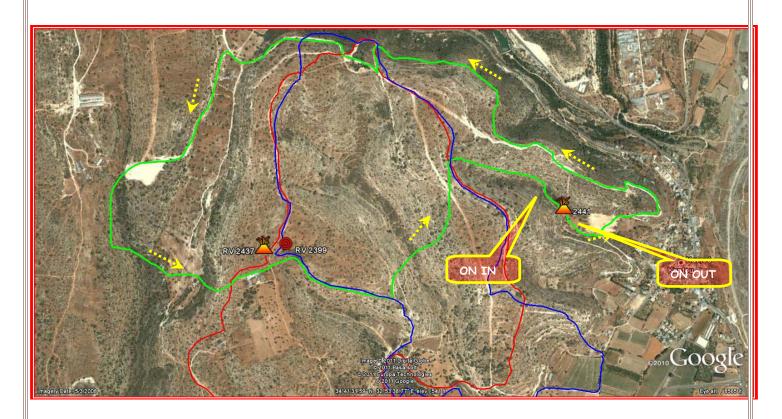


RUN DATA: Hares the On Pres', the Critmaster and the only Welshman on the active list for the Welsh Saint's Run. Proceedings were somewhat different today; with the Critmaster haring Trevor Kemp debriefed the run in a most magnanimous manner, the Jester was replaced by the Welshman pontificating on Wales and the Welsh in a most boring manner and the On Pres' continued as ever! The run highlight was undoubtedly at the chop when the Welshman announced to the assembled normal 16 that the chop was on Wales!! Worthy of note is the fact that this majestic gesture was not appreciated by the non-choppers who subsequently were observed "greetin inti their mince".



A non Welsh protester was observed whilst conducting an unmentionable act.

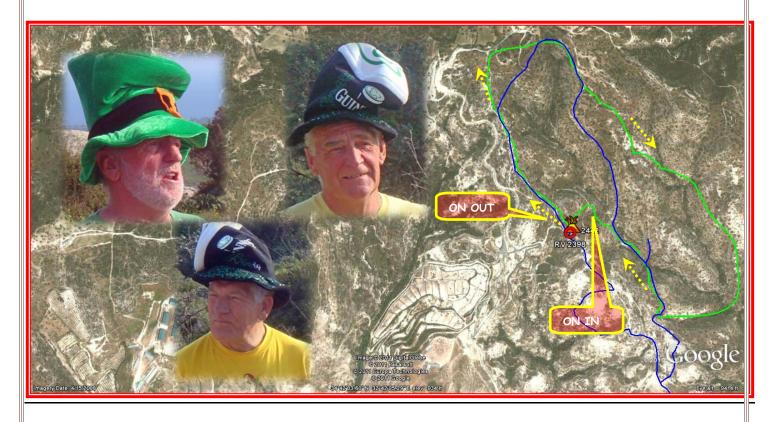
## RUN 2441 8<sup>TH</sup> OF MARCH AND RETURN TO KANTOU (OR HERE WE GO AGAIN ROUND THE SAME BLOODY HILL)



<u>RUN DATA:</u> Hares Mike Woods, Dave Norris and Andy Kirby with a total of 28 Hashers. Well, well here we go again around the Kantou hill. 2441 is the one in green! Two highlights on this run, Jim Adair getting his tankard for surviving 100 runs and the ethnic (sic) chop. Perchance a run that Noggsie will wish to forget!



# RUN 2442 15TH OF MARCH - THE RUN OF PADDY'S DAY (OR CLOSE TO IT)



<u>RUN DATA:</u> Hares Paddy O'Carroll, Paddy O'Dair and a Borderer in the company of 37 Hashers. When compared with the Welsh affair all will note the dramatic increase in attendance. This was not as uttered by some churlish Hasher due to an expected chop freebie but the expectation of a grand run. Well both were wrong!

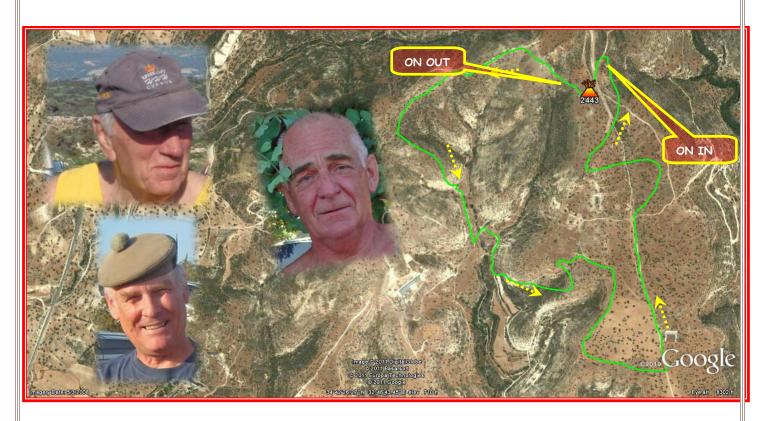
The run bore a cunning resemblance to 2395 when the Hares were similar, the RV the same, however just to ring the changes we ran the other way round resulting in a full 1,000M uphill On Out and a similar On In. It was without doubt an "Irish Affair".

Then on to the chop and the expected by many, well a few Englishmen, to be a grand and even freebie affair. Not so, the refurbished Two Friends Taverna whilst providing linen table cloths, gleaming cutlery and wine glasses charged each Hasher the full whack. Mention should be made of the can of black Irish stout provided to each Hasher, I hasten to add in lieu of one of their KEO's and at three times the price no doubt accounted for the demise of the generous subsidy

granted to this run!



# RUN 2443 22<sup>ND</sup> MARCH - THE SECOND OPEN RUN OF 2011 (ON AN OUTSTANDING SPRING MEADOW SOUTH OF PRASTIO)



RUN DATA: An OUTSTANDING RUN!!



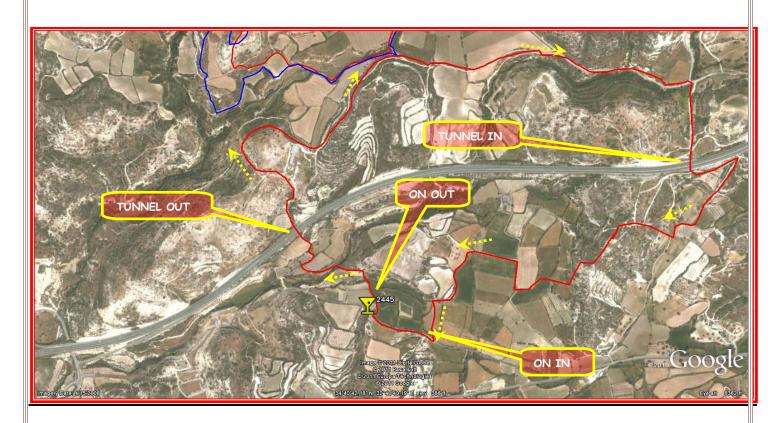
### RUN 2444 22<sup>ND</sup> MARCH - PACHNA (ACTUALLY MUCH CLOSER TO PRASTIO)



<u>RUN DATA:</u> Hares Peter Viney, Tony Flower, Mark Foley and Colin Winyard. Four Hares on this run, nothing to do with difficulty, diversity or variety simply PV has a knackered leg! Highlights were once again the visit to the KEO truck, a grand chop at the Linos Tavarna and 'Words' in his wife's car picking up a nail in the off-side tyre from the shite RV!



### RUN 2445 - 29<sup>TH</sup> MARCH - PISSOURI (OR FROM A SHITE RV TO A FINE LITTLE RUN)



<u>RUN DATA:</u> Hares Brian Liddell, Laurie Mitchell and Giles Day with 29 Hashers. In short, a fine run buggered up by the worst RV this year and probably last year! The chop in Athos was grand and that fine hasher John Armstrong returned (briefly)!

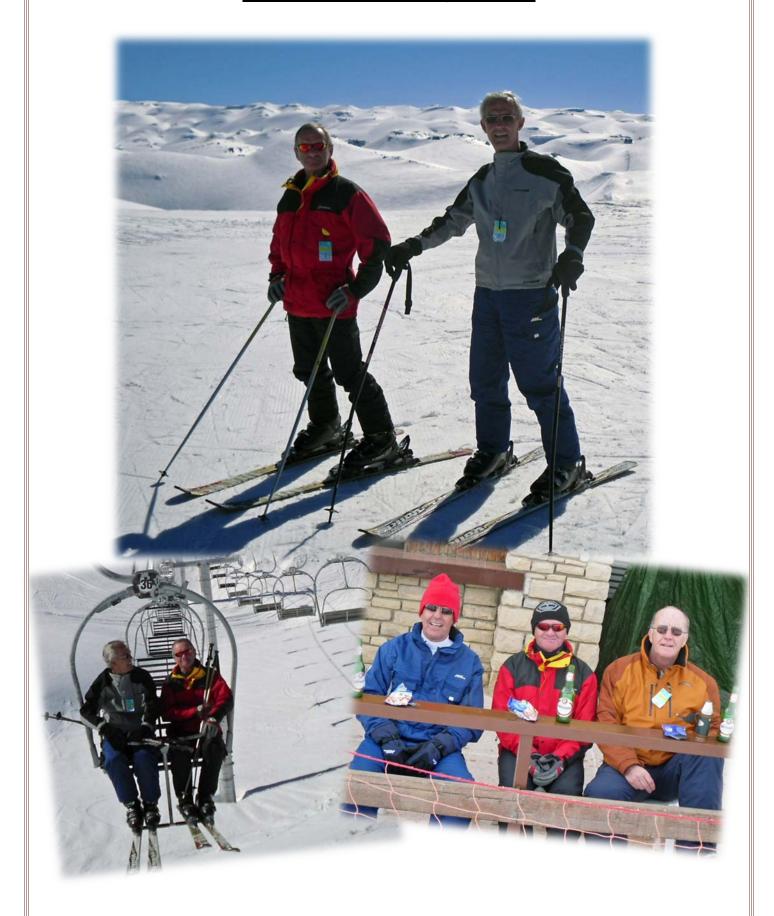
### EVEN MORE SHITE FROM A JESTER



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### POSERS OF THE QUARTER



### JACK'S KEO HOLDERS

In addition to amassing the probably unsurpassable total of 1585 runs, the Polish Victoria Cross and



bombing most of Europe, dear Jack acquired a total of 36 Epi Hash Keo holders and a port decanter. Jack's son Michael requested we auction the collection with the proceeds to be donated to the Bomber Command Memorial Fund. This commenced on the Boxing Day run with Dave Norris as auctioneer and was completed with Ray Turford on the stand during the New Year's Day run. We accrued £323 which was duly donated to Jack's charity. Full details of the fund which currently holds £1,275 may be seen at <a href="http://www.justgiving.com/Espiskopi-Hash-House-Harriers">http://www.justgiving.com/Espiskopi-Hash-House-Harriers</a>



### THE AWOL SIGN



#### Gentlemen

Last night when I went to collect the signs one was missing. It was one of the large yellow ones and had been placed at the turning down to Pissouri Beach off the old road as you approached from the Avdimou side (ie East traveling West). I went back this morning on the way to work to see if someone had just chucked it in the bushes but no luck!!

Hopefully one of you kind early leavers decided to help me collect the signs (next weeks hares?) and picked it up if so please let me know as I am unable to sleep for worrying and if Nogsie finds out there will be hell to pay.

On On Bollo

On hearing of the lost sign causing you anguish and insomnia not to mention the wrath of Nogsie which must be horrendous in its enormity I not only started a personal search of the desert area frequented by the Kuwaiti Hashers but involved the Hashers themselves. Alas our efforts were not successful. The sign was not found here in Kuwait.

I will of course keep my eyes open and my ear to the ground. Can't think where it can be.

On on Dave Hewson

Bollo, sorry to hear of your loss. I know how you feel as I lost a pair of socks last week. Today I, II be travelling to Durham UK, via Manchester and you can rest assured that both myself and my good wife will keep our eyes peeled for the missing item. Who is responsible for such losses anyway??? - Dave McGhee was looking a bit "shifty" I thought!!! Trev



Sorry to hear about your respective losses, but after a careful search of the sea front I can find no *sign* of either of them here in Worthing. However, there are an awful lot of old buggers wandering around who look a lot like Dave McGhee, are in need of a new pair of socks and many of whom are both full of bull and dozy! On On, Nobby

Gentlemen Hashers, I didn't believe Task Force Helmand when they said the couldn't find it; so I went to look for it myself. Couldn't find it anywhere!

On, on, Simon

#### Simon

Stay safe. Remain vigilant. Watch your back. Slightly disappointing that dispite answers from almost every continent there has been a bit of a dirth from Cyprus. Mind you half the Cyprus based Hashers can not write and the other half are drinking Keo. Do yourself a favour whatever you do don't mention Ireland beating England at cricket or there really will be a deluge of traffic mostly from Glanie Towers I suspect.

On On Bollo

Ballo, Thank you for you concerns about my safety; maybe I should have worn my body armour and helmet when I was out looking for the sign? It will be interesting to see who is our

esteemed On Pres picks as his sports team of the week given that England aren't playing rugby this coming weekend, and I'm sure nobody will mention how many times Strauss dropped the ball; I'm surprised there weren't shouts of match fixing from my neighbours in that awfully nice Pakistan place.

Has anyone checked Pissouri Police Station? Maybe our upstanding, honest and forthright bobbies borrowed it?

On, on, Simon

Bollo Old Chap, been thinking about your ineptitude at losing one of the EH3's 8 most prized possessions! It has to be seen as some sort of 'sign', given the world-wide concern this; and the 'Colonel' are causing! Taking into consideration the fact that my reputation as a non-drinking, mild mannered, quietly spoken, semi-retired officer, with non-racist/sexist/pedophiliac/homophobic opinions, has been brought into question! I take umbrage to someone casting doubt on my standing within the Epi Hash! Just this week I received cuttings from the national newspaper of the Royal Borough of Stoke-on-Trent publisising pictures of me at my first holy communion in June 1954, proving testament to my honesty (and virginity (well, then anyway!)) as a good catholic boy. It saddens me to say Michael you leave me with no alternative other than!------- if you take the offer on my Isuzu double-cab; then I'll chuck in the spare EH3 sign I have in my garage!

God Bless you all (Poppies, socks, missing bulldozers et-al!)

Nogsie (currently awaiting beatification)

Bollo: Why are you talking like that policeman from "Allo Allo"? Just returned from Ireland where obviously my coaching of the Irish cricket team paid off!! As they say in Ireland it's "Great craic" reading about the sign. I checked Nogsie's garage when picking up "Barney" didn't find the sign but he was filling holes in the twin cab's bodywork and shoving sawdust into the oil filler.

# AND FINALLY THE BARD'S CORNER

#### Valentine Thoughts from a Military Shirtlifter

Now Queen's Regs 'ave good intentions, but 'oo cares for conventionsWhen 'e listens to the beating of 'is 'eart?

You can live by rule and reason till there comes the mating season, When your jack runs up the flagpole pretty smart.

I've 'ad sepoys by the dozen, I've 'ad Lord Macaulay's cousin,
I've 'ad sailor boys and waiters in Bombay.
I've seen sights to send you reeling in the Turkish Baths of Ealing,
Where the sturdy ranker always 'as his way.

Today I'm going steady, with a fusilier called Eddie, And I've 'ad 'is name tattooed near my back door. 'E's not just an 'andsome squaddie with a killer of a body; 'E's my Valentine, my khaki paramour.

Colin