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Date: 26 March 2023 Venue: AGM Run - Mickleham Village Hall

Hares: Ex JM: Gibber/Uncle Gerry On on: **Eodem loco**

NEW COMMITTEE - TRANSITIONAL EDITION!

Full transition deferred: people with wombs on holiday leaving the eunuchs in charge.

UNCLE GERRY, ON TOP OF THE WORLD



Clutcher's Mate Atalanta

Grand Mistress

Trail Mistress Birthing Blanket

> Biermeister J Arthur

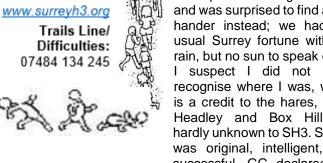
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Years ago our hares in SH3 did not include short cuts. leaving SCBs the chance to polish their skills. The most skilful was our Uncle Gerry; with a few failures to heighten the challenge, he perfected the art, and indeed even now he and Tosser tend to do their own thing. Today's trail was not a long one, and had no need of short cuts; I am not sure there were any.

I expected a right-hander, and was surprised to find a lefthander instead; we had our usual Surrey fortune with the rain, but no sun to speak of, so I suspect I did not really recognise where I was, which is a credit to the hares, since Headley and Box Hill are hardly unknown to SH3. So this was original, intelligent, and successful. GG declared the trail to be 4.6 miles long; it took us some 95 minutes, which

shows we were seldom running, so prevalent was the mud. (Gunga Dick always insisted that true shiggy requires cow dung as an ingredient.)

One of us (Simple?) quoted the hares as having said they would take no prisoners; and indeed the second check was a long way back downhill, after an arduous ascent enlivened by our stumbling upon two abandoned bangers. The solution of course was back up again, and a typical GG distance from the check, but thereafter everything remained within traditional norms. Well. except that some of the checks were very widely spaced, with great distances for us to trudge before stumbling nogu another.

At one, near the end, we came upon Proxy, who had arrived hopelessly late (the clocks going forward?) [Practising his set - Ed] and was doing the trail in reverse, using flour which had not been there when we started. By then I was with Blue Suit, who has the energy to run when most of us were walking. Earlier I had been entertained by Madonna, and his memories of a very long-term RA in the Isle of Wight, Mr Magoo. Here in Surrey we seldom keep an RA more than a year; our thanks to Le Pro, who did more.

Of the Officials Dinner I shall reveal that the three ladies whose handles are all BB sat next to one another at table, and that the ex Grand Masters present included Napoleon,

cheerful even without Twiggy. Well, he did have Peay, who surprised some of us today by actually doing some of the trail.

Sir Mark Rowley accepts unflattering adjectives about his Metropolitan Police - racist, misogynist, homophobic - but not the adverb institutionally, which he regards as a modern buzzword. If he is denying the prevalence of such behaviour, then he is out on a limb. Combatting an established canteen culture is not best done by arguing about words. It is worth thinking about the second and third adjectives; you might suppose those who disparage women would think kindly of male homosexuals; but no. Jack the Lad has to be seen as "normal", as a genuine red-blooded male, whatever his opinion of women as people. This affects hashing; the world still has a few allmale packs, and sure enough, the abysmal slogan, poofters".

Obviously young men not yet married tend to be the worst. Some African societies. recognising this, form them into special groups for initiation ceremonies and Shakespeare has "would there were no age between ten and three and twenty, for there is nothing in the between but getting wenches with child, wronging the ancientry... stealing, fighting...."; I fear we are stuck with how "lads" will always be. Sir Mark's problem is persuading policemen to grow up.. On on - FRB



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Next Week's Run

Run 2463 Date 2 April 2023 Hare(s) FRB & J Arthur

Venue Manor Way, Old Woking ///hello.herbs.lifted

On On Sadlers Arms, Sendmarsh ///sport.takes.palace

Receding hareline

2464 9 April TBC 2465 16 April Doug the Tub

2466 23 April Birthing Blanket
2467 30 April Bonn Bugle
& No Nookie

2468 7 May Bodyshop Pirbright

Capel

Dapper Hasherie Special



A missive from Olive Oyl:

Here are pictures of samples/ideas for an SH3 Harriettes shirt for The King's coronation. About £19 for long sleeved polo shirts. A range of colours are available from the Logo shop.

They have catalogues for shirts with female fit and options such as long or short sleeves.

The wording and official Corolean logo on the right side of the shirt would be better in dark on light colours and light on dark colours.

If there is any interest in having a shirt made up please discuss with Mrs G or Olive.

Orders would need to be in shortly after Easter for arrival before 6th May.

Farewell & thanks to the outgoing committee





Might be worth a try...



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A smooch handover



















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