



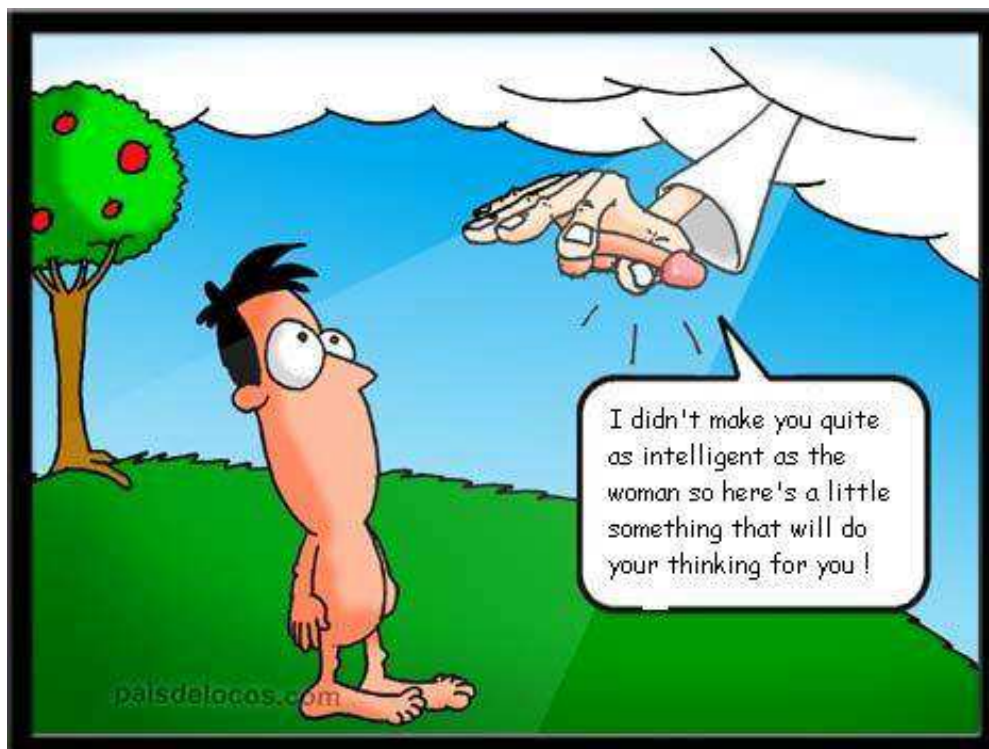
YEAR BOOK 2016

The year we realised **KANZA**'s useful

Another year, another list of discards (in case you hadn't noticed):

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| • Grand Master | Kanza |
| • SGT@Arms | Adolf |
| • On Sec | Quasi |
| • Hash Cash | Grotti |
| • Religious Adviser | Trickey |
| • Choir Master | Ticket |
| • Grog Masters | Top Gum & JC |
| • Hash Scribes | Six-35 & Pol Pot |
| • Hash Swindler | Wrongway |
| • Trail Master | Phantom II |

An attractive woman goes up to a bar and gestures alluringly to the barman. He responds immediately and she seductively signals he should bring his face closer to hers. She begins to gently caress his beard. 'Are you the publican?' she says. 'Actually no' he replies. 'Can you get him please' she asks, running her hands through his beard and then through his hair. 'I'm afraid I can't but can I do anything for you?' he breathes, clearly aroused. 'I need you to give him a message' she huskily whispers, popping a couple of fingers into his mouth and allowing him to suck them gently. 'Tell him there's no toilet paper in the ladies'.



YOUR GM'S WAILINGS

Kanza's Kitsch (Aka GM's Report)

October 2015, a rainy day in Paris, thinking that by taking a European holiday to escape the chances of being selected Grand Master of Melbourne, the Premier Hash, I'd beaten the odds. I thought as WiFi is available, why not check what's happening Down Under and see if anything interesting is in email. Ah, Bugger, I haven't escaped, there's an email from Lethal, informing me that after a tight contest, I'd been selected to be the new Grand Master and that I had no choice but to accept. I found out later it was a committee of one ex-GM that had voted me in!



All kodswallop aside, it is an honour to wear the sacred klobber and search through the enormous pool of talent to select one's Kommittee and to anoint them with the moniker of "Kanza's Krew"

Like any good business, Hash is a business, it's run by mismanagement! Therefore, any CEO or self-respecting GM needs to give the annual report on the performance of the company and its executive team, so I should start extolling the praises of Kanza's Krew.

The back bone of any business or Hash Club are the Company Secretary and Accountant, aka the On Sec and Hash Cash, these duties were carried without fuss by Quasi and Grotti. Quasi was always on hand to let me know when an anniversary run was at hand, what is the trophy associated with such a momentous occasion. Grotti, like any good money man, had his fingers firmly on the purse and every cent was accounted for!

Like any major corporation, we have to get an income to keep us in booze. Our intrepid boozes, JC and Top Gum ensured there were ample supplies and the cash register kept turning over. To supplement our income, who didn't get stung for a raffle ticket this year? Wrong Way with Chinese efficiency ensured every one brought a ticket and there was no such thing as a free ticket, you were duly noted on his abacus and confronted the next time you turned up.

To keep our meetings on track, a Master of Ceremonies with a Teutonic, dictatorial flair was called on to keep the flock in line, Adolf was the man who carried out the Sergeant of Arms duties to the letter. Especially as all those that wanted to disrupt proceedings were duly note in the BOOK! Ticket was on hand to back up Adolf by ensuring the miscreants of the proceedings were given their just dues, which sometimes included himself.

To keep the share-holders happy, Melbourne Hash needed to know where we are headed, so it was up too Phantom II to organise our path forward and ensure all members put in and set a run. To top this off we needed to report to the share-holders an account of what happened every week. Trickey, if he got the weather right, kept us informed with a wave of nautical jibber of the journey for the night. The recording of the night's antics was carried out by our men of the pen. Special mention goes out Six:35 who carried much of the load, Swiss Roll moonlighting with another

MELBOURNE HASH HOUSE HARRIERS GRAND MASTERS

1971	GARRY SMITH
1972	JERRY TIPPING
1973	BASIL 'DOC' LIGHTFOOT
1974	ED DAVIES
1975	PAUL 'PULSATING' HOLLISTER
1976	IAN 'SLOCK' SLOCKWITCH
1977	JOHN 'SPRINGS' PARRY
1978	DAVE 'WEARAWAY' WATERHOUSE
1979	TITTO 'LE FROG' RADAS
1980	ROGER 'HOPPY' HOPKINS
1981	BRUCE 'NO BALLS' ALCOCK
1982	IAN 'COUNT' MARGOCSY
1983	TIM 'SHIT LIPS' STEVENS
1984	ADRIAN 'BABBLING' BROOKS
1985	ROSS 'STEAMSHOES' JOHNSTONE
1986	TONY 'SMURF' BROWN
1987	RICK 'LUBRA' MAPP
1988	PAUL '6.35' FAIRBROTHER
1989	BOB 'TICKET' STUBBS
1990	DOUG 'QUASI' TRAYNOR
1991	GRAEME 'PUCK' BOWES
1992	JOHN 'HERPES' YOUL
1993	JACK 'PHANTOM II' WALKER
1994	ROB 'TWO BOB' YOUNG
1995	NICK 'SICK NICK' HOFFMAN
1996	TITTO RADAS
1997	BILL 'HAPPY' CROSS
1998	PAUL 'TANGLES' MACNAMARA
1999	ANDREW 'DUNGFOOT' WILLGOOSE
2000	NILS 'TOP GUM' BRODERS
2001	KEITH 'SHUNT' RALPH
2002	LYALL 'BILO' TRAYNOR
2003	KARLIS 'BOTTOM GUM' BRODERS
2004	MIKE 'POL POT' HODGSON
2005	RAY 'IRISH' CHADWICK
2006	GEORGE 'NON-STOP' SUSIL
2007	KEVIN 'CLIT' KITTERINGHAM
2008	JOHN 'JC' CLARKSON
2009	BARRY 'GG' KERR
2010	IAN 'GROTTI' SCOTT
2011	JIM 'THE PHANTOM' ATKIN
2012	PETER 'TRICKEY' HICKEY
2013	KEVIN 'KAGEE' GANNON
2014	ANDREW 'SWISS ROLL' SOLDAN
2015	LEIGH 'LETHAL' CHAPMAN
2016	Neil 'KANZA' Morris

company was at times a little busy, but was able to make some contributions. Pol Pot, was brought in a consultant and provided quality dialogue.

One things for sure, you can't change the tried and true run venues – Phantom II's Valley Reserve, Top's Gum's Possum Lane, JC's Christmas Extravaganza at Wattle Park, Puck & Ticket's Hashathalon, somewhere Bayside, a Member's night at Gabriella Pizza and the Bilo Awards at Bilo's place.



A lot happened this year with important milestones for our members this year. Topping the list was Ticket, who joined the exclusive 1000 runs Club.

A great night was held at Whalley Drive, with a surprising number of visitors, including Horse Brown, who was under strict instructions to ensure Ticket was suitably initiated into the 1000 Club.

In some sort of semblance of order, others to achieve milestones were: Top Gum - 1200, Lethal - 900, JC – 700, Dungfoot - 600, Farkin (pending auditor's report) – 500, Adolf & Gibbo – 400, Drink Stop – 300 and Wrong Way – 100.



I could waffle on for pages on the merits of being the GM at Melbourne's Premier Hash, the friendship, fun, mocking from the masses, that come with being up front at the circle.

Simply, thanks Team,

Kanza



Sergeant at Arms Report

After receiving the phone call from the new GM elect, Kanza, offering me the roll of Sergeant, I was of course truly flattered. I thought right anybody with the true Arian genes should be able to control the rabble in the circle without the need for a little black book.



Newly minted up for the challenge

Having groped the role with true enthusiasm, delivering many new innovations such as excellent Collingwood Jokes, the wheels slowly inevitably started to buckle. As it always turns out the first few circles are the big test of the authority of the new GM, the Sergeant and the whole new committee. The usual suspects Grotti, Herpies, Bionic and of course Ticket (yes Ticket the Choir Master!!!) led the charge.

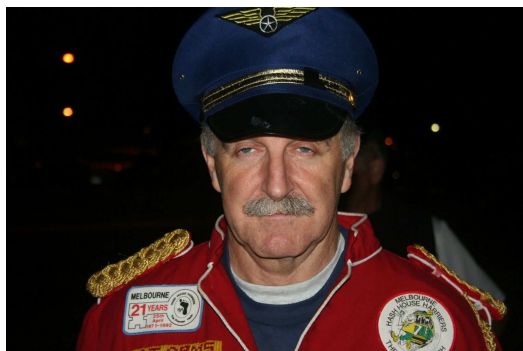
I tried using the loud voice technique only to lose my voice a few times, I tried Little Dogs trick of a water pistol which almost backfired (as I recall the rabble came prepared with bigger and better water pistols), this only worked for about five minutes. The reintroduction of the black book, better Collingwood jokes, violence and skilful manipulation of the circle seemed to eventually get a semblance of dis-order.

I know GG, Happy and Top Gum were always glad to hear “**Did you hear the one about Collingwood?**”

One particular highlight of the year was the Christmas run set by JC, my first attempt at running a very large circle, it started out well enough, then I was hijacked by the Tarts to strains of “Adolf has only got one ball.....”, voice lost, time for another beer I thought, quickly charging a couple of tarts almost shut them up.



Understanding dawns on SGT



You bastards really are beyond redemption.

By the time of the last run pre-cup day, GM had buggered off, we were truly running as a well-oiled machine, particularly if the Red came out early. The Sergeant doesn't control the circle, he/she/it/lgbtm (lesbian, gay, bi, transsexual, mongoose) guides the rabble to the inevitable conclusion. Those mostly in the black book were Gotti, Grotti and Grotti. Luckily Herpies went fishing several times. Speaking of the black book the official count back looks like this:

Grotti	65	Happy	13
Ticket	13	Dungfoot	10
Bionic	11	Irish	9
Herpies	7	Phantom II	7
JC	7	GG	5
Pol Pot	5	635	5

All figures are ex GST.

On On Adolf

**I hate people that say "
He's a nice person once
you get to know him."
They might as well just
say " He's a dickhead,
but you'll get used to it."**



ON SEC REPORT 2016

Well, another year ends and some things just don't change. If anything, they are getting worse.

We tied a pen on string to the Run Book so we don't lose it, but should maybe tie a pair of reading glasses to the book instead (or as well!) so hashmen can read their own writing. Eg 1189+1 does not = 1189 (Happy).

We saw many personal achievements over the year:

J.C.	700
Wrongway	100
Adolf	400
Drinkstop	300
Top Gum	1200
Gibbo	400 (and finally paying subs!)
Irish	1200
Dungfoot	600
Phantom II	1400
Lethal	900
Ticket	1000 (finally!)

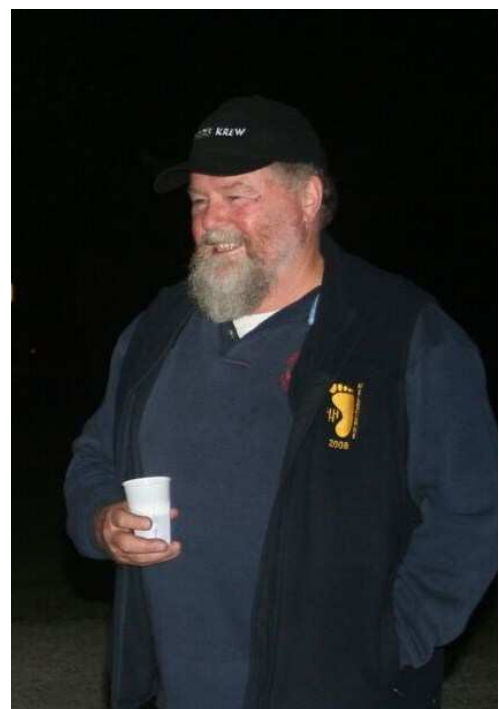
I think that's all. I apologise if I have missed anyone.

There are updated T-shirts and Polos on the way, but probably will not be ready for the AGM.

For those going to Nash Hash in Ballarat in February 2017, you will be able to display our Melbourne colours.

On On

Quas-I



RUN TALLY as at 31 October, 2016

Hash Name	Real Name	1st Run	Runs@Nov15	Runs@Nov16	Total Runs 2016
2 Bob	Rob Young	1987	622	623	1
Adolf	Karl Habres	1987	374	419	48
Bent	Brent Leeden	1987	642	643	1
Big Ears	Lee Hazelwood	2008	32	34	2
Bilo	Lyall Traynor	1991	937	946	9
Bionic	Steve Elmer	1979	625	666	41
Bottom Gum	Karlis Broders	1997	408	420	12
Clit	Kevin Kitteringham	1985	1007	1016	9
Drinkstop	Chris Susil	2004	283	311	28
Dungfoot	Andrew Willgoose	1994	594	624	30
Farkim	Bob Larkin	1974	493	501	8
Fleetfeet	Rob Finley	1974	1060	1061	1
GG	Barry Kerr	1985	1243	1269	26
Gibbo	David Gibson	1941	394	412	18
Glass Jaw	Grant			4	4
Gonzo	Andy Smith	2016		0	4
Green Machine	Andrew Green	2012	103	115	12
Grotti	Ian Scott	1978	1522	1566	44
Happy	Bill Cross	1992	1150	1199	49
Herpes	John Youl	1980	1012	1034	22
Irish	Ray Chadwick	1980	1192	1225	33
JC	John Clarkson	1984	663	705	42
KG	Kevin Gannan	1985	437	441	4
Kunza	Neil Morris	2008	327	378	51
Lazarus	Michael Stanfield	2016	0	6	6
Lethal	Lee Chapman	1977	900	927	27
Lubra	Rick Mapp	1982	805	807	2
Lunna	Gary Lupton	1992	573	578	5
MyWay	Michael	2014	7	27	20
Non Stop	George Susil	1996	641	679	38
Phantom II	Jack Walker	1986	1396	1443	47
Pol Pot	Mike Hodgson	1993	894	945	51
Puck	Graeme Bowes	1982	980	997	17
Quasi	Doug Traynor	1981	1603	1655	52
Shunt	Keith Ralph	1991	410	418	8
Six 35	Paul Fairbrother	1980	1515	1563	48
Smurf	Tony Brown	1974	1095	1097	2
Spermblank	Alan Forbes	2014	499	499	0
Steamshoes	Ross Johnstone	1981	1139	1146	7
Swiss Roll	Andrew Soldan	1987	629	641	12
Sydway	Sidney Ong	2004	363	380	17
Ticket	Bob Stubbs	1980	972	1005	33
Topgum	Nils Broders	1988	1169	1222	53
Trickey	Peter Hickey	1986	622	663	41
Wrongway	Tew Loei Boon	2013	75	116	41

GRAND TOTAL RUNS AS AT 31 October, 2016

Rank	Hash Name	Real Name	Joined	Runs	Last Run
1	Quasi	Doug Traynor	1981	1655	
2	Grotti	Ian Scott	1978	1566	
3	Six 35	Paul Fairbrother	1980	1563	
4	Phantom II	Jack Walker	1986	1443	
5	Titto	Titto Radas	1974	1331	
6	GG	Barry Kerr	1985	1269	
7	Irish	Ray Chadwick	1980	1225	
8	Topgum	Nils Broders	1988	1222	
9	Happy	Bill Cross	1992	1199	
10	Steamshoes	Ross Johnstone	1981	1146	
11	Smurf	Tony Brown	1974	1097	
12	Fleetfeet	Rob Finley	1974	1061	
13	Herpes	John Youl	1980	1034	
14	Clit	Kevin Kitteringham	1985	1016	
15	Ticket	Bob Stubbs	1980	1005	
16	Puck	Graeme Bowes	1982	997	
17	Bilo	Lyall Traynor	1991	946	
18	Pol Pot	Mike Hodgson	1993	945	
19	Lethal	Lee Chapman	1977	927	
20	Lubra	Rick Mapp	1982	807	
21	Doc	Basil Lightfoot	1973	765	2016
22	JC	John Clarkson	1984	705	
23	Non Stop	George Susil	1996	679	
24	Bionic	Steve Elmer	1979	666	
25	Trickey	Peter Hickey	1986	663	
26	Woody	Chris Marshall		651	2007
27	Pile Driver	Peter Hyde		645	1998
28	Bent	Brent Leeden	1987	643	
29	Swiss Roll	Andrew Soldan	1987	641	
30	Afterburner	Alan Aburn		628	2002
31	Dungfoot	Andrew Willgoose	1994	624	
32	2 Bob	Rob Young	1987	623	
33	Airwick	Ian Marwick		617	2006
34	Tangles	Paul McNamara	1992	597	2012
35	Lunna	Gary Lupton	1992	578	
36	Count	Ian Margocsy		543	2008
37	Prince	Phil Johnstone		506	2009
38	Farkim	Bob Larkin	1979	501	
39	Spermblank	Alan Forbes	2014	499	
40	Shit Lips	Tim Stevens		483	2004
41	KG	Kevin Gannan	1985	441	
42	Sick Nick	Nick Hoffman		441	2008
43	Bottom Gum	Karlis Broders	1997	420	

44	Adolf	Karl Habres	1987	419	
45	Shunt	Keith Ralph	1991	418	
46	Gibbo	David Gibson	1941	412	
47	Sydway	Sidney Ong	2004	380	
48	Kunza	Neil Morris	2008	378	
49	Drinkstop	Chris Susil	2004	311	
50	Murf	Tony Murphy	1977	303	
51	Bok Choy	San Chee Phua	2004	277	
52	Phantom	Jim Atkin	1982	255	
53	Buster	Bill Hooper	1986	203	
54	Wrongway	Tew Loei Boon	2013	116	
55	Green Machine	Andrew Green	2012	115	
56	Big Ears	Lee Hazelwood	2008	34	
57	MyWay	Michael	2014	27	
58	Tripod	Alan Skinner	2011	13	
59	SOS		2014	10	
60	Lazarus	Michael Stanfield	2016	6	
61	Glass Jaw	Grant		4?	



She was at the beauty shop for two hours. That was only for the estimate. She got a mudpack and looked great for two days. Then the mud fell off.



Melb HHH Trailmaster 2016 - Report by Phantom II

Thanks to all the hares who set runs this year. We probably have about 30 paid up members and we get an average of about 20 who turn up regularly. If you do the sums you will realise that with our regular runners they need to set at least two runs per year and some even more – special thanks to those. Our low point for numbers during the year was Bionic's run from the Middle Park Hotel when only ten turned up.

The MH3 centre of demographics is probably around my area of Mt Waverley so I continue to set runs from the Notting Hill Hotel and Valley Reserve (Joan is not keen to have the H3 back again). Again this year we travelled widely. To the east we got to Berwick and we were well looked after with Wrongway's BiLo award winning run (the ribs were the stand out meal of the year). To the west we did the WSH3 AGM in Footscray and Pol Pot gave us a new venue at the Ron Barassi Senior Park in the Docklands. To the south we did the RPH3 AGM at Sommerville and the joint entertainment night with RPH3 and D&E at In Limbo's factory at Carrum Downs. To the north we did the D&E AGM at Heidelberg and Kunza's run in Ivanhoe.

Most hares set their two runs per year with a summer outdoor run and a winter indoor run. The Melb H3 tradition over the past years is for the trailmaster to ask for volunteers and then publish these as the runsheet. Other H3 clubs sometimes differ in their ways and have alternative ways of allocating runs and hares. Some publish a yearly list of dates and hares and ask individuals to arrange their own changes. Other H3 clubs look at their records and see who is due to set a run and so target them with a future date. I had many interesting discussions with other trailmasters (Kermit at D&E, Prince at Lakeside and Dodgy at RPH3) on the merits of these other alternative run setting methods.

In the end, I stayed with our long standing tradition but I am open to alternative ways if I get another chance as trailmaster – I wish the new one all the best and my advice is to keep your options open and see what works with you.

Special thanks also to **Gibbo, Kermit and Smurf** for volunteering to set an annual run as we all look forward to these. Bad luck that Smurf had a medical issue and we had to do a last minute change – thanks to Lethal for volunteering at short notice – Gabriellas Pizza is always a good venue.

Other annual highlights are the **Puck/Ticket** triathlon, **Bi-Lo's** medal night and the RPH3/D&E/MH3 combined night. And last but not least, **Dungfoot's** untiring ANZAC Day efforts and winter solstice run.

One of the aims of most trailmasters is to get new run venues and I was no exception. Thanks to those who went to a little more effort and did this. Most of the runs this year met the prescribed criteria of about 1 hour and 6 or 7 km although some pushed it a little over but who really cares – we all know how to short cut back when we've had enough.

On On **Phantom II**

Someone stole all my credit cards but I won't be reporting it. The thief spends less than my wife did.

MH3 Master Run Sheet 2015/16



Date	Run	Venue	Hare	Melway
7 Nov 15	2500	The Big 2500, Mt Morton Camp, Belgrave Heights	Top Gum	84 D3
8 Nov	2502	Recovery Run (so called)	No body	84 D3
9 Nov	2503	Quasi's joint, Hooker Rd FTG	Quasi	73 E3
16 Nov	2504	Nortons Park, Nortons Lane, Wantirna Sth	Dungfoot	72 A2
23 Nov	2505	Barkly Gardens, Mary St, Richmond	Swiss Roll	44 F12
30 Nov	2506	5 Sunnybrook Dve, Wheelers Hill	Herpes	71 H6
7 Dec 15	2507	Donald McDonald Reserve, cnr Keating & Fifth Sts, Beaumaris	Trickey	86 B6
14 Dec	2508	5 Roslyn Street, Mt Martha	Puck	150 K3
21 Dec	2509	Wattle Park, Riversdale Rd, Burwood	JC	60 K3
28 Dec	2510	Valley Reserve, Wills Ave Mt Waverley	Phantom II	70 G2
4 Jan 16	2511	19 Possum Lane, Heathmont	Top Gum	64 A2
11 Jan	2512	Billabong Country Club, NW cnr Eastern Fwy/Burke Rd Nth, Kew East	Kunza	31 K11
18 Jan	2513	Wantirna Reserve, Koomba Park, Mountain Hwy, Vermont Sth	Adolf	63 C8
25 Jan	2514	BBQ opposite East Malvern RSL, Stanley Grose Dve Malvern East	Sydway	60 A12
1 Feb 16	2515	Triathlon, Rotunda near Mordialloc Pier, Beach Rd, Mordialloc	Ticket/ Puck	92 E1
8 Feb 16	2516	Behind Sandringham Bowls Club, Spring St, Sandringham	Bionic	77 A12
15 Feb	2517	Member's night, Gabriella's Pizza, Koornang Rd, Carnegie	6.35/Shunt	68 J4
22 Feb	2518	Mad Hatter's B'day Party, 76 Benkel Ave, Cheltenham	Gibbo	87 E2
24 Feb	2519	D&E AGPU, Heidelberg Footy Club	Them lot	32 C4
29 Feb	2520	Arboretum, Francis Cres, Ferntree Gully	Grotti	73 K1
1 Mar	2521	WSH3 AGM, Spotswood Hotel, Hudsons Rd	Handcrank	41 K12
7 Mar 16	2522	Ron Barassi Snr Park, Docklands Drive, Docklands	Pol Pot	2E B4
14 Mar	2523	St Pat's Day runish, Chelsea Bicentennial Park, Thames Promenade/Scotch Pde, Chelsea	Irish	93 D12
21 Mar	2524	Airwick's 10 yr memorial run, Central Reserve, enter off Springvale Rd, Glen Waverley	Quasi	71 C5
28 Mar	2525	Easter Monday, Royal Oak Hotel, Nepean Hwy/Oak Ave, Cheltenham	GG	86 K3
4 Apr	2526	Rowan Reserve, Rowan Rd, Dingley	Drinkstop	88 H6

Date	Run	Venue	Hare	Melway
11 Apr	2527	Timbara Park, Ernst Wanke/Jerildirie Rds, Berwick	Wrongway	110 J2
18 Apr	2528	Vision Aust carpark, off Glenferrie Rd, Kooyong	Non Stop	59 D3
25 Apr	2529	ANZAC Day MH3 Anniversary Run, Selby Reserve	Dungfoot	75 J11
2 May	2530	Lords Reserve BBQ, Munro/Madden Ave, Carnegie	Lethal	68 G6
5 May	2531	MLH3 AGM, Templestowe RSL, 156 Parker St	Them	33 E5
9 May	2532	Burvale Hotel, Cnr Burwood Hwy & Springvale Rd, Vermont Sth.	Adolf	63 D7
10 May	2533	RPH3, Club 27, Aldershot Rd, Langwarren	Them Again	103 G8
16 May	2534	Notting Hill Hotel, Ferntree Gully Rd, Notting Hill	Phantom II	70 E8
23 May	2535	Inkerman Hotel, Inkerman Rd, St Kilda East	Six 35	2P K8
30 May	2536	Knox Club, Stud/Boronia Rds, Wantirna Sth	Happy	64 A7
6 Jun	2537	24 Whalley Dve, Wheelers Hill	Ticket	71 J12
9 Jun	2538	PLH3 AGM, Cape Patterson, BYOG	Tumbleweed	101 J11
13 Jun	2539	Manhattan Hotel, Canterbury/Heatherdale Rds, Ringwood	Top Gum	63 D1
20 Jun	2540	Winter Solstice, Micawber Tavern, Monbulk Rd, Belgrave	Dungfoot	75 F8
22 Jun	2541	Lakeside AGM, Rising Sun Hotel, Sth Melb	GG	
27 Jun	2542	Middle Park Hotel, Canterbury Rd/Armstrong St, Middle Park	Bionic	2K F11
4 Jul	2543	US Independence Day, 1/67 Patterson St, Ringwood East	Green Machine	50 D7
11 Jul	2544	Toppy's 70 th , 19 Possum Lane, Heathmont	Top Gum	64 A2
18 Jul	2545	College Lawn Hotel, Greville/Perth Sts, Prahran	Swiss Roll	2L F10
25 Jul	2546	Back bar, Malvern Vale Hotel, Malvern Rd/Meredith St, Malvern	Pol Pot	59 E6
1 Aug	2547	Matthew Flinders Hotel, Batesford/Warrigal Rds, Chadstone	JC	69 G1
8 Aug	2548	Kevin's recording studio, 17 Carinish Rd, Oakleigh Sth	Shunt/Lunna	70 A12
15 Aug	2549	The Dingley Vicarage, 22 Pauline Ave, Dingley Village	Irish	88 F6
22 Aug	2550	Back bar, Blackburn Hotel, Whitehorse/Williams Rds, Blackburn	Adolf	47 K9
29 Aug	2551	Ticket's 1,000 th run, 24 Whalley Dve, Wheelers Hill	Kanza	1 J12
5 Sep	2552	KG's Factory, Renver Rd, Clayton	KG	79 H1
13 Sep	2553	Combined run, RPH3 and D&E, 12/7 Lakewood Blvd, Carrum Downs	In Limbo	100 A1
19 Sep	2554	Gabriella's Pizza, Koornang Rd, Carnegie	Lethal	68 J4
26 Sep	2555	BiLo Medal night, 141 Murrindal Dr, Rowville	BiLo	73 G10
3 Oct	2556	Joan's pergola, 6 Ophir Rd, Mt Waverley	Phantom II	70 G2
10 Oct	2557	Members night, Eastern Lions Soccer Club, Sixth Ave, Burwood	JC	60 J8
17 Oct	2558	Octoberfest, Mahoney Reserve, Lee Ann St, Forest Hill	Adolf	62 B4
24 Oct	2559	Rowville Footy Club, Stud Rd, Endeavour Hills	Farkin	81 H8
31 Oct	2560	Melb Cup Eve, 23 Beilby Ave, Bayswater	Happy	64 G6
7 Nov 16	2561	AGPU, Oakleigh RSL	Committee	69 F7

I just got back from a pleasure trip. I took my mother-in-law to the airport.

RELIGIOUS ADVISER'S REPORT

In checking out recent copies of the MH3 Yearbook, looking for inspiration or something to plagiarise, I notice that the RA rarely lodges a Report! Probably the weight of the responsibility that comes with the role is so exhausting that they can't spit one out! Well at least the weight of the "curtain" has an effect. I was tall(er) this time last year!

Thanks must go to Adolf for turning up most weeks armed with a GPS to advise on the run's length. One less thing to invent! 2016 saw a good spread of runs and hares, generally up to scratch, so low scores on the nautical reference table were rare. This brilliant rating concept fell short towards the year's end, making no sense at all on a few occasions. Still it's only HASH!!

Back to the curtain. This KG inspired attire proved its worth on many cold Monday nights we endured this year, and fended off mossies on more moderate evenings. Thanks also the Hashman who stole it, but returned it with the hem raised with generous strips of duct tape. I was able to walk in it without stumbling (very much). OH&S comes to MH3.

All in all, a good year. Thanks for listening to my unintelligible ramblings. At least the distances were believable.

TRICKEY



Amen

Teacher to class: "Children, we are all descendants of Adam and Eve"

Pupil: "But Miss, my mummy & daddy said we came from the apes."

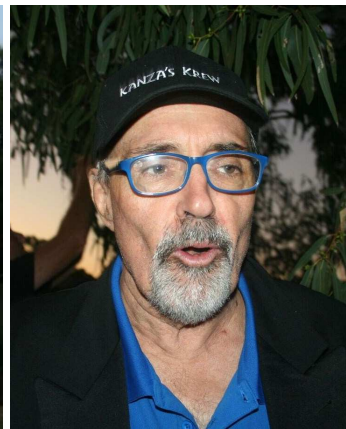
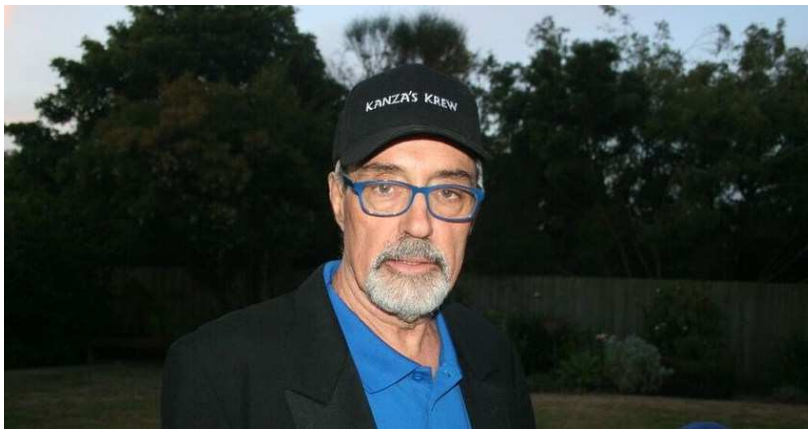
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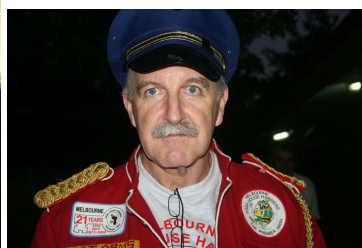
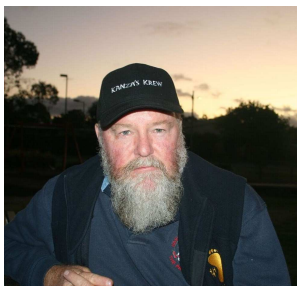
Run 2500 & AGM, 7th November 2015. Mt Morton Lodge, Belgrave Heights. Lethal was worried about the numbers, probably because he may have to sell his Safety Beach flat to pay the bill. I'm sure the few who visited from interstate had a good time; they at least got lots of attention. D&E dumped us but we had fair representation from the Ladies and Peninsular, and a couple of old friends from Lakeside. Legends Farkin, Smurf, Steamers, Lubra & Point Post came along to see what they might be missing. Top Gum took us around the lake and then into the hills. Walkers followed in fear of getting lost. This was a big mistake as there was one humungous hill in the way; the drink stop at the top did the trick though. Great night: lively Circle, band, good tucker & beds?, well it didn't matter because everyone was pissed.

Run 2501. This was actually run last year; we cocked up the run numbers, or at least the Trail Master and On Sec did, so our 2500th coincided with the AGM. Poor old GM - he was glad to be rid of us.

Run 2502, 8th November 2015. The recovery run. I think only twelve of us hung around long enough and did it. MH3 were outnumbered. Most had pissed off so they didn't have to pay any damages bill. We had Lethal's bangers for lunch then headed home for some much needed lounging. The Grog Trailer is penniless; bugger the new committee.



Run 2503, 9th November 2015. From Quasi's garage. Konfusion reigned as it always does on the first night while committee members get used to their new gig. It was a good outing with lots of directions for the walkers. The main charges stemmed from the weekend 2500th, especially those who showed how well lubricated they were on the dance floor, ie. Pol Pot and Non Stop. Don't worry Drink Stop, they weren't dancing with each other.



Run 2504, 16th November 2015. We hadn't been to Norton Park for some while and it showed as Dungfoot got to a point of no return while setting trail and had to concede an on-back (all 800 meters of it) to avoid going round the lake. It kept the walkers in touch though. Swiss Roll ran it backwards claiming we hadn't properly marked the first check. I needed to take a double dose of cholesterol pills the next day. SGT 'I know nutinck' Adolf is still finding his authority and Ticket has trouble remembering more than one name.



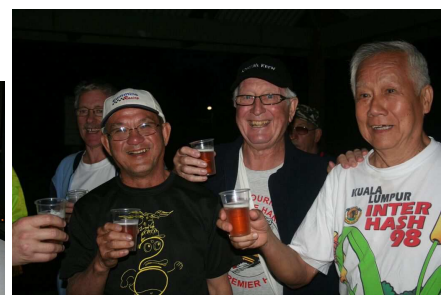
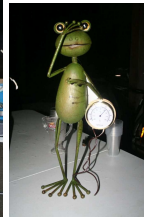
Run 2505, 23rd November 2015. We paid our respects to Sooty (at this, his old home ground); GG even wore his Sooty tee shirt. Swiss Roll started trail with two on-backs which had the walkers hopeful. From the next check on though, they were stuffed. Great place really, Richmond, if you have to have a street run. Phantom II celebrated his 1400th run. Flushed with success in the first three weeks, Hash Swindler Wrongway gave out better prizes and made a loss!! Go figure.



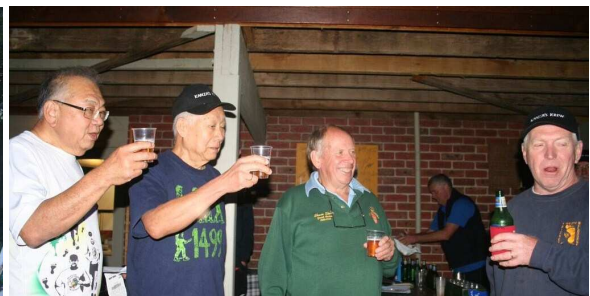
Run 2506, 30th November 2015. This was Herpes annual clean out the fish freezer run. A warm night but we were suitably refreshed by a downpour halfway around the trail at top of climb. Happy was first to press on but then took the short cut home. Ultimately, it was just Trickey, Glass Jaw and yours truly who came across a befuddled Bionic at the Jells Park Lake – his map was wet!! The seagulls demolished the fish offerings and My Way was suitably added to our growing Asian family.

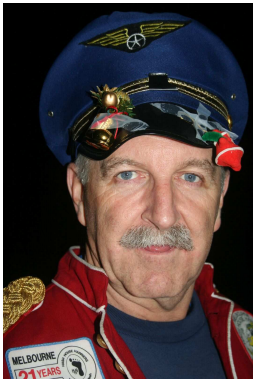


Run 2507, 7th December 2015. Ah, Beaumaris. A great environment just waiting for a public nuisance like us to turn up. We had a shortish run that included a drink stop along the waters edge path and a visit to 'Jim's Chair'. The eye candy was worth it and caused Happy and Swiss Roll to do more trotting than they'd planned. More snags. Pol Pot's 900th. Green frog thermometer for raffle, which Polly chose before the red wine on offer!

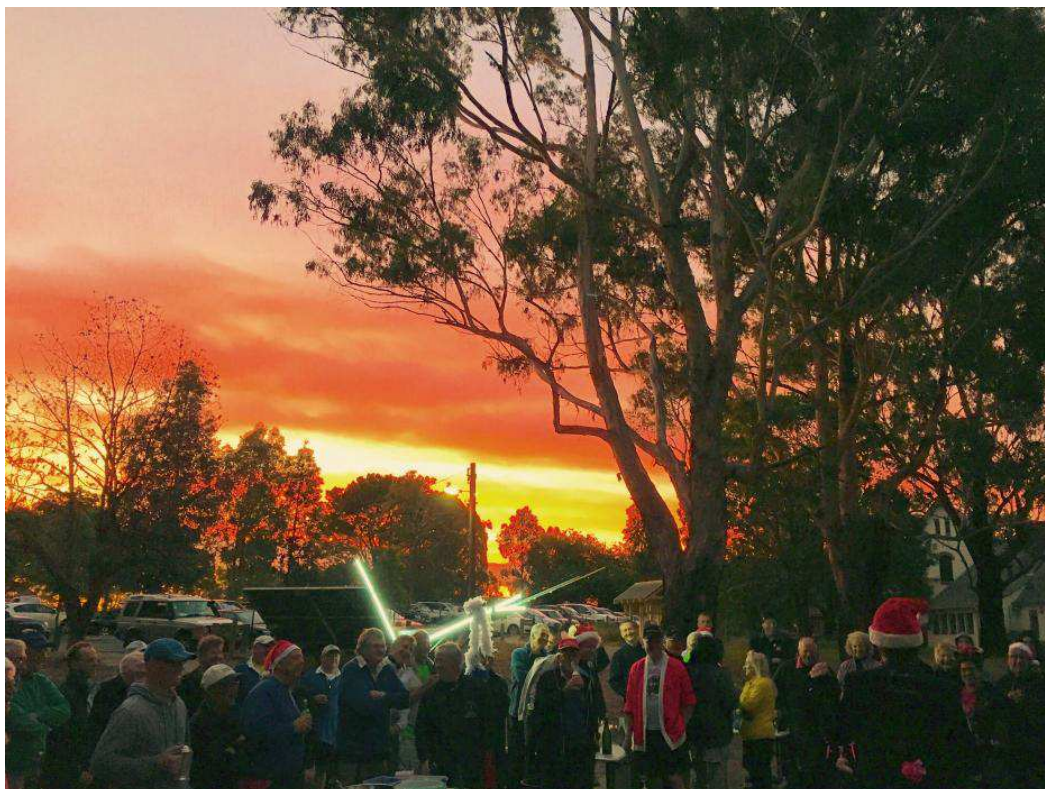


Run 2508, 14th December 2015. Puck's newish joint at Mt Martha hosted us. A few visitors, Steamers, Dags & Teflon made up for those who lost their 'Way' getting there. On backs and checks kept the pack of five runners – yes, only five as the walkers did their own circuit – leashed. The Ways finally got there and then proceeded to lose their way around the trail. Thank God there were plenty of snags and dimmys so that we could tolerate the many frivolous charges from last century.





Run 2509, 21st December 2015. For a third year we hosted the Ladies and D&E at our Christmas run as they were too partied out to organise their own. Mild temperatures and a run that let runners/walkers please themselves. Yet again we had a bigger pack than we get to our anniversary runs. So, once the food stood the test, a rollicking good time was had by all. Choir Master Ticket didn't know any Christmas carols so we adjourned to the bar early.

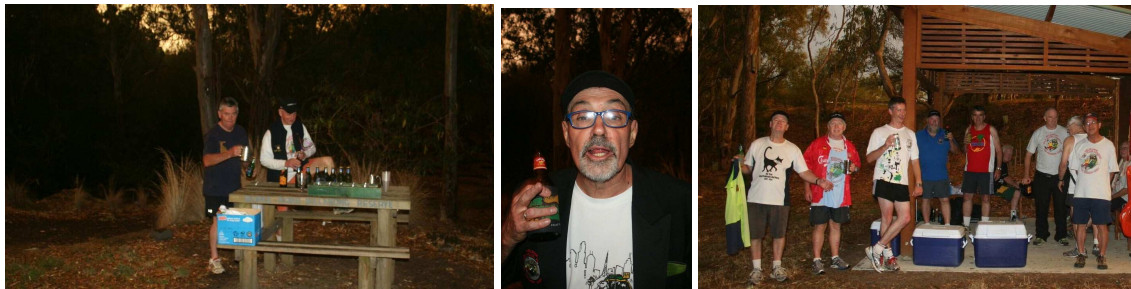


Run 2510, 28th December 2015. Phantom II invited us to the 'best forest park in suburban Melbourne'. And he thanked God for the few Christmas lodgers we brought along as it meant he would likely get thru the left overs before New Year. The other thousand people in the park, mostly kids enjoying the playground, soon left once we muscled in. Or was it because their parents didn't appreciate Grotti expanding their vocabulary?

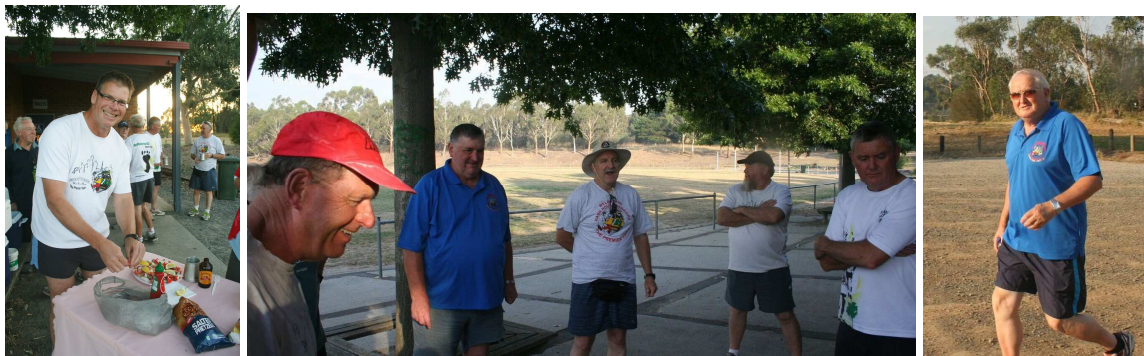
Run 2511, 4th January 2016. We revisited the Gum's residence in overcast but a 20ish summer's evening. Toppo promised new territory, all 300 mtrs of it. Plenty of options for the walkers who made good use them. Nibbles, curry & red wine to which we have become accustomed. The neighbours have moved so we had peace and quiet from that quarter. Deepthroat paid a visit but was late as he couldn't understand the GPS voice.



Run 2512, 11th January 2016. Fabulous Hash territory along the Yarra around Burke Rd North. Pity it took us a while to find much of the trail. It had been a hot day but the RA saved us by organising a late afternoon shower. Kanza fed us spag bol. A number of the sensitive ones ran for cover when a couple of drops fell from the heavens.



Run 2513, 18th January 2016. Adolf has been kicked out of the Burvale so we headed to Koomba Park beside Dandenong Creek in Wantirna. A typically longish (at least to our tiring legs) but typical Hash run that kept the front runners within sight and allowed short cuts for those less energetic than the rest. Dungfoot's 600th, and we welcomed back Farkin to the fold and promptly made him POW. Did he come back? Not for six months



Run 2514, 25th January 2016. Sydway felt at liberty to move back in to the East Malvern RSL picnic area since Pol Pot and Swiss Roll have moved out – couldn't afford the rates I heard. Bugger the creek, head for the suburbs. Irish's 1200th. Toppy POW in my absence.

Run 2515, 1st February 2016. Not another inaugural trihashlon? Yes, the 10th in fact. A few blasts from the past – Fleetfeet, Lunna & Shunt – and a few from D&E – Derelict, Havachat, Kermit and Bumble Bee – meant the grog trailer did good business. A balmy night but only seven ventured to the swim leg. Happy got caught in an undertow so we'd pissed off on the ride leg. Glass Jaw forgot his bike and ran with the bikes beating most home. A top night, maybe 'cause Ticket wasn't there to interfere with Puck's run setting and feeding skills.

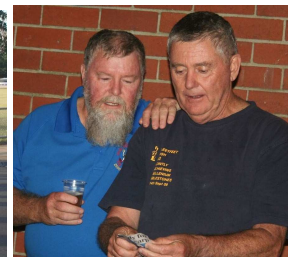
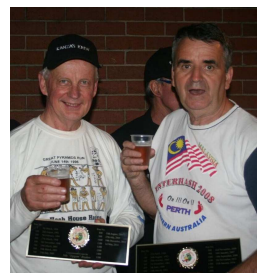


Run 2516, 8th February 2016. Bionic at Hampton. The horse stew was dumped this time for the tried and tested bangers. Those who attempted the whole gig found extended

distances without respite on the back nine. Still, the few of the few found all trail while the walkers took the too hard to ignore short cut at the 40% mark. Bionic expressed great hurt from having to wait four weeks before he could read of his exploits in the Hashtralian



Run 2517, 15th February 2016. Just one more time for a member's night at Gabriella's, Carnegie. Would you believe the fractious faction from the early 80's was also in residence? They'd left in '84 when they thought we ran too hard and made too much noise. Some things have changed but others haven't. Quasi has changed though – he was caught leaving the VB and downing a couple of Boag's Premiums. What are we coming to? GG went home well and truly overindulged while Big Ears camped in the car park. Belated 1100th plaques to Irish and Top Gum



Run 2518, 22nd February 2016. Our annual Mad Hatters run from Gibbo's. Some ignored the 'no baseball caps' decree but most had a fair go. Gibbo won the prize for wearing his cardinals outfit, setting his table as an altar, and inviting anyone who'd been abused at school to take a seat – he didn't have enough chairs! The so called Village People looked more like the Village Idiots.



Run 2519, 24th February 2016. D&E AGM. Eight hardy souls represented us (including our three notorious cross dressers Kanza, Happy and Non Stop) at the Heidelberg Footy Club to witness Radar hand over to a coodabeen MH3 GM - Minder.



Run 2520, 29th February 2016. Grotti took us out to an Arboretum in Ferntree Gully. Good venue, pre run visit from a divvy van and returns from Bilo, Clit, Shunt & Lunna who hopefully have repented from their slothful ways. A well marked run with a long OH. Seems the Grot was bugged when he popped out near Boronia shopping centre so caught the bus back along Dorset Rd. Outrage was expressed over queer beer. The cash box enjoyed an eventful trip home to Burwood on the back ledge of the Land Cruiser!

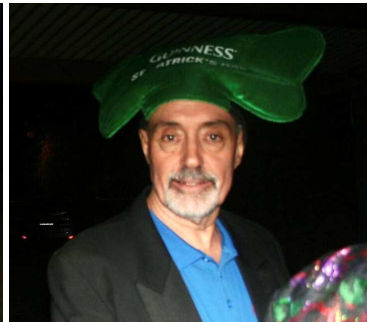
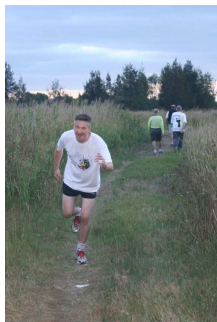


Run 2521, 1st March 2016. WSH3 AGM over the bridge at the Spotswood Hotel. Nine of us witnessed Shadow come out of herself – boom boom!

Run 2522, 7th March 2016. Virgin territory – Pol Pot seduced us to the park under the Bolte Bridge in Docklands. We had a great view of the world’s most liveable city, including, unfortunately, the hideous ‘Wheel’. Derro’s aplenty and a revisit to Festival Hall. A subdued Circle, maybe because of the distance to public transport to get home. Great weather, food, company and exercise. Where else would you rather be.



Run 2523, 14th March 2016. 13 of us couldn’t be sure, be sure, we were in the right place when the Hare turned up downing a roadie in the back of Drink Stop’s car. But Irish had set his St Patrick’s proximity run around the somewhat dry Chelsea swamp. Guinness but no potatoes. He volunteered for POW because it was Guinness.



Run 2524, 21st March 2016. This was the 10th anniversary of Airwick being recruited by Heaven H3. We had some blasts from the past: Doc and Babbling; plus appearances by Steamers and Lubra. Quasi set the run opposite their old State School at Central Reserve, Glen Waverley. A mild night which helped Quasi get rid of some 30 year old H3 port.

Run 2525, 28th March 2016. Easter Monday. Just the eleven apostles made it to the pub after a hard day’s work removing a boulder from a cave entrance. Not sure who was missing because there seemed to be at least five Judas’ in the Circle. GG set the run from the Royal Oak hotel in Chelty but didn’t warn us that we had to suffer a 10% holiday loading. A good length run with useful on-backs and a dubious crossed trail. Vale Bill (WC) Fenton.

Run 2526, 4th April 2016. Drink Stop introduced us to a new site at Rowan Reserve in Dingley and set a rather longish trail to confound the few still-would-be runners. Kanza wondered why he’d returned from Kiwiland when confronted by the riotous gaggle that passed as a Circle. POW to Drink Stop for not catching tax dodgers.

Run 2527, 11th April 2016. Out to Berwick tonight, enticed by Wrongway’s mobile Malaysian kitchen. It was a very mild night for a meander thru some of Melbourne’s

expansion suburbs which not that many of us took advantage of. The walkers were instructed to follow trail backwards till they got to the drink stop where they met the runners with Tui beer and availed themselves of the impressive views towards the bay. Then followed a descent in the gloom for a refined meal and Circle.



Run 2528, 18th April 2016. Would you believe Non Stop set a run from Kooyong Park? It was a balmy evening tonight with no flooding to worry us this time. A few almost got killed by the frantic cyclists heading home on the new bike path before we settled into an extended run to the Yarra, then almost to Glenferrie before heading home. Pizza's galore and a small pack so the grog masters threw the eskies open.



Run 2529, 25th April 2016. Dungfoot, as is his wont, again hosted us for our birthday (45th) party at Selby Reserve. A bloody lovely day that not too many took advantage of, or maybe the traffic thru Ferntree Gully put some off. The GM was the only one who cocked up the time so we left him to catch us; Bionic was in a hurry and backed his car onto a tree stump while parking so left it there. The run went to the south of the highway thru some great terrain and crossed the Puffing Billy line just on schedule. Bubble Gum took a tumble but recovered when she saw Bionic approach with intent on showing his revival skills.

Run 2530, 2nd May 2016. Lazarus joined us for his first MH3 run, set by Lethal from his old haunt at Lord's Reserve. Parking was a premium because of the number of kids now playing soccer. Lethal reckoned we wouldn't be more than a k or two from home but it wasn't long before we were left wondering at his diminishing judgment. A good jaunt though which took us west to Bamba Rd then up towards Glenhuntly before heading home. It was bloody cold and a young mother from over the road interrupted the Circle and politely asked us to shut up. Which of course we did and was all the encouragement we needed to bugger off.

Run 2531, 5th May 2016. Tonight we livened up the Tarts AGPU at the Templestowe RSL. No one was locked up as far as I can tell. Foxy Lady took over as Grand Mattress.

Run 2532, 9th May 2016. To the Burvale, courtesy of, you guessed it, shareholder Adolf. Was there a check at the corner of Springvale & Burwood Hwy to start with? Some people never get it! Some half hour later the pack was somewhat reassembled in Tally Ho where we stole the map a befuddled Bionic was privileged to carry. A smallish pack that nonetheless made enough noise to piss the serious snookerites off.



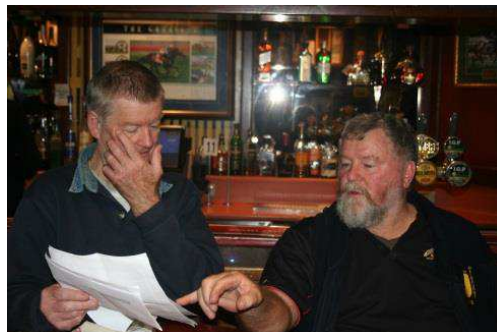
Run 2533, 10th May 2016. I'm not sure how many of us ventured to Langwarren to witness RPH3's AGPU. I was otherwise occupied in the country music capital.



Run 2534, 16th May 2016. Trail Master Phantom II ran out of volunteers so returned to his spiritual home - the Notting Hill. A windy night with trail predictably heading for the Uni. The pack was together till trail hit a construction zone when it was every man for himself. A couple of visitors swelled out ranks but there was no competition from students in the pub, it seems the demographic has changed!



Run 2535, 23rd May 2016. A deluge just before we set off meant the Hare, Six 35, was the only one who thought it was a great run. Most had a shower for 40 minutes before Quasi let them back in the Inkerman Pub to sign the book. How can a pub stuff up hamburger orders? Noah's Ark run. The Owner instructs the Trail Master how he'd stuffed up the run numbers (who really cares?) and Lethal departs on his Zen road trip of self discovery.



Run 2536, 30th May 2016. Tonight was back to the Knox Club courtesy of Happy who'd just returned from Bali Interhash. The run took us around the Knox retarded basin to Happy's most welcome soup kitchen in Mtn Hwy. Top Gum spilled the beans on Green Machine, Happy and his own Bali adventures and they all drank from new shoes. And I returned from my unintended holiday in Tamworth hospital. Seriously, if you are going to get crook, head to Tamworth. POW to Green Machine as the only one not to buy a raffle ticket.

Run 2537, 6th June 2016. Nobody warned us Herpes had flown in from Darwin just for this run. Would you believe 20 turned up for Ticket's home run to be fed skinless furters and stand around a brazier. Must have been because the food and wine was free as only half that number have been turning up to the pub runs. Adolf got home in 30.5 minutes and thought about doing another lap till he realised Quasi wasn't back. 100 runs to Wrongway, 300 to Drink Stop, and belated 400 run sweaters to Adolf and Gibbo.



Run 2538, 11th June 2016. Quasi, Top Gum and Ticket (plus better halves) represented us. Not sure what happened but they all came back with smiles on their faces.

Run 2539, 13th June 2016. We think this was our first run from the Manhattan Hotel in (southern) Ringwood. The GM appeared to be a no show. Regardless, Top Gum sent us into virgin territory along a green belt to the north west into Mitcham. We then stooged around a bit in suburbia before catching up with the GPS inspired walkers. Pol Pot ran away from me on the 1.5km On Home, but it was downhill. A good venue which may see us again. Why was the GM late? Seems he came along Canterbury Rd from the East and reckons the pub was shielded by a Maccas or something. 14kms and 20 mins later when he recognised cnr Warrigal and High streets in Ashwood, he realised he needed to turn around. What had he been smoking?

Run 2540, 20th June 2016. It was time again for Dungfoot's traditional Winter Solstice run, predictably from the Macawber Tavern in Belgrave. The Hare was blessed by wet, dank, weather. The scattered wet dunny paper dragged us into the scrub and sent us to all points of the compass. Good food, Tooheys Black and a warm fire warmed the heart.

Run 2541, 22nd June 2016. Lakeside's AGM, run from their usual site at the Rising Sun in Sth Melbourne. I'm sure the GM ably represented us?

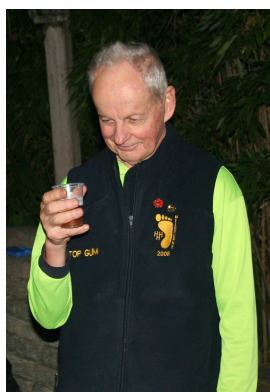
Run 2542, 27th June 2016. \$7 a pot at the Middle Park Hotel!! Bionic is unlikely to set from here again as down downs cost him his fortnightly pension. Just as well he was saved by a pathetic pack; small and disinclined to brave the roads of St Kilda with a couple under the skin. A good length run that took in a fair bit of the F1 circuit. No inclination any more to cross the middle of the Lake as we once did.

Run 2543, 4th July 2016. This run was in virgin territory around East Ringwood station. Green Machine invited us inside his (could be) brothel, away from that nasty weather. A fair pack, confused at times, mostly negotiated the course. The DS was in a pokies joint; was Sydway at the start of the run? Another convivial night with Green Machine regaling us on his recent citizens arrest exploits. He'd had a home invader for those who didn't hang around, and the PSOs over the road didn't come to his aid..



Run 2544, 11th July 2016. Tonight it was back to Top Gum's place to help celebrate his 70th. The ever benevolent Grog Masters put on free beer and the reds came from Toppy's now less than well stocked cellar. The run went up the creek, over the railway line and back. A

bit of shiggy but not very challenging as we had more important things to get stuck into. The rest of the night is a blur.



Run 2545, 18th July 2016. The College Lawn Hotel was our venue tonight, courtesy of Swiss Roll. I guess he turned up and there was adequate parking. I don't know as I wasn't there and there has been no Hashtralian! – but we do have photographic evidence.



Run 2546, 25th July 2016. It pissed squally rain as I drove to the Malvern Vale Hotel and got drenched just getting inside. A fair pack was settling in to the warmth until the RA miraculously cleared the skies and we were persuaded by Pol Pot to follow his map as there was no hope of finding trail. Bionic pissed the walkers off by grabbing a map but then got lost all by himself. Phantom also got a map but nobody had their glasses on. In the end we worked most of it out, except Six-35 who got off at the wrong station and almost missed the kitchen cut-off.

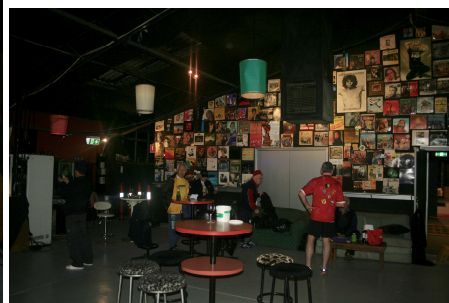
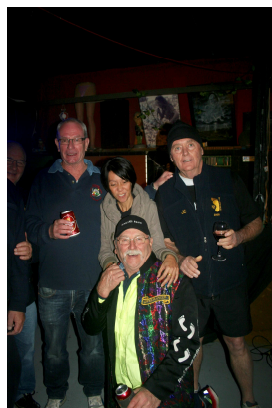


Jack Salmons Dinner, Saturday 30th July. 14 of us, mostly accompanied, so 27 made it to the Mulgrave Country Club to witness Kanza pass the Jack Salmons meritorious recognition to Grotti. Cheers of approval all around.

Run 2547, 1st August 2016. Would you believe it!? The RA has run out of credits so it pissed rain again. An unusual pack of 21 must have heard about the great bargains on the go at the Matthew Flinders (\$7 pints and \$13 standard meal and pot) and fronted for another social night out. Most braved the elements for times varying from 1 minute (Shunt – didn't bring a raincoat), 3 minutes (Quasi – cough, cough), 35 minutes (Mary "Top Gum" Poppins complete with brolly) and 55 minutes (Six-35 – caught the wrong train again).



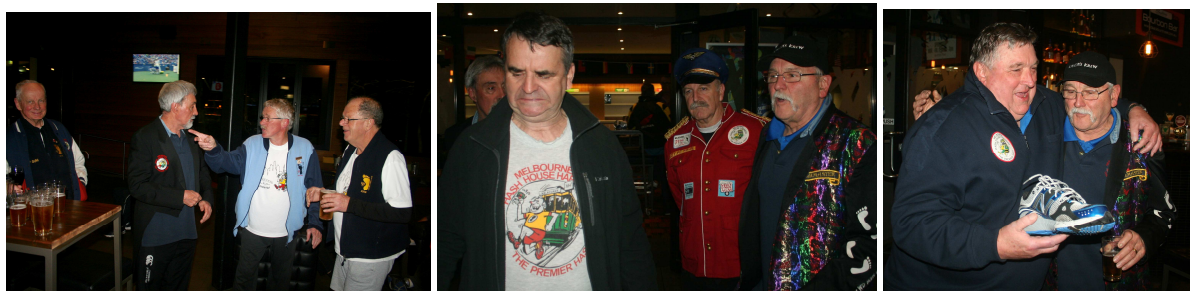
Run 2548, 8th August 2016. Shunt (& Lunna) invited us back to Kevin's recording studio. Bloody cold and breezy night, and outside was no better. The hole in the fence at the end of Carinish Rd got bigger as the 'runners' also got bigger. It looked like hard rubbish week but we found out later that Sth Oakleigh always presents like that. Pizzas for all. Sydway showed his potential as SGT@ Arms and Ticket trashed the scribe's notes in a fit of pique at NZ's Olympic performances.



Run 2549, 15th August 2016. Irish had had a 21st party (not his) the week before so invited us to the Vicarage to help get rid of his leftovers. As GG and Drink Stop were there to help cook a successful outcome for Irish was never in doubt; he even raided his freezer and found year's old chicken which he also heated and fed us. We found some new territory on the run as the council has turned the local tip site into a swamp and opened it to the public.



Run 2550, 22nd August 2016. Ah, the Blackburn Hotel. Adolf's recce could only be described as wanting. The bar shut at 2030 and we were kicked out at 2100. We beat them though and set up camp at the entry to the gaming room – they never shut that. A good run but only a few made it the right way around Blackburn Lake before we picked up a few stragglers for the run home through the scrub headwaters of Gardiner's Creek.



Run 2551, 29th August 2016. This was a great celebration to mark Ticket's 1,000th run. A couple of dozen from other Hashes swelled the numbers and seemed unusually thirsty causing the grog masters to make a couple of runs to the pub to tip up. The RA finally felt compelled to put on decent weather so the run through the estate on the site of the old VFL Park was pleasant indeed. The well set trail meant the pack was reasonably kept together but also meant it took us as long to get out of there as it did the car park 40 years ago.



Run 2552, 5th September 2016. Where were we tonight? That's right, paranoid KG's factory in Clayton. He hid trail to foil the snoopers who came early. It worked!! There were some doozey on-backs and checks but otherwise a great night to be out pounding the pavements. It sure sorted Happy, Toppy, Bionic, GG and Farkin out. Pies for eats and mayhem in the Circle. My 700th. RIP Pieman.



Run 2553, 13th September 2016. A Tuesday night, annual joint run with RPH3 and D&E from In Limbo's car shed Carrum Downs. Good representation from MH3 except Top Gum couldn't go on the run as he was sorting out a tow truck for his badly damaged undercarriage, courtesy of a median strip on the freeway. A longish run with plenty of shiggy. Great fun. A young wench named Olive was serving beer causing everyone to be Popeye(d). Shambolic Circle – are we that bad?!

Run 2554, 19th September 2016. Smurf called in crook, pneumonia and in hospital, so his mate Lethal stepped up to the plate and dragged us to Gabriella Pizza. 20 of us partook of the 9.5km run, kept together by plenty of tricky checks, trail up and back the same street, dead ends, and cunning instructions to the perambulators. No rain but the new station works disrupted the flow along the rail path. Good pizzas, boisterous Circle, and everyone was happy - except Smurf.

Run 2555, 26th September 2016. Another wet trail. But it didn't matter because the only interest was who would take home the coveted BiLo Medal. No red carpet here. Wrongway swept all before him and Lethal was inducted to the Hall of Infamy.



Run 2556, 3rd October 2016. The rain had finally subsided but the wind was a blowin. Thankfully, all was serene at Joan's place. The usual shenanigans occurred; Ticket trashing a kids playground and Dungfoot with a warrant to search Phantom's garage for evidence of anything untoward – he was overwhelmed. Just as well we weren't at Quasi's place!

Run 2557, 10th October 2016. Tonight we were back to the Eastern Lions Soccer Club in Ashwood. Unfortunately for us, the RA is now out of breath and short on credibility. There were trees down all over the place after the strong winds of Sunday, and hail struck late afternoon. Fortunately, the last squall passed an hour before we set out, to which the RA claimed all credit. 7.3 km on the Adolf meter. And free beer and wine as the grog masters tried to clear out the trailer before handing over.

Run 2558, 17th October 2016. Octoberfest. Adolf kept those of us who followed the well laid trail out till after dark. Bratwurst sausages and a plethora of Austrian pastes and concoctions in tubes and jars awaited our return. But the wind was cold causing some haste with the Circle. Gonzo returned for his second run and Top Gum got POW for daring to be born in Germany.

Run 2559, 24th October 2016. Rowville footy club. Farkin hadn't set a run for 20 years and it showed with massive distances after checks. It might have worked when we were young. Lots of trail markings otherwise, and a good bit of shiggy thrown in for good measure. The Bahn Thai food and Circle had to be outside as we haven't been allowed back into the club rooms since we trashed them in 1987.



Run 2560, 31st October 2016. No AGM on Cup eve any more. Happy hosted the last run of the year for his Trail Master mate Phantom who'd pissed off to the good old US of A for a quilting fix – he's secretly gone to make sure Joan doesn't try to take out Trump. There was some confusion as locals mistook us for waking ghouls – it was Halloween so who could blame them? Happy & Go Lucky avoided any silly tricks by putting plenty of treats on the table, including ice cream and stewed apple. A first!

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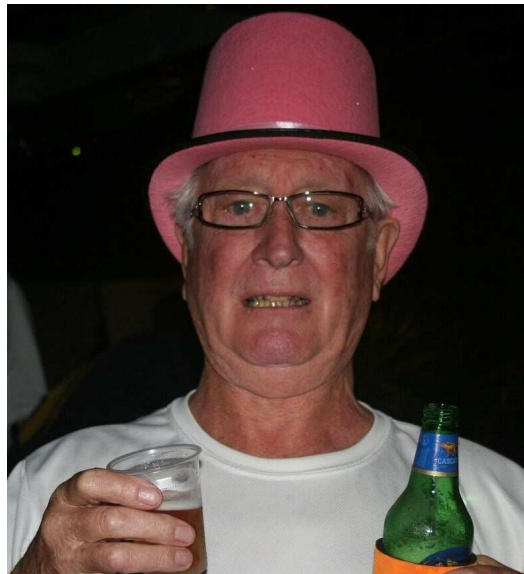
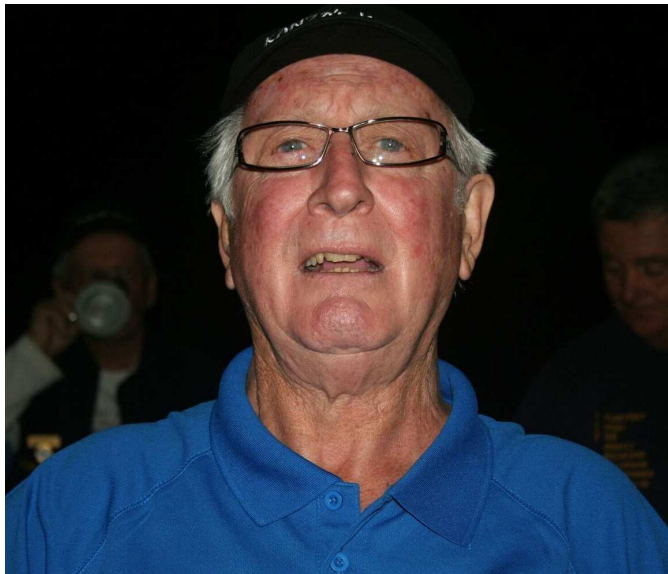
Note: less exp for 50 x T-shirts on order @ \$920.00

[members sales + stock]

Subs = 33 Members [full & pro-rata] @ \$1895.00

Treasury full gain for yr 2016 = fucknose \$\$\$\$, but about \$30 from ea regular Runner.

Notes :- Accounts are thus presented to protect any innocent parties in MHHH. [A \$1000 fee is payable to Hash Cash to view actual Accounts]



In appreciation of the GROG MASTERS

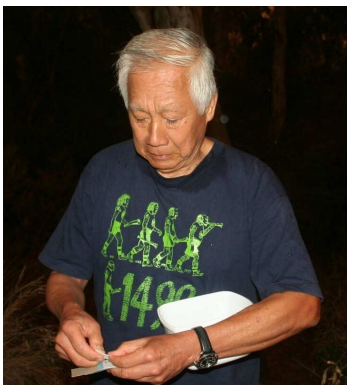
From a Treasury point of view 'don't try and fix what isn't broken '. Amazingly, I have snooped into the Grog Trailer to find where all the Grog Money is stashed, but to no avail [must have dummy VB cans with secret lids?]

However, they have 'sponsored 'the MEMBERS NIGHTS, without \$\$\$ protest, and stumped up a dozen stubbies for the downers each week!!! without the need to hassle the Hash Cash for 'hand out' \$\$\$.

In short:- here's Three cheers for the honour system [for your grog consumption] and three cheers for the Grog Masters.... JC and TOPGUM in managing our 'responsible' drinking...[except for the Dingley Bus Crew !!]



In appreciation of the **RAFFLE MASTER**

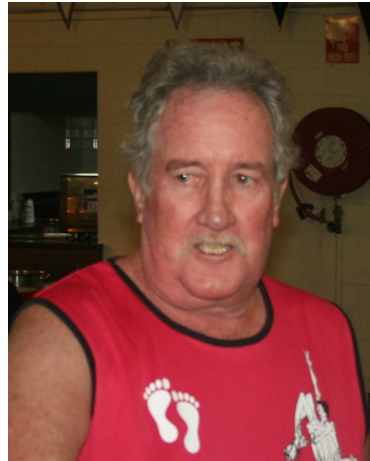
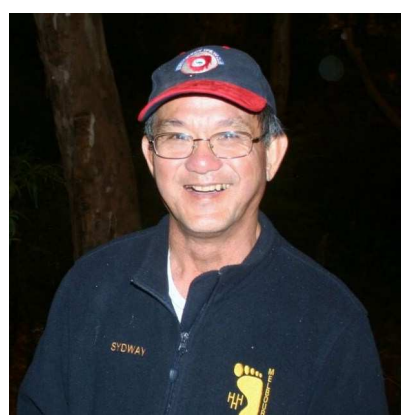
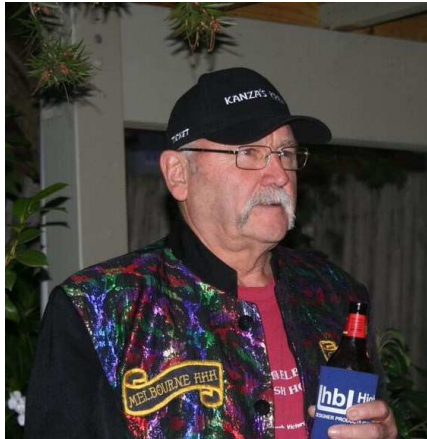
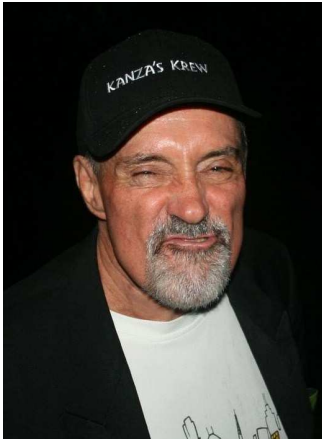
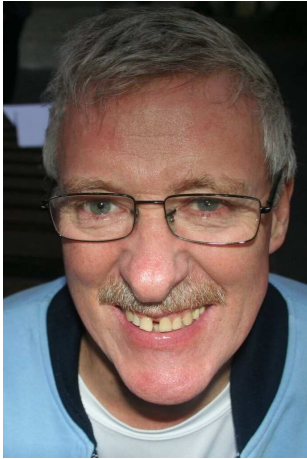


We must applaud our very tenacious Raffle Master **WRONGWAY** , who would count the names logged in the run book for the nights run event and ensure **ALL** were accounted for in the **SALE** of **RAFFLE TICKETS** , that night.

Unfortunately, this tenacious action may have cost us a member –CLIT- who was listed as owing the Raffle Master \$2.00 for several weeks !!!! Further, the R M's purchasing power was exemplary in chasing down **BONUS BUYS** and \$50.00 coupon discounts, thus **MAXIMISING** the cash flow return [and contribution towards his two O/seas holidays] Truly , setting the **BAR** very high for future Raffle Master's.....



Well done **WRONGWAY**.



Women spend more time wondering what men are thinking than men spend thinking.



Choir Master Report

Bummer that time of year again

It came around that fast I didn't get a chance to slip into the task that was expected of me, like singing a few songs. Still no need to despair, I did manage a couple and as a result was promptly told not to give up my full time job, as I don't have one, it could have been a hint to not sing often. !!

My stand in **Bionic** during my absence, of which there was a few, did a fantastic job, in fact so good I would suspect that he has shot himself in the foot and may just get some sort of a guernsey next year !!

Retirement has obviously done me some good in the memory stakes, as at the start of the year, I could remember 2 names at a time, and by the end was up to 4, not really difficult, when there is only a hand full of members .

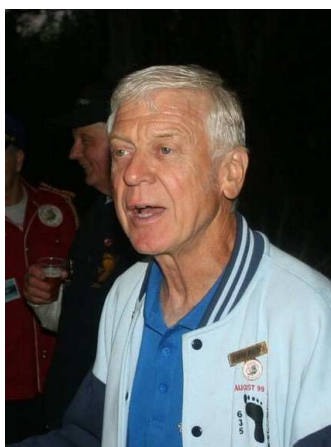
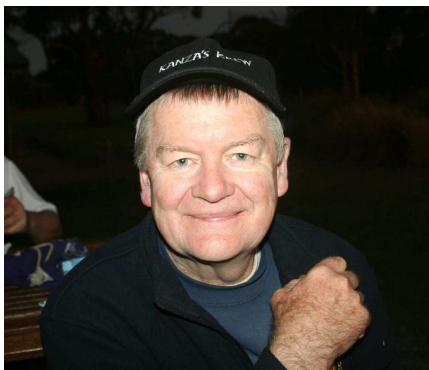
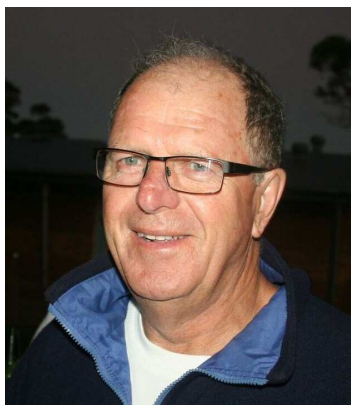
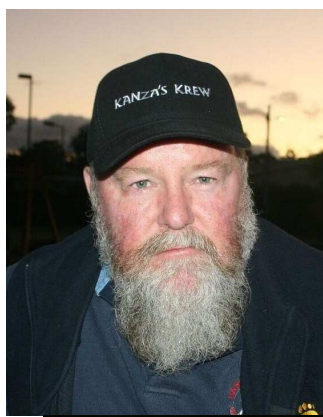
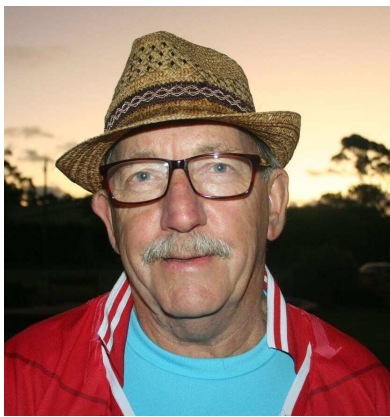
Down side to the year were very few, just one notable and that was the Fk'n book of Adolf's of which I ended up in most weeks (he can now shove it where the sun don't shine.)

Kanza you did a grand job of G.M. Thanks for an interesting year on committee.

Good luck to the next Choir Master, will expect more singing in 2017

Ticket





JACK SALMONS AWARDEE



Don't worry **Grotti**, it's actually recognition for doing good stuff.

PRICK OF THE YEAR 2016

Hi fellow Prick of the Week. This is the 20th year of the Prick. It was first presented to Phantom in 1997. He, by the way, has had it the most times! Deserved people that have been awarded more than once are; Kanza, Herpes, Bent and KG.

This year is the "YEAR OF THE PHANTOM" AGAIN !!

Listed are the weekly recipients. Please note; Not one vote for Drink Stop, Puck and M/Way.

5 Votes **Phantom**

3 " Grotti, Top Gum, Irish, Bionic, Ticket & Leathal.

2 " Pol Pot, Dungfoot, Happy, Adolph, Kanza, JC, Wrongway, 635, Green Machine.

1 " Fudget, Gonzo, Clit, GG, Non-stop, Farkin, Trickey, Gibbo, Renta, Swiss Roll, Quasi & Herpes.



ON ON HAPPY

The Bilo Medal Award, 2016



Over the last few years **Melbourne's Premier Hash** has conducted an R&R (Review and Recognition) of the amount of **Effort, Care, Imagination and Love** each **Hare** has put in to his individual Runs over the 12 month period, culminating in a **Glamour Awards Night**, which incidently, coincides with the "other" Melbourne Medal Night held on a Monday at the same time of year. The **MH3 BILO Medal Award** is traditionally held in the **Grand Hall** at the bottom of the Garden at 141 Murindal Drive, Rowville - and this year was no exception.

With this in mind, round about September every year, a change of atmosphere occurs within and around Hash. The weather is still cold and dark, but here and there, little glimmers of **Enthusiasm** and possible **Expectation** seem to surface as "**The Big Night**" draws closer. Occasionally we will hear snippets of conversation about **Bilo Points** and the achievement of various (rival) Hares - with the occasional comment of "**Good Effort**" or "**Top Run**" muttered through gritted teeth by Hares who now think, they could have/should have done a little bit better on their point scoring techniques and/or embellishments when setting their own runs earlier in the year. But more of this later.

The BILO procedure begins 12 months previously, when the first Run of the **BILO Year** is held and the actual Award Night seems so far away. However, the amazing, **Secret, yet Scrupulous** voting system kicks into place and each night's Run is "**synopsidised**" and captured for a **Quarterly Review** by the **Discerning** and almost **Impartial Judges** as the year unfolds. (Need to watch some of them when it comes to reviewing their own Runs!)

The points awarded by The Judges for each **Quarter** are locked away, before a final **Review and "Embellishment"** and revelation on **The Big Night** in a **Glittering Ceremony** down the **Back of BILO's** place. The Ceremony itself is split into Quarters and the **Interlocuter**, **(SIX - 35)** gives a brief description of each Run, followed (in most cases) by the aggregate score awarded to The Hare. The Eight Highest Scores, ie **The Final Eight** are withheld to be announced in their final order in **The Grand Finale** to the night.

And so, we finally arrive at the appointed night. The weather is Wet, Cold and Windy. The Hare, none other than **BILO** himself, apologises on behalf of **TRICKY** our hapless **RA**. **BILO** claims he has been out 3 times to reset trail but to no avail - he cannot beat the weather. His solution is simple, go round the traps for the mandatory 32 minute minimum and the food will be ready when you get back. Then you can all get warm by the **Blazing Brazier**. We did as suggested, but his Solution though Simple was not so Smart! The Fire was positioned out in the **Rain and Hail**. No Takers! But, not so, with the Food and Award Night Crownies on offer. They were soon attacked by the goodly turn up, some of whom had

taken the trouble to dress for the occasion (mainly in the hope of being in the spotlight after landing the Big One)



The Food was all gone, The Crownies are going down and **KANZA** our soon to be **Ex GM** gave **The Sgt** the signal to begin. **ADOLF** called for Order and the crowd responded by gathering round, everybody that is, except for **TICKET FEVOLA** who, resplendant in his **Choir Masters Jacket** was noisily “working the room”. Whatever, The count began in the magnificently decorated Hall with **SIX – 35** manipulating his spread sheet and attempting to stop **ADOLF** from seeing too many details of the scoring system – which did not seem to favour any Run set from the Burvale hotel !



This year the **First Quarter** was hotly contested, with **BILO**, (Last Year’s Awards Night), **LETHAL & TOPPY**, (2,500th Run in the Hills), **HERPES**, (New Shed, Boys Toys and Fish) all in contention for the Big Prize.

Sept 28, **BILO**, **BILO MEDAL**

Nov 7, **LETHAL/TOPPY**, **2500th RUN**

Nov 30. **HERPES**, **NEW SHED.**

The **Second Quarter** featured some good Runs, including **TOPPY** –(at Home with Red Wines and Curry, but No Neighbours), **Cardinal GIBBO** – (on The Deck with Red Hats, Lasagna and Wine) and **PHANTOM** – (at The Valley Reserve with Red Beetroot, Sauces and Mossies)

Dec 28 **PHANTOM**, **VALLEY RESERVE**

Jan 4, **TOP GUM** **POSSUM LANE**

Feb 22. **GIBBO,** **HAT NIGHT**

At this stage, some of the more discerning Hares were busy **calculating** their chances of pulling the Big one, rather than enjoying the moment, but **The Long and the Short** of it was if your score was called out during the first run through – You hadn't won, so try a bit harder next year- or talk to **SIX** about his favourite Beverage in advance of the Voting.



The **Third Quarter** featured **IRISH** (with Green Irish Hats, Guinness and Snags), followed by **QUASIE's Tribute to AIRWICK**, (with Legends, Legendary Port and Snitzs) , whilst **WRONG WAY** roared in with his winter effort – (Berwick Bike Paths, Beer Stop and Malaysian Fine Food served at The Penang Pagoda).

Mar 14 **IRISH** **St PAT's RUN**

Mar 22. **QUASI,** **AIRWICK TRIBUTE NIGHT**

Apr 11. **WRONG WAY,** **BERWICK**

The Final Quarter was no less contested and we heard about more Hares pushing for Glory. **DUNGFOOT**, (Wet, Dark, Dank and Hilly) **TOPPY**, (Shiggy, Curry, Red Wines and Free Beer) **KUNZA** , (Windy Arctic Park, Warm Fires and Spag Boll), with last but not least, **KG**, (Pies and Peas, Red Wines and Pet Projects)

June 20, **DUNG FOOT** **WINTER SOLSTICE**

July 11. **TOPPY,** **BIRTHDAY RUN**

Aug 29. **KUNZA,** **TICKET'S 1000th RUN**

Sept 5. KG, **FACTORY LEGENDS**

As planned, at this stage, in the interests of Drama, the Points scored by the top **Eight Runs** had not been announced. However, to keep The Mob interested, **SIX – 35**, the **BILO Moderator**, reiterated the **Final Eight in Chronological Order** and promptly sat down to remain silent whilst the **Sgt ADOLF** threw to “Normal Circle Business” – Now there is an Oxymoron if ever I heard one!.

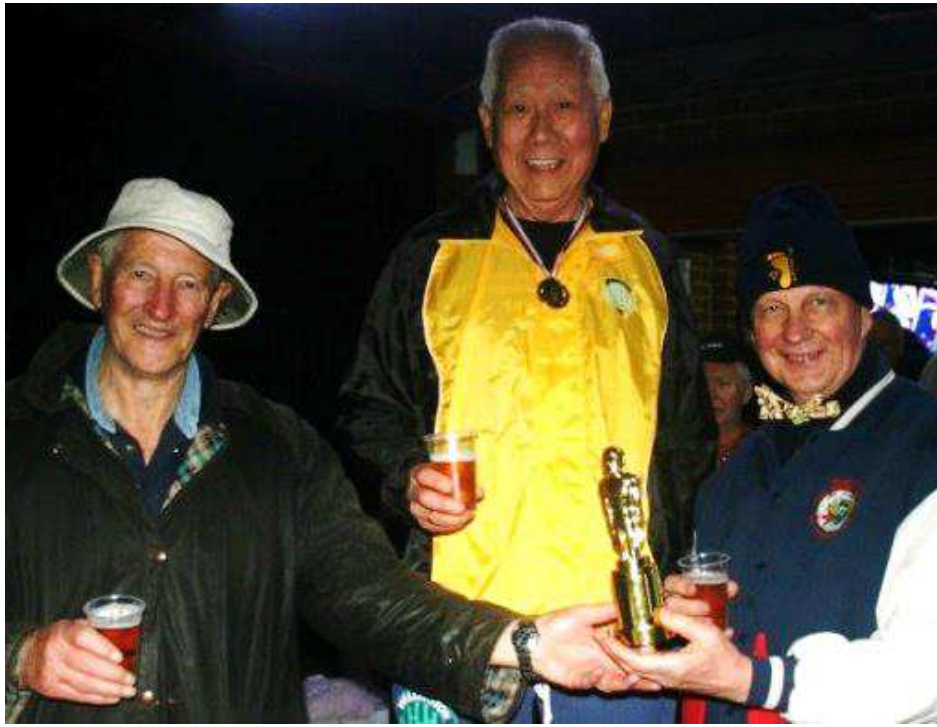
After the usual Fun, Games and far reaching charges, it was time to reveal **The WINNER** which was done by a Reverse Count , culminating in a surprise but **Popular Nomination**, who was presented with the Medal by **BILO**.

BILO MEDAL 2015/2016 Final Order

51 Points,	Hat Night,	GIBBO
51 Points,	Airwick Memorial	QUASI
57 Points	Possums Birthday	TOPPY
58 Points	Legendary Projects	KG
59 Points	New Shed	HERPES
61 Points	Ticket's 1000th	KUNZA
62 Points	2500th & AGM	LETHAL/TOPPY
73 Points	Penang in Berwick	WRONG WAY



An additional Trophy, The **Golden Goby** Award was given to **LETHAL** with **62** Points for Outstanding Effort for the **AGM/2500th** Celebration Run in The Hills, with recognition given to **TOPPY** for actually setting The Run.



WRONG WAY declined to give a speech, but happily posed with **LETHAL** and **TOPPY**, whilst **SIX – 35** toasted them all.



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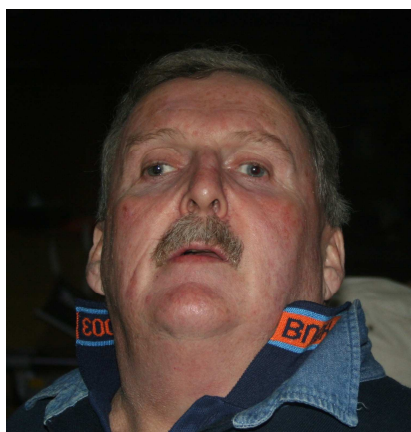
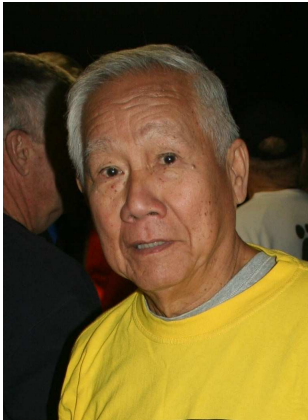
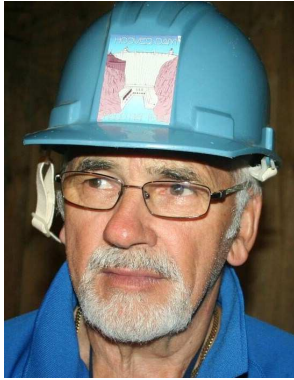
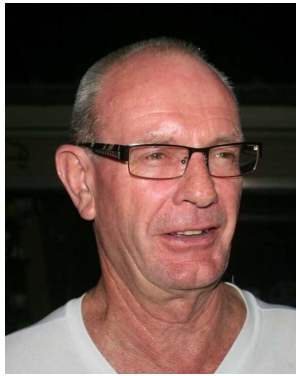
SIX – 35,

Joint Scribe, 2015/2016

"I can't believe that you've been visiting prostitutes for sex," screamed my wife. "I'm really disappointed."

"You can hardly blame me," I answered. "It's not like I was getting any from you."

"Well that's your fault," she replied. "You never told me you were willing to pay for it"



If at first you don't succeed, skydiving is not for you.

A desperate looking woman stood poised on the edge of a high cliff about to jump. A filthy tramp wandering by stopped and said, "Look, since you'll be dead in a few minutes, and it won't matter to you, how about a shag before you go?" She screamed, "NO! Bugger off you filthy old bastard!" He shrugged and turned away saying, "Okay, I'll just go and wait at the bottom then." She didn't jump...

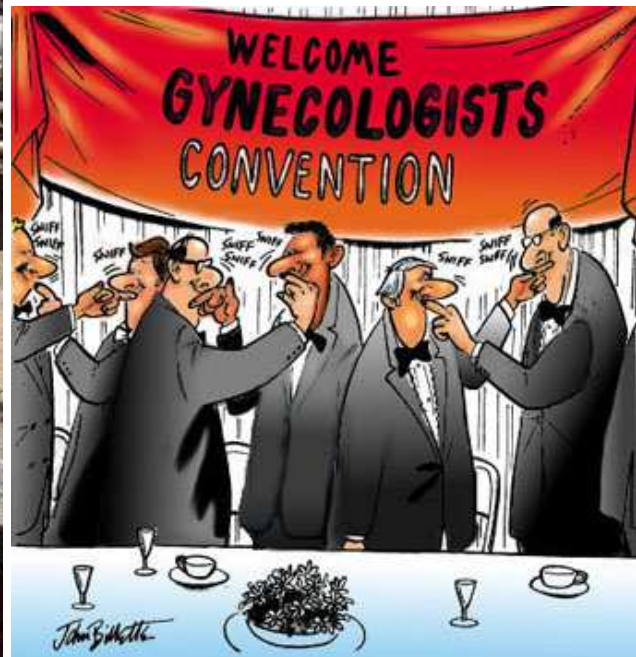
A New York attorney representing a wealthy art collector phoned his client. He said, "Saul, I have some good news and I have some bad news."

The art collector replied, "I've had an awful day, let's hear the good news first."

The lawyer said, "Well, I met with your wife today, and she informed me that she invested \$5,000 in two pictures that she thinks will bring a minimum of \$15-20 million. I think she could be right."

Saul replied enthusiastically, "Well done! My wife is a brilliant businesswoman! You've just made my day. Now I know I can handle the bad news. What is it?"

The lawyer replied, "The pictures are of you and your secretary."





Hey Bionic, do you want to be GM? Geeeezus!



Hmmm. Do I really want to be GM?



You bet your life I do.



I've come a looong way.