



Hash House Harriets Penang

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MEMBERS ONLY

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Newsletter 1962

GM'S notes

Hi Everyone,

Hope you have recovered from Goodyear's army assault course last night! 41 members arrived at the run site and Chicken Tai was a guest. GM reminded everyone to participate in the ball and to support the Harriet endeavour to join in the Fun Run on November 22nd to advertise the 2000th Run and support YB Danny Law. Goodyear told us the run was a virgin, medium run with a check and a bar, to be careful as there were bees and that slow runners should carry a torch.

So off we all went, initially in the usual direction but went further left than usual. Even this first bit was slippery and Inspector Gadget had to give me a haul up one bit. We were climbing up through scrubby, cleared land and eventually we reached the check. There were possibilities to the right, to the left and straight up. I followed Inspector Gadget straight up and when we had gone a fair distance we ventured to the right and met up with Frank who had already checked thoroughly one area and then we saw old paper still on the trees and decided the hare would have cleared this so we were in the wrong area. As we started scrambling back we heard calls to the left and when we caught up were behind the slowest runners which we had to pass carefully as they were already in strife without us adding to it.

We went left a bit, up a bit, left a bit, up a bit. And then I caught up with Bendover, Colleen and Speedhound. Speedhound and I decided we should push forward a bit faster but the other two stopped for a gossip. We heard the bar called and went a bit to the right but then heard Mini Sausage to the left but up. We scrambled towards his voice and when we were close enough he told us to pick

up some paper so he could close the bar. Frank was with us by this time and was concerned that there was a stretch with no paper so Mini Sausage went back to close the gap.

By this time the rain was relentless and the ground beneath our feet so slippery that remaining erect was an effort that frequently failed. We got to the top and began the downhill stagger. It was getting darker and the paper was very difficult to see because it was soaked and crumpled. We caught up with Alistair and Chicken Tai and then Black German and a few others joined us. We were all walking like those very old people who have lost confidence in their ability to move unaided.

Chicken Tai and Black German were the heroes as they remained calm through out and were the ones that found the paper. We then had to negotiate the concrete path so we slowed to a snail's pace to avoid a fall that would result in something twisted or broken. It seemed like the cars were parked on another planet but eventually we did get back.

We changed and sat freezing in the rain, eating the food provided and very worried by the fact that there were three people still out. First Colleen made it out and was wounded on both arms but was still in good form. I was shocked that she was alone and far too late in the day realized we should have waited for her but we thought she was with Bendover. After some considerable time, Bibi Tulips and Bendover arrived back. Many hashers had already left and the rest of us were cold so we decided not to have a circle.

I left early because I was baby sitting for Linda but not long after I had arrived at the house I got a call to say I had Bibi's car keys so I had to drive back to the site. Oh dear....I feel an icing coming on....Not only are we back to lost runners but now GM is taking off with keys!!!!!! Humble apologies Bibi.

We do want different runs and different locations, so inevitably sometimes a run will be challenging. Could I please ask hares, especially at this time of the year, if the run is either longer or more challenging than usual to make sure that the latter part of the run is heavily papered with paper clipped at waist level so the torches can pick it out readily!

Many thanks to Goodyear and his crew of co-hares for a very memorable evening!

Have a great week see you all next Thursday. On....On...

****** Next Run **** 1962**

05-Nov-09 Bill & Edna – Bayee Pass

Hareline

Run Number	Date	Hare	Location
1963	12-Nov-09	Ai Lee/Datin	Waterfall Rd. Big Car Park
1964	19-Nov-09	Michael Longhair	Paya Terubong
1965	26-Nov-09	Tiny/Huge	Miami Bay
1966	3-Dec-09	Mini Sausage	TAR College
1967	10-Dec-09	Union Jack	Mar Vista
1968	17-Dec-09	Pot Luck Run	
		Speedhound / Smiling Horse	
1969	24-Dec-09	Speedhound / Smiling Horse	Charlie Market
1970	31-Dec-09	Car Boot/Pussy Cat	Twin Towers Watertank

Announcement from the On Sex

(contact Justbeer)

If you have any requests/articles/information to give the members please contact me.

If you have a problem setting your run please contact a member of the committee as soon as possible. I have the hash paper please let me know if you need it!

Rubbish!!! Please take care of your rubbish and not just throw it about anywhere!!! Waste bags are always available at our gatherings yet we still find rubbish strewn about. If we want to be welcomed back to our venues we should take care to make sure the area is clean when we leave! The committee are not here to clean up your rubbish. Please be thoughtful and dispose of all rubbish carefully.

Well it is nearly the end of the year and we have only 9 runs left for 2009. The new harelne will be published shortly for you to digest and forward plan.

HOWEVER since there has been quite a number of complaints from members about shared runs and how unfair this is to those who do not or cannot share, from the beginning of 2010 the committee has decided to revert to the original and accepted concept of EACH member having to set a run. Afterall we are members in our own right and pay our subscriptions separately and hence we accept the rules of the club upon joining or remaining a member. We have at present 84 members and providing our numbers do not fall then from 2010 you will only have to set a run about once every 18 months or even longer. So it should not be a real burden to anyone.

If you cannot make the date you are given then please inform the committee a minimum of 8 weeks before hand. Less than this and YOU will be responsible for finding someone to swap dates with you. It will not be the committee's responsibility.

I have left the above in this week just so that you get used to the idea!!!

Just another gentle reminder to the hares of the day that it is your responsibility to provide plates!

Welcome back to Helmut and Renata after their European visit.

Penang Bridge Fun Run 22nd November. The closing date is 31st October!!!!!! You can register on line at <http://www.penangmarathon.gov.my/>
Let's try and get a good group together to promote our 2000th run.

DON'T FORGET OUR UPCOMING HASH BALL

IT IS ALMOST HERE!!!!!!!

 HASH HOUSE HARRIETS PENANG	S	 HASH HOUSE HARRIETS PENANG
Hash Ball 2009	P	Hash Ball 2009
Venue : City Bayview Hotel Jalan Farquhar, Penang	E	Venue : City Bayview Hotel Jalan Farquhar, Penang
Date : 6th November 2009(Friday)	C	Date : 6th November 2009(Friday)
Time : 7 PM - 12 PM	M	Time : 7 PM - 12 PM
Price : RM60.00 Per Person	N	Price : RM60.00 Per Person
Dress Code : Smart Casual		

**TICKETS Selling well!
get yours NOW to avoid disappointment!!!**

SEE THE GM, HASH CASH, On Sex

**Prize donations needed!!!!!!!
Please Give Generously!!!!!!
HasH acts anyone???????????????**

Please note!

All fully paid up members who have been with the club for 6 months of the current year will be eligible for a RM20 subsidy on next year's subscription on attending the Ball.

Harriets 2000th Run

This is a 3 day event happening from 25th to 27th June 2010.

- **25th June - Red Dress Run (RM50 which goes to charity) followed by Welcome Dinner.**
- **26th June - Main Run Day**
- **27th June - Hangover Run**

Fees for ALL PENANG HASH CHAPTERS until 31st Dec 2009 is RM 100 + RM50 for Red Dress Run= RM150

1st Jan 2010 onwards, fees increase to RM150 + Rm50 =Rm200

After 1st April 2010, no guarantee of freebies!!!!!!

So please register and PAY early.....For registration, please see Hari2 Mau or Uncle Bee.

**You can download the Registration Form from
hashhouseharrietspenang.com**

THIS WEEK'S PHOTO GALLERY

Our host for this week was:



GOODYEAR

Many thanks Goodyear...What a night!!!!!!!!!

No circle this week but here are some photos of the evening.



I'm sitting in the rain, just sitting in the rain, what a wonderful feeling....



Hair raising hares!!



Tin Tin not wanting to ruin his hair style!!!



Yippee I'm back!!!



What are friends for if not to hold up your boobs!!



Yes Alex you ARE back safely if a little traumatised!



Welcome back Helmut and Renata!!



*The walking wounded. Yes Colleen now you can say you are a Penang Harriet!!!
The toughest bunch of Harriets in the world!!*





YES!!!!!! We made it!!!!!! Finally!!!!!!



A well earned beer to wash away the mud!!

***This week's Happy Birthday greetings go to:
Annelies***



HAPPY BIRTHDAY FROM ALL OF US!!!!

Invitation Runs

November 2009

12th Borneo Nash Hash Nov 6-8, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, Malaysia

December 2009

Penang Rainforest Hash Challenge.
12th December. Hosted by PH4
Contact On Sec 0164161782 or [Mahatir](#)

January 2010

Damansara Hash 23rd January

25th Anniversary

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Contact GM *Thomas Chin* on 012 278 1582

March 2010

3rd Philippines Hash Bash 2010 Mar 5-7, Boracay, Philippines

8th Malaysia Nash Hash 2010 Mar 12-14,
Royal Klang Club, Klang, Malaysia

Api Api Hash House Club Mar 19-20,
15th Anniversary Celebration Run
Kota Kinabalu, Sabah
Contact: api2h2@yahoo.com

Kelab 4H Jitra March 27
15th Anniversary Celebration Run
Bukit Wang, Jitra, Kedah.
RM 50. Closing date 31-01-10
Contact On Sex 0124020777

June 2010

Vodka-Train Interhash Prelube Jun 8-28,
Moscow to Beijing on the train!
More info [here](#)

Penang Harriets 2000th Run
June 25-27,
Contact info@hashhouseharrietspenang.com

July 2010

17th Interhash 2010 Jul 2-4,
Kuching, Sarawak, Malaysia

April 2011

1st World Heritage Hash 2011 (April 15th - 17th) In Unesco Melaka, MalaysiaPlease visit our website for further details:
<http://worldheritagehash.weebly.com>

Funny Stuff!!!!

A physician visited a California mental institution and asked a patient "How did you get here? What is the nature of your illness?"

He got this reply.

"It started when I got married and I guess I should never have done it. I got hitched to a widow with a grown daughter who then became my stepdaughter.

"My Daddy came to visit us, fell in love with my lovely stepdaughter, then married her. And so my stepdaughter was now my stepmother."

"Soon my wife had a son who was, of course, my daddy's brother-in-law since he is the half-brother of my stepdaughter, who is now, of course, my daddy's wife. So as I told you, when stepdaughter married my daddy, she was at once, my stepmother. Now since my new son is brother to my stepmother, he also became my uncle.

"As you know, my wife is my step grand-mother since she is my stepmother's mother. (Don't forget that my stepmother is my stepdaughter.) Remember, too, that I am my wife's grandson.

"But hold on just a few minutes more. You see, since I'm married to my step grand-mother, I am not only the wife's grandson and her hubby, but I am also my own grandfather.

"Now can you understand how I got put in this place?"

By taking part in a Hash House Harriets Penang run or event, you agree not to hold the organisers or any affiliated individual responsible for any injury or mishap that may happen to you.