



# Hash House Harriets Penang

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## Newsletter 1936

### *VGM's Note*

With the GM away for 2 months, the VGM called for circle. With 38 members and 4 Guest . Hash welcomes KGB, O ,Look and John P .Many Thanks to Sex Bitch and Gangrene for the great run and makan. A big Thanks to Big Willy for writing the burst. ON,ON.

\*\*\*\* Next Run \*\*\*\* 1936

## 7 -May - 09 G-Man joint run with FTAC Bukit Gambier

| Run Number | Date      | Hare               | Location              |
|------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 1937       | 14-May-09 | Christina/Junita   | Waterfall Big carpark |
| 1939       | 28-May-09 | Bibi Tulips        | Tar College           |
| 1940       | 4-Jun-09  | Uncle Bee          | De Juice              |
| 1941       | 11-Jun-09 | Rambo/ Toddy Tan   | Jalan Halia           |
| 1942       | 18-Jun-09 | Pauline            |                       |
| 1943       | 25-Jun-09 | Whatever           |                       |
| 1944       | 2-Jul-09  | Johnny Lee         |                       |
| 1945       | 9-Jul-09  | Ronnie Tour/Spikey |                       |
| 1946       | 16-Jul-09 | Sheila             |                       |
| 1947       | 23-Jul-09 | Mark Chong         |                       |
| 1948       | 30-Jul-09 | Silvian/Alistair   |                       |
| 1949       | 6-Aug-09  |                    |                       |

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|------|-----------|---------------------------|---------------|
| 1950 | 13-Aug-09 | Iceman                    |               |
| 1951 | 20-Aug-09 | Akzhole/Justbeer          |               |
| 1952 | 27-Aug-09 | Takecare                  |               |
| 1953 | 3-Sep-09  | Big Willy/Hari Hari Mau   |               |
| 1954 | 10-Sep-09 | Eddie the Punk            |               |
| 1955 | 17-Sep-09 | Silent Man                |               |
| 1956 | 24-Sep-09 | Grasshopper/Endiran       |               |
| 1957 | 1-Oct-09  | Angelique                 |               |
| 1958 | 8-Oct-09  | Snow White /Grandma       |               |
| 1959 | 15-Oct-09 | Busybody/Good Licker      | Jalan Tembaga |
| 1960 | 22-Oct-09 | Thangga/Bypass            |               |
| 1961 | 29-Oct-09 | Good year                 |               |
| 1962 | 5-Nov-09  | Bill/Edna                 |               |
| 1963 | 12-Nov-09 | Speedhound/ Smiling Horse |               |
| 1964 | 19-Nov-09 | Michael Longhair          |               |
| 1965 | 26-Nov-09 | Tiny/Huge                 |               |
| 1966 | 3-Dec-09  | Datin Choo Choo           |               |
| 1967 | 10-Dec-09 | Union Jack                |               |
| 1968 | 17-Dec-09 | Mini Sausage              |               |
| 1969 | 24-Dec-09 | Ai Lee                    |               |
| 1970 | 31-Dec-09 | Car Boots/Pussy Cat       |               |

## THE BURST

Arriving at the runsite opposite the Green house, we were able to find a parking spot and get our hash shoes on, sort out water and assorted straps and trusses before the witching hour of 6 p.m. A good crowd had already arrived, perhaps looking forward to a run where the GM, who is M.I.A., didn't lead them off on a wild goose chase!

The pack formed up on the side of the road, champing with expectation, eager to be off. Five minutes passed, then ten, and eventually at about 6.15, Sex Bitch, the Bunny, appeared, muttering that she had expected the circle to be in her garden. Better for one person to cross Western Road than the whole pack... twice!

VGM, Speed Hound called the circle and announced next week's run at Bukit Gambier, the scene of Richard Jones' adventure of two weeks ago. Everyone is very glad to see him out and about again, even if he isn't running just yet.

After that, the Bunny showed us the paper and pointed the direction, admitting that there could be checks, but by then the front runners were away down the road that leads to the new car park and so to the hill.

No sooner were we past the barrier into the MPPP nursery, than the paper disappeared and we were casting around for the first check. After a few minutes the paper was found and we were on up the first hill by the waterfall. Considering the rain we've had, it was not too slippery.

Up the trail went until we hit the track to number five, where the paper led left, on up. A circle at a bend in the track had the front runners checking upwards and sideways, and it took maybe ten minutes before the paper was found behind a large rock below the check. The well laid checks, and the profusion of ASS paper, were a sure sign that Itchybai had been involved!

From here the trail led steeply down and through the cave below a massive rock before crossing a stream and then climbing again. Up and up... to another circle check! Again the front runners cast about uphill and all around, except straight down, which is where that well known front runner, Dom, eventually called "On Paper!" From here it was a fast slither down to where the trail hit the concrete track and so down to the new car park and back to the runsite in good time.

All in all, this was a model of a well set short to medium run, with everyone coming out very close together. The front runners had probably searched around for twenty minutes on the three checks, giving plenty of time for the slower members to re-group and catch their breath.

Then it was back to the Green house for excellent chicken pasta, thanks Mimin, and a fun circle, conducted by past VGM Hari2 Mau, as the Speed Hound had already sped home. At about 11 p.m. Gangrene got out his 12 string guitar and treated us to a musical interlude before the last stalwarts headed for home at midnight. Another great night with the club where you want to be! s.

### *Announcement from the VGM* (More info, contact GM or VGM)

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

As you can see the Hareline is published for the year. However to complete it, we do need to have your venues as soon as possible, TQ

### *Invitation Runs*

**Butterworth Hash House Harriers** 29th Anniversary Celebration Run, on June 6 2009.  
Fees RM50. Sign-up: [egonlim@yahoo.com](mailto:egonlim@yahoo.com)

**Ulu Kelantan Hash House Harriers** 30th Anniversary Celebration Run, on June 6 2009.  
Fees RM 60. More info/sign up: [ukhhhk@yahoo.com](mailto:ukhhhk@yahoo.com)

**12th Annual Kuala Lumpur Full Moon Ball Breaker Run**, June 7 2009 Sunday  
Registration Form: [www.klfullmoonhash.com](http://www.klfullmoonhash.com) - click on Forms  
Rego Fee: RM75 until May 21, RM100 thereafter (includes run, freebies & On On)

**GH5 10th Anniversary Celebration Run**, 10 May. Fees RM 60.  
Info/sign up: Piss Stop 019-316 3833

**Ocean to Ocean Kedah Tengah 4H 2nd Anniversary Celebration Run**, 30 May 2009.  
Fees RM 50. Info/sign up: Annie Lee 012-4142622

BM4H 4th Anniversary Celebration Run, 25 July 2009.

Fees RM 50. Info/sign up: [bm4h09@yahoo.com](mailto:bm4h09@yahoo.com)

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-----Note from Richard Jones-----

On 6th April 2009, Richard Jones, the oldest member of Penang Hash House Harriers, set out to follow the trail, about ten minutes earlier than the official starting time of 6 p.m. As usual, the faster runners soon overtook him. He continued hobbling up the trail, expecting, as usual, that the slower runners would soon catch up with him, and that they would either turn round and go back or stick together to the end of the trail. However, nobody else came and he continued his upward climb. It turned out later that the other runners had all taken a short-cut, instead of following paper.

By 7 p.m. he had reached the top of a very steep hill and followed the paper trail downhill. At about 7.15 p.m. he lost the paper but continued to go downhill, and he could see the lights of traffic on the Relau Pass as a guide. At about 7.30 p.m. he slipped about ten feet down between two rocks, hitting his spine and the back of his head and tearing some skin off his forehead. He was still conscious and set about finding a way out of the hole he was in.

This turned out to be not so easy and fighting his way through masses of roots and branches took a long time, especially when he had to turn back and try again in a different direction. It was about 10 p.m. when he got out of the hole and onto more passable terrain but he was absolutely exhausted and would be happy to lie down and sleep until daylight, but he knew that his friends would be waiting for him that night.

Richard himself always carried a mobile phone but had lost it one week earlier. He had already replaced it but had not yet installed any contact numbers, so did not bring it on the run. A number of hashmen had stayed back and were already looking for him but did not hear his yells or see his torchlight flashing. It was only well after 11 p.m. that he reached a track used by motorcyclists, so he stopped one and asked for a lift to Bukit Gambier, where the run had started. However, the motorcyclist did not know where this was, so dropped him off at Paya Terubong Police Station at about midnight.

The Police immediately let him phone his wife, who was already in touch with the waiting hashmen and was able to tell them that an ambulance had been called and that he would be sent to Penang General Hospital. He was by now very thirsty but their rules did not allow the ambulance men to give him any water.

On arrival at the hospital, still covered in dirt, he was glad to find his wife and friends already there. The staff confirmed that he was dehydrated and gave immediate attention to his cuts and bruises. The next four hours were spent on his back while they treated him, including more than 25 stitches on his face, and many more cuts and bruises. At 4 a.m. they sent him to a ward on a trolley, but the men's ward was full so they sent him to the female ward. At 4.15 a.m. he asked if they had a bed for him but they explained that this was "being organized". At 5 a.m. a coffin was wheeled in but it was not for Richard. A corpse was transferred to the coffin and Richard was given his bed.

X-rays later showed a crack in one vertebra but a brain scan found no problems. The dehydration and exhaustion was the main problem and he was 'on a drip' for a week and eventually kept in hospital for 11 days.