



St Thomas, Exeter: Hares Buzby

THE TRAIL

Arriving at Cowick Barton car park there was the usual frivolity as more hashers turned up. Mind you, there was the threat of being lumbered at the AGPU afterwards. We circled up and STIX as GM did the usual intro's and passed over to BUZBY, who was hare for the day.

"Owing to the fact we are having an AGPU the trail is a short one with just one long/short split". That's ok then and onon we went. Much of the trail was on road so this gives lots of opportunities for checks, of which there were many, with many cunning and unpredictable changes of direction. In the early stages we were like starbursts at the checks, quite impressive really. As I was cruising thinking what a together group we are, up sidles BALLSUP to me and chats. "Are you busy these days?" he asks. "So so" I reply. "You won't mind doing the words then". "Doh!!". Walked into that one.

I chose to do the short, just as well really as the long appears to have been a long long. Running along the canal bank, up comes SPOCKYBITZ, being ahead of the other longs, and after we went under the bridge, we came to a Back-check (yes, Back-check). Wandering back I made the mistake of trying to think like the hare. My reasoning was that we must surface at the road so I surfaced without going back under the bridge. Well of course everyone did surface - but not until they had done the Sweetie-Stop. So I missed that and found myself all alone finding the trail. Anyway, eventually there was the comforting sound of 'On-On' being called and hashers appeared all

over the place. A bit of park and more roads, loads more checks, more confusion and then on home.

At the circle, SPOCKY had previously volunteered to be RA and did so with aplomb (wot?)

DOWN-DOWNS

BUZBY: For a short trail

STIX and PUSS: For technology

AOT: For the hat

WHOOOPSIE: For the jacket

XBITZ: For being innumerate

And later at the AGPU PARAPRICK: For being forty.

By the time you read this you will hopefully have enjoyed another really good hash!!

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ON DOWN

Annual AGPU was help. Minutes of the meeting will be issued separately. The Buffet Food was great and as attendance was poor the portions were most satisfying. Damp Patch (who was absent) will be kicking himself when he learns what he missed!

NEXT WEEK'S HASH

Date: 7 October 2009

Time: 7.30 pm

Meet: The Farm House, Church Road,
Exmouth (SY 016 829)

On Down: The Farm House

Hare(s): Coffin and Spocky

