R*n 2090 Gardeners Brentwood

Hares: Compressed Fart & Corpse

It started in the car park apparently..... one amongst us tried to pay for parking his car with small coins. I'm not sure of what exactly went on as many of EH3 took advantage of the 6pm end of the parking restrictions and parked kerbside outside the pub.

Anyway more of that later.....Corpse was already out and about to set up a beer stop, the Hare said the trail was about 5 and a half miles and the pack set off to the right and the knitters along with the hare turned left. After crossing at the lights 5 knitters began to follow the hare downhill. Dr Dolittle was the first to realise that the direction we were heading meant that our return to the pub would be an uphill struggle so she went off to buy a few windows (well she said she went window shopping)

10 minutes later Sucked Inn and I were following Heapo, Pied Piper and the Hare but as we were still going downhill Sucked Inn and I cast ourselves off from the knitters to do a small circular walk back to the high street.

We got back to the pub at just after 7.35pm to find Dr D in the garden, we weren't expecting an early return of the pack but shortly after 8.15 a few hashers began trickling in. AGO, Blowdry, Zipper were some of the first as well as Pulled Out (I think) and they hadn't made it to the beer stop.

Those that did make it to the beer stop had kitkats, jelly babies and beer and were around 8.45. Dr D had been in touch with Vicky who said he was just about to get to the beer stop. That's when Corpse came out into the garden and realised that V V would have arrived too late to partake. Raffle tickets were sold and as Fag After was on another jaunt, Dr Deaf got the beers in (yet another pub that charges an 80p premium for 2 halves of ale rather than a pint!!)

The RA was just about to call the Hare out for his pint when Vicky got back.... As he missed out on the beer stop the pint was duly awarded to Vicky as compensation.

Casey awarded down downs to the hare, 359 for chatting up the lady runners and not being quick enough to catch them and BCSP for the car park shenanigans. He then handed the remainder on the tray to Vicky who invited Sludge & Pulled out to have a drink to commiserate the Southend loss and after many accusations about who told who that everyone had reached the beer stop Blowdry & Lunchbox took the last 2 on the tray.

Most of the above is hearsay so any inaccuracies are purely someone else's fault.

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