

Mount Vernon Hash House Harriers

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HASH #910

HARES: POOP DECK, LETS MAKE A DEAL, LULU THE GAY SAILOR, and a few others?

TRAIL REPORT

Note to self: when calculating flour needed for trail, double your first guess! The overwhelming theme of this hash seemed to be 'the hares ran out of flour', which was a slight exaggeration. There was flour all the way up to the on-in. You just had to have improving eyesight approaching the end, as the quantities diminished proportionately to the distance remaining. Myself, I thought it was a marvelous trail (if I do say so myself). A few others agreed, especially the many walkers, including **RED SNAPPER, ONLY 2?, SCREWS EVERYBODY, SCHLECKING THE BISHOP and BABY, DANGEROUSLY CLOSE, FLYING BURRITO, FIRE and ICE, WHACK ME**, and many many others (so how bad could it be??). There were, however, a few whiners (as always) and we even needed a search party, but I'm getting ahead of myself. As seems to be the trend this Fall, the weather was perfect for hashing. We had a great crowd, 69 plus the hares!! What a beeeaaauutiful day for hashing!

WAKE ME UP BUTTERCUP and **WHACK ME SMACK ME** had some very cool, long-sleeved shirts available, which distracted everyone long enough to give the hares a few extra minutes head start. The on-on was nowhere near the start, so shortcutting was pretty much a non-event. The walkers' trail was also the second half of the runners' trail. **BYTE** and **THROBBING MEMBER** packed it in somewhere along the way and ran back to the cars, but **MIKE MONEY** and crew piled into **POOPDECK'S** rescue car and came back to celebrate the on-in. Everyone at the on-in was having fun (unless they were lost) so the circle started quite late (see comment at the end), and the crowd was quite restless (what's new, **BURITO** is back!!). **TORE ASS** and **FIRE 'N ICE** returned to us with news from the Tacoma Hash. **TORE ASS** gave a **PUDKNOCKER** report: **PUD** has gained weight and is showing signs of improvement. **AND HOW'S HER**

BUSH helped gather violations (I think he must have been hiding something). Besides the hares, we had quite a few violations: ***GRANNY BOULDERS, SCREWS EVERYBODY, RED SNAPPER, DO ME NEXT WEEK**, and others snuck away unnoticed (yeah right!) to Starbucks before Father Abraham. ***DO ME NEXT WEEK** was heard saying, "this cup of coffee cost me what I usually pay for a whole can of coffee at the grocery store!" I guess she's not a coffee snob like some of the rest of us! ***CRAFTY** not only wore new shoes, but new shoes that matched his jacket!

***BAD DITCH** was caught getting into **CRAFTY'S** pants (they didn't match the shoes and jacket I guess). ***SEVEN MINUTES, VOMINATRIX, and SHORT BUS BITCH** all claim to be pregnant!! Must be something in the water? (I guess we are going to have to have an MVH3 baby day now!) ***MIGHTY TITE** had too much fun with the food, and entertained the crowd by adding 'little pumpkins' to his spaghetti. ***BSP, WANKERS, BIG BIRD TURD, and MELLOW FORESKIN CHEESE** were heard talking politics on trail (yuck). ***BUTTERCUP** was said to be wearing her red dress pants because all of her other clothing was still in the laundry. Seems there is some rule about wearing everything 24 hours, I didn't quite get it.

I ended up with the Hashshit. I was said to have blamed my son (**DIAPER RASH**) for the lack of flour. I vehemently deny all charges (but I still have the hashshit).

After trail everyone seemed comfortable gathering on the various porches to enjoy the outdoors, eat a little spaghetti, play with the kids, and absorb the wonderful heat generated by the cute outdoor chimnea and fire pit... Then again, maybe we were just all waiting for the lost hashers to make it off trail.... either way, we kudos to **LET'S MAKE A DEAL** and **LU-LU** for having a great setting for a Fall hash

On-On till next week,

~**LET'S MAKE A DEAL**

with additions by **DANGEROUSLY CLOSE**

REMINDER!

ATTENTION HARES:
Please remember to provide directions to the Start of your trail to the Hare Raiser **TWO WEEKS** in advance. This ensures that it gets put into the **TRASH** so people can plan to be there!

CIRCLE REPORT

~ ~ 59 Hashers signed-in this week ~ ~

No Circle report was provided to the Editors therefore no Circle Report is included in this Trash. Boo Hiss!



THE NEXT HASH

Hash #912 10 AM - Nov 6 \$5.00

HARES: BITE ME ELMO and GREAT BALLS OF FIRE

DIRECTIONS: When asked for directions so they could be put into this Hash Trash, the hares replied, "sure... just as soon as we figure out a trail ;-)



I think this means we are in for a real treat next week... NOT!

EVERYTHING YOU EVER WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT PUMPKINS BUT WERE AFRAID TO ASK...



• Pumpkins are fruits. A pumpkin is a type of squash and is a member of the gourd family (Cucurbitaceae), which also includes squash, cucumbers, gherkins, and melons.

- Pumpkins have been grown in North America for five thousand years. They are indigenous to the western hemisphere.
- In 1584, after French explorer Jacques Cartier explored the St. Lawrence region of North America, he reported finding "gros melons." The name was translated into English as "pompions," which has since evolved into the modern "pumpkin."
- Pumpkins are low in calories, fat, and sodium and high in fiber.
- They are good sources of Vitamin A, Vitamin B, potassium, protein, and iron.
- The largest pumpkin ever grown was 1,337 pounds. It was grown by Charles Houghton of New Boston, New Hampshire.

Date	Trail #	Hareline
13-Nov-04	913	Missing Link, Full Metal Balls
20-Nov-04	914	Put it Out and Friends
27-Nov-04	915	MVH3 Mismgmt:Granny Boulders, Flying Burrito
4-Dec-04	916	MVH3 Mismanagement
11-Dec-04	917	Corkscrewed, Puss in Boots, Just Lance
18-Dec-04	918	Loan Shark, Corkscrewed, Cheap Slut
25-Dec-04	919	Dangerously Close and Crew
1-Jan-05	920	Hot Legs and Any other male hares
8-Jan-05	921	
15-Jan-05	922	Buttercup, Burnt Sox, Whack Me SM, Dead Hare
22-Jan-05	923	Dual Airbags and Crew
29-Jan-05	924	Dr. Strangelove, and crew

- Pumpkin seeds should be planted between the last week of May and the middle of June. They take between 90 and 120 days to grow and are picked in October when they are bright orange in color. Their seeds can be saved to grow new pumpkins the next year.
- The largest pumpkin pie ever baked was in 2003 and weighed 418 pounds.

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LATE BREAKING NEWS

THE NEXT HASH

Hash #912

10 AM

Nov 6

\$5.00

HARES: BITE ME ELMO and GREAT BALLS OF FIRE

START: Devonshire School & Admin Center, 2831 Graham Road, Falls Church, VA (See ADC Map: Fairfax, Va Map 15 G-5)

DIRECTIONS:

From Anywhere: Get on the Beltway, drive to VA. Take the Route 50/Arlington Boulevard exit [Exit # 50] and drive east, i.e. inside the Beltway. Drive approximately one mile, and make a left onto Graham Road [there is a traffic light, Mobil Station & Loehman's Plaza will be on right]. Drive on Graham Road for about a mile (slightly less) - the Devonshire Center will be on the right. Park & Hash.

From Arlington: Get on Lee Highway/Route 29 and drive, drive, drive west. When you enter the city limits of Falls Church, Route 29 is miraculously renamed "Washington Street" to confuse the tourists. Continue on Route 29/Lee Highway/Washington St. When you see the sign "Leaving Falls Church" you should be in the left lane, because at the next light - Graham Road - make a left. Devonshire Center will be on your left. Park & Hash.

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION:

Stroller friendly on walkers trail. Trail is dog friendly. As always, dry shoes, bag, yadda, yadda.

ON-ON AFTERWARDS: For those of the "not faint of heart or stomach", P & P's Restaurant, 445 S. Washington St [i.e. Route 29]. Across from the Tinner Hill/NAACP Memorial [stone arch] - look for the P & Ps catering van. This is Roto's & Hard Drive's fave watering hole in Falls Church - 'nuff said.