

KENNET VALLEY HASH HOUSE HARRIERS

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Your Scribe this week - Navy Mike

Your hare this week - Ian - prepared and ran todays trail in those horrendous gales and floods on the Saturday. No wonder he was a little disappointed that only two runners and four walkers turned up today. But all those that should have been there but were abed missed a superbe run. The sun came out and Jeremy and your scribe ran in glorious sunshine through deep mud and small lakes up huge hills and down into steep valleys. We had no idea where we were but there were several points at the top of the escarpment where the views were stunning - you could see Edinburgh from one point Ian said but we didn't believe him and it was great running country.

The walkers Richard and Sylvia and Colin and Cousin Margaret had a good time too. They got lost right at the last part of the trail and the runners were back in the pub supping ale for ages before Ian nipped out and intercepted them just as they were about to go round the trail again.

The apres was very pleasant. Nice pub even though the beer was expensive - and they had a poltergeist. Richard placed his pint of Arkells best on a perfectly flat table and as everyone watched the pint moved slowly and steadily to the edge of the table on its own and then dropped off. The landlord apologised for the poltergeist's behaviour and replaced the beer and luckily we had no more trouble.

A very good run indeed - our thanks to Ian.

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019	8th November 98	The Downgate Hungerford	Margaret and Julia
020	22nd November 98	The Three Tuns at Great Bedwyn	Navy Mike
021	6th December 98	The Bear at Marlborough	Navy Mike
022	20th December 98	The Shepherds Rest (near Liddington) (special Christmas run with goodies for children of all ages)	Richard