

## **Hash Report - Run 210 - Beck Wythop**

**Sunday 4 November  
(Hares Plum Tart and Rocky Rock)**

Dragging themselves away from last minute campaigning in the Presidential election or (Republicans) tamping down the gunpowder for the war to come (November 5<sup>th</sup> and all that) around 15 hashers (not sure if they were around 15 or a round 15) set off in the freezing cold (could the hares not have chosen the warm side of the lake – isn't that hash rule number one?) and set off up the hill towards the open sunny upland of electoral success (just watched Obama's acceptance speech – hope I was not carried away – which of course most republicans should be) and on to the 49<sup>th</sup> check, or was that in a parallel universe? But enough of this nonsense, let's have better nonsense from now on!

So to get to the facts (nasty gritty things – never was any good at them) the run was from Beck Wythop (not to be confused with Wythop Mill – though the hares seemed to think they were the same place taking us from one to the other, then finally realising their mistake, taking us back again). The trail climbed the hill then down a bit, up a bit, left hand down a bit and we were in open ground. A short circle to the left would have brought us back home to a warm stirrup cup, log fire and serving damsels BUT NO the runners were turned right, down, round, up, in, out and back to front before emerging at the aforementioned place. En route it was claimed a certain hasher (rhymes with fuggy) deliberately short cut, which was HIGHLY REPREHENSIBLE and SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED. Do they not realise that a well executed, elegant, short cut is the pinnacle of the game?

Some more inking and outing, upping and downing ensued before a rather splendid run home along a gently down-sloping track.

And what about the walkers? Well they had some, more, and maybe quite enough of the above too.

So, all in all a jolly good show, eh chaps and gals?

Many thanks to the hares, Plum Tart and Rocky Rock for a great run / walk and for gallant efforts to keep most of us in order!

ON ON!

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