

Words for the fabulous Christmas Hash 485) from Modbury on 20th December 2006

Dressed in flowing robes, people were dashing this way and that as we arrived in the car park. **Suzy Wong** would have been forgiven for thinking that he was still in the big sandpit. But no....it was close to freezing conditions, not that that stopped **Screwloose** from sporting a revealing belly-dancer outfit (they don't call her Screwloose for nothing!). **Pullit** would have liked to have called everyone to order in her usual style, but she seemed to have something loose as well..(more of that later). Apparently she thought the theme for the night was "The Sound of Music" as she looked like a rather modest nun (SO out of character)...but then, I could be accused of calling the kettle black. (it's all to do with how you arrange the veil). She, yes our venerable GM, forgot all about welcoming the numerous visitors, many of whom prefer the carol singing and feast of food rather than indulging in strenuous exercise. Young **Matt**, whose hand seems to have been superglued to poor **WoofWoof's**, brought his little sisters, **Hayley and Philippa**. Then there was **JJ and Tailgaiter**, and **Globetrotter** too.

Hatrack could not be seen anywhere...perhaps it was he in the total blackout getup? What about **JellyBaby**? What was she wearing? Nothing memorable... but at least she's had her name in the Words again! **HT2** was dashing around in a gossamer veil looking every bit a windswept bride. **WetSpot**, in dark shades and blue stripes could have been mistaken for a Blues Brother butcher. **ComeEarly** displayed an ample cleavage in her Turkish Delight dress. **DropDeadGorgeous, JulieAndrews, Bobcat, Morticia, Gomez and Sniffer** are all reported to have had reasonable excuses for not dressing up. As for the Hash itself.....not much to report...about a mile and a half in length with two mulled wine stops provided by **Pullit and HateIt & Rollover**, and three carol singing stops provided courtesy of **Rabid's** outrageous adaptation of what used to be fine festive songs. The locals applauded the singingModbury is such a cultural backwater!

Bigfoot failed to break out into a run....perhaps his skirt was too tight? **Hue'n'Cry and Goolie** both struggled with their skirts when negotiating stiles. **Winnie the Poo and Bobcat** were worried about getting their trainers muddy.....didn't they know the ground was frozen? After 3 tumblers of mulled wine, why was **Winnie** worried? **Nutcracker** surprised herself and everyone else by being first back.....yes, she "ran"! **Hayley and Philippa** both reported that it was "really fun & a laugh" "addicted to mulled wine" (what! at your age!) and "good fun to exercise"true Hashers in the making.

Back at the pub **Screwloose** demonstrated her belly dancing skills in front of the food queue....a great buffet was enjoyed by all. **Pullit** ran round in circles extracting money from the people who only turn up when they think there's free food on offer....you've guessed - **Cheesy Chips & Sweet Pea & Tailgaiter**.

FallenWoman awarded DOWNS to**Tamara** - guest and birthday girl from Holland
Hatrack was heard to ask.. Is she a dyke? 'cos I'm sure there are people who'd like to put a finger in it!
Gary Glitter - for some vague reason. **Compo & Nutcracker** for short-cutting to the mulled wine stop.
Screwloose - for braving the cold in the most popular costume.

Rollover & HateIt for manning the thermos flasks.

Goolie - for Haring and **Rabid** for humorous song sheets

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