



Convict Trash



Run 1821 – 7TH February 2022

Hare: Grewsome – Dolls Point

Starters Gun

Well our good luck with the weather finally ran out, and intermittent showers had us taking shelter prior to the start of the run.

Come 6.30pm there was a break in the showers so the runners and walkers took off only to be then drenched by another downfall, the runners made it to the toilet block where they took shelter for a few minutes and the walkers just retired to the tables and seats covered area to wait out the rain.



Run Review by Cameron

The run was interrupted by rain a couple of times. It was a shorter run than normal but it was very nice running through the back streets and parks. No hills.

Very nice so I will give it a score of 8 ½ out of 10.



RA's Report –

Dolls Point

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- Named after a Doll making Factory that was up the road in Ramsgate over 100 years ago
- Believe it or not – not !
- It was apparently named after an escaped Convict who hid in what was a desolate landscape for many years – Fred Doll, Bill Doll
- Yes, this was all classified as an uninhabitable landscape – sand dunes
- A famous landmark is Primrose House. It borders the big Park. It was built in 1891, and was originally the Scarborough Hotel.
- It has been a Hospital during WW1, an Orphanage, an Annex to St George Hospital, and is now a Preparatory School
- The park is named “Peter Depena Reserve”.
- Who is Peter Depena I hear you ask ????

He was a local Alderman who pushed hard for this whole area to be turned into a Public Park, back in the 1930's.

He is known as Australia's first Black Alderman, having come from South Africa.

Around the time of the Moon Landing, and proving very popular with children for many years was the three-piece “imaginative playground equipment set” consisting of a Rocket Ship, a Plane and Lander 1 capsule and was erected in Peter Depena Reserve in the 1960's. Grewsome remembers it well.

Following giving his report, the RA was asked where is Spinifex?

Down the coast getting ready to celebrate her Birthday next weekend.

At this point, Dundee speculated that she will be turning 75!

A British man is visiting Australia. The customs agent asks him, “Do you have a criminal record?” The British man replies, “I didn't think you needed one to get into Australia anymore.”

**Why are murders in Tasmania so hard to solve?
Because there are no dental records and all the DNA matches.**

Prickette

Duck nominated Goldmark - when up at Penrith for Blondie's ongoing 60th Birthday celebration, we had cake and everyone was sitting around eating the cake with the cake forks that were provided, and Goldmark was using her hands to munch the cake.

Grewsome nominated Goldmark – for introducing this Covid strain that brought Cold Duck down

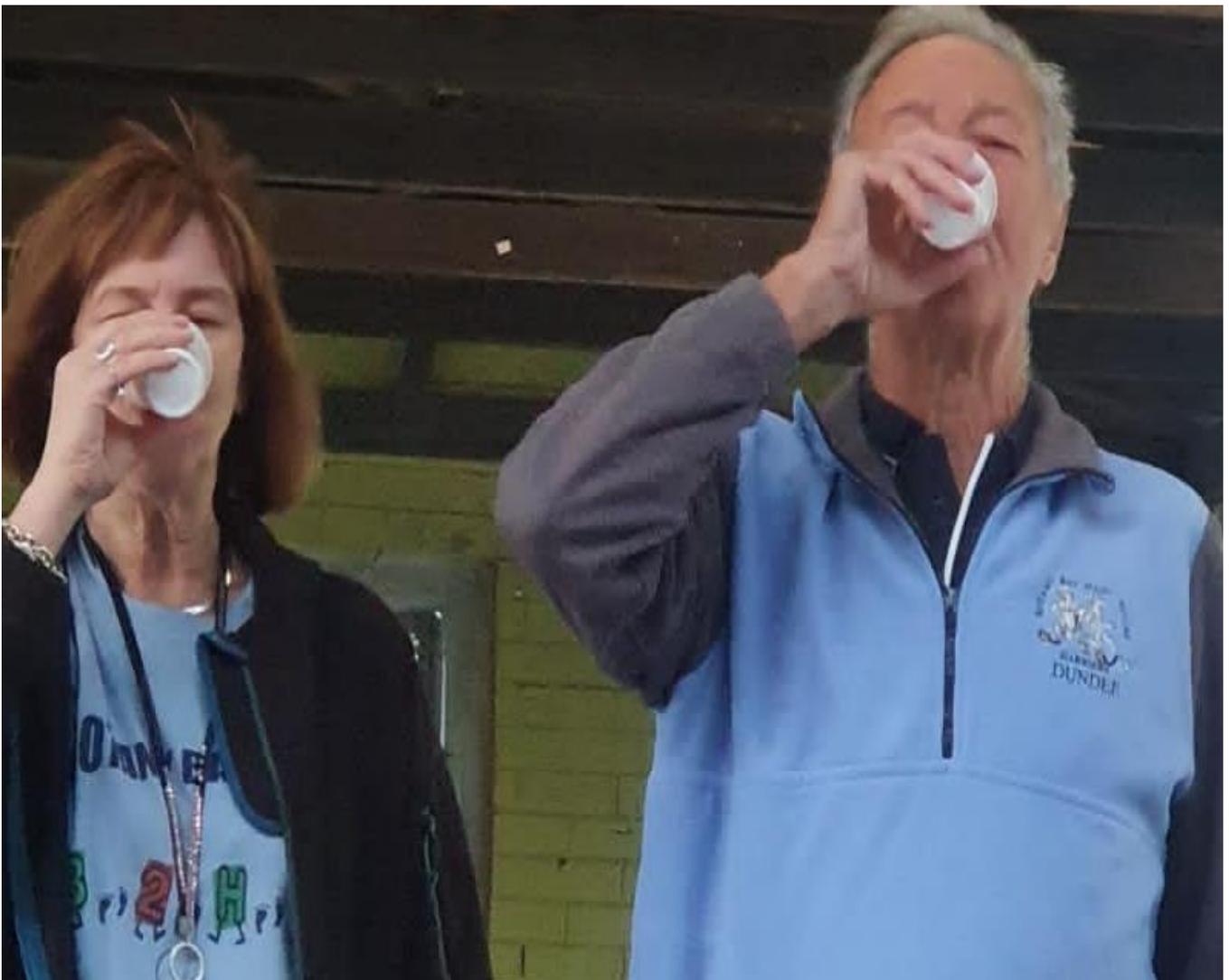
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Duck nominated Dundee – for checking his phone prior to the start of the run for the weather details and the next minute it bucketed down

Hell I Smell Her nominated Dame Nellie – on arrival he got out of his car, decided it was too cold and got back into the car

Prick Dundee

Prickette Goldmark



A great dunny read coming your way again....



Next Weeks' Run Hare – Sir Les – Riverwood

Meet in car park behind the shops in Belmore Road, entry via Coleridge Street and Killara Avenue beside Price Lane

On On - Gai Hoi Vietnamese Restaurant , 317 Belmore Road Riverwood

Hare Line



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