



**Bali HHH 2 Run #910**  
**Canada Day 27<sup>th</sup> June 2009 Peteman Dam, Pejeng**  
**Hare: Yeti assisted by Rocks Off, Serial Offender and Equawhore**

This was an excellent run and rather than go into some verbose description it is probably better if we look at what made it a good run.

- Bali HHH 2 has recently been asking our hares to look for new sites and interesting runs. While Peteman Dam is a well used site we have visited many times our hares had taken the time and trouble to find a very interesting run in areas to the South East that we very rarely visit.
- The run was a "live hare start" a new idea brought in recently by Yeti to stop people leaving before 4:30pm. It was very effective and the pack left together and got back together. The front runners did not spend all the run tripping over early starters and the check backs were not spoiled by early starters.
- Permission had been received from the local community (it is very important that we get permission before setting a run).
- The paper was well laid, enough paper, clearly visible with no clever tricks. Arrow and word chalkmarks were used on roads to help. The direction kept changing to confuse those hashers who know the area.
- There were plenty of checkbacks and checkarounds to keep the pack busy and to keep turning the front runners back. The checks kept going right to the end with a particularly evil one only a couple of hundred yards from the finish. Good stuff.
- The run went through a good mix of interesting countryside with woods, valleys, rice fields, subak, and villages. There were also some spectacular parts most notably a riverside temple carved out of the rock close to the end.
- There was a minimal amount of bitumen.
- For most of the run the paths were wide enough for running and very little damage was done to the rice bunds. In recent months we have found angry farmers who have had their rice fields destroyed by inconsiderate hares.
- The run had some enjoyable difficult sections. While we have to consider the kids and the old blokes like Uncle we should not have to compromise our runs for the sake of the family picnickers. We are, after all, a hash club, the picnickers can always piss off to the beach.
- The hares had taken the time to properly recce the run. It takes time, probably four visits, to properly recce a run in a new area. These hares had put in the effort.

Well done Yeti and your team. A very good run and well set.

The circle also worked very well today. With around 80 runners there were plenty of people to make the day successful but few enough to allow the circle to work properly. This strengthens the membership and improves the club.

Returners were: Closet Queen, Ice Hole, Fendy, JKW, Ketut Andri (Mrs Spook), Made Surya, Manik and Surya Adinata.

Visitors were: Gerhardt Waldner, Uni, Dayan, Clinton Strong, Harry McCall, Lisa Bjorn Jawaid and Atif Jawaid.

Virgins were: Magnus Pettersen, Diana Watts, John Watts, Wendy Smith, Brian Smith, Barbara Sward and Don Sward.

Achiever was Sticky Saddle for 50 runs.

Thank you all for making this a very good day. Please also note that Ding Dong is taking final registrations for the Pan Indo Hash in Surabaya.

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