

Hashoween

Venue- Burleigh Waters



Chef, Hare, Scary Person: Kitchen Bitch

KB runs this every year and keeps coming up with new and interesting ideas and great food. Of course, Range Rover sales plummet in the month prior as he gets ready. But that is another story.

We parked behind the local GCCC Library. Our libraries are a great service. However this one has enough solar panels on its roof to light the whole of Burleigh Waters thanks to our Deep Green GCCC operatives spending our rates unwisely. No wonder Gold Coast rates are around double other areas.



At the start we had an assortment of Ghouls including a badly scarred and Corpulent Monk

After detailed advice we set off under gathering storm clouds which thankfully quickly dissipated.

For the Walkers it was a lovely well marked stroll which included water views towards the **Truckie** mansion, a park circuit and very little traffic in a busy area.

For the Runners it was probably similar. However at least two, **Black Stump** and **Magician** managed to get themselves lost and returned well after the Pack missing out on early goodies.

Reports

Run Report:

Black Stump judged it the best Run in 3 months even though he went anywhere and everywhere including Merrimac School. There were 7 Runners and he awarded 9.5/10. High Praise.

Walk Report:

Weekly reported that **Nasty** complained all the way but did not tell us why. He pronounced - Very Good.

Nosh Report:

Was judged Outstanding. That was an understatement.

- A marvellous entree of salmon, avocado, secret dressing etc.
- An even more marvellous Main of perfectly cooked lamb with about 23 vegetables of all types perfectly cooked and presented.
- A low calorie dessert of cooked Bent Banana, BBQ Banana Bread [Weight Watchers rate banana bread as the highest fat content of any of their ratings] and topped of with ice cream. The Pack cried tears of joy.

Visitors: With **Caustic's** wedding imminent his two friends from abroad were dragged out.

Sunny from England

Tom from Scotland

and offered a Down Down as is traditional

RA: In the absence of SPV **Cumsmoke** rolled out and proceeded to cause havoc, mainly to **Caustic**.

He also brought up information about QBCC inspectors **Truckie** and **VD** who checked the newly laid concrete that was fenced off. It had footprints on it. They found evidence of **Ballpoint** and **Circumference** shoe sizes,

For the rest of his long discourse he gave **Caustic** a total of 9+ Downs Downs and a number to his bridesmaids **Sunny** and **Tom**.



POW:

A **Swollen Colon** lookalike [maybe **SBends**] stood up and diverted to **Hashman of the Year**, a grand trophy that was awarded to **KB** for services to Food and scariness.

After that He dragged in **Pepe, Botcho, Truckie, KB** but all were released in lieu of:

2KYJelly

who was awarded for:

1. Pissing off and drinking our beer
2. Romancing VD
3. Writing letters to help us turn our Hash into a Melbourne version

He accepted the POW in good style.



Hashween Prizes:

KB produced around tow dozen caps tea leafed from many places that went to worthy recipients

But the winner was!!

Truckie

NWR:

Southport Tigers off Queen Street
Melbourn Cup
\$5 sweeps
Committee Run with even better food.

Car Rally:

Mad Mike reported:
Genuinely selling fast with two buildings taken.
A 3rd one has been reserved.

Splinter Lunch:**Weekly - Host**

Thursday this month.
Porchetta
Broadbeach
\$25 with \$5 beers and BYO wine.

Burleigh Waters History

The Gold Coast canal and waterway system network allows access from Burleigh Waters to The Broadwater and the Pacific Ocean. Five lakes have been created and named in Burleigh Waters. These are Lake Heron, Miami Lake, Swan Lake, Pelican Lake and Burleigh Lake. The canal system is tidal, and during years of heavy rains and flood, homes on the Burleigh Waters canal can face flooding.

In the 1950s the Isle of Capri was one of the first canal estates constructed for waterfront living. Developers have expanded the popular estates ever since. Prior to the eastern inland development of the [Varsity Lakes](#) area, Burleigh Waters was the southernmost point of the Gold Coast [canal](#) and waterway system. Burleigh Waters developed in Stages, starting in the 1970s. One section, Burleigh Waters Estate was a canal extension developed by [Hooker](#) Corporation with partner the [BMD Group](#) during the late 1970s. The Hooker Corporation collapsed and Mr Power's [BMD Group](#) was paid out at 60c in the dollar a few years later. Privately built homes were being constructed by the time [Pacific Fair](#) opened in 1977 and continued with the expansion of the suburb.

The Burleigh Waters Library opened in 1991.

For decades a local [urban myth](#) maintained that sharks were seen as far south in the canal waterways as Burleigh Waters. Alleged sightings and stories were locally spread, but balanced with scepticism. In February 2003, a Burleigh Waters man was fatally attacked in shallow canal waters by a bull whaler shark. These sharks are also known as Zambezi whaler and are very aggressive. After the attack, the public was warned not to risk swimming in any Gold Coast canals but rather to swim safely at the beach, between the flags.

