

**Hash #674**  
**8<sup>th</sup> June 2014**  
**Riviere des Creoles**  
**Hares: Alan, Leslie & Marie-Claude**

Hello Happy Hashers!

My pen has been returned to me, so you're stuck with my fortnightly attempts to entertain you (and hopefully get a chuckle or two out of you!). This week's Hash was one of those up-and-down ones (it felt like there were a lot more "ups" than there were "downs"), in and out of the village we went, with plenty of interesting sights along the way, including a cemetery and a peanut plantation! Well done, Hares!



**First-timers** this week:

- Lina, from Mahebourg
- Vanusha, from Roche Noire

Hopefully that's not the last of them we'll be seeing!



Welcome back to **Second-Timers** Sooraj and Devinah!



Just the one RA nowadays, but Kees still had plenty of **Sinners** on his list:

- **Patrick**, last to pay
- **Harry and Vikash**, for making a pit stop on the way to the On-On site and having a smoke (unfortunately for them, they were seen by the RA)
- **Mario, Claudia and Marie-Claude**, fruit-pickers of the week
- **Noorjahan**, returning to the Hash
- **Alan**, the Hash politician, for making promises he failed to keep (we had all been told there would be orange juice handed out to us along the trail... and not a single cup of juice was to be seen... although, it must be noted that your Scribe was very kindly offered a glass of rum and coke by some of the local villagers, which was politely declined!)
- **John C**, there was a number of reasons, amongst others: getting to 2 dots and calling a false trail, getting 'lost' in the woods with two other individuals, actually getting lost on the trail. The list of sins committed from the past then went on to include short-cutting, failing to break the circle whilst checking out the trail as well as flirting with Harriettes (and not only..).

**Happy birthday** to Alison – she was presented with a lovely (and very tasty) cake, which got shared later on.



The **Kiddies' Dodo** seems to be extinct.

There were several possible recipients for the **Cow-Bell** this week and after careful consideration, it went to Marie-Claude for throwing beer onto RA Kees (who happened to be in possession of the Cow-Bell). I, for one, find that this “beer-throwing” is becoming a habit –it’s meant to go over *your* head (alternatively, over your fellow Down-downer’s head)



Next Hash: Surinam

See you next time!

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