## The Solstice Selfie Challenge (Mon June 15<sup>th</sup> to Sun June 21<sup>st</sup> 12pm)

Well after weeks of glorious sunshine and sunrises and sunsets, the weather turned and what should have been lovely clear early mornings and glorious late nights leading up to the Solstice turned into a bit of a washout. And lo and behold, the deadline for this event has passed and the weather has picked up again!

Many thanks to those that got out and braved the weather and sent photos in;

Gordon drove up North for his photo on Rosebury Topping and Martin managed to get a great photo on Thorpe Cloud Gill and mini Gill got a very nice photo together to celebrate mini Gill's birthday.

Andy Norman couldn't find a sunset but did find some traffic lights to take selfies in front of. Dean got a very atmospheric night time shot. Debbie went out power walking in Nottingham at night and got a very nice photo. Despite it not being a selfie, I felt obliged to include it. And welcome to Ravinder who has sent us his selfie in 34c heat and doesn't know what we're grumbling about this week!

For the Night Owl challenge, it looks like a dead-heat between Andy and Dean.

And the insomniac's that took the early bird challenge were Andy Ward and Nigel Granville, both running bleary eyed at just after 4am!!

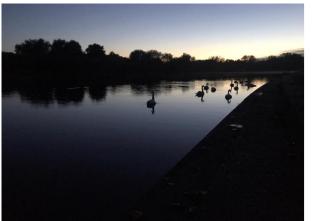
However, the winner, considering the weather and having a photo taken which captures the spirit of the Harriers, is Gillian's singing (running) in the rain photo ③. Well done Gillian.

There is one photo I've not mentioned. Mr Ian Page!!

Something has been really troubling me about this photo. And troubled me enough to discount it from the judging. Now at first glance it looks like a really nice photo of a beach sunset with Ian happily proclaiming himself as the winner of this particular challenge. But, if you look closely, certain things just don't seem right. Now far be it for me to say there's been a bit of photo-shopping going off, but......If it's authentic I take it all back, and will reinstate in second place!!

## Happy Running!























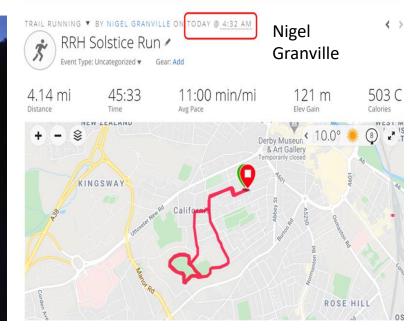










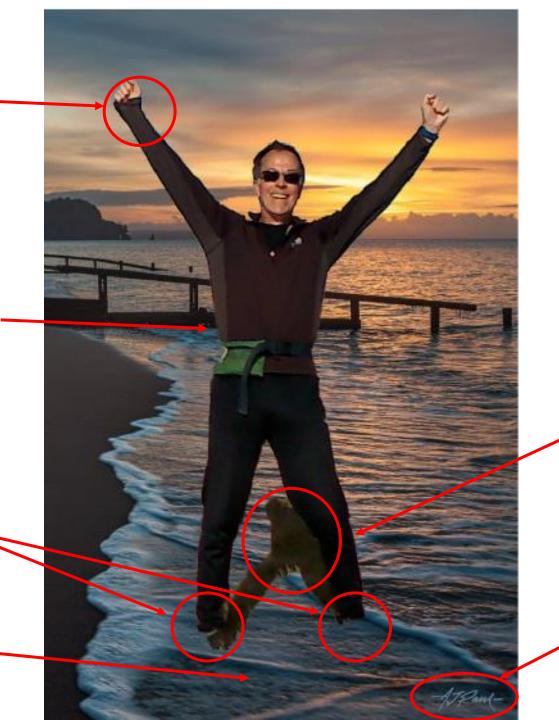


If you zoom in here it looks like some different coloured sky behind the wrist

Autumn hiking gear for a run along the beach?

Why are there no ripples around the legs <a>and feet?</a>

No shadow or reflection



What is this actually a shadow of and why is it going backwards when the sun is behind Ian?

Signature of the person that took the original photo?