

Well Lizards, greetings on this lovely beautifully hot and sweltering day.

The days programme is for the SID MORRISON PRESIDENT'S TROPHY.

This will be played on the usual Stableford points.

The nearest the pins will be the 1st and 17th.

The usual lowest number of putts will get a prize.

Our Captain Handicapper has pointed out that most members are clots, but that the most clottish ones need educating on what consists of a putt.

If your drive from the fairway, or most likely, from the rough, lands 2* from the green, it doesn't matter whether you use a putter or a No. 1 wood to get on the green, it is not a Putt.

In view of the protracted presentations last month, the Committee has decided that in future the days winner will be presented alone, followed by the 2nd and 3rd together.

The visitors 1st and 2nd will be grouped together, as will both the nearest the pin winners.

As regards the new rules of golf, although a member said that these rules didn't apply in Aust. until 1st April, the committee felt as the Lizards were regarded as leaders here, then these new rules applied now!!!

The committee wishes to apologise to Norm Black for the senile idiocy of Sandy Armstrong in not handing Norm's card in last month. The President will make amends.

A new rule is that the days winner will not be allowed to win another trophy such as nearest the pin, or the putting. He can of course, win the Tote.

This ruling is made so as to spread the trophies.

TOPICAL THOUGHTS. Bluey Cane's performance last month brings to mind the last paragraph, -- he won the Des McGuire trophy, the club trophy and the Tote.

The only reason he didn't win the nearest the pins and the putting trophies was that his partners were watching.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT. What if Norm Fegan were Captain Handicapper--- We would all be on the same handicap--he only knows the number 30.

You will be interested to know that Sandy Armstrong appeared at the last committee meeting as an observer. He didn't observe much, but he did say that more politeness should be shown to him and that he considered that the Lizards drank too much. In view of his remarks, the committee is considering cutting down. Lance Try abstained from voting.

IDENTITY.

Siddie Morrison went up to Town,
He went there to let his hair down,
He went there to buy his trophy
But what to buy--he racked his loafie.

Should it be this, should it be that,
No not that, that's old hat.
Perhaps some gold or silver plates?
Not for the Lizards, lot of cheap skates.

He went into a pub to rest his aching head,
Oh Gawd help me, Siddie Morrison said,
Then in a flash inspiration came,
I'll give aprize to give me lasting fame--

When I give the prize he so richly deserves,
Full of goodness and full of herbs,
I will say to the victor, arise and come!
Come and get your case of Old Soldier Rum,
And when he rises I'll gladly bow
And say hail glorious victor--Jimmy Howe.

Ed's Note. Such things dreams are built on.