



LIZARDS FLAT OUT LIKE

JANUARY 1983

WELCOME to Lizards and the Ray Hilton Mal Waters Day. Ray is the sturdy young fellow that designed, constructed and didn't paint the wooden trestle stools we are sitting on - he has also assisted the Club by doing a few other unsung jobs. Mal was always working around the shed - he had a steadier hand than any previous victualler - but since his injury has been taken off the golf circuit for a while. We hope to see him back in full swing before the end of summer.

THE CHRISTMAS TOURNAMENT produced the following results:

LIZARDS	1st	Pres. Harry Thurston	42 off 34
	2nd	Dave Gilchrist	42 off 18

VISITORS	1st	Catch	40 off 32
	2nd	Ray Walsham	39 off 25

NEAREST THE PIN	1st	Bill Epps
	4th	Billy T
	8th	William Townend

SECOND SHOT ON	15th	George Bird
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SOPHIE TROPHY	Noel Corley	26 putts over 18 holes
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BRADMAN	Rick Bateson
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CHRISTMAS HAMPER	Ticket No. 55	E. Black, Mirror Fitters.
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RAFFLE	Chris Wright
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AIRIES	Led by Len Le Mon - did not know the tune.
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SANTA, for those who could not recognise him behind all that gear, was Jack Gaudron. He scored a kiss from Gordon Donald when he issued him with his "win a present".

VERN PETERSON was made a new member and then fined for not including his name on his application.

RAY WALSHAM is another new member - he had the worst application seen for a few years. Len Le Mon was fined for writing it out for him. Ray won the Visitors in November with a massive 50 points and even though he broke his 5 iron on the 3rd tee last month still limped in to take second prize.

RICK BATESON, Captain Handicapper and current Bradman holder should stop reducing his own handicap and have a fiddle in the greener pastures.

REV MEREDITH, whose pasture is suffering from drought, has been awarded an extra 2 strokes. Nifty is Ray Walsham's step-father. There will be another Walsham on the course today - big Al - you can't miss him; from the shoulders up he looks like an impending bush fire.

THE SOPHIE TROPHY Mk 2 was presented last month. The first time up was to mark the occasion of the birth of Sophie Lewis. Proud father Alan had no hesitation in donating a suitable trophy. This time he needed only a bit of a push to commemorate her first birthday. May the charming little treasure be blessed with a long and happy life. If she is a brilliant student she will still be at school when she is Mk. 16.

NOEL CORLEY, current holder, has donated the prize for putting today. The least number of putts over the 18 holes will take it out. The organisers are looking forward to shaking hands with NEXT month's donor - so don't just stand there holding this sheet, make a good fellow of yourself. Lemon golf hose of any flavour is banned.

TOSY WEBB and Phil Saillard are on the same sick list as Muddy Waters. We wish them a speedy recovery.

VICE-PRESIDENT Marty Plim missed out on the Christmas game because of his job and since then has been granted 3 months leave from the Club to attend an extensive course, which covers every aspect of his trade, entitled "Gunshoeing Since the Hobnailed Boot" to be conducted at the seat of crime - Canberra. Some of the lectures on the syllabus include:

- What civilians do on Sundays.
- Pointers to felon fingering.
- How to book under plain cover.
- Throwing the book.
- The "Good-Word" suggestion in bartering.
- Technology and the rubber hose.
- Beating the habit with a schmeisser.
- Restraint in the use of auto-loading
- crime-detering carbines in lifts ...

Good luck to the lad - we will be pleased to see him return to his mundane existence of being our V-P in May.

LIZARD T-SHIRTS are on sale in the shed. Some members wanted one placed in a display cabinet. Why.. Our models Nifty and Jack Gaudron have been giving the garment visual destructive tests for 2 months. As far as quality is concerned, if they are good enough for John Bateson every Lizard should wear one with pride.

NEAREST THE PIN HOLES are the 10th, 13th, 17th and second shot on the 15th.

Good Golfing and a Happy New Year ...

Editor.