

LIZARDS



FLAT OUT LIKE

JANUARY 1985.

WELCOME to 1985 and the LIZARDS' 39th year, heralded by the HILTON/WALTERS DAY and the opening round of the LINDENBERG Trophy.

* LIZARDS	1st	Harry Thurston	47 off 33
	2nd	David Gilchrist	40 off 16
	3rd	Catch	39 off 23
VISITORS	1st	Bruce Maneri	40 off 17
NEAREST THE PIN	1st	Bruce Maneri	
	4th	Bill Sheehan	
	17th	George Bird	
SECOND SHOT	15th	G. Gleeson	
PUTTING		Tony Perriman	31 putts -
			on a count back from Paul Hennessy Jnr.
BRADMAN		Pat Purcell	29 off 38

THE CIVIC CLUB donated a couple of bottles of Scotch and other Christmas fare. John Bateson and Pat Purcell were lucky enough to win a bottle each - John in the raffle and Pat with his golfing prowess.

HARRY THURSTON, playing off 33, breezed around the first 9 holes in 2 over par for a record breaking 28 points. He came back to earth on the second nine scoring a one over regulation 19. His 33 handicap has gone down the drain but he still has the memory of a near perfect 9 holes of golf. Our special thanks to Mary for the Christmas cake.

SANTA came down the chimney in a cloud of soot at the appropriate moment to shower the heap of colourful "Bring a Prize" presents on the eager audience. There were no 26oz. rocks in Scotch boxes or other embarrassments to his good self. Some years ago, Santa arrived 30 seconds early and was fined for interrupting the meeting with his supposedly untimely HO HO's.

MARTY PLIM, MICHAEL O'KANE and partners were cut off from the other Lizard contestants by a team of players involved in a "novelty" event. They were hitting off the tees from mattresses, car tyres and other bric-a-brac. Very time consuming and of no assistance to the President in his endeavour to start the Christmas meeting on time.

GEORGE BIRD welcomed the Visitors, Alan Lewis, back on deck after a 6 month sojourn, had limited success conducting the Airies choir and John Copeman got a job on the swear tin and saved himself a fortune.

* CHRISTMAS/CIVIC DAY RESULTS:

JOHN BATESON drew the Charity Hamper by plucking Joan Donald's ticket from the myriad of butts in the vast barrel. Gordon let out a yelp of delight and advised all and sundry he was "Tickled Pink"

THE LINDENBERG knock-out competition starts today with a 3 club event. Not Alan Lewis' choice - he was keen to have a bash with his new set of clubs.

CLUB CAPTAIN Noel Corley has become the father of a charming daughter since we saw him last. Our Congratulations - all are in fine fettle.

NEAREST THE PINS are 1st, 8th, 13th and second shot on the 3rd.

Good golfing in '85.....

Editor.