



FLAT OUT LIKE



JANUARY, 1990.

WELCOME to 1990, with it's offer of happiness and prosperity, to the motivated, and beginning the countdown to an untarnished millennium. To those with sufficient graphite in the propensiles, just imagine inscribing 01.01.00 on a surface mail post card - should they still be in vogue.

CAPTAIN/HANDICAPPER, Garry Bird, is our donor today. Garry, apart from being our golfing mentor, is Lizard printer (of F.O.L. brochures, booklets, ballot papers, menus, shirts and whatever) and general fixer of a rash of problems the boffins can't overcome with their can of WD40. As a humanitarian handicapper, of the 725 championship points he has dished out this semester, he has awarded himself the average number and finds himself slap dab in the middle of the field with the rest of the battlers. With a bit of luck he might do a Roger Davis at the end of the year.

CHRISTMAS CARROLL Day produced the following results:

A HOLE-IN-ONE for the Grizz.z.! Our resident cave bear had been returning a medieval score and needed to par the last 2 holes to square the card. With complete lack of logic he decided to "give it a go" and holed the elevated 82m. 17th - not satisfied with that, he missed aceing the 18th by a gnats dick - or, in metric, a sideon match-stick. After a brief thunderous pummel of the chest, he sunk the putt and was promptly netted by a couple of bearers and borne to the Shed, where he was afforded a cavenous downer, then leg roped to a stout tree - as a safety measure for the admiring throng.

LIZARDS 1st and WINNER OF THE DAWSON CARROLL TROPHY
Mark MacMillan 40 Points off 14 Handicap,
on a countback from

LIZARDS 2nd Geoff Warren 40 Points off 29 Handicap

VISITORS 1st Michael Kent 40 Points off 16 Handicap

Best Front 9 Geoff Elks 21 Points
Best Back 9 Pat Purcell 19 Points

Longest Drive on 2nd John Bord.

Nearest the Pins 3rd Harry Warner
5th Mark MacMillan
8th Geoff Warren

Putting Competition Garry Bird

Hole-in-One Dave Rayner 17th

Bradman Bob Stevens 21 Points

JOHN O'MEARA, current holder of the Dawson Carroll Trophy, made the presentation to Mark.

GEOFF WARREN'S 40 pointer put his nose in front in the Oct-Nov-Dec aggregate point score, and earned him the annual award of the HIC CUP.

BILL SHEEHAN, always first to the course, found time to erect a garland of 94 roses around the Shed entrance to brighten the place for Santa's visit. Later, at the meeting, he decided to give the Airies choir a second chance to come up with the correct tune, following their infringement the previous month, when they sang "Happy Birthday" to mark his 65th anniversary. On this occasion all he could coax out of them was an excerpt from Jingle Bells.

AIRIES included Neil Shackle who plays off 9 and the Cowboy, who missed the ball while putting.

CONGRATULATIONS to the Cup winners - and to Grizz.z on his hole-in-one, as well as the Caterers for the festive fare and an special thanks from the members and visitors to Mary Thurston for the magnificent Christmas cake.

THE CAPTAIN/HANDICAPPER has advised of the following clues for todays play:

Nearest the Pins 1st, 4th and 9th holes.

Long Drive 7th hole

Handicap Adjustments -

Geoff Warren	minus 2	Nev Meredith	plus 1
Mark MacMillan	minus 1	Jim Small	plus 1
Neil Shackle	plus 1	John O'Meara	plus 1
Garry Bird	plus 1		

GOOD GOLFING

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Editor

In conjunction with the individual stableford competition, there will also be an aggregate teams event. The format being; the total score of the best three points for each hole is recorded.

e.g. Fred Andy Geoff Chuck
 4/2 4/1 5/2 6/-

taking the best 3 from the group gives them
2 + 1 + 2 = 5 for the hole.

Each team will be provided with an additional card for this purpose.