



FLAT OUT LIKE



DECEMBER, 1990.

WELCOME to the GARRY BIRD CAPTAIN-HANDICAPPER'S DAY.

Garry brought his day forward as soon as he got the ping that Dawson Carroll, our Irish Member and Donor of the Christmas Carroll Trophy, would not be scoring a touch down at Mascot till January. On the menu today, apart from a slice of ham and free drinks, is a visit by Santa, who, in the absence of a chimney, will burst through the shed roof in a shower of broken tiles. It will be his pleasure to unveil our seasonal Bring a Gift - Receive a Gift segment. Captain Garry may add some spice to the round of golf with a special event.



THURSDAY/GOLFERS DAY produced the following results:

LIZARDS	1 st	Jim Small	44 Points off 20 Handicap
	2 nd	Darry Warner	42 Points off 23 Handicap
VISITORS	1 st	Lincoln McClatchie	46 Points off 30 Handicap
	2 nd	Bruno	44 Points off 30 Handicap
BEST SCATCH SCORE		Bruce Bews	27
BEST FRONT 9		Wal Hill	21 Points
BEST BACK 9		Anthony Beale	21 Points
LONGEST DRIVE	11 ^m	Jim Small	
NEAREST THE PINS	1 st	Dave Robertson	
	17 ^m	Bruce Bews	
	6 ^m	Bruce Bews	
BRADMAN		Max Peet	14 Points off 29 Handicap
RAFFLE		Anthony Beale	



JIM SMALL, with a well put together round of 8 under, cracked it for the bottle of Bourbon - and stated it was exactly 12 months since his ~~previous~~ last win. This was true, but he had been gnawing at the Captain's larder with long drives, best front and back nines, putting and anything else he could lay his hands on - he even threw in a raffle or two. Congratulations Jim; the warmer weather must suit you.

LINCOLN Mc CLATCHIE, the previous month, had 52 of 34! He was limmed 4 strokes and has come back with a 10 under score of 46 of 30. Good on you Lincoln, you have the stripes groggy - however, the last time they were confronted by a golfer of your calibre, they left his handicap intact and confiscated his clubs.

HARRY de wheels WARNER was still on the 17^m when Bill Sheehan decided to give him a hand by warming up the hot plate and throwing on a few snags. While these were spitting and jumping, Bill came across a caterer's tray filled with flesh coloured ectoplasm liberally laced with embryonic nodules. "Better wait for Harry" Bill mused "It might be haggis".

NIFTY was more adventurous, he dobed a glob of the inscrutable protoplasm in with the writhing hangers. It pulsed a couple of times then stood up like gus the ghost - till its eyes blew out. The collapsed wrinkled heap began to turn up at the sides and could have been mistaken for the thumb nail off a black pudding, before Nifty brushed it onto the deck and smothered it with a twist of his foot. "I think it's a dip" said Nifty.

GREG ELKS, a devout Lizard, was given the seal of approval - or was it vice versa - and has had to move off to Mooloolaba, Q. He delayed his extradition to enjoy "just one more day" at Royal Qvalon. We will miss his friendly presence and wish him well. Greg was fined, on his last day, for donating a trophy - a golf buggy, with thread bare tyres.

JOHN O'NEARA, our Vice-President, was commended for bringing ten visitors! He would have been invested had it not been for the tyres he invited.

CHRISTMAS and the first time this decade we have not had the pleasure of Harry Thurston's company on the course and in the Shed. Words fail me. Harry is in Neringah Hospital, Wahroonga, and would love to see any or all of us. Mary might also be pleased to see or hear from us.

Compliments of the Season,
Good Golfing

Editor.

Handicap Adjustments

Jim Small -3, Harry Warner -3, Anthony Beale -2, Bill Epps -1
Dave Raynor +1, Geoff Warren +1 Lincoln Mcclachie -5

Nearest the Pins

2nd on 3rd - All Players, 2nd on 11th 20+ H/cap, 2nd on 16th
Under 20 H/cap LONGEST DRIVE 7th - ALL PLAYERS

Teams Event - Best 3 stableford scores in each group on each hole - to be recorded on a separate card.