



FLAT OUT LIKE



FEBRUARY, 1992.

WELCOME to FOUNDATION/LIFE MEMBERS' DAY, the qualifying round for the Lindenberg K.O. competition and our first encounter with bunkers on Royal Avalon.

THE FOUNDER Leon List, licensee of the Skye Hotel and known colloquially as the Lizard, put the Club on the rails in the cellarette of the pub in the autumn of 1946. As President 1946/47, he pointed the 8 or so foundation members in the direction of the 1st tee at Palm Beach and set about the task of ironing out the wrinkles, growing pains and overcoming the unusual problems of the era - such as transport to and from the course, setting up a portable 19th in the rough on the perimeter of the links and nominating a couple of karaokee men, each month, to dispose of the recycled beer. The Lizards Golf Club was set up to foster good fellowship - since day one, the Lizard members and visitors have enjoyed in excess of 500 well organised social golf tournaments. Hats off to Leon!

THE LIFE MEMBERS, present and donors for this round, are Bill Sheehan, Gordon Dunlop and Bill Epps. All ex-presidents and long standing committeemen, they deserve to give us something decent for our golfing efforts - particularly with those unsolicited sand traps ready and eager to swallow our best shots.

GEOFF WARREN'S CAPTAIN/HANDICAPPER'S DAY was celebrated with a mushroom cloud of atomic scores. The four prize winners averaged

44.5 points ~~each~~ - throw in Bradman and they came out with 39.6 points each. Not a day to do it! Our normally calm and rational C.H., is likely to do us all a serious - in sympathy, or any other reason that shows in his Kaleidoscope!

LIZARDS 1 st	Dave Rayner	42 points off 22 Handicap
LIZARDS 2 nd	Nev Meredith	41 points off 36 Handicap

VISITORS 1 st	Chris Mooney	51 points off 36 handicap
VISITORS 2 nd	Troy ^{ARKONS} Argons	44 points off 36 Handicap

BEST FRONT 9	Harry Warner	26 points off 23 Handicap
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LONGEST DRIVE 5^m Andy Warner

NEAREST THE PIN 1st Dave Gilchrist
8^m Dave Gilchrist
9^m Bruce Bewes

BRADMAN	Jim Braid	20 points off 36 Handicap
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RAFFLE Nifty

THE SCORES appear less pornographic if you omit the 51 points racked up by Chris Mooney. Chris came in with a ~~score~~ ^{3 pointers} 29 off 36 last November, so Captain Geoff could not foresee ~~15~~ ¹⁶ ~~points~~ on this occasion. We will have to enquire as to the secret of Chris' excess. He may be able to bottle it - and sell it. He could make a fortune.

THE GRIZZ has been keeping his eye on the ball of late; apart from his win last month he was first past the post in September with 46 off 23 and second in November with 39 off 23.

NIFTY had his first trip to the paywindow since February 90

when he carded a commendable 42 of 34.

ANDY WARNER'S winning long drive, on the 225 metre 5th, would have won the nearest the pin, had there been one. His odd looking Dynacast putter, with the 190 mm blade, came to grief on the 14th when he lobbed it back toward his buggy. The heavy head spat the shaft 2 metres into the air, on contact with the ground. The ex-owner donated the grip end to Chris Leganas as a conductor's baton for the Airies - Bill Epps commandeered the long broad-footed blade saying it would make "an Andy paperweight".

HARRY WARNER, fresh from hospital and looking a bit wan prior to teeing off, fired a dazzling 26 pointer on the front nine. Andy, who had amassed about 16 points for the same nine, ordered him back to the Shed for health reasons - muttering something about letting Harry loose for the first time for a few weeks whereupon he carries on like a big tart - and scores like John Daly.

THE LINDENBERG qualifying round is on today - in a nut shell, this means if you finish 17th you have missed the cut for a spot in the 4 month knockout competition. Any player having prior knowledge of inability to attend any of these matches should drum the Captain - he will be pleased to admit a reserve or two. Dawson Carroll will qualify, and is a good example of the situation.

OVERSEAS MEMBER, Dawson Carroll, if he makes it to the course today, will be playing his last round prior to returning to Ireland - with a view to being back at Avalon next spring. Dawson is totting a good looking set of modern clubs - Daiwa Excalibur, with Kevlar shafts - they are worth a look

if you get the chance. A member of the 36 hole Clandyboye Club, near his home town, as well as the Killarney Golf and Fishing Club, he ~~has~~ joined Mona Vale to fill in his time in Australia, between lizard games. Since taking an interest in golf, some 3 years ago, he is certainly giving it his best shot. Bon Voyage - we hope to have the pleasure of your company again later this year.

NOTORIETY of some kind will be afforded the first lizard to become involved in the new bunkers. Bill Epps put a tee shot off the 5th into the left hand trap last month, but on this occasion it was roped off and marked G.U.R.

Bill STEPHAN was fined last month for asking what was the purpose of the sand pits. It will be an education to see him extracting his ball with his magic 2 iron.

NEXT MONTH is Jim Small's day.

Good Golfing

Editor

FEB 16 FOUNDATION/LIFE MEMBERS DAY

LINDENBERG ROUND 1

NEAREST THE PIN

2nd Shot	2nd Hole
	4th Hole
2nd Shot	6th Hole

LONGEST DRIVE	7th Hole
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HANDICAP ADJUSTMENTS

G. Brown	+1	G. Bryce	-1
D. Carroll	+1	A. Beale	-1
D. Dunworth	+1	G. Regenass	-1
J. Beale	+1	Grizz	-1
G. Warren	+1		