



FLAT OUT LIKE



JANUARY 1995

WELCOME to 1995 - the year of the Lizard - with it's promise of being as happy and prosperous as we desire to make it.

TODAY is MICHAEL MORGAN'S Captain-Handicappers' Day. Michael, Assistant Handicapper 92/93, is enjoying the tasks of Captaincy and is ably assisted by Ian Simpson in the Handicapping Department. We are looking forward to placing our handicaps in jepardy to relieve him of his trophy.

CHRISTMAS CARROLL DAY, in the absence of the holder of the Dawson Carroll Trophy - Dawson himself- saw 20 Lizards in the spirit of Yuletide, ready to skittle the opposition in their quest to have the D.C. hardware bulging from their mantle.

THE EFFORTS of the Members and Visitors caused the following fall-out:

LIZARDS 1st and winner of the Dawson Carroll Trophy
Neil Shackle 44 Points off 12 Handicap

LIZARDS 2nd Anthony Beale 41 Points off 12 Handicap

VISITORS 1st Andrew Pagan 40 Points off 10 Handicap

VISITORS 2nd Manfred Wagner 39 Points off 33 Handicap

BEST SCRATCH SCORE Michael Harrison 32 Points

BEST FRONT NINE John Beale 26 Points

BEST BACK NINE Grizz 21 Points on a countback from
Jim Small

NEAREST THE PINS 1st Andrew Pagan
9th Michael Morgan

LONGEST DRIVE 18- Handicap Neil Shackle
19+ Handicap Michael Morgan

BRADMAN Phil Pearce 8 Points off 29 Handicap

RAFFLE Bill Sheehan, Michael Harrison and Anthony Beale

AIRIES CHOIR included Garry Bird, Michael Morgan, Jim Small, Ken Bond, Martin McGuinness and Chris Mooney. It is a rare occasion that you see the President, Vice President, Club Captain and Ken Bond harmonising in this group.

NEIL SHACKLE, with his everchanging array of golfing implements, hit a high note with an 8 under his handicap, for a 4 over the card result - his first win since May 1991! Congratulations Neil.

IMM. PAST PRES., Anthony Beale (12) was out to keep any winners mind on the job, with his commendable 41 Pointer

ANDREW PAGAN, out here in the SOUTH EAST from the U.K., on a buisness stint, won the Visitors' Trophy the previous month, with a 34 pointer, and cracked it for a double, by a narrow

margin from Manfred. Andrew, a John O'Meara invitee, is now moth-balling his clubs in our antipodes- the U.K. He enjoyed his stay down under, wishing us well on his departure and threatened to return - one day.

BRADMAN, Phil Pearce, another John O'Meara foundling, was from the same source, for a similar reason, but only had 7 days to conduct his doings. He managed to take in all the well known tourist delights, including the Blue Mountains, played with the Lizards on day 6 and was still tucking sock ends and protruding souvenirs into his overnight bag on the Air Express back to Pommie-land, in the P.M. of day 7. In his consideration, Avalon would be a good place to live.

IN CONJUNCTION with the individual Dawson Carroll Trophy the Captain put on a Special Teams Event for the five groups of 4 players. Each team recorded the total of the best 3 stableford scores per hole. The winners were:

Anthony Beale, John Beale, The Grizz and Jim Small with a total of 133 Points -an average of a gnats wick over a 3 pointer and two 2 pointers per hole!

Runners-up were Harry and Martin McGuinness, Dave Gilchrist and Wal Hill with 124 Points - an average of 6.8 points per hole. Well played fella's.

NEXT MONTH is FOUNDATION/LIFE MEMBERS DAY with Life Members Bill Sheehan, Gordon Donald and Bill Epps standing in for our esteemed founder Leon List, who is planted in Northern Suburbs Cemetery. It is up to all of us to carry on with the good fellowship he instigated.

CAPTAIN HANDICAPPERS DAY JANUARY 1995

Handicap Adjustments G Bird, K Bond, C Mooney +1
N Shackle, H McGuinness -2 Beale, J Beale,
B Epps, M Harrison, D Rayner -1

Nearest the Pins 1st, 9th Holes

Longest Drives 18- Handicap 7th Hole
19+ Handicap 6th Hole