



FLAT OUT LIKE



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WELCOME to FOUNDATION/LIFE MEMBERS DAY. The Lizards Golf Club is enjoying it's 49th year, having been founded in the Steyne "Cellarette" by LEON LIST, Mine Host of the Hotel, and a small band of local enthusiasts, in 1946. Leon, colloquially known as THE LIZARD, was the Club's inaugural President and later became the first Life Member.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP was subsequently bestowed on Col McClelland, Lance Try, Bill Sheehan, George Russell, Gordon Donald, Paul Hennessy Snr., and Bill Epps.

THE CLUB had its ups and downs. Around 1964 the membership was down to as many digits as on Tony Dellas' hand - and he has lost a thumb! Col McClelland inserted the crank handle, Lance added a squirt of fuel - they achieved a sooty backfire, a few rumbles, whereupon the sole-case of the 19 year old, 5 cylinder relic, began to stir. Bill Sheehan, President in 1965, caused the first issue of "Flat-Out-Like", and otherwise, the reformist gave the whole shooting match a reefe in the right direction. It worked - thanks fellas!

DONORS today are L.Ms., SHEEHAN, DONALD and EPPS.

MICHAEL MORGANS' CAPTAIN-HANDICAPPERS' DAY, with 13 members and 7 visitors produced the following results:

LIZARDS 1st	Andy Warner	41 Points off 17 Hcp.
LIZARDS 2nd	Ken Bond	40 Points off 8 Hcp.
VISITORS 1st	Manfred Wagner	37 Points off 31 Handicap
VISITORS 2nd	Paul Hulme	36 Points off 26 Hcp. (on a countback from John Mooney & Mark O'Rourke)
BEST SCRATCH SCORE	Ken Bond	33 Points
BEST FRONT NINE	Bill Epps	21 Points off 15 Hcp.
BEST BACK NINE	Michael Morgan	20 Points off 25 Hcp. (on a countback from Garry Bird)
NEAREST THE PINS	1st. Jim Small	
	9th. John O'Meara	
LONGEST DRIVES	6th. John Mooney	19+ Handicap
	7th. Andrew Pagan	18- Handicap
BRADMAN	John O'Meara	27 Points off 21 Handicap
RAFFLE	Grizz and Chris Mooney	
AIRIES	There were no airies - anhistoric result!	

ANDY WARNER predicted his win, to the Committee, 5 days before the event - "because I always win in July and January". He promptly won, in a close finish, with a solid 41 pointer. Most impressive, but this success was his first trip to the pay window, in either July or January, this decade!

KEN BOND, consistent low marker, hit pay dirt for the first time since 1992. Ken often appears in the frame of photo finishes, but is usually 3rd bridesmaid and never the bride,
- Congratulations .

MANFRED, runner up the previous month with 39 of 33, cracked it for a win - a great result off his reduced handicap.

PAUL HULME, in his first appearance at Lizards since 1991, responded on behalf of the visitors and came out on top of the 3 way dead heap for second place.

O.S. VISITOR, Andrew Pagan, following successive wins in Nov-Dec., - and a 20% reduction in handicap - failed to score a record breaking hat trick, but managed to bag the long drive on the up hill 7th.

FINES, some were:

Visitor Ted Mills: bringing a personal tape measure to overcome partisan decisions with regard to nearest the pin prizes; and doubting the cleanliness of social club cutlery by providing his own eating irons.

Manfred: undergoing a self administed hair, beard and face reshuffle in preparation for any public appearance in view of the above average golf score.

Ken Bond; chipping in for a birdie on the 3rd and repeating the performance the second time around; and stating on the 18th tee " I had better not do too well on this hole, or I could los 2 strokes", before disintegrating his favourite iron with his tee shot.

Bill Epps; providing his trophies for Life Members day- a month early; and using a power operated golf buggy to afford physical relief in negotiating the heavy going on the 3rd and 7th fairways and for scaling the alpine approaches on the 4th and 8th.

THE LINDENBERG K.O. COMPETITION will be launched today, to wend it's perilous course through the yaws and mines, till the 2 survivors meet phase to phase in June. Good luck to all who assail in it.

NEXT MONTH is SMALL/RAYNOR DAY. .

Good Golfing

BILL EPPS, Editor

NEAREST the PINS 3rd, 5th holes

LONGEST DRIVES 6th Hole 19+ Handicap, 8th Hole 18- Handicap

HANDICAP ADJUSTMENTS M.Harrison, J.O'Meara, N.Shackle +1

G.Bird, K.Bond, M.Morgan, A.Warner -1