

FLAT OUT LIKE

July, 1999

WELCOME to HART SCHWARZ, Lizards 54th President - following his successful stint as V.P. Congratulations Hart.

EPPS-MERIDITH DAY MK XVIII is the first feature on the 99/2000 program. Nifty, having retired to Port Macquarie in May 93, wishes the AGMs were televised on Sky Channel - so he could keep ~~an~~ an eye on the annual doings. He sends his regards, trophy and a broad grin for the mob.

HART'S VICE-PRESIDENTS DAY, with ²¹ members and 1 visitor, produced the following results:

LIZARDS 1st Garry Bird 43 Points off 24 Handicap
LIZARDS 2nd Michael Harrison 43 Points off 5 Handicap

VISITORS 1st Roy Donald 29 Points off ~~18~~¹⁸ Handicap

BEST SCRATCH Michael Harrison 38 Points

BEST FRONT NINE Hart Schwarz 19 Points off 40 Handicap

BEST BACK NINE Michael Morgan 19 Points off 18 Handicap

NEAREST THE PINS 19+ 1st Hart Schwarz
3rd

NEAREST THE PINS 18- 1st Michael Harrison
3rd Dave Gilchrist

LONGEST DRIVE 19+ 6th Glen Castle
18- 6th Neil Shackle

BRADMAN members Neil Shackle 9 Points off 9 Handicap
visitors Roy Donald 29 Points off 18 Handicap

AIRIES Andy Warner, Dave Gilchrist, Wal Hill and Hart

RAFFLE Noel Quinlan

GARRY BIRD, possibly the only Lizard without a wood in his bag, came out with all irons blazing and fired a round 7 shots under his long standing handicap. Just enough to score a bulls eye, on a countback. His first win since March 95! Congratulations Garry.

MICHAEL HARRISON, not to be outdone, bettered his handicap by 7 shots, which gave him the history making low score of 2 under the card! He picked up a N.T.P and the long drive and yes, he was the player beaten on the countback. Well played Michael.

HART, in an endeavour to make a good shewing on his donors day, teed off the first with his trusty 3 wood, driving the ball to within 35cm of the hole for a N.T.P. He went on to win the Best Front Nine and remained in the limelight by joining the aeries.

BRADMAN NEIL SHACKLE, with 9 points off 9 handicap, was swabbed after the event. The test showed he had not used any enhancing stimulants.

VISITOR ROY DONARD arrived bearing gifts for each of the Lizards and was rewarded with 1st prize and Bradman Trophies.

THE GRAND FINAL of the LINDENBERG K.O. COMPETITION: Chris Mooney vs Dave Gilchrist, went to Dave Gilchrist 5 and 4. Winning the Lindenberg is about as easy as winning at Wimbledon, and being spread over 5 months is fraught with the same triumphs and

tragedies. Hats off to both finalists.

FATHER and SON DAY, played each June since the year dot, did not get off the ground. Eligible players from 5 families were present, but none had a partner! If Jim Small had brought Jake, they would have won in a walkover.

TO CAP OFF our 53rd year of golf we saw the Lizard course record reduced to 62 - 2 strokes under the card; the condition of the course at its all time best; and enjoyed the most memorable lunch ever served in the Shed. Our congratulations to the player, the greenkeeper and the caterer/s.

PRESIDENT Manfred had only one more duty in office, to round off a most successful year - the AGM.

THE AGM was conducted in a session of the well appointed Dec Why RSH listro on Tues 6th July, with 18 members and visitor Ray Duncan. The meeting opened at 8.30 and closed at 8.50 - during which time we had a welcome from the President, last years minutes, Treasurers report, Handicappers report and presentation of 11 annual trophies, election of a new committee, general business, presentation of the paddle to Dave Gilchrist and the handing over of the bronze lizard. Well done Manfred - everyone heard every word and the ceremony was over before the rent-a-heckle could start chanting from their time worn, dogeared scripts.

MANFRED took on the role of Returning Officer and the following crew emerged from the ballot box:

President	Hart Schwarz
Vice-President	Dave Gilchrist
Secretary	Garry Bird LM

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Treasurer	Gordon Donald LM
Captain - Handicapper	Manfred Wagner
Assistant Handicapper	Colin Lacey
Caterer	
Plant Engineer - Baggageman	Bill Sheehan LM
Editor	Bill Epps LM

Andy Warner^{LM} was licensed to carry on as Chief Dohler and Chris Mooney given the opportunity to complete his Victuallers apprenticeship.

GENERAL BUSINESS disclosed that 99/2000 subscriptions for members and country members would be \$5.00, and unfinancial members would not be eligible to win members trophies.

GARRY PARK distributed the Lizard Handbook for 98/99, which he published with information gleaned from the Captain-Handicapper and other committee members.

NEXT MONTH is JELLA DAY - a great day to bring a visitor or two.

Good Golfing . . .

Bill Epps, Editor