



FLAT OUT LIKE

NOVEMBER 2001

WELCOME to MORGAN MOONEY DAY MK III. The M&M's, Michael and Chris, are well organised on their donor day - while one presents the prizes the other dispenses the downer from his on-stage victuallers booth. We thank them for their array of prizes.

CASTLE HILL PLATE DAY, with 23 members and 9 visitors, produced the following results:

LIZARDS 1st Tony Della 43 Points off 14 Handicap
LIZARDS 2nd Hart Schwarz 43 Points off 31 Handicap

VISITORS 1st Werner Schlee 55 Points off 36 Handicap
VISITORS 2nd Matt French 47 Points off 36 Handicap

BEST SCRATCH SCORE Michael Harrison 34 Points

BEST FRONT NINE David Gilchrist 23 Points off 20 Handicap
BEST BACK NINE Greg Foster 23 Points off 27 Handicap

NEAREST THE PINS 1st Brian Harris	10th Michael Harrison
3rd Ian Owen	12th Frank van Heynigan
4th Glen Castle	13th Tony Della
5th Neil Shackle	14th Andrew Warner
9th Michael Harrison	18th Greg Foster

LONGEST DRIVE 19+ 7th Col Lacey
18- Chris Mooney

PUTTING COMPETITION Michael Harrison

BRADMAN Lizards Wal Hill 27 Points off 43 Handicap
Visitors Jake Small 26 Points off 47 Handicap

RAFFLE 1st Scotch Bill Sheehan
2nd Lizards Shirt and Glass Bill Sheehan

TONY DELLA chalked up his first win in 15 months. He usually does well on his donors day, but, on this occasion, hit his peak a little earlier.

PRESIDENT John O'Meara thought he was on a good thing having carded a rare 43 pointer, but found himself embroiled in a 3 way countback - which placed him third on the day, excluding him from the prize winners list! "Hard Cheese" Boss, and congratulations to Hart on his second trip to the pay window in 5 months.

MICHAEL HARRISON, with a neat round of 2 over the card, took out the best scratch.

FIRST TIME VISITOR Werner Schlee was given a handicap of 19 shots in excess of his norm, due to a computer glitch. Werner picked up 28 points on the front nine and 27 on the back for a total of 55 points - the equivalent of 17 birdies and 1 eagle! We regret any embarrassment we may have caused Werner and hope he pays another visit whereby we can amend our error.

BILL SHEEHAN LM, Plant Engineer, Baggage Man, Cook, general factotum and mentor, returned to Avalon and the sound of Loizard voices for the first time since succumbing to illness in January. Bright eyed and nippy on his feet he went straight to the BBQ and cooked the halfway snacks and lunches. During the meeting he won the raffled scotch and in a second draw for a mystery parcel (containing one new Lizards Shirt plus a Lizards Glass) and won that too! The draw for the scotch was a fair dinkum win - the mystery parcel was a set-up for Bill's benefit. The organisers were amazed that he took out the double. Bill will be on deck today and hopes to make his attendance an ongoing thing.

JIM SMALL, if all goes well, will be introducing his golf cart to Avalon - an historic occasion. Finding a way around the course whereby no damage is caused to the cart or the course could be a good mental exercise for Bourke and Wills.

THE PORT MACQUARIE NIFTY PLATE has been run and won. A team of 18 Lizards headed north on Friday 2nd. Andy Warner and party had grid position and set off at first light. An on sight reporter gives an account of the long awaited golfing weekend hereunder.

"The complete contingent of 18 travellers sampled the local conditions with a quick nine at the Camden Haven Golf Course at Kew on the Friday afternoon, November 1st. Nifty was collected from Lake Cathie to walk the mob around the dry and blustery course, where some good scores and thirsts were complied.

The Lizards and Visitors Gus Braizer and Gary Castle repaired to the Port Macquarie Hotel in central port to sort out their lodgings, before heading to the bar and then on to various establishments for dinner. Only one major incident occurred during the evening, those not in "the know" will soon be.

18 combatants and one refugee from the Tampa descended upon a very dry Emerald Downs the following day for the Nifty Plate. Scores and results attached. Upon completion of the round, the clubhouse provided the facilities for a BBQ which was greatly appreciated by the windblown competitors. A group photo was taken by one of the locals for publication in the local rag.

The Sunday was the inaugural competition for the Sheehan Mug, a new trophy donated by Michael Harrison which was contested by almost the full contingent and the first winner being Neil Shackle. The by now not so nifty Nifty was returned to Lake Cathie and gradually the Lizards returned to Sydney"

NEXT MONTH is CHRISTMAS CARROL DAY - bring a gift and receive a gift.

GOOD GOLFING *Bill Epps* Editor.

**Results of Lizards:
Nifty Plate - Port Macquarie Trip
3rd November 2001**

ATTENDANCE		16	Lizards	2	Visitors		
1st LIZARDS	<u>Glenn Castle</u>				41 points off	31	handicap
2nd LIZARDS	<u>John O'Meara</u>				41 points off	17	handicap
2nd LIZARDS	<u>Jim Small</u>				38 points off	15	handicap
1st VISITORS	<u>Gus Brazier</u>				45 points off	24	handicap
BRADMAN							
Lizards	<u>Hartmut Schwarz</u>				19 points off	28	handicap
Visitors	<u>Gary Castle</u>				23 points off	30	handicap
BEST FRONT NINE	<u>Michael Harrison</u>				20 points off	6	handicap
BEST BACK NINE	<u>Andrew Warner</u>				18 points off	15	handicap
NEAREST THE PINS							
Handicap of 19 or more		2 nd	<u>Colin Lacey</u>				
		4 th	<u>Dennis Castle</u>				
Handicap of 18 or less		2 nd	<u>Neil Winterton</u>				
		9 th	<u>Jim Small</u>				
LONGEST DRIVE							
Handicap of 19 or more		8 th	<u>Frank Van Heyningan</u>				
Handicap of 18 or less		8 th	<u>Neil Shackle</u>				

**Results of Lizards:
Sheehan Mug - Port Macquarie Trip
4th November 2001**

ATTENDANCE		14	Lizards	1	Visitors		
1st LIZARDS	Neil Shackle			41	points off	12	handicap
2nd LIZARDS	Michael Harrison			38	points off	6	handicap
3rd LIZARDS	Andrew Warner			36	points off	17	handicap
1st VISITORS	Gary Castle			37	points off	32	handicap
BEST SCRATCH	Michael Harrison			32	points		
BRADMAN							
Lizards	Dennis Castle			21	points off	19	handicap
Visitors	Gary Castle			37	points off	32	handicap
BEST FRONT NINE	Andrew Warner			22	points off	17	handicap
BEST BACK NINE	Jim Small			17	points off	15	handicap
NEAREST THE PINS							
Handicap of 19 or more		2 nd	Dennis Castle				
		4 th	Nobody - lost the marker				
Handicap of 18 or less		2 nd	Neil Shackle				
		9 th	Nobody				
LONGEST DRIVE							
Handicap of 19 or more		8 th	Glenn Castle				
Handicap of 18 or less		8 th	Michael Harrison				

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Handicap Adjustments					
Werner Schlee	-15	David Gilchrist	-1	Manfred Wagner	1
Matt French	-8	Jim Small	-1	Neil Shackle	1
Greg Foster	-3	Frank Van Heyningan	-1	Garry Bird LM	1
Hartmut Schwarz	-3	Dennis Castle	-1	Jake Small	1
Andrew Warner LM	-2	Glenn Castle	1	Michael Morgan	1
Tony Della	-2	Wal Hill	1		
John O'Meara	-2	Ian Owen	1		

SPECIAL EVENT : Pairs Stableford Multiplier

NEAREST THE PINS	
Handicap of 19 or more	1 st & 9 th
Handicap of 18 or less	1 st & 9 th
LONGEST DRIVES	
Handicap of 19 or more	7 th
Handicap of 18 or less	7 th