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WELCOME to RAYNER MEMORIAL DAY. Dave Rayner, affectionately known as the GRIZZ, enlisted as a Lizard in November 87 and after 11 happy years with the club died in January 99 - aged 41. He was sorely missed - and still is.

DONOR today is Jim Small. Prior to the demise of the GRIZZ we had been enjoying Small/Rayner Day. Since that time, Jim removed his name from the fixture card, in deference to his one time son-in-law - hats off to both Dave Rayner and Jim Small.

ST. PATRICKS DAY, a day celebrated more in the United States and Australia than in Ireland, is with us again. This is only the 5th occasion it has coincided with a Lizards golf day. Have a piece of green on your person to avoid a fine.

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FOUNDATION/LIFE MEMBERS DAY, with ²¹~~20~~ members and 5 visitors, produced the following results:

LIZARDS 1 st	Garry Bird LM	43 points off 24 handicap
LIZARDS 2 nd	Neil Shackle	40 points off 12 handicap

VISITORS 1 st	Allan High	40 points off 26 handicap
VISITORS 2 nd	Grant Schwarz	37 points off 30 handicap

BEST FRONT NINE	David Gilchrist	21 points off 16 handicap
BEST BACK NINE	Dawson Carroll	22 points off 15 handicap

LONGEST DRIVES	19+ handicap	8 th	Allan High
	18- handicap	6 th	Neil Shackle

NEAREST PINNS	1 st	Frank van Heyningen	10 th	Neil Shackle
	3 rd	David Gilchrist	12 th	Andrew Warner LM
	4 th	Neil Winterton	13 th	Chris Mooney
	5 th	Neil Winterton	14 th	Neil Winterton
	9 th	Michael Harrison	18 th	Andrew Warner LM

BRADMAN Lizards Wal Hill 26 points off 43 handicap

Winters Enzo Toppino 21 points off 25 handicap

TRIES Andy Warner, Wal Hill, John ^{Kelsey} ~~Kelley~~ and Fred Rees.

RAFFLE Andy Warner.

GARRY BRAD, one of the two LMs playing on Life Members Day, pulled a couple of things out of the hat, which he had not seen for 32 months — 43 points and 1st prize! Congratulations Garry.

DAVID GILCHRIST, suffering from a 3 shot reduction following his 47 pointer the previous month, bounced back toward the pay window but was beaten on a count back for 2nd place by Neil Shackle.

ALAN HEIGHT, visitors winner, was pleasantly bemused when he was awarded a trophy of equal value to the Lizards winner.

NEIL WINTERKON harvested 3 of the 10 NTP prizes on offer.

DAWSON CARROLL cracked it for a Best Back Nine — his sole win during his longest stay in Australia — 4 months. Dawson is heading back to Ireland next Saturday. We hope he enjoyed his sojourn as much as we enjoyed his company. We wish him a happy birthday on Thursday and a pleasant flight home.

THE MEETING after the game was delayed due to a temporary lack of light beer for the drinkers; a profusion of irrelevant names, such as Rex Mossop, Lennie Le Mon, Dave Collins etc, on the nearest the pin markers; and the absence of the all important BELL. The only other items missing were Gilchrist and Shackle — no doubt the NOBEL PRIZE winners!

THE LINDENBERG NO COMPETITION Round 1 Draw for today:

Garry Bird	vs	Hartmut Schwarz
Manfred Wagner	vs	Noel Winterton
F. Van Heyningan	vs	Noel Quinlan
John O'Meara	vs	Colin Lacey
David Gilchrist	vs	Glenn Castle
Tony Della	vs	Michael Harrison
Michael Morgan	vs	Chris Mooney
Neil Shackle	vs	Andrew Warner



Good Luck to all contenders

HANDICAP ADJUSTMENTS for today's play:

Next Event David Raynor Memorial Day (1st round of the Lindenberg)
17th March 2002

Handicap Adjustments			
Garry Bird LM	-3	Michael Harrison	1
David Gilchrist	-2	Wal Hill	1
Allan Hight	-2	Colin Lacey	1
John O'Meara	-1	Chris Mooney	1
Neil Shackle	-1	Noel Quinlan	1
Glenn Castle	1	Hartmut Schwarz	1
		Andrew Warner LM	1
		Fred Rees	2
		John Kelsey	4
		Enzo Topano	4

NEXT MONTH is SHACKLE DAY, bring a mixer or two.

Good Golfing

Bill Epps, Editor.