

Michael Harrison donned his bridesmaid's outfit once again for a second place. His 19 points made him keen enough to want to go out for a back nine, but his playing partners had other thoughts. Better luck next time Michael.



As there were no visitors crazy enough to be lured out to Avalon on the day Captain-Handicapper Neil Winterton found himself with a surplus of trophies. He awarded one to Chris Mooney who scraped into 3rd place on a countback, and in his tradition of continuing to hand out prizes until such time as he wins one, gave one to himself for coming in 4th. Neither player really threatened the leaders with their 17 points.

Garry Bird LM has managed to avoid the Bradman since November 2004 when he scored 27 points off his handicap of 21. History now records that he scored 13 points off 23 in August 2007.

As mentioned on the front page September brings with it the excitement that is the Custard Ball Event. For those unfamiliar with the rules it goes something like this:

- Players form teams of four (or three at a pinch)
- Each team is supplied with a coloured ball (the 'Custard' ball)
- Players in each team take turns playing a full hole with the Custard ball, rotating in the same order for the full round
- The score for the player playing the Custard ball is recorded on the team scorecard
- The Custard ball must be returned to the Capt-Handicapper at the conclusion of play
- Highest team score wins the day
- Losing the Custard ball disqualifies the team

Good luck to all participants!

It's getting to crunch time if you are planning on attending this year's trip to Port Macquarie. You need to arrange your own accommodation, but the tee times have been booked for Kew and Emerald Downs. More info at today's meeting!



Fines of the Day

Stretch	Was heard to say "I got a 3 pointer on the par 4 that I get 3 shots on"
Michael Morgan	Forgot his golf shoes today
Hart Schwarz	For keeping his scorecard in an external pocket on his golf bag. When he handed it in it looked like a sheet of used dunny paper
Bill Sheehan	For laughing so hard at Hart that his dentures fell out
Garry Bird LM	Esteemed Life Member was heard to comment loudly "I hope this rain eases soon – I hate getting wet at Lizards"



Bill Sheehan discussing tactics (from last century) with South Sydney heavyweight Nick Pappas.

TODAY'S PLAY

Handicap Adjustments

None (Full round not completed)

Nearest the Pins

All par 3s – no divisions

Longest Drives

Handicap of 19 or more 8th

Handicap of 18 or less 8th

NEXT MONTH is Castle Hill Plate Day and our caterers will be Col Lacey & Ivan Tiltins.

Good Golfing and Good Luck
Chris Mooney, Editor