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Welcome to Vice President's Day

(Final of the Lindenberg)
(Father and Son Day)

VICE PRESIDENT'S DAY, the time of year we thank our outgoing President for his efforts and look forward to the fresh outlook that a new President brings. Our current Vice-President **John O'Meara** (that's pronounced o-mar-a) will be the primary contender to take the top role come July. Has it really been 15 years since John last had the Lizard in his possession in 2001/2? Old-timers will recall his last Presidency as being one of particular note, the likes of which have not been seen since.

John is a generous donor (he'll have three donor days in the next 12 months alone) and is promising more exciting innovations for the coming year. John, we can't wait to see what you have in store!

PRESIDENT'S DAY, with 19 Lizards and 1 visitor, produced the following results:

1st LIZARDS	John O'Meara - 39 points on count-back off a handicap of 21
2nd LIZARDS	Neil Winterton - 39 points on count-back off a handicap of 17
1st VISITORS	Stephen Hill - 34 points off a handicap of 29
2nd VISITORS	John Surplice - 33 points off a handicap of 11
BEST SCRATCH	Michael Porter - 26 points on count-back
BEST FRONT NINE	Gary Castle - 19 points on count-back off a handicap of 28
BEST BACK NINE	Chris Mooney - 19 points on count-back off a handicap of 17
NEAREST the PINS	2 nd Michael Morgan 5 th John Surplice 7 th Neil Winterton 14 th John O'Meara 15 th Chris Mooney 16 th N.G.E.
LONGEST DRIVES	19+ 1 st Glenn Castle 18- 1 st Ivan Tiltins
BRADMAN	Kyle Wilson - 27 points off a handicap of 27
Lizards	Darren Morgan - 32 points off a handicap of 7
Visitors	

Results of the Semi Finals of the Lindenberg

Glenn Castle	d	John O'Meara	4 & 2
Gary Castle	d	Michael Porter	1 up

John O'Meara (that's pronounced o-mar-a), in addition to preparing for his ascent to power has been quietly badgering away at his golf. He's picked up 3 wins in the last six months without any apparent adverse effect on his handicap! Let's see how the pressure of high office affects his game.

Neil Winterton hasn't seen much silverware since his hot streak in 2012. 39 points is no mean feat on the new layout, particularly off a handicap of 17. Good to see him shaking things up once again.

Visitor **Stephen Hill** is another golfer in the O'Meara (that's pronounced o-mar-a) mould that seems to be able to mesmerise the handicapper. After coming second in visitors in March he got a shot back on his handicap. He produced another second place in April with no deduction, and now in May he comes in first. How is it so?

And so the 2016 Lindenberg Final comes down to the final two combatants. For the first time in recorded Lizards history we have a pair of siblings contesting the final. Who will come out on top? The casual and collected **Gary Castle** or the bold and impetuous **Glenn Castle**? While pondering over just this question a couple of weeks ago Wal Hill was heard to say "Hey – both their first names start with the letter "G" – does this make the final a bit of a "G-up"?"

Dates to Remember

We cannot get onto North Turramurra on 17 July – some special event is on or something. So we decided to move it to **Sunday 24 July**.

Neil has a confirmed booking at 7 pm on Tuesday 5 July at Balgowlah RSL for the AGM.

Fines of the Day

Ivan Tiltins	For ringing the Editor 3 times last week to ask if it was Lizards Day on Sunday
John O'Meara	For abandoning his touring companion & roommate PK on the upcoming trip North offering the flimsy excuse that it's his son's wedding that weekend, and for refusing to move the wedding date.
John Surplice	Left his golf shoes at home and whinged for the whole 18 holes about blisters from his borrowed ones
Garry Bird LM	Did strategically urinate in the location that Chris Mooney hit his tee shot on the 7 th
Ivan Tiltins	On the 15 th did claim to have the divine ability to turn beer into water

TODAY'S PLAY

Handicap Adjustments

John O'Meara	-1	Glenn Castle	1	Phil Lamplough	1
Michael Porter	-1	Stephen Hill	1	Kyle Wilson	1
Neil Winterton	-1	Wal Hill	1		
Jim Buckenham	1	Peter Kiely	1		

Nearest the Pins

Handicap of 19 or more	14 th	15 th
Handicap of 18 or less	14 th	15 th

Longest Drives

Handicap of 19 or more	1 st
Handicap of 18 or less	1 st

Finals of the Lindenberg

Glenn Castle vs Gary Castle

NEXT MONTH

Event: Epps/Meredith Day
(Sponsored by Col Lacey & Ivan Tiltins)
Tee Time: 8:00 am
Caterer: Brian Ellis

TODAY

8:00 am
Mick Porter/Peter Simmonds

Good Golfing and Good Luck
Chris Mooney, Editor

