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Welcome to O'Brien-Wilson Custard Ball Day

Welcome to our new monthly sponsors Rob O'Brien & Kyle Wilson! While discussions over the exact naming of the day are ongoing, we can look forward to today marking the beginning of an ongoing September event. Of course Rob & Kyle have been around for a while now, and both have served admirably as President of our club. When the call was put out to see who was willing to fill the large shoes left by Andy Warner LM's move to Queensland the boys put their hand up straight away. They have also confirmed the continuance of the Custard Ball event, so don't forget to collect your coloured balls and scorecard.

CAPTAIN HANDICAPPER'S DAY, with 18 Lizards and 5 visitors, produced these results:

1st LIZARDS				Gary Castle - 42 points off a handicap of 31
2nd LIZARDS				Garry Bird LM - 39 points off a handicap of 26
1st VISITORS				Ben Sainsbury - 36 points off a handicap of 34
2nd VISITORS				T Bag - 34 points on count-back off a handicap of 37 (awarded to Ashton Castle O.T.D.)
BEST SCRATCH				Ivan Tiltins - 24 points on count-back
BEST FRONT NINE				Brian Ellis - 20 points off a handicap of 31
BEST BACK NINE				Michael Morgan - 19 points on count-back off a handicap of 24 (awarded T Bag O.T.D.)
NEAREST the PINS	25+ 5 th Gary Castle			
	24- 5 th Michael Porter			
NEAREST the PINS -	25+ 16 th Eddie Nguyen			
SECOND SHOT	24- 16 th Ivan Tiltins			
LONGEST DRIVES	25+ 1 st Eddie Nguyen			
	24- 1 st Matthew Castle			
BRADMAN	Lizards			Jim Buckenham - 26 points off a handicap of 24
	Visitors			Geoff Wade - 33 points off a handicap of 49



Gary Castle seems to pull a win out of his hat annually but for some reason he skipped season 2018/19. Rumour has it that his move to Port Stephens and the subsequent travel has put a dent in his mojo. More likely is his newly found relaxed state since moving out of the big smoke.



Ben Sainsbury has been an occasional visitor, never venturing up to the podium save for a Bradman's downer back in June last year. He's been slowly chipping away at his handicap however, as he's lost a couple of shots since then. This didn't stop him being a clear winner on the day.

Jim 'Yo-Yo' Buckenham continued his display of extremes of form. For example, he won the day in July 18, Bradman in December 18, won in June 19 and Bradman again in August. If we didn't know better, you'd swear he was using any method possible to get an extra beer.



Lemon Tree Passage Update

Port Stephens Trip Update

Peter Kiely has advised that over the weekend 1st to 3rd November we'll be playing

Friday at Nelson Bay – 11am

Saturday at Horizons – 11am

Sunday at Muree – 9:45am

The total cost is \$415 which includes all golf with carts, breakfast Sat & Sun, dinner Fri & Sat and accommodation based on 2 people per room. PK will be asking for final nominations today.

Fines of the Day

Wal Hill	Provided an egg flipper that had previously been used to change the tyres on his car
Garry Bird LM	While helping Michael Morgan find his ball on the 7 th hole pointed to Ku-ring-gai National Park and stated "It's over near the last tree there"
Steve Hill	After laying up on the dam edge on the 17 th hole, hit his ball out and performed a double twist with pike to fully immerse himself in the chilly waters

Ian Massey	Reciting his life history to the enthralled crowd. They eventually woke up
T-Bag	Did enquire if it was okay to bring his brother "cup of coffee" next month

TODAY'S PLAY

Handicap Adjustments

Gary Castle	-3	Ashton Castle	1	John O'Meara	1
Garry Bird LM	-1	Stephen Hill	1		
Jim Buckenham	1	Chris Mooney LM	1		

Note: The usual CUSTARD BALL EVENT will be held

Nearest the Pins

Handicap of 19 or more	5 th , 14 th , 15 th & 16 th
Handicap of 18 or less	5 th , 14 th , 15 th & 16 th

Longest Drives

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

NEXT MONTH

Event:	Castle Hill Plate Day
Tee Time:	8:00 am
Caterer:	Ivan Tiltins

TODAY

8:00 am
Rob O'Brien / Kyle Wilson

Good Golfing and Good Luck
Chris Mooney, Editor

