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Welcome to Captain Handicapper's Day

The distinguished position of Captain/Handicapper is crucial to the Lizards and their visitors enjoying our monthly events. With **Michael Morgan LM** and **Chris Mooney LM** in the handicapping engine room, we are in good hands. Being lucky to have such thorough record keeping and accurate handicapping calculations - let's try to keep the cards legible, eh? Thanks to both of you gentlemen for your time and efforts!

RASO DAY, with 15 Lizards and 1 visitor, produced the following results:

1st Lizards

Fuzzy Azmi - **42** points off a handicap of **30**

2nd Lizards

Mark Pearson - **37** points off a handicap of **2**

1st Visitors

David Sampson - **18** points off a handicap of **38**

Best Scratch

N.G.E.

Man in the Middle

Rob O'Brien - **28** points off a handicap of **24**

Bradman - Lizards

Mason Hiini - **19** points off a handicap of **24**

Bradman - Visitors

David Sampson - **18** points off a handicap of **38**

Best Front Nine

Sean Milliss - **19** points on count-back off a handicap of **22**
awarded to Milton Went O.T.D.

Best Back Nine

Les Gorton - **19** points off a handicap of **19**
awarded to Brian Ellis LM O.T.D.

Nearest the Pins

25≥
24≤

5th Garry Bird LM
5th Mark Pearson

15th Brian Ellis LM
15th Ivan Tiltins LM

Longest Drives

25≥
24≤

13th Garry Bird LM
13th Mark Pearson



A Fuzzy photo

The July event enjoyed cool but sunny weather, finishing with and an enjoyable lunch of Raso Burgers – good stuff chaps!

Fuzzy Amri enjoyed his inaugural Lizard's win with a convincing 42 points. Fuzzy held off **Mark Pearson** in second place, Mark coming home with 37 points. Well done to **Dave Sampson** who repeated his Visitor clean sweep for a second consecutive month.

Fines of the Day

Ric Raso	Being so distrusting of other Lizards he removed the keys from his cart on the first tee
Ivan Tiltins LM	Wearing fingerless gloves to Lizards - he claims they are good for penny pinching
Dave Sampson	Social climbing as after being invited to Lizards by Mark Pearson, brushed him to join the President's group
Mason Hiini	Offering his face to the local insect population to feed upon before Lizards
Garry Bird LM	Forgetting to sign the Longest Drive marker on the 12 th hole, his first in 23 years
The Raso's	Credit Fine for the high quality of their catering



Howard Lindenberg Trophy

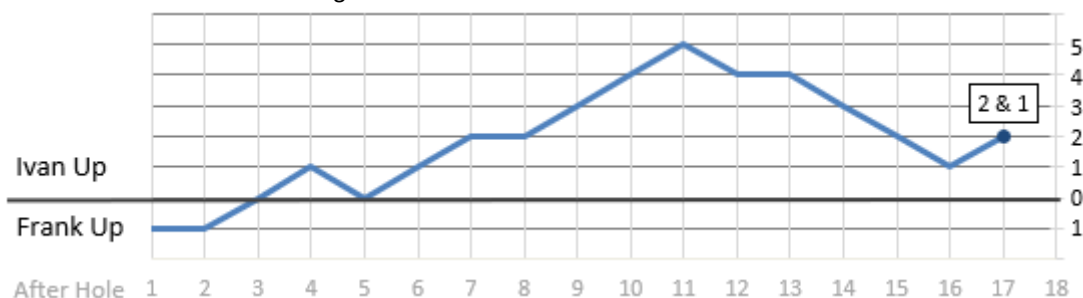
A much-anticipated final was played last month with **Ivan Tiltins LM** building a solid lead before a back nine charge saw **Frank Raso** head to the 17th tee being only 1 down. A bogey for 2 Stableford points saw Ivan win the hole and the trophy with a **2 & 1** result.

Congratulations to Ivan on his Lindenberg 2024 victory!

This is Ivan's second Lindenberg Trophy with his first back in 2017.



The Lindenberg Final 2024



Lemon Tree Trip

The Lemon Tree Passage Trip this year is 1st - 3rd November 2024.

Peter Kiely has advised the following courses and tee times:

- Friday 11:20: Tanilba Bay
- Saturday 10:20: Horizons
- Sunday 10:00: Muree

The total cost is **\$440** which includes all golf with carts, breakfast on Saturday & Sunday and accommodation. Adjustments for those not playing all 3 rounds will be made. PK hopes to see you all there so get your name on his list!

TODAY'S PLAY

Handicap Adjustments:

Fuzzy Azmi	-3	Les Gorton	1	Rob O'Brien	1
Garry Bird LM	1	Sean Milliss	1	Frank Raso	1
Pat Byrne	1	Chris Mooney LM	1	Mason Hiini	2
Brian Ellis LM	1	Peter Murphy	1	David Sampson	2

Nearest the Pins

Handicap of 25 or more	5 th	14 th
Handicap of 24 or less	5 th	14 th

Longest Drives

Handicap of 25 or more	6 th
Handicap of 24 or less	6 th

NEXT MONTH

Event: Kyle & Robbie O's Custard Ball
Tee Time: 8:00am
Caterer: Rob O'Brien / Kyle Wilson

TODAY

Captain Handicapper's Day
8:00am
Mason Hiini / Pat Byrne



Good Golfing and Good Luck
Rob O'Brien, Editor

True or False?

1. The origin of the word "golf" comes from the acronym "Gentlemen only, ladies forbidden".
2. Before the use of tees, it was common for golfers to use a small pile of sand.
3. A man has won an event on the LPGA Tour.
4. A woman has won an event on the PGA Tour.
5. The oldest golf course in the world is The Royal and Ancient Club of St. Andrew's in Scotland.
6. St. Andrew's set the standard for number of holes in a round (18) and size of the hole (4.5 inches).
7. Golf balls travel significantly further on hot days than on cold days.
8. The word caddie originated from the French explorer Antoine de la Mothe Cadillac.
9. 80% of golfers will never play to a handicap of less than 18.
10. Golf is the only sport to have ever been played on the moon.



A local attended last month's meeting