



3 April 2016

Camden Golf Club

Round 6

Some were up at 4.00am, not sure if Daylight saving had you winding back the clock an hour or turning the dial forward, as Daylight Saving ended at 3.00am this Sunday morning. To make matters worse to the fact I got up to early, it then started to rain, it soon stopped . When we arrived at the golf course, we could see in the distance, a hot air balloon hovering in the mist over Camden

Only 18 of our players were playing at Camden G.C., Studley Park but when we arrived, we had to fight for a parking spot, as there were a squillion people from a few social clubs ready to hit off.

We welcomed Jimmy Moodie, a past member of CHP RSL Golf Club in the 1990's visiting from Scotland, Jimmy came along with Roger Harriman to re-acquaint friendships with Greg Parsell, Joe Oriti and John Kottaridis while playing a round of golf with the latest recruits that make up our social golf club. I bought along the CHP RSL Golf History Booklet that I produced in 2012 were Jimmy's name appears on our Championship Trophies 3 times and the redundant Eclectic Trophy once.

Glenn Watson praised himself, by recording on the NTP sheet "Great Shot" when his golf ball actually stayed on the 12<sup>th</sup> Green, where as Keith Johnson went into raptures of laughter when Troy Wilks shot onto the 180metre 12<sup>th</sup> and just rolled through and off, but not a beep when my shot passed Glenn's then proceeded to roll off the sloping green.

The bunkers took some getting out of today, as they varied in types of sand, being soft, hard or just plain clay, but the greens were the enemy of most of us, where they were very fast at the beginning then later in the round became fluffy and a tad slower, confusing most of us today. And then again there was at least one yellow ball taken by a "black bird destined for a pie" if Joe Oriti could of caught up with it, as it took to flight, last seen headed towards Camden Town with a yellow ball in jt's beak. We also witnessed the occasional splash in the depleted dams or could only be referred to as puddles

James Yip, the other Chinaman in the club, as George referred to James today, produced one of his great rounds and finished well in front of the following pack, but it was interesting that James didn't win a ball in the NTP competition but the handicapper has now knobbed him after this was his 2<sup>nd</sup> win in the first 6 rounds this year.

Today's Stableford winners were 1st Jame Yip on 46points , 2<sup>nd</sup> Greg Parsell 40 pts, 3rd Ron Williamson 39 pts,4<sup>th</sup> Troy Wilks 38 pts in c/b, 5<sup>th</sup> John Kottaridis also 38 pts,  
Today's Scratch Winner was John Kottaridis, 26 s/b points in c/b from Noa Palu

The final of the CHP RSL Golf Matchplay will be played between Noa Palu and Samy Ratnam at Liverpool G.C next game and wish them good luck, and play well.

Good Golfing next round at Liverpool G.C. 17th April, 7.19am (Pro shop ph no# 9727 2422) Par 72 6332metres  
Hollywood Drive, Lansvale off Hume Highway \$35 game 3 carts booked

The "nearest the pins" winners Weather Fine , Warm Course Rating 38

Hole	A Grade	B Grade	C Grade
3rd	-	-	-
6th	-	Troy Wilks	Ron Williamson
12th	Noa Palu	-	Glenn Watson
16th	Noa Palu	Roger Harriman	-
Drive & 2nd Hole #18th	John Kottaridis	George Liu	Craig Tomison
Longest Drive Hole#8th	Keith Johnson	Troy Wilks	Ron Williamson

Ball comp : Joe Oriti, Bill Fonseca, Joanne Kinhead, John Mandarini, Peter Deady, Mal Tyler, Jimmy Moodie  
Bradman : Peter Deady(18) .

**The Bearded One**