

QUIXOTIC GOLF CHALLENGE

The Northern Territory Bar Association held its "Quixotic Challenge" Golf Day on 2 June at Darwin Golf Club.

Thirty three golfers in 7 teams enjoyed a classic cool sunny dry season afternoon in pursuit of the little white ball and much fun was had by all.

NTAG's Phil Timney, Greg Shanahan, Peter Ward, David Lisson and with them, Peter Elliott, won the lowest score with 31, five under the card. This was a tremendous score.

Johnny and the Legends, or rather, John Adams, Sally Gearin, Barbara Reeves and Alison Cassells won the Quixotic Trophy and the wine after adjustment for handicaps. Handicaps were ascertained by a throw of the dice which had a certain serendipity about it. Their victory was so sweet that the Trophy, a splendid pewter rendition of a male completing a golf swing, is now clad in a pink tutu and matching hat. How humiliating!

Duncan Maclean hit the longest drive and Alison Cassells got nearest the pin on the 8th. A special mention goes to Pip Lazarus, the most colourfully dressed golfer, because she brought along a frisbee.

Chief Justice Brian Martin revealed, by his very cultured golf swing, how he spent much of his younger legal years.

Thanks to all who played and to Darwin Golf Club for allowing us to use their beautiful golf course. The general feeling was that it was a success and should be held again next year.

So it will.

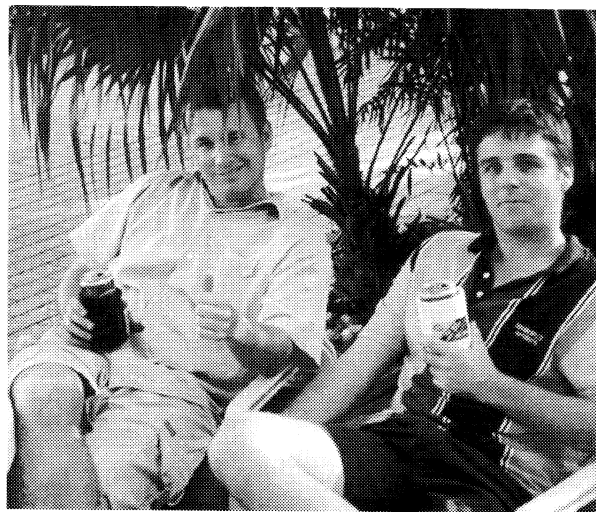
Lex Silvester.



Bar Association President Mr John Reeves QC tries out his shot with Mr Michael Davis watching



Johnny and the Legends team member and dice thrower Sally Gearin proudly displays the Quixotic Challenge Trophy (The tut is pink of course)



Morgan Buckley's Mr Sam McGrath and Mr Jim McEwen



The winning team! Ms Sally Gearin, Mrs Barbara Reeves, Mr John Adams and Ms Alison Cassells