

THE 2023 MASTERS SERIES

Camden Lakeside – 5th February, 2023

The first round of the second Masters Series was played in spectacular weather – sunny, hot and no wind and we could not have asked for better conditions, but even that didn't help many of us who struggled with the superb conditioning of the final, re-vamped and tough Lakeside layout.

That is most of us except Colin Iles who savaged the course with a super 39 points including 2 wipies to take out the individual prizemoney and also backing up for a win in the Group Aggregate, the Secret Six and the Survival Ball to record his best result to date on a Hackers outing. Well played Colin!

The course is a credit to the designers and the staff. It is visually stunning, very tough and with penal rough and hazards. We started on the 11th hole (the old 10th) and recognised very little from the old course. We played from the Gold Markers (Teal for the Ladies) which were forward (Slope 124) and I could only imagine I would need many more strokes to take on the blue or black tees. I found it necessary to prefer only two lies in 18 holes and, even then, it wasn't really sitting all that badly. The huge greens are hard, fast and guarded by mounds and well placed bunkers making short putts hard to achieve and there is plenty of water.

All in all it was a very pleasant experience, a great day out and, I for one, will return for another crack at it sometime.

Full results as follows;

Championship				Secret 6 Holes			SCRATCH			
1	Colin Iles	39	39.00	1	Colin Iles	18	1	Colin Iles	25	
2	Pat Bardsley	34	34.00	2	Keith McLaren	14	2	Michael Lees	25	
3	Terry Ardouin	34	34.00	3	John Vincent	13	3	Pat Bardsley	25	
4	John Vincent	33	33.00	4	Michael Lees	13	4	Dave Vanderwiel	23	
5	Michael Dentist	33	33.00	5	Terry Ardouin	13	5	Ross Natrass	21	
6	Michael Lees	33	33.00	6	Michael Dentist	12	6	John Vincent	20	
7	Dave Vanderwiel	32	32.00	7	Dave Vanderwiel	11	7	Malee Vanderwiel	18	
8	John Killin	31	31.00	8	Grahame Steptoe	11	8	Terry Ardouin	17	
9	Trevor Porter	31	31.00	9	Pat Bardsley	11	9	Keith McLaren	16	
10	Trevor Gough	30	30.00	10	Brad Thompson	10	10	Trevor Gough	15	
11	Ross Natrass	29	29.00	11	Darron Robinson	10	11	Darron Robinson	13	
12	Keith McLaren	28	28.00	12	Malee Vanderwiel	10	12	Michael Dentist	13	
13	Malee Vanderwiel	28	28.00	13	Trevor Gough	10	13	John Hardy	11	
14	John Hardy	27	27.00	14	John Killin	9	14	John Killin	11	
15	Grahame Steptoe	25	25.00	15	John Hardy	8	15	Brad Thompson	10	
16	Brad Thompson	23	23.00	16	Ross Natrass	7	16	Trevor Porter	10	
17	Darryl Casey	23	23.00	17	Trevor Porter	7	17	Grahame Steptoe	9	
18	Darron Robinson	22	22.00	18	Esther Christen	5	18	Darryl Casey	8	
19	Esther Christen	13	13.00	19	Darryl Casey	3	19	Shaun Bardsley	7	
20	Shaun Bardsley	10	10.00	20	Shaun Bardsley	2	20	Esther Christen	6	

RED 119.0	
Colin Iles	39
Terry Ardouin	34
Darryl Casey	23
Esther Christen	13
Shaun Bardsley	10

BLUE 140.0	
Dave Vanderwiel	32
John Killin	31
Malee Vanderwiel	28
John Hardy	27
Darron Robinson	22

GREEN 152.0	
Pat Bardsley	34
John Vincent	33
Trevor Porter	31
Ross Natrass	29
Grahame Steptoe	25

GOLD 147.0	
Michael Dentist	33
Michael Lees	33
Trevor Gough	30
Keith McLaren	28
Brad Thompson	23

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TOTAL COLLECT		
Colin Iles	\$	100.00
John Vincent	\$	90.00
Pat Bardsley	\$	90.00
Trevor Gough	\$	90.00
John Hardy	\$	60.00
Grahame Steptoe	\$	50.00
Ross Natrass	\$	30.00
Trevor Porter	\$	30.00
Brad Thompson	\$	-
Darron Robinson	\$	-
Darryl Casey	\$	-
Dave Vanderwiell	\$	-
Esther Christen	\$	-
John Killin	\$	-
Keith McLaren	\$	-
Malce Vanderwiell	\$	-
Michael Dentist	\$	-
Michael Lees	\$	-
Shaun Bardsley	\$	-
Terry Ardouin	\$	-
	\$	540.00