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HACKS SHOOT THE BIRDS 4.5-2.5... LUCKY'S LINKS STOP MONEY 5-2...



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(CLIFTON, NJ) – Without hesitation this is the strongest Wild Card Group, I can recall. Four rock-solid teams that I could envision struggling through three layers of Tournament Rounds, and eventually taking home the Red Lion. The competition this year was off the charts and much stronger than anything I can recall, and we essentially had 11 well-built teams with lots of strong players, and one significantly weaker club, that would crash and burn during the summer.

A testament to the increased level of competition is the three teams that did not prevail. DSR won it all back in 2019 and has plenty of talent, Beer Pressure much stronger and tougher than any previous version of themselves, and the Newark Bears well organized but probably in need of some Low Gross Guns. With the pressure of playing on the Mission Tour slightly cranked up a notch for most, it just seems to me that the lower caps deal with that element much better than your average high capper.

This week, Professor Go Go is very bullish on the Winning Links taking down the defending Champions, Money Shot, where he envisions a 6-1 victory for Lucky Moore's crew. If I didn't examine the matches, I thought that Money Shot & Winning Links would be a very close battle. Money Shot has won it ALL in recent times: 2016, 2018 and 2020, and has all that experience of dealing with big game pressure. However, the match ups really lean toward Lucky Moore's Winning Links, and 2021 is an odd year.

The key to victory in this contest lies in their lead match of the A-B class teeing off at 12pm. The A Class players Johnnie Walker Corsetto and Brian "Big Balls" Flynn will greatly determine the outcome of this War. The B-Class is a given, and the world certainly isn't fair when Joe Sharples and Lee Hanford are both 12-cappers. Sharples is a very heavy favorite to win his match. "Johnnie Walker" Coretto versus Brian "Big Balls" Flynn is without doubt, the Match of the Week. These two players are "Anchors" for their teams and must win. Go-Go figures whoever wins this match, that team will advance to Architects Golf Club. You just cannot bet against Walker in a Post Season Tour of this magnitude. Professor Go Go boldly figures Corsetto will edge out Big Balls & with Sharples victory this sweep will start the ball rolling, and a Lucky-Links-Landslide will be cast in motion.

In the other confrontation, Go Go is pretty certain the Birds are flying into a perilous storm. The Double Downer flock will be venturing over Hackathon Territory, and many will get blasted out of the sky. Rando will take out NFL Claro. Nardin a safe bet over Antonucci. The Big O and Jonathan Hooch/Bun Cresci will sweep & the ballgame is over. Lights out for the Birds. Hack will dance some more. General Gianni Incontro of Hackathon, short a man, will still manage victory and will advance to the Land-of_Architects, and Go-Go predicts a 4.5 - 2.5 win for the talented young Hackers.



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