

CAPInv. 1360: **hoi laxoi**

I. LOCATION

i. Geographical area	Egypt
ii. Nome	Thinites (U08)
iii. Site	Ptolemais Hermeiou (Gebel Tukh)

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	οἱ λαχοῖ (IGR I 1151, l. 4)
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>hoi laxoi</i>

III. DATE

i. Date(s)	80 / 81 AD
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IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

ii. Name elements	Professional:	<i>laxoi</i>
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V. SOURCES

i. Source(s)	IGR I 1151 (AD 80/1)
Note	other editions: SB V 8805
Online Resources	IGR I 1151 TM 102695 AGRW ID 15307
i.a. Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)
i.b. Document(s) typology & language/script	Dedication/Topos Inscription; Greek
i.c. Physical format(s)	Stone

VI. BUILT AND VISUAL SPACE

ii. References to buildings/objects	τόπος <i>topos</i> (l. 4); perhaps associated with or located near a temple?
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VII. ORGANIZATION

ii. Leadership	[ἱερο]ποιὸς [καὶ] ἀρχιπρύτανις <i>hieropoios kai archiprytanis</i> (l. 2)
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IX. MEMBERSHIP

i. Number	5
ii. Gender	Men
Note	Recorded names are male names.
v. Relations	One father-son pair: Soter and Sarapian son of Soter (?)

XII. NOTES

iii. Bibliography	Bernand, E. (1993) 'Τόπος dans les inscriptions grecques d'Egypte', <i>ZPE</i> 98: 103-10 (esp. 107-8).
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XIII. EVALUATION

i. Private association	Probable
Note	The text does not contain a reference to a <i>synodos</i> , <i>koinon</i> , or <i>thiasos</i> . But the identification of the group as the <i>laxoi</i> does suggest that it might have referred to an association as parallels indicate. The reference to a <i>topos</i> , more common outside of Egypt, can also indicate the presence of an association.