



SONS IN RETIREMENT



VALENTINES DAY FEB 14TH

LAKE OF THE PINES

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NEXT MEETING
FEB 6, 2013

BIG SIR - PAUL LAMBERT



Paul Lambert, our Big Sir, missed his inaugural meeting and luncheon as he was down with a severe lung infection. Glenn Delisle, our Little Sir, filled in for Lambert and picked up Little Sir duties. Likewise, Delisle prepared these Big Sir and Little Sir reports for our February bulletin.

Our branch launched a good Board Executive Committee meeting January 9th. It was well attended and enthusiasm sprouted on agenda items. We agreed that members owe it to our branch to respond with yes or no on the e-mail notice of attending the next luncheon. And, if one fails to show, next month he will be charged for the missed lunch, and expected to pay upon arrival. We lost hundreds of dollars last year to members that failed to show after saying they would attend. Some call this "Tough Love" and it is.

I would like to thank Glenn Delisle who did an excellent job as acting Big SIR at the January BEC and Branch meetings. Glenn did this with less than 24 hours notice due to my illness. We are very fortunate to have a 2013 Little SIR with one year's experience as Big SIR. I am on the mend and am looking forward to participating with the BEC and Branch membership in February.

Regards, Paul

LITTLE SIR - GLENN DELISLE

The speaker for the luncheon was Fred Dean-Turner, general manager for LOP. He is entering his third year as GM and gave us a detailed resume of what is going on in LOP and how the association is working. Certainly, there were many of us that were unaware of all the actions and activities in which LOP is deeply involved. This was an opportune moment to obtain news direct from the management epicenter. Thank you Fred! We are focusing on a speaker for our February 6, 2013. We have a commitment, and are closing final thoughts. Michael Beamon would provide info on many benefits available to people: In home care, convalescent homes, skilled nursing, etc. He gave that info 18 months ago, and significant changes have occurred.



JANUARY SPEAKER FRED DEAN-TURNER

MEMBERSHIP - PHIL JONES



ACTIVE MEMBERS

100

Now that our Branch 170 membership for 2013 has been brought up to date we are 100 strong, and the good news is we have four new members joining our branch.

Three new applications will be LOP residents and one will be a transfer from another branch. So let's give them a hardy welcome and let's keep recruiting.

For those who did not pick up the new membership book it will be available when you check in at the February 6 luncheon meeting.

FREE LUNCH WINNERS



HAL GARRETT
ROD CORVINGTON

FEBRUARY MENU



TACO BAR

PRICE \$15

As your 2013 Food and Beverage person (with help from John Brewer and Paul), we have attended meetings regarding cost increases for all club lunches and dinners. The LOP Board has told Food and Beverage to contain their costs.

We have worked with the Food and Beverage Supervisor and our new chef to come up with the best deal we can. It is so tight that our branch is going to subsidize the cost of coffee at the lunches. There will be a kitty for coffee at the lunch if you would like to contribute!

**TRAVEL
HAL
WALLACE**



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS



**JOHN FRENCH AL GUSTAVSON
DAN HAUT PHIL JONES
MACK LEETHAM DICK PAPP
MEL PIMENTEL DAVE ROSSEAU**

The latest edition of SIR Happenings has just been posted on the SIR website

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BRANCH 170 PAST BIG SIRS

ART LAFONTAINE	1994	DEL PRICE	1995
GENE TOPPER	1996, 1997	CLARENCE ROGERS	1998
JOHN O'HALLORAN	1999, 2000	TOM ANDERSON	2001
JOHN BREWER	2002	KEITH PLATT	2003
RON TRIMBLE	2004	STEVE MICHALAK	2005
DON MILLER	2006, 2007	JIM WILKINSON	2008
PHIL JONES	2009	LARRY SHELLEY	2010
GLENN DELISLE	2011	ROGER POPE	2012

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