



SONS IN RETIREMENT LAKE OF THE PINES BRANCH 170



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NEXT MEETING

MAY 2, 2018

**BIG SIR
BOB CHAN**

Greetings. Finally, Spring is here with warmer weather and longer days. It's time for new birth, new beginnings and renewal. It's a great time to be outdoors working in the yard, fishing on a nearby lake or river and getting your golf game back in shape after an absence due to the inclement weather and cold temperatures. And, it is a great time to come to our monthly luncheon for camaraderie and renewing old friendship, as well as for a nice lunch and listening to an interesting speaker. We would like to see more of you at our monthly luncheons.

March was a very busy month for our Branch with scheduled events, such as our first wine tasting event at the clubhouse, a very successful event I'm happy to report. This was followed by our first beer-tasting event of the year at the Ol' Republic Brewery in Nevada City on March 20. **Marc Loranger**, our new beer tasting committee chair, did an outstanding job in organizing this event. Dinner at the Willo Steak House followed immediately after the beer tasting. The air outside was chilly, but the camaraderie indoors was warm and friendly. In between these 2 events, sadly, we attended 3 celebrations of life services for 2 of our members who passed away and one for a member's wife who passed on. There were 2 golf events scheduled in March: One at Davis GC on March 6 and the other on March 26 at the Peach Tree GC. Our Branch golfers continue to be "in the money" tournament after tournament. Good play, guys.

We welcome our new senior SIR member, **Bill Martin**. Bill turns 90 years young this April. Congratulations and many Happy Returns of the Day to you. What is your secret to long life? We will honor Bill by presenting him with a special plaque to commemorate this special occasion. We wish him continued good health!

Lastly, if I can assist you in anything relating to a SIR matter, please contact me ([rchan.od@gmail](mailto:rchan.od@gmail.com)). I hope to see you all at our next luncheon.

Until then stay well.



**LITTLE SIR
ANDY AMEIGEIRAS**



Greetings for our April 4th, meeting our speaker was Sonja Conklin. She is the Membership Manager for AirMedCare Network a provider for CALSTAR & REACH our local air ambulance providers. Sonja disseminated important information regarding insurance coverage in the area of emergency medical transportation. She covered many different options and gave us some examples of true life cases. We want to thank her for the presentation.

The speaker for our May meeting will be Chris Swindell. He is the head of the LOP fishing group. Chris will talk about fishing on the lake, future tournaments, and rules.

Hope to see you at our next meeting



MAY BIRTHDAYS

- CLYDE ARMSTRONG LARRY BROWN
- DARYL CHANDLER DICK COLLIER
- LARRY ELLIOTT RANDY FRIESEN ED TOZER
- KERMIT JACOBSON GREGOR KOSINSKI
- BOB KROGMAN BARRY MICKLEBURGH
- DON MILLER JIM MORRIL RICHARD WALKER

**Sons in Retirement
Lake of the Pines**

Wine Tasting Excursion

When: Friday, April 27th from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Where: Sierra Knolls Winery

Cost: \$24 pp - Includes Wine Tasting, Gourmet Pizza, Salad and one glass of wine with food. \$5 will be credited toward the purchase of one bottle of wine per person for those who purchase.

Please join Chapter 170 of Sons in Retirement, Lake of the Pines, for a special Wine Tasting of Sierra Knolls Wines. Spouses and significant others are welcome to attend with SIR members.

Please contact: Terry Eberhardt at 530.278.3362 (teberhardt@suddenlink.net) or Dennis Camarlinghi at 408.431.6993 (Gumba317@aol.com)

MEMBERSHIP RANDY FRIESEN



**MEMBERS
153**

**NEW MEMBERS
0**

INACTIVE MEMBERS

3

GUESTS

2



Bob Chan presents Senior SIR Award to Bill Martin

APRIL LUNCHEON



STAR UPDATE
Air Medical Group Holdings - 2016
managed by AirMedCare Network - 2014
\$ Air Ambulance of the Year Award &
Community Service Award - 2016
Health System Partner of Choice - 2016
cases in Merced and Modesto - 2016



Andy Ameigeiras and
Bob Chan with speaker
Sonja Conklin



Winners from SIRS Golf
Tournaments in Davis and
Peachtree/Marysville
from left
Jim Gunn
Ron Wolyn
Pat Graham
Peter Voskes
Terrel Jackson

Hello fellow SIR Golfers!

Once again we have begun this golf season with several fun courses. Our 1st Tournament was held March 6th at the Davis Golf Course. Pat Graham and Peter Voskes placed 1st in their flight with a Net Score of 57!

Our 2nd Tournament was held on March 26th at Peachtree Golf Course in Marysville. This was a Four Man Two Best Ball Tournament. Our golfers scored well and we had Jim Gunn, Terrell Jackson and Ron Wolyn come out as "in the money" winners. Jim Gunn also grabbed a few extra dollars with a Closest to the Pin prize!

We now have the results of our most recent Tournament, a Team Scramble, held at Cherry Island Golf Course in Elverta. Winners were, Ron Wolyn, Jim Gunn, Duane Heaton, Ray Tschirhart and Pat Graham.

On April 23rd we have a Tournament at Empire Ranch Golf Course. This will be an Individual Net Play Tournament. We are also looking forward to the early May Tournament, scheduled for May 8th at Alta Sierra.

Be sure to check the SIR web sight for our full Tournament Schedule and any updates as they occur.

Wishing all SIR golfers lots of fun and success at each of the up coming rounds.

Reminder...On June 25th Lake of the Pines will be the host for the State SIR Golf Team Qualifier. This will be the first SIR Tournament at LOP in many years, let's show up in large numbers and dominate the round!

GOLF NEWS

RON WOLYN



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WOW PICK UP!

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3-DAY CRUISE

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- Anchorage/Whittier
- Hubbard Glacier Scenic Cruising
- Glacier Bay Cruising
- Sitka/Seward
- Juneau
- Ketchikan
- Vancouver







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Niagara Falls & THE GRAND HOTEL

October 12 - 19, 2018

Scenic drives, museums, The Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island, horse drawn carriage rides and the magical Niagara Falls



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Explore five breathtaking national parks: Arches, Canyonlands, Capitol Reef, Dixie National Monument, and Zions. These comprise the Utah Mighty 5. You'll get a chance to explore these sites & also spend time in southern Utah. Join a small group of no more than 14 people and a private guide on this week-long adventure. Hiking, scenic viewpoints, local eateries, folk art, and other fantastic experiences await!





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BEER TASTING



SIR Field Trip to see the Sacramento Rivercats



Tuesday, May 8th

Pick up 5:15 pm – Marina Parking Lot

Return after game to parking lot

Beer – Wine – Water on Bus

\$42/per person



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Marc Loranger

LUNCHEON NOTIFICATION

You will receive an e-mail that asks if you are attending the lunch. Please respond to that email

There will be a salad and plated entree. This allows the chef more time to put together the most cost effective lunch for us. Saving the association (and us) money

DECLARATIONS

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