

# SONS IN RETIREMENT LAKE OF THE PINES BRANCH 170



# **BIG SIR - RON WOLYN**

Spring has arrived and everything is growing beautifully! The Growth is happening with our LOP SIR Branch #170, with 7 new members joining in the fun with us this past April Luncheon Meeting. Welcome to all, we want to get to know each of our members, both new and old. As has been said, each new friend once was a stranger.



Our April Luncheon meeting was for the birds...I mean, we had a Falconer present some birds, a few falcons and a barn owl. The presentation was both informative and entertaining, just what we are hoping for at each Meeting. Our Little SIR, Jim Goetsch, has more excellent speakers with interesting presentations scheduled for coming months.

Speaking of winning presentations, you may have seen recent SIR pictures of the "fanning of the money"...each month we celebrate our many golf tournament victories, this past month was no exception. We had 14 players participate at Auburn Valley and 7 of them were winners! Jim Gunn and Jim Goetsch placed first in their respective flights. Clarke Phillips was closest to the pin, and Robert Reeder, Darryl Chandler, Dennis Camralinghi and Ron Wolyn placed. Our next tournament will be at Woodcreek in Roseville on April 25th.

We announced at our last meeting, and since have sent out an email reminder that we are keeping track of your attendance at our Monthly Luncheon Meetings. Our December Christmas Dinner Dance has become a number one event, especially for the SIR wives. We may have more SIR members wanting to participate than space will allow, if that becomes a problem for us, we will be looking at your attendance to determine who might have to stay home and explain it to your wife. RSVP to each Luncheon notice and let us know if you can or can not attend. Maybe you have a medical issue or are away on vacation, let us know so we can note that on the master list.

See you all at our May Luncheon Meeting on the 4th. Remember, we are now serving desert along with those great meals!

Thanks for letting me be your Big SIR, I appreciate you

# HONORARY LIFETIME MEMBERS

STEVE MICHALAK
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SUPER SENIOR SIR MEMBER

**BILL HAGIN** 

### SENIOR SIR MEMBERS

TOM HASLETT

**BILL SWENSON** 

**AL JOSE** 

LEIF SUNDBLOM

# LITTLE SIR - JIM GOETSCH

Branch 170 had a well-received presentation in April by Amber Kelley of West Coast Falconry. She introduced a falcon, a hawk, and an owl and explained some interesting differences among them.

For our May meeting we will have a presentation by Ed Schofield, our Nevada County Supervisor for District 2. He will be speaking on the status of the County from his perspective and giving us a glimpse of what lies ahead.

We are interested in ordering some SIR golf shirts for interested members. Some have expressed an interest in having some embroidery designating the owner as a member of the Bocce Ball Team or the Golf Team. If you are interested in ordering something like this (with or without the special embroidery), please let Glenn Delisle or me know. We will be gathering some catalogs and prices to present some options at the next meeting.



# MEMBERSHIP PHIL JONES



MEMBERS 140

NEW MEMBERS 7

INACTIVE MEMBERS 8

FREE LUNCH WINNERS FOR MAY
STEVE PARKS

**PHIL JONES** 

# MAY BIRTHDAYS



Glenn Severson Larry Brown

Kermit Jacobsen Clyde Armstrong

Dick Collier Barry Mickleburgh

Richard Walker Bob Krogman

Don Miller Jack Ellena

Lynn Caudle Daryl Chandler

Randy Friesen Ed Tozer

Gregory Kosinski Cliff Fowler

# **APRIL LUNCHEON**

below Big Sir (and golf chairman) Ron Wolyn awards prize money to Jim Gunn



above Membership Chairman Phil Jones with new members from left Jim MacWilliams, Dave Kimbrue, Dick Collier and Ben Coe

left
Amber Kelley, our guest speaker,
with Cubbie the Falcon



right our very own Phil Frank with---who?



above Amber Kelley with Little SIR Jim Goetsz

# WINE TASTING TERRY EBERHARDT



# Sons in Retirement Lake of the Pines

# **April Wine Tasting Excursion**

Where: Szabo Winery

316 Broad Street, Nevada City 530.265.8792

When: Friday, April 22nd, 2016 3:00 to 5:00 pm

Cost: \$7.00/person

Please join Chapter 170 of Sons in Retirement, Lake of the Pines, for a wine tasting at one of our excellent local tasting rooms. This is an opportunity to taste several of their fine wines.

Spouses and significant others are welcome to attend with SIRS members.

Please contact Terry Eberhardt at 530.278.3362 or teberhardt@suddenlink. net if you plan on attending.

The deadline for signing up is Wednesday, April 20th.



#### Directions:

Highway 49 North to Exit 186 Broad Street. Left on Broad Street

# SIR Chapter 170 Trips Information.

There are two upcoming SIR Chapter 170 trips still available for our membership.

# Canada & New England – Round-trip Boston (September 8-23, 2016).

This trip starts and ends in Boston and includes sailing on the Norwegian Cruise line around many beautiful cities in the Northeast.

#### Florida Coast to Coast with Keys (November 12-18. 2016)

Seven day land tour featuring Sarasota, Ft. Meyers, the Everglades, Ft. Lauderdale, Boca Raton, and Key West.

For more information regarding these trips, contact Terry Eberhardt at teberhardt@suddenlink.net or call **278-3362**.

Also in the planning stages is a New Years trip planned for Nashville. More to follow on this trip.

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You will receive the menu with the e-mail that asks if you are attending the lunch. 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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