

# SONS IN RETIREMENT

**FUN** 

# TWIN RIVERS BRANCH #109

**FOOD** 

Marysville, California Incorporated June 18, 1984 **FELLOWSHIP** 

Social hour....11:00 am Luncheon.....12:00 pm We meet the third Tuesday of every month **NEXT LUNCHEON - June 19, 2018** 

Meal ----- \$14 w/o meal ----- \$2

Location - Plaza Room, Hillcrest Plaza 210 Julie Drive, Yuba City

# BIG SIR MESSAGE - Sir Pascual Perez 671-4460

Last week was a very sad week for Branch 109. One of our members passed away; James Donald Elliott (Don) passed on May 31, 2018 Don became a SIR in September 2016; Don was born in Marysville and attended Marysville High School where he met his wife Valli, my wife knew both Don and Valli and said they were a beautiful couple that everyone admired. I was fortunate enough to be partnered with Don at a SIR golf event and I found Don to be a wonderful kind gentlemen, I met Valli at our monthly dining out activity she was so sweet they were truly a wonderful couple. As I've said before, that is the beauty of the SIR organization you meet and become friends with people that your paths may have never crossed. Your chances of meeting and making new friends are tremendous. We may have to say our goodbyes but are rewarded with a new hello. Don will be sorely missed.

# <u>LITTLE SIR Message</u> - Sir Harry Barajas 639-2431

What wonderful spring weather we have had! I sure hope it isn't a prerequisite to a blistering hot summer but if we end up sweltering, at least we have one cool place to go once a month, a Branch 109 SIR meeting. I am looking forward to hearing from our speaker from Grey Lodge Wildlife Refuge at our next meeting Tuesday June 19th. I went out for a tour a few years ago. It's well worth a visit.

GOLF REPORT - BRANCH 45/109 Sir John Boyer - Golf Chairman - 751-2691

# SIGN UP FOR UP-COMING TOURNAMENTS:

6/26 - PLUMAS - 4M (1&3) BB - 0800 SG - \$42 COST

7/10 - RIVER OAKS - 4M1BB - 0800 SG - \$43 COST



TO CHECK ON RESULTS OF GOLF TOURNAMENTS: http://branch45.SIRinc2.org

"I gave my father \$100 and said, "Buy yourself something that will make your life easier." So he went out and bought a present for my mother." - Rita Rudner

"My daughter got me a "World's Best Dad" mug. So we know she's sarcastic." - Bob Odenkirk

"Me and my dad used to play tag. He'd drive." - Rodney Dangerfield



#### POKER CLUB Sir Ken Scott 743-0864



There will be poker games held at my house. If you are interested, please call me for date and time.

CORRECTIONS TO DIRECTORY - If your information has changed, please let me know. Gerry Dorsey

#### TRAVEL - Sir Roy Newman Br 45 / 109 755-3713 roy.newman@comcast.net

There is no smoking or drinking of alcoholic beverages on buses. Until further notice, you may select seats on the bus in the order in which you pay for the trip. On longer trips, we change seats daily. Page 6 A reasonable tip for the bus driver is included in the total cost of the package. No collections for tips will be conducted on the buses

**Yellowstone National Park Experience – Aug. 6-12th.** Enjoy a "Wildlife Safari", breathtaking views, with visits to Idaho, Wyoming & Utah. Price pp/do: \$2,830 - includes home pickup, R/T air Sac. / Salt Lake City & Lots of Fun!!

**Alaska Princess Cruise – Sept. 3-13, 2018**. Prices from \$2,265 pp/do, includes 10-nights aboard the Grand Princess, Inland Passage ports-of-call, a stop at Victoria, BC & Scenic Cruising! Home pickup and transfers to/from San Francisco Pier.

A Tucson New Years! Dec. 30, 2018 - Jan. 3, 2019 (5-days, 4-nights). Price: \$1,950 pp/do / \$2,330 Single Occ. Price includes: Home pickup, R/T airfare, 4-nights lodging at Westward Look Grand Resort, Daily excursions, Cocktail Reception, New Year's Eve Dinner, and an evening of music and dancing, several meals, gratuities, and home transfer on Jan. 3rd.

**San Antonio Spring Fiesta April 24-28, 2019** (5-days, 4-nights). Price: \$2,385 pp/do / \$3,040 Single Occ. Price includes: Home pickup, R/T airfare, 4-nights lodging at Drury Plaza Hotel (on the "Riverwalk"), Daily excursions, Reserved seats for the Annual Fiesta Flambeau Parade, several meals, gratuities, and home transfer on Apr. 28th.

Alpine Swiss Villages Tour\*\* July 25 - Aug. 3, 2019 (10-days, 8-nights). Price: \$5,375 pp/do / \$5,995 Single Occ. Price includes: Home pickup, R/T airfare, 7-nights lodging at Hotel Silverhorn, Wengen, Switzerland and 1-night lodging at Dorint Hotel, Zurich, Switzerland, several excursions, (optional excursions available for extra fees), a free day to help the Swiss celebrate "Swiss Confederation Day" (the Country's 728th Birthday!!), several meals, most gratuities, and home transfer on Aug. 3rd. \*\*Note, this trip involves high altitudes - make sure your doctor is okay with your taking this great trip.

NOTE: The following three offerings are subject to approval by Branch 45 Board Members on May 7, 2018.

**Homes of the Presidents – Oct. 10-16, 2018.** Prices from \$2,850 pp/do, Follow the trail of 10 U.S. Presidents through Washington, DC, Virginia, Maryland & Pennsylvania. Prices include Home pickup and Airport Transfers, R/T Airfare, numerous meals and excursions, lodging, Deluxe Motor coach, Most Gratuities and Baggage Handling.

Alaska Princess Land & Sea Journey – May 21-Jun 1, 2019. Prices from \$2,835 pp/do, include 5-days (4-nights) visiting Fairbanks, Denali National Park, Talkeetna & Whittier and 8-days (7-nights) aboard the Golden Princess, cruising by huge glaciers and Inland Passage ports-of-call (Skagway, Juneau & Ketchikan). Prices also include Home Pickup, roundtrip airport transfers Page 7 plus roundtrip airfare to Fairbanks and return from Vancouver, plus more – see brochure from details.

**Niagara Falls & Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island – Oct. 11-18, 2019**. Prices include Home pickup and Airport Transfers, R/T Airfare, numerous meals and tours (including 2-nights at the Grand Hotel), Seven Nights lodging, Deluxe Motor coach, Most Gratuities and Baggage Handling. **ADDITIONAL TRAVEL NOTICES**: \*Princess Cruise Lines offers on-board credit to former military service men and women, who served honorably for a minimum of two years (90-days if service was in a combat zone). Amount on credit depends on length of cruise.



# Happy Birthday to: Brock Bowen, Bud French, Mike Sickels, Dale Whitmore and Bernie Zaboski

DINING OUT - Sir Roland D'Arcy 743-8742 rolanddrc@yahoo.com

Next Dining Out will be June 28th at Dragon Inn. This will served family style with various different menu items served.

The dinner is at 6 pm and the cost is \$17.00 per person. Please bring cash as there will only be one bill for the meal. Call me to reserve your space or if you have any questions.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT - Sir Roland D'Arcy 743-

Currently Branch 109's bank balance is \$1096.28 with all bills and quarterly assessments paid.

# PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB - Sir Bob Engen, 845-8360 bobenme@att.net

We meet at the Waffle Barn, 590 Colusa Ave. at 8:30 the second Tuesday of each month. Come join us with your questions about photography or your equipment. We will do what we can to help you.

### SLOWTROLLERS - Sir Don Allen 743-2160

Last month we had we had our annual Lake Shasta, Sugarloaf Cabin trip those attending had a great time.

This Month we have a Tournament on Lake Oroville on the 21<sup>st</sup>, there should be a lot of Bass and Kings caught during the Tournament.



#### SIR OFFICE HOLDERS

STATE: President - Derek Southern; Vice President - Ed Benson; Secretary - Ronald Flagel: Treasurer - Karl Ryden: Region 1 Director - Mark Stuart; Area 2 Governor - Don Dill

**BRANCH 109 OFFICERS:** Big Sir - Pascual Perez Little Sir– Harry Barajas; Secretary –Eric Vodden; Treasurer - Roland D'Arcy; **DIRECTORS** Larry Jones; Nelson Mowry; Gerry Dorsey; Blaine Hernrikson; Don Cochran, Dave Sparks. **Tickets** - Dennis Bissell & Nelson Mowery; **Membership** - Gerry Dorsey; **Attendance** - Bernie Zaboski.

MEMBERSHIP - Sir Gerry Dorsey 742-1449 As membership, attendance, and Database Chairman I need your help. I have to know what's going on. If you have an address, phone or email change. Please let me know. If you are ill and cannot come to the meetings, or if you know of some one who is, let me know. Dennis sends out cards to members who are ill or have suffered a loss.

# BOWLING - BRANCH 45/109 Sir Ray Buttacavoli, 671-5599.

Bowling is a sport that can be enjoyed all year 'round. Come on out and join us in this fun sport! We have room for bowlers of all ages and abilities.



We meet every Wednesday at 1:00 at Nu Generations Lanes at 876 Onstott Rd.

### **BOCCE BALL - Sir Buck Foster, 743-6210**



Bocce Ball is an easy game to learn but it can be a very hard game to master. The game is like a combination of bowling and billiards.

The game is played between two teams. It starts when the white ball (also called jack or pallino) is put into play. The team who starts rolls a ball to get it as close as they can to the jack. The opposing team then rolls up to their 4 balls to try to get one closer to the jack. Once they do, the first team rolls up to their last 3 balls.

The game goes by fairly quickly but there is a lot of finesse involved.

# We play this game every Tuesday at Kingwood Park on Gray Avenue at 10:00

Come on out and try this game with us. It is a very easy game without a lot of physical effort involved so everyone can enjoy it.

For Father's Day we got my dad a t-shirt that says "Do Not Resuscitate." He wears it whenever mom takes him to the ballet.

- Greg Tamblyn

Fathers Day, when you get that lethal combination of alcohol and new power tools.

- David Letterman

At the very least, Fathers Day should mean unlimited channel surfing.

- Melanie White

I enjoy Father's Day. It's a time when I pause to reflect on the joy that has come into my life thanks to my two wonderful children, whose names escape me.

- Dave Barry

I got my Dad a GPS for Father's Day. Now someone other than my mom can tell him where to go.

- Melanie White

I got my dad one of those typical Fathers Day cards. You know, with a picture of a hunting coat hanging on a peg, a duck decoy and some golf clubs leaning in the corner. Perfect card for him, because there's nothing Dad loves more than going out in the woods on a frosty morning and beating ducks to death with a 4-iron. – *Daniel Liebert*