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MID-PENINSULA BRANCH #51

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FEBRUARY 2015 Devoted to the promotion of independence and Dignity of retirement

LUNCHEON-12 NOON - FIRST WEDNESDAY - FREMONT HILLS CC, 12889 VISCAINO PL. LOS ALTOS

## <u>SPEAKER</u> <u>February 4<sup>th</sup>,2015</u> EDWARD KARPMAN MD



Dr. Edward Karpman is a board certified urologist specializing in the diagnosis and treatment of prostate disease, prostate cancer, BPH, kidney stones, erectile dysfunction, sexual dysfunction, testosterone replacement therapy, male infertility, vasectomy and vasectomy reversal.

Dr. Karpman is one of the few urologists in the San Francisco Bay Area and Northern California who is fellowship trained to perform vasectomy reversal. Only 1-2% of urologists nationwide hold this distinction in training. His advanced microsurgical training and experience allow him to perform either vasovasostomy or epididymovasostomy, depending on the findings at the time of surgery.

Dr. Karpman is also the Co-Medical Director of the Men's Health Program

IF ANY MEMBER HAS ANY SUGGESTIONS REGARDING SPEAKERS PLEASE CONTACT LITTLE SIR: Sam Meredith 650-325-4152

## **FUTURE SPEAKERS**

**Mar 4:** Aaron Matityahu, Greg Schaem, Walt McCullough – Olive oil, wine making, bee keeping.

## In Memorium

Bob Ward Cecil "Oso" Thomas

## New Members

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WEBSITE

www.sir51.org SIR Branch #51 now has a website. Check out the site for back issues of the newsletter and information about activities.

For information about statewide Activities of SIR go to SIR HAPPENINGS http://www.sirinc.org/sirhappenings/

## ACTIVITIES

**COMPUSIR** is a self-help Computer discussion group. We meet for lunch and discussion on the second Wednesday of each month at the PALO ALTO ELKS LODGE 4249 EL CAMINO REAL, PALO ALTO. For entry, use the announce button on the pedestal to the left of the Front door. COMPUSIR is now part of SPAUG (the Palo Alto – Stanford Users Group). SPAUG Meetings are still held the SECOND WEDNESDAY of each month at 7:00 pm. at PA Elks Lodge (address above). The meeting is upstairs (elevator available past the stairway). More information at www.paspaug.org. Some members meet for dinner at the club at 5:30

COMPUSIRS contact is Jim Dinkey (650-493-9307)

More information at www.pa-spaug.org.

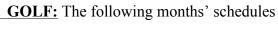
### **Computer Special Interest Groups**

Special Interest Groups --- (SIGs) meet at Central Computer, Santa Clara, Monday evenings at 7pm. (For more information: SVUGA (the Silicon Valley User Group Activities) web site features SPAUG and SVCS among other local organizations.) Build It Yourself SIG — contact/leader: Fred Townsend Windows SIG — contact/leader: Kevin Lynn Digital Imaging SIG — contact/leader: George Hamma & Richard Eggers

Web SIG — <u>contact</u>/leader: Maury Green

## MACINTOSH USERS Skip Ross 541-857-6224 waross@closereach.com

Contact Skip Ross to join this e-mail group where SIR members in all branches can exchange MAC-related news, get answers to questions and share experiences.



JANUARY FEBRUARY 06 TUE Spring Valley 10:00 03 TUE Sunnyvale 14 Wed Poplar Creek 10:15 11 Wed Poplar Creek 10:15 21 Wed Shoreline 28 Wed Los Lagos

10:00 10:00 18 Wed Spring Valley 10:00 10:00 25Wed CrystalSprngs 10:00

November/December Leader Board					
GROSS	NET				
1-Jim Cummings	77	1-Rob Harrell	59		
2-Ned Miller	78	2-Marc Cohen	60		
3-Dennis Gaushell	80	3-Dennis Gaushell	61		
4-Bud Nelligan	83	4-Ned Miller	62		
Jim Stanford	83	5-Aaron Matityahu	64		
6-Rob Harrell	86	Jim Cummings	64		
Ben Guess	86	7-Jim Stanford	66		
8-Kingsley Wood	89	8-Bud Nelligan	69		
9-John Perumattam	93	Bob Guffey	69		

## PLEASE BE AT THE COURSE AT LEAST **ONE HOUR BEFORE THE FIRST TEE** TIME.

All of the golf courses we play require a player count 7 to 14 days prior to play date. Please call or e-mail JIM CUMMINGS (650-328-2168) if your play or no-play commitment changes.

KAI JOHANSEN (853-2493)



The Winter hours are Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12:30.

Please be there by 12:15 for the 12:30 start time. Experienced players need to be there 15 minutes early to be entered into the draw for teams. FREE COACHING IS AVAILABLE FOR NEW PLAYERS.

Don Hughes (322-4300)

**ENNIS:** Our tennis group meets Mondays and Thursdays at Rinconada Park in Palo Alto. Please be there by 8 AM when doubles teams will be formed. Later a arrivals will play as sets are completed. We play an open spin-in doubles format. Play level is about 2.5. We welcome non-SIRS so bring a friend.

Bill Kamin (322-4300)



SIRS ON BIKES: SIR Area #16 bike rides regularly start at 11:00 AM the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month. Wives and Guests are welcome.

Bring bike, helmet and a jacket if it is windy. Rain will cancel. Attendance averages 10-15 riders. More are welcome. Rides are planned to be 15-20 miles on paved bicycle trails (so that almost any type of bike is usable) with some optional ride distances. The pace is moderate and riding on streets is kept to a minimum and includes a restaurant lunch break.

# **Coyote Creek Trail** (South San Jose)

Ride: We will ride the Coyote Creek Trail starting from the Four Points Sheraton Inn at 399 Silicon Valley Rd, San Jose. The ride will be about 6 miles to the Coyote Creek Golf Course. We will go past the golf course another 3 miles to a model airplane launching site, then double back to the golf course club house for lunch. After lunch we will ride back to the hotel parking lot for a total of 18 flat miles, round trip. For those who want a shorter ride, they may omit the ride to the airplane site, thus reducing the round trip to 12 miles.

Directions: The Four Points Sheraton Inn is located south of San Jose, one block east of highway 101 and just north of the highway 101/85 interchange. The directions are the same whether coming on highway 101 or 85: Take the Bernal Rd. exit. Turn left on Bernal Rd., which becomes Silicon Valley Blvd after crossing under 101. Turn left on Rue Ferrari Rd., the service road next to the hotel, and park in the hotel parking lot behind the furthest hotel building on the right.

If you plan to ride or have questions, contact Jim Lunt as per above, or contact Karl Reseck at 650-941-8837.

## NEXT TWO RIDES

March 12: Covote Hills/Alameda Creek, Fremont April 9: Foster City Bay Trail, Foster City

**To Ride or More Info: CONTACT** 

<u>CHAIRMAN</u>	
Jim Lunt	
408-252-6804	OR
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**ALTERNATE** Karl Resick 650-941-8837 karl.resick(at) Stanfordalumni.org

## **INDOOR BOWLING:** (BRANCHES 5, 35 &

51) We bowl on a handicap system, so all have



an equal chance. Each season teams are revised and always have a mix of players by ability. Tuesdays at

Homestead Lanes: Homestead and Stelling in Sunnyvale. Be there by 12.45. New bowlers are always welcome at any level of experience. If you're new, it's easier if you call me in advance so we will be prepared.

## **SEASON HIGH SCORES**

SCRATCH SERIES	SCRATCH GAME	
621 John Faucett	Al Runge	223
576 Phil Vanderwerf	Bob Taggart	214
540 Perry Brown	Joe Enos	205
HANDICAP SERIES	HANDICAP GAMI	Ξ
732 Jeff Grundy	Doug Anderson	251
657 Harold Kaye	Bill Webster	247
653 Roy Robinson	Ron Nakamoto	244
	Bill Finkemeier (32	3-2177)

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BRANCHES 5, 16, 35 & 51 TRAVEL NEWS



Numerous Trips are available through SIR statewide. Check the state publication SIR HAPPENINGS

www.sirinc.org click on travel

All changes in address and/or telephone number must be reported to the Membership Committee Chairman: Tim Eastham, 2110 Ward Way, Woodside, Ca 94062 (650-366-2449.

# SIR BRANCH #51 OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### ACTIVITIES CHAIRMEN

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