

Netflix

The Highway Men, starring Kevin Costner & Woody Harrelson...two guys chasing & trying to kill Bonnie & Clyde
Killing Eve
Quicksand
Designated Survivor

Good Reads For Guys

"Churchill: Walking With Destiny" by Andrew Roberts (thanks to Russ Porter). "The best of all the Churchill biographies". 1103 pages. Joe Grippo would consume this in an afternoon!

"The Storm Over Paris" by William Ian Grubman. 1942 in Nazi-occupied Paris.

"Unbeaten: Rocky Marciano's Fight For Perfection In A Crooked World" by Mike Stanton. 5'10", 185 lbs. & a record of 43-0 when he retired in 1956. Muhammad Ali said "He was the onliest one that would've given me some trouble".

"The League: How Five Rivals Created The NFL And Launched A Sports Empire" by John Eisenberg. Art Rooney (Pittsburg), George Halas (Chicago), Tim Mara (New York), George Marshall (Boston/Washington) & Bert Bell (Philadelphia) were the founders of the NFL. Side note: Rooney Mara - Lisbeth Salander in "The Girl With The Dragon Tattoo". Her father's family founded the New York Giants & her mother's family founded the Pittsburg Steelers...therefore "Rooney Mara".

Overheard in Court, circa 2004:

Attorney Jeff Kaufman: The youngest son, the 20 year old, how old is he?
Witness: He's 20, very close to your IQ.

Attorney Sam Meredith: Now doctor, isn't it true that when a person dies in his sleep, he doesn't know about it until the next morning?
Witness: Did you actually pass the bar exam?

PUNS

A man tried to assault me with milk, cream & butter.
How dairy!

I wasn't going to get a brain transplant but then I changed my mind.

The other day I held the door open for a clown. I thought it was a nice jester.

SEE YOU AT THE NEXT SIR LUNCHEON ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 1ST. BE THERE OR BE UNINFORMED.

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**DUES
EVERYBODY PAID THEIR DUES
THIS YEAR**

ACTIVITIES



GOLF: Two Month's Schedule:

<u>MAY</u>		<u>JUNE</u>	
08 Wed Shoreline	10:00	05 TUE Santa Clara	10:00
15 Wed Spring Valley	10:00	12 Wed Spring Valley	10:00
22 Wed Sunnyvale	10:00	19 Wed Crystal Springs	10:00
29 Wed Los Lagos	10:00	26 Wed Shoreline	10:00

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

Now that the rains are gone-LEADERBOARD will Reappear next month

All of the golf courses we play require a player count 7-14 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 (650-853-2493)



COMPUSIR is a self-help Computer discussion group. Meets monthly 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.spaug.net .

MACINTOSH USERS

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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.



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 from 1-3 PM. Be there by **12.45**.

N. 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. **Spouses and girl friends are welcome**—there are now 10 co-ed teams.

YOU CAN JOIN ANYTIME.

A ball & shoes are available at the bowling lanes. Looking for some exercise that does not rely on good weather? Indoor 10-pin bowling is a fun low impact activity. . Most SIR bowlers are surprised at how fast bowling skills come back to them after a long lay-off. Many have not bowled since they were youngsters. Contact TIM EASTHAM (650-366-2449) for more information.



Thursday at 9:30. SATURDAYS are at 9:30 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 (323-9916)



TENNIS: Our tennis group meets Mondays and Thursdays at Rinconada Park in Palo Alto. Please be there by 8:30 AM when doubles teams will be formed. Later 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 2nd Thursday of the month. **WIVES AND GUESTS ARE WELCOME.** Bring bike, helmet and a jacket if it is windy.

2nd Thursday— May 9, 2019 11:00 AM
Coyote Hills / Alameda Creek -- Niles/Fremont

The SIR Branch 35 monthly bicycling is a combined activity with all SIR Branches in Area 16. The objectives of the monthly rides are to continue to promote fellowship, share experiences, get some exercise and above all, have FUN! Planned SIR rides are announced in each SIR Monthly Newsletter and by email to all interested members. The rides are on the 2nd Thursday of each month. Wives and guest are welcome. All that a bicyclist needs are a bike, bicycling helmet, and a jacket or vest, if it is windy. Rain will cancel the planned ride. We ask that all participants exhibit a positive attitude, exercise good judgment when riding such as maintaining a safe distance between riders, obeying all traffic signs and stop lights, etc.

Biking

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Wives and guests

welcome

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Helmet required

BRISBANE BAYSHORE TRAIL

The Ride: We will ride the flat Bay Trail along San Francisco Bay for about 7.5 miles going south starting from the parking lot next to the empty former Walmart Tower building in Brisbane, and ending at South Airport Blvd. (next to SFO) where we will have lunch at a SANDWICH SHOP then ride back for a total of about 15 miles.

DrivingDirections: Take 101 north past SFO to Sierra Pt. Parkway (2nd exit past the Oyster Point Blvd. exit). At the first intersection, stop, and turn right, then, immediately stop at the next intersection and turn left, which is Marina Blvd., going left. Follow Marina Blvd. around a big curve and just past the former Walmart Tower building (looks like a big ship) on the left side, turn left into a large public parking lot with a short boulevard entrance. We will meet there.

If you plan to ride or have questions please contact Jim Lunt, as per above, or Gordon Tong
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Next month June Ride is
 Guadalupe Trail (Alviso to San Jose)

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BRANCHES 5, 16, 35 & 51 TRAVEL NEWS



Numerous Trips are available through SIR statewide. Check the state publication SIR HAPPENINGS at www.sirinc.org then 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)

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