



# SIR #142 NEWSLETTER



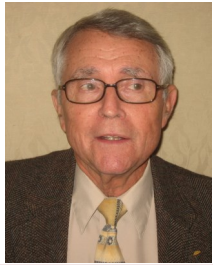
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If you must miss a meeting, phone **Chris Manack, Attendance Chair, at 650 355-5742** or, email him at [chrismamack@gmail.com](mailto:chrismamack@gmail.com) by the Monday before the lunch date. We have to give the Poplar Creek Golf Club a head count for lunch. You must cancel or our branch gets charged for no shows. \$\$\$



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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

**June Birthdays**

<b>Herb</b>	<b>Kessler</b>
<b>Gene</b>	<b>Lebel</b>
<b>David</b>	<b>Rivera</b>
<b>Dan</b>	<b>Scannell</b>
<b>John</b>	<b>Wodarczyk</b>

Let us start the month of June with a big thank you to Art Devoy and his wife Evelyn for setting up another Ladies Luncheon at the Basque Cultural Center. With over 50 folks in attendance and \$50 bills received by 6 lucky card cutting players, fun was had by all. The food was excellent too!!

Our next Ladies get-together will be on Wed. December 13<sup>th</sup>. We will be meeting this time at Poplar Creek Golf Course for a full Holiday Dinner.

The next day will be the end of the golf season awards lunch at Harry's Hof Brau. So, you better start that new workout plan.

Our area Big Sirs just met at Harry's, and we discovered that we have 90 branches in Northern Calif. and 90,000 members. Many of the branches need new members and more guys to serve as officers. Just like us, Little Sirs are in big demand so we can have more speakers and more activities.

Our next lunch meeting is at Poplar on Wed. June 14. There is a good chance we will have a Speaker from Hillsdale Mall to update their new building project.

Our other speaker coming up will be our own John Bernat. He will fill us in on his 111-day cruise around the world with a Power Point presentation and he only gained 2 pounds.

Our new roster will be coming out soon. Thanks Bernie Olson. Thanks also to Bernie for holding down the fort while John Bernat was sailing.

Our membership list sits at 89. Keep up the good work!

Have Fun Stay well!



## TREASURER'S MAY 2023 REPORT

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Beginning Balance	\$ 6,441.13
Income	\$ 2,350.00
Expenses	\$ 2,615.22
Ending Bank Balance	\$ 6,175.91
Petty Cash Fund	\$ 100.00
Total Funds	\$ 6,275.91

All receipts collected have been deposited.  
All annual dues collected so far have been deposited.  
All expenses have been previewed and paid.

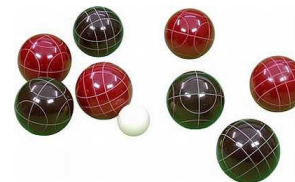
Members: 88 members paid to date



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We welcome all members of SIR Branch 142 to come and join in play with our activity group. It is a very easy game to learn and play. Coffee is served at 9:30AM with play commencing at 10AM each Thursday of the month, weather permitting, and concluding at 12 Noon. We play at Beresford Park in San Mateo. The bocce courts are adjacent to the tennis courts located on the 28<sup>th</sup> Avenue side of the park.

Thu. - May 4	Team #1	Team #2
Games 1 & 2	A. Andrews	C. Manack
	B. Brouwers	R. Merriam
	Y. Merriam	J. Rickson
	C. Rickson	N. Ringer
	J. Ringer	S. Schroeder
	J. Yeomans	
Game 1 Score	12	11
Game 2 Score	3	9

Thu. - May 11	Team #1	Team #2
Games 1 & 2	D. Brouwers	A. Andrews
	J. Hirschmann	B. Brouwers
	J. Ringer	C. Manack
	D. Scannell	S. Schroeder
	S. Scannell	J. Yeomans
Game 1 Score	9	12
Game 2 Score	4	9

Thu. - May 18	Team #1	Team #2
Games 1 & 2	J. Rickson	B. Brouwers
	D. Scannell	C. Manack
	S. Scannell	Y. Merriam
	S. Schroeder	A. Rinder
Game 1 Score	12	11
Game 2 Score	5	12

Thu. - May 25	Team #1	Team #2
Games 1 & 2	H. Kessler	A. Andrews
	C. Manack	Y. Merriam
	R. Merriam	J. Rickson
	C. Rickson	S. Schroeder
	D. Scannell	J. Yeomans
S. Scannell		
Game 1 Score	9	12
Game 2 Score	7	5

## SIR Computer/Technology Group

SIR members in the local area (any branch) get together on the 4th Tuesday of the month at the Redwood Shores Library. Doors open at 10:00 AM and the meeting starts at 10:30 AM. The group discusses current events about computers, software and all kinds of other electronic devices.

Ralph Riviello ([r.riviello@comcast.net](mailto:r.riviello@comcast.net)) chairs the meetings. Beginners to experts are welcome. Bring any questions you may be having with your computer or cell phone.

<https://sirinc2.org/branch1/sir-activities/sir-group-computers/> \$5 to cover coffee & doughnuts is charged.



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## May BOWLING NEWS



June will bring a close to the first session of league play. Thursday's league position round will be June 15, and playoffs/sweepers on the 22nd. Friday's league position round will be June 16, and playoffs/sweepers on the 23rd.

The second session will begin on July 13 for the Thursday league and July 14 for the Friday group. Hope you enjoy the mini vacation. In the meantime we are in the process of making up the new team rosters.

After four and half years Bel Mateo will increase prices for bowling. Effective in July the rate will be \$15.00. Our prize fund will now be \$5.00 in both leagues bringing our weekly cost to \$20.00.

The \$5.00 prize fund fee was approved by both leagues. The final count was 54 in favor and 1 opposed. Also many bowlers have asked about the Gold Pin strikes . Well good news we will do it in both leagues and continue with the Strike in the 5th Frame.

Our winners in May for the \$5.00 Strike in the 5th Frame were Ed Bruzzone, Steve Curry, and Ron Schick.

## The top performances for May

### Thursday League

#### Group A

High Game: Lamonte Lovering - 243  
High Series: Doug Moffitt- 636

#### Group B

High Game: Chuck Waller -222  
High Series: Chuck Waller- 594

#### Group C

High Game: Jill Maguire- 176  
High Series: John Levin- 440



### Friday League

#### Group A

High Game: Steve Curry- 258  
High Series: George Marks- 639

#### Group B

High Game: Les Deman-209  
High Series: Les Deman-567

#### Group C

High Game: Mike Garoutte- 218  
High Series: Mike Garoutte- 550

The next Sirs tournament will be in Dublin on Monday June 19,2023. As of May 30 we have 12 bowlers signed up. Deadline for sign up with Chuck is June 9.

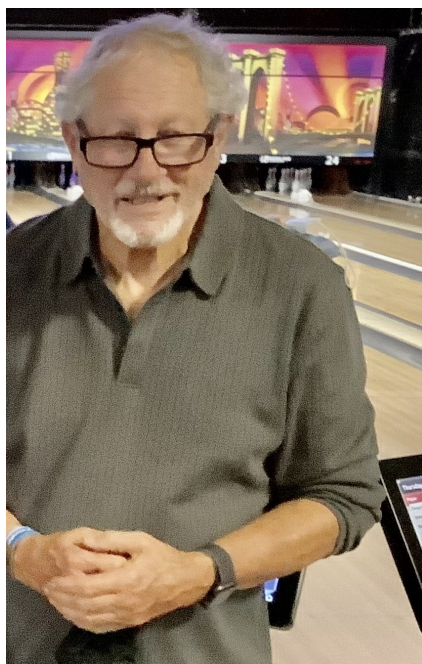
Just a reminder that after 20 years we still have the Tuesday Hi-Lo pot game going on. Great chance to get some practice in and maybe win a few bucks as well. Still only \$3.00 per game. We start at noon.

Good luck to everyone in playoffs and sweepers.

Chuck



## May Bowlers of the Month



Congratulations to Dennis DelSecco our **Thursday** Sirs bowler of the month for May. For his twelve games in May he shot nine over his average of 110 (330 series). For the month he averaged a nice 118 and topped it off on May 18 with a very nice 162 game and a 412 series. Outstanding Dennis you are truly an inspiration to all of us. Great job Dennis, keep up the good work .



Congratulations to Mike Garoutte our **Friday** Sirs bowler of the month for May. Mikes current average is 142 (426 series) however for the twelve games in May he averaged 154 (462 series). Of the twelve games, nine were over his 142 average. On May 5,2023 Mike established two milestones by shooting not only his highest game of 218 but his highest series of 550. Wow that's 124 pins over his series average. Incredible shooting. You are on a roll Mike, keep up the good work.



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**GOLF** (*The wee small balls*) **Bob Chang, (650) 703-2342**



May was a good month for golfers. We had good weather, good courses to play, and some fun golf.

**Wes Matsuura** continued to dominate Flight 1, winning low gross score for all weeks except the last one when Jeff Fong managed to eak out a victory. Flight 2 was led by several players – **Tim McMurdo, Bob Chang, and John Moodie** With **Marty Mintz and Joe Coleman** doing well on a net score basis. In Flight 3, **Bob Ulrich** was dominant winning all four weeks and celebrating his 88<sup>th</sup> birthday to boot,

Our June and early July tournaments are: **June 6 Lake Chabot, June 13 Las Positas, June 20 Shoreline, June 27 The Villages, and July 5 San Jose.** Additionally, we will have a joint tournament with **Branch 35 on Monday June 26 at Boulder Ridge.** You can sign up for any of these at the June 14 Branch Luncheon or by calling me at **650-703-2342** (or email at: [coachchang@sbcglobal.net](mailto:coachchang@sbcglobal.net).)

COURSE:	NET	DATE:	NET	NET											
FLIGHT 1	SCORE	PTS.	FLIGHT 2	SCORE	PTS.	FLIGHT 3	SCORE	PTS.	CTP	HOLE	DISTANCE	PTS	BIRDIES	HOLE	PTS
Thomas	71	5	Mintz	71	5	Najac	69	5	Thomas	4	4' 0"	2	McMurdo	4	4
Matsuura	72	4	Day	74	4	Ulrich	73	4	Chang	8	15' 9"	3	Najac	18	8
McMurdo	73	3	Chang	76	3	Veit	73	3	Matsuura	12	10' 0"	2	Iler	18	2
Iler	76	3	Moodie	76	3	Masry	80	2	Matsuura	15	24' 11"	2	Thomas	4 & 12	4
Pierce	77	1	Mantoani	90	1	Devoy	81	1					Matsuura	5,11,15,18	8
Low Gross	Matsuura	75	Low Gross	McMurdo	88	Low Gross	Ulrich	91							
<b>Course:</b>	<b>Metropolitan</b>		<b>Date:</b>	<b>9/23</b>											
Matsuura	70	5	McMurdo	71	5	Masry	72	5	Mantoani	5	10' 11"	3	Matsuura	3 & 7	4
Fong	72	4	Coleman	71	4	Najac	74	4	Iler	7	7' 7.5"	2	McMurdo	15	4
Pierce	76	3	Woolway	75	3	Ulrich	76	3	Najac	12	75' 0"	4	Ulrich	7	6
Thomas	81	2	Chang	80	2	Veit	77	2	McMurdo	15	20' 2"	3			
Mayta	82	1	Mintz	80	2	DeVoy	78	1							
Low Gross	Matsuura	76	Low Gross	McMurdo	89	Low Gross	Ulrich	101							
<b>COURSE:</b>	<b>Sunnyvale</b>		<b>DATE:</b>	<b>5/23</b>											
Matsuura	72	5	Chang	74	5	Veit	77	5	Matsuura	4	16'	2	Chang	7	4
McMurdo	77	4	Coleman	74	5	Ulrich	77	5	Chang	7	3' 6"	3	Matsuura	4 & 8	4
Mayta	78	3	Woolway	78	3	Najac	79	3	Mintz	13	90'	3			
Thomas	78	3	Moodie	79	2	Bernat	83	2	Mayta	15	20'	2			
Pierce	79	1	Mintz	82	1	Mantoani	84	1							
Low Gross	Matsuura	78	Low Gross	Chang	89	Low Gross	Ulrich	100							
<b>COURSE:</b>	<b>Poppy Ridge</b>		<b>DATE:</b>	<b>5/30</b>											
Fong	69	5	Moodie	77	5	Ulrich	71	5	Iler & Day	3-Chard	17' 1"	2 & 3	Matsuura	5	2
Thomas	73	4	Mintz	77	4	Day	72	4	Fong	7-Chard	20' 6"	2			
Mayta	75	3	Chang	80	3	Veit	74	3	Moodie	2-Zin	11' 7"	3			
Pierce	77	2	Zarate	82	2	Najac	80	2	Chang	7-Zin	16' 10.5"	3			
Matsuura	78	1	Woolway	86	1	Coleman	82	1							
Low Gross	Fong	83	Low Gross	Moodie	95	Low Gross	Ulrich	94							

<b>COURSE: CRYSTAL SPRINGS - SCRAMBLE</b>		<b>5/16</b>					
<b>TEAM</b>	<b>TEAM SCORE</b>	<b>PTS</b>		<b>CLOSEST TO PIN</b>	<b>HOLE</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>	<b>PTS</b>
Walsh-Kelley-Deglatoni-Heiberger	72	5	Won on 2nd tie-breaker	Mayta	3	20' 11.5"	2
Pierce-Moodie-Masry-Najac	72	5	Won on Tie-breaker	Matsuura	8	37' 7"	2
Matsuura-Chang-Mintz-Devoy	72	5		Kelley	11	12' 10"	3
Iler-Thomas-Woolway-Ulrich	73	2		None	13		
Mayta-McMurdo-Coleman-Day	75	1					



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