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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 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. \$\$\$



Jim Veit (714) 803-9151 jdveit@aol.com Big Sir 2019-2024 SIR Branch 142

Welcome to February and our new lunch spot at Jacks Maverick restaurant in San Mateo.

Our first event there in January turned out very well. Good food and service and price. We will continue there until Poplar Creek opens again. Maybe in June!!

We have also booked our Ladies Luncheon at the Basque Cultural Center on Thursday May 15th. We will call it the "Spring Fling". Signup flyers out soon!! Choices for lunch, prime rib, roast leg of lamb, or salmon, sides and dessert for \$50 per person.

We will have our usual free raffle, so bring bottles of wine and other gifts. Also, card cutting, 2 decks 6- \$50 prizes.

Remember it's time to pay your 2025 dues. \$60 for the year.

Take Care and hope to See you at lunch at Jack's on Wed. February 12<sup>th</sup>

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#### TREASURER'S JANUARY 2024 REPORT Chris Manack

650-355-5742
Beginning Balance \$ 5,478.91
Income \$ 1,200.00
Expenses \$ 233.75
Ending Bank Balance \$ 6,445.16
Petty Cash Fund \$ 100.00
Total Funds \$ 6.545.16

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

45 members have renewed their 2025 dues to date.



### FEBRUARY BIRTHDAY BOYS

Donald Del Carlo

Arthur (Art) Devoy

Lou Mayta

Martin Mintz

Dr. Jay Narayan

Joe Simoni

Chuck Waller

Thomas Woolway

## **SUNSHINE REPORT**

If you know of any Sir or their family that is ill or passed please call

<u>Mike</u>

Lazzari (650) 312-9414









BOCCE (The Little Balls) Chris Manack (650) 355-5742 chrismamack@gmail.com



Thu Jan. 2	Team # 1	Team # 2
	C. Manack	A. Andrews
Games 1 & 2	R. Manack	B. Brouwers
	R. Merriam	J. Clemens
	J. Hirschmann	G. Fry
	J. Yeomans	D. Scannell
		S. Scannell
Game 1 Score	9	12
Game 2 Score	4	4

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 Jan. 9	Team # 1	Team # 2	Team # 1	Team # 2
	J. Rickson	A. Andrews	G. Fry	J. Clemens
Games 1, 2 & 3	S< Schroeder	B. Brouwers	C. Rickson	C. Manack
	J. Yeomans	D. Scannell	J. Ringer	L. Staley
		S. Scannell		
Game 1 Score	12	6	6	12
Game 2 Score	5	12	1	12
Game 3 Score			5	12

ThuJan. 16	Team # 1	Team # 2	Team # 3	Team # 4
	A. Andrews	G. Fry	R. Merriam	B. Brouwers
Games 1, 2 & 3	J. Clemens	C. Rickson	J. Rickson	J. Hirschmann
	Y. Merriam	D. Scannell	J. Ringer	C. Manack
	N. Ringer	S. Scannell	S. Schroeder	
Game 1 Score	7	12	12	11
Game 2 Score	12	2	12	1
Game 3 Score	6	0	3	11

ThuJan. 23	Team # 1	Team # 2	Team # 3	Team # 4
	J. Clemens	C. Rickson	A. Andrews	B. Brouwers
Games 1, 2 & 3	C. Manack	D. Scannell	J. Hirschmann	G. Fry
	R. Merriam	S. Scannell	Y. Merriam	J. Ringer
	L. Staley	S. Schroeder	J. Rickson	N. Ringer
	Yeomans, J			
Game 1 Score	12	7	12	10
Game 2 Score	e 2 Score 13		12	8
Game 3 Score	8	9		





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## JANUARY BOWLING NEWS



Both Thursday and Friday's leagues are off to a good start. In the Thursday league we have two teams tied for first and in the Friday league we have three tied. Looks like there's a few teams that have their work cut out for them.

Really nice to have Ruth Swanson and Joe Gibson back on the lanes.

Now we hope to see Joe Voltattorni, John Bernat, Ron Schick and John Levin back soon.

The top performances for January

## Nice shooting everyone

#### **Thursday league**

### **Group A**

High Game: Ed Bruzzone- 278 High Series: Ed Bruzzone-724

**Group B** 

High Game: Cleo Aragon-205 High Series: Veronica Palmer-526

**Group C** 

High Game: Paul Hohl-173 High Series: Ruth Swanson-472

### **Friday League**

#### **Group A**

High Game: Ed Bruzzone-246 High Series: Ed Bruzzone-686

**Group B** 

High Game: Les Deman-208 High Series: Les Deman-522

**Group C** 

High Game: Derald Blackmore-190 High Series: Mike Garoutte-481

#### **Clean Games for January:**

Shawn Buxton-2 Ed Bruzzone-3 Lamonte Lovering- 3

#### \$5.00 Strike in the 5th Frame

Lamonte Lovering, Lydia Stewart, Doug Moffitt, Ken Braband, Paul Harrison

#### \$5.00 Gold Pin Strikes

Thursday- 16 bowlers Friday-13 bowlers

### Dues for 2025: All bowlers with the exception of one have paid their 2025 dues

Don't forget our next luncheon on February 12 at Maverick Jacks. 4000 S. El Camino Real In the old Villa Hotel. Starts at 11:00. See you there. Hamburgers and Salads are pretty good.

Looks like that's it for now. Good bowling everyone.

I can't believe how old people my age are. I thought growing old would take longer.

Sirs Bowlsalot





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## JANUARY BOWLER OF MONTH





Once again the bowler of the month in both our Thursday and Friday league goes to Ed Bruzzone. Congratulations Ed for some outstanding shooting. Of his 15 games In January he averaged a very nice 211 and had 10 games in the 200's. The highlight of the month was on January 9th, in our Thursday league, when he had games of 212, 234, and a spectacular 278 all for an awesome 724 series. Then on January 17, in our Friday league, he had a very nice 680 series with games of 214,226, and 246. Outstanding shooting Ed and congratulations once again on January's Sirs bowler of the month in both leagues



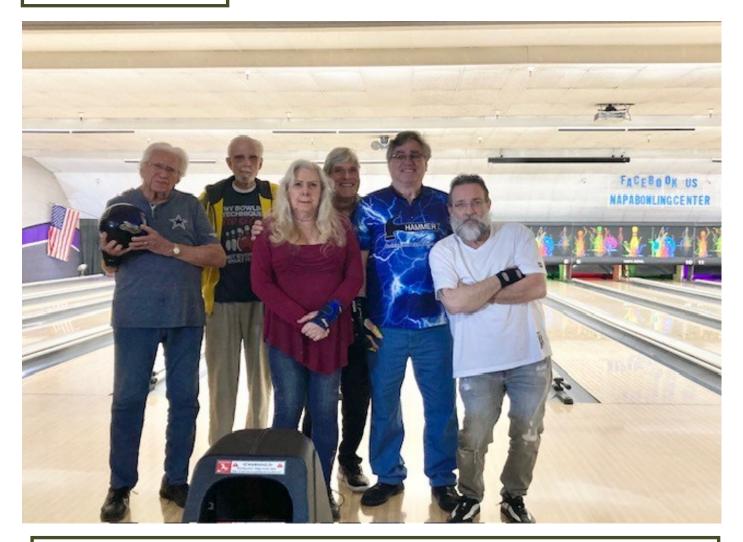


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## JANUARY BOWLING NEWS





L-R Gene label, Chuck Waller, Veronica Palmer, Paul Harrison, Roger Harrison, Shawn Buxton

#### **Tournaments:**

Congratulations to Roger Harrison for his 5th place in the money finish at the Sirs Napa Valley tournament. The next tournament will be in Concord on Tuesday March 25. We hope to have at least 20 bowlers attend. We will do our usual carpooling We follow Concord with the always poplar two day Carson City tournament on April 22 and 23.

Please see Chuck for more details.





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





## SIR BRANCH 142 GOLF SCHEDULE – 2025 Tournament Chair: Bob Chang 650-703-2342 Revised: 2/3/2025

4 Las Lagos 9:27	11 SPRING VALLEY	18	25	
\$55/\$40Wk	10:15 \$60	CRYSTAL SPRINGS 9:00 \$65	9:00 \$60	
1 CALLIPPE 9:00 \$65	8 CANYON LAKES 9:00 \$50	15 REDWOOD CANYON 9:30 \$50	22 SAN RAMON 9:00 \$60	29 SANTA TERESA 10:00 \$75
6 BAYLANDS 9:00 \$85	13 METROPOLITAN 9:00 \$55	20 CRYSTAL SPRINGS 9:00 \$70 SCRAMBLE	27 SUNNYVALE 9:30 \$60	
3 REDWOOD CANYON 9:30 \$50 MATCH PLAY	10 LAS POSITAS 9:30 \$55 MATCH PLAY	17 SHORELINE 9:00 \$60 MATCH PLAY	24 THE VILLAGES 11:30 \$80	
1 SAN JOSE \$65 9:30	8 SPRING VALLEY 10:15 \$60	15 METROPOLITAN 9:00 \$55	22 CRYSTAL SPRINGS 9:00 \$70 SCRAMBLE	29 LOS LAGOS 9:27 \$55/ \$40WALK
5 MOFFETT 9:00 \$75	12 MONARCH BAY \$55 9:30	19 SUNNYVALE 9:00 \$60	26 SHORELINE 9:00 \$60 BEST 2 BALL	
2 LAS POSITAS 9:00 \$55	9 SPRING VALLEY 10:00 \$60	16 METROPOLITAN 8:55 \$50	23 CANYON LAKES 9:00 \$50	30 SAN RAMON 9:00 \$60
7 SANTA TERESA 10:00 \$75	14 MOFFETT 9:00 \$75	21 SAN JOSE 9:30 \$65	28 CALLIPPE 9:00 \$65	
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DEC	2	16	
	SPRING	GOLF	
	VALLEY	LUNCHEON	
	10:00	HARRY'S	
	\$60	HOFBRAU	
1	1	NOON	

All prices Includes Cart - Some courses allow walkers for a slight discount.

OFF SEASON DATES: Wente Golf Course, February 25, 10 AM

## **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*.

The library doors open at 10:00 AM and the meeting starts at 10:30 AM. The group discusses current events about computers, software, Malware, AI and all kinds of electronic devices.

Ralph Riviello (r.riviello@comcast.net) chairs the meetings.

Beginners to experts are welcome. Bring any questions you may be having with your computer, cell phone.

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