



# 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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Big Sir 2019/24, SIR Branch 142



## NOVEMBER BIRTHDAY BOYS

- Joseph Lencioni**
- Joe Coleman**
- Warren Dougherty**
- Jeff Fong**
- Paul Hohl**
- Wes Matsuura**
- Joe Pierce**
- James Yeomans**
- Dennis Del Secco**
- John Galli**
- John Galli**
- Michael Graser**
- Ron Haupt**

Big Sir Report for November-- The message is short but not sweet-- **There will be no Lunch meeting at Poplar Creek on November 13th.** The location is closed for repairs. Not sure when they will reopen. That leaves our Ladies Dec. Luncheon in question. Keep in touch. We still have bowling, golf, bocce, wine club, computer club. Hope to get together again soon. We still have 49ers football and Super Bowl pool is only weeks away!!



### TREASURER'S OCTOBER 2024 REPORT

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Beginning Balance	\$ 5,934.60
Income	\$ 889.00
Expenses	\$ 1,344.69
Ending Bank Balance	\$ 5,478.91
Petty Cash Fund	\$ 100.00
Total Funds	\$ 5,578.91

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

Members: 85 total members paid to date for 2024

### 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, AI 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.

### SUNSHINE REPORT

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

**Mike**

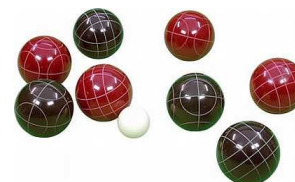
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**BOCCE**  
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We welcome all members of SIR Branch 142 to come and join in play with our activity group. It is a very easy game to learn and play. Coffee is served at 9:30AM with play commencing at 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. - Oct. 3	Team # 1	Team # 2	Team # 3	Team # 4
Games 1, 2 & 3	A. Andrews	J. Clemmens	B. Brouwers	R. Merriam
	C. Rickson	N. Ringer	G. Fry	J. Ringer
	J. Rickson	D. Scannell	C. Manack	S. Schroeder
	J. Yeomans	S. Scannell		
Game 1 Score	12	7	12	10
Game 2 Score	13	3	12	6
Game 3 Score	7	1		

Thu. - Oct. 17	Team # 1	Team # 2	Team # 3	Team # 4
Games 1 & 2	A. Andrews	R. Merriam	J. Clemens	B. Brouwers
	C. Rickson	D. Scannell	G. Fry	C. Manack
	J. Rickson	S. Scannell	J. Hirschmann	Y. Merriam
	J. Yeomans	S. Schroeder	J. Ringer	N. Ringer
Game 1 Score	11	12	6	12
Game 2 Score	7	4	8	9

Thu. - Oct. 24	Team # 1	Team # 2	Team # 3	Team # 4
Games 1 & 2	C. Rickson	A. Andrews	G. Fry	J. Clemens
	J. Ringer	D. Scannell	C. Manack	R. Merriam
	N. Ringer	S. Scannell	J. Rickson	Y. Merriam
	J. Yeomans	S. Schroeder		
Game 1 Score	12	6	9	12
Game 2 Score	5	12	10	10

Thu. - Oct. 31	Team # 1	Team # 2
Games 1, 2 & 3	B. Brouwers	A. Andrews
	C. Manack	J. Clemens
	Y. Merriam	G. Fry
	S. Schroeder	D. Scannell
Game 1 Score	12	4
Game 2 Score	8	12
Game 3 Score	3	1



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



Our golf group had a great October with excellent weather, good turnouts for most tournaments, and some good courses. Hard to believe that we're almost at the end of our season.

Except for October 1, perennial low scorer **Wes Matsuura** was away for the month but **Jeff Fong** filled the Flight 1 vacuum by being low scorer in three of the other weeks. Low score honors for Flight 2 was well distributed with **Tim McMurdo, Bob Chang, John Moodie, and Tom Woolway** sharing the spotlight.. In Flight 3, **Ken Mantoani, George Smith, and John Najac** shared low score honors. There were also some notable net scores with **Brian Morgan, Greg Skinner, Joe Pierce, Tom Woolway, George Smith, and Ken Mantoani** all posting net scores in the low 60's.

Our schedule for the remainder of the year includes: **November 5 Baylands, November 12 Crystal Springs (Scramble), November 19 Shoreline, November 26 Metropolitan, and our finale on December 3 at Spring Valley. We conclude our year with our year-end Awards Luncheon on Thursday December 12 at Harry's Hofbrau.** We can still use more golfers. You can sign up for any of these dates by calling me at **650-703-2342** or email to: [coachchang@sbcglobal.net](mailto:coachchang@sbcglobal.net).

Period: OCTOBER 2024												GOLF RESULTS									
COURSE: Santa Teresa				DATE: 10/1																	
FLIGHT 1	NET SCORE	PTS.		FLIGHT 2	NET SCORE	PTS.		FLIGHT 3	NET SCORE	PTS.		CTP	HOLE	DISTANCE	PTS	BIRDIES	HOLE	PTS			
Pierce	63	5		Smith	65	5		Mantoani	66	5		Iler	5	19' 2"	2	Matsuura	3	2			
Thomas	70	4		Chang	73	4		Najac	70	4		Woolway	7	14' 7"	3						
Matsuura	74	3		Zarate	76	3		Day	75	3		Chang	16	20' 15"	3						
Morgan	74	3		Woolway	76	3		Masry	75	3											
Iler	85	1																			
Low Gross	Matsuura	78		Low Gross	Chang	89		Low Gross	Mantoan	95											
COURSE: Moffett				DATE: 10/8																	
Morgan	63	5		McMurdo	68	5		Mantoani	71	5		Iler	7	12' 0"	2	Fong	4	8, 14	4		
Fong	67	4		Pierce	72	4		Karlsen	73	4		Iler	13	40' 2"	\$10	McMurdo	15	4	4		
Iler	72	3		Chang	73	3		Najac	74	3		Morgan	15	11' 6"	2	Morgan	2	2	2		
Mayta	76	2		Mintz	73	3		Veit	74	3											
Thomas	79	1		Moodie	76	1		Masry	78	1											
Low Gross	Fong	77		Low Gross	McMurdo	92		Low Gross	Najac	105											
	Morgan	77							Mantoan	105											
COURSE: San Jose				DATE: 10/15																	
Skinner	64	5		Smith	71	5		Najac	71	5		Veit	4	16' 1"	4	Smith	12	8	8		
Pierce	66	4		Moodie	72	4		Mantoani	71	4		Skinner	12	7' 10"	2	Skinner	5, 8, 14	6	6		
Mayta	71	3		Woolway	73	3		Veit	74	3		None	17	Money Hole		Mayta	5	2	2		
Chang	77	2		Mintz	74	2		Karlsen	81	2						Pierce	1	2	2		
Iler	83	1		McMurdo	77	1		Masry	81	2											
Low Gross	Skinner	76		Low Gross	Moodie	91		Low Gross	Smith	97											
COURSE: Callippe				DATE: 10/22																	
Thomas	70	5		Zarate	69	5		Najac	74	5		Mintz	6	33' 6"	3	Skinner	3	2	2		
Fong	71	4		Woolway	70	4		Smith	74	5		Thomas	13	14' 2"	2	Fong	12	2	2		
Skinner	77	3		Moodie	73	3		Mantoani	76	3		Fong	16	12' 10"	2	Moodie	8	4	4		
Pierce	90	2		Mintz	88	2		Veit	76	3											
Iler	90	2						Masry	76	3											
Low Gross	Fong	81		Low Gross	Moodie	89		Low Gross	Smith	97											
COURSE: San Ramon				DATE: 10/29																	
Pierce	66	5		Woolway	66	5		Najac	67	5		None	2	Money Hole		Moodie	7	4	4		
Thomas	69	4		Zarate	69	4		Karlsen	69	4		Skinner	14	25' 0"	2						
Mayta	75	3		Mintz	71	3		Mantoani	75	3		Karlsen	17	10' 3"	4						
Fong	76	2		Moodie	82	2		Veit	76	2											
Skinner	79	1		Coleman	82	2		Smith	79	1											
Low Gross	Pierce	86		Low Gross	Woolway	92		Low Gross	Najac	97											
	Fong	86																			



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## OCTOBER BOWLING NEWS



Things are starting to tighten up in both leagues. In the Thursday league there are only six games separating the first and fifth place teams and in the Friday league there is only four games separating first and fifth. Could be a wild finish.

A reminder that there will be no bowling on November 28 or 29 while we celebrate Thanksgiving. Also Thursdays league will end with Sweepers and Playoffs on December 19 and Fridays league concluding on December 20, 2024. We will start the **new session** on January 9 and 10, 2025.

It's time to decide if you will be joining the next session in January 2025. Please advise Chuck.

We have some positive news regarding Don Nebiolini and John Nardi. Both are doing well after surgery and will be ready for 2025 perhaps sooner.

More positive news as Derald Blackmore has returned after a five month absence. Also we just got word that Joe Gibson, after a year's absence, will return to bowling November 22, 2025. Great news Joe. We will move you in as a substitute.

Love the positive news and welcome back guys.

### October's top performances for Thursday's League

#### Group A

High game: Shawn Buxton- 267\*  
\*Had strikes through nine frames  
High Series: Ed Bruzzone- 645

#### Group B

High Game: Les Deman-223  
High Series: Les Deman-584

#### Group C

High Game: Lydia Stewart-164  
High Series: Lydia Stewart-458

### October's top performances for Friday's League

#### Group A

High Game: Dave Gluck-256  
High Series: Doug Moffitt-665

#### Group B

High Game: Mike Smith-224  
High Series: Les Deman-578

#### Group C

High Game: Rick Dusine-201  
High Series: Rick Dusine-511

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

Les Deman, Veronica Palmer,  
Allan Leader, Gene Lebel,  
John Mangiante-2,  
Bud Dougherty, Pete Grech, Dave Rivera.

### Gold pin Strike \$5.00 winners:

Shawn Buxton-3, Lydia Stewart,  
Rich Nederostek, Lamonte Lovering,  
Fran lozar, Pete Grech, Chuck Waller.

### Clean Games

Ed Bruzzone - 2  
Chuck Waller—2



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## Our Brentwood Tournament Bowlers



Front row L-R Bob Butler, Linda Moore, Joe Voltattorni, Allan Leader

Back row L-R Roger Harrison Mike Stiegler, Paul Harrison, Doug Moffitt



Front row L-R Ed Bruzzone, Lamonte Lovering, Anna O'Neill, Jane Mourgos

Back row L-R Mike Smith, Pete Grech, Shawn Buxton, Chuck Waller

Tournaments: Brentwood results

Div 1 Singles- 1st place- Lamont Lovering

3rd place-Doug Moffitt Div 1 All Events-2nd place- Lamonte Lovering

7th place- Doug Moffitt Congratulations to Lamonte and Doug.

Thanks to our drivers Linda Moore, Roger Harrison, Anna O'Neill, Doug Moffitt, Chuck Waller.

Also thanks to Pete Grech for contributing a case of water.

The next tournament is scheduled for January 2025 in Napa, Ca ( STRING PINS)



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## OCTOBER BOWLER OF THE MONTH



Congratulations to Les Deman our October bowler of the month for both the Thursday and Friday leagues.

Les began league play with a 158 average however for the month of October he had a league composite average of 167.

In the Thursday league he shot a nice 206, along with an awesome 223 and a beautiful 584 series.

On Friday he continued his attack by shooting games of 181, 182, 220 and another outstanding series of 578. Well done Les and congratulations on your dual bowler of the month.