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The Grapevine

SIR Branch #145

AUGUST 13, 2019

AUGUST 2019 Big Sir Article

SIRs Activities Update

As always, thanks to Bill Rutherford and team, our golf tournaments continue to have the most members involved. Our July Picnic (even though it was hotter than hades) was our best attended in three years. The BEC is exploring May for 2020...keep posted. The Wine Appreciation group kicked off at my home recently with seven couples attending (see picture & article). Finally a Bocce Ball event is in the planning stages. Stay tuned for details. Dine-Out activity is planned to kick-off in early 2020.

Paul Wright, Big Sir



Lodi SIRs Wine Appreciation

Wine Appreciation officially kicked off on July 23. Below are the arrangements, attending members and spouses agreed to going forward. If you might be interested in joining this fun group contact Big SIR Paul Wright...
drpaulwright49@gmail.com

Frequency

- January - March - May - July - September - November
- 4th Tuesday
- Exception - November - 2nd Tuesday

Time

- 4:00pm - Reception
- Wine Tasting commences when appropriate
- Conclude - when folks want go home or host/hostess kick us out...6:30ish

Host-Hostess Guidelines

- Determine location (home, winery, other)
- Select wines to be tasted
- Serve food (snacks, appetizers or light dinner)
 - Members will notify hosts of food allergies/limitations
- Financially host the event



Menu for AUGUST

Roast in A Bag
Chicken, Green Beans, Potatoes
Apple Crisp, Rolls



The "COUNTRY CLUB AIRES" (CCA) MEN'S CHORUS & BAND **WANT YOU!** THE CCA ARE LOOKING FOR SINGERS & MUSICIANS TO JOIN OUR 'ALL VOLUNTEER' GROUP OF SIR SPONSORED BY SIR BRANCH #33, THE CCA HAS BEEN DELIGHTING AUDIENCES OF THE GREATER SACRAMENTO REGION* SINCE 1972 The CCA welcomes members of all SIR

July Financials

The bank account was reduced by \$34.52 primarily due to the third quarter assessment by the State SIR office.



Harry T. Martin, Treasurer

To join us ... or for booking us at your venue/event, & for details or further information, please refer to:
< www.COUNTRYCLUBAIRES.org >
Primary Contact: PBS Fred Stallcop, SHLM
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Golf News



PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU HAVE PAID YOUR 2019 MEMBERSHIP DUES. LOOKING FORWARD TO GREAT GREENS THIS YEAR!

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Membership in attendance:	71
Guest in attendance:	0
Percentage of active members in attendance	50%
Total active members:	142
Members added:	4
	Ron D. Wanner
	David G. Taylor
	Thomas H. Trunnell
	Peter M. Brown
Members Reinstated:	0
Members dropped	0
Members Resigned June & July:	4
	Dan L. Battilana
	Jon E. Lapachet
	Richard Leal
	Tom E. Costa

Chester George
Membership Chairman



New Members with their sponsors
David Taylor - Sponsor Ted Leventini Jr.
Ron Wanner - Sponsor Ron Williams
WELCOME DAVID AND RON!



AUGUST

Keith Bohnet
Albert Clark
Frank Garcia
Hugo Hess
Norman Kaseman
Robert Kellar
Harry Martin
John Nunes
Michael Parson
Dan Salisbury
William Shankles
Ron Wanner
Stephen Hellmer
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SPEAKER FOR AUGUST

James A. Mousalimas , San Joaquin County Superintendent of Schools

"The San Joaquin County Office of Education and The Discovery Challenge Academy"

James A. Mousalimas was elected to the office of County Superintendent of Schools on November 4, 2014 and began his term on January 5, 2015.

Mr. Mousalimas has been with the San Joaquin County Office of Education since 2008 and served as Deputy Superintendent of Student Programs and Services from 2013 to 2014, and as Assistant Superintendent of County Operated Schools and Programs from 2008 to 2013.

Mr. Mousalimas has also served as:
Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources and Director of Alternative Programs, Tracy Unified School District.

Teacher, Assistant Principal and Principal of an American International School in Saudi Arabia.
Teacher, Richmond Unified School District.
Peace Corps Volunteer High School teacher and basketball coach in Niger, West Africa.

James has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics from U.C. Berkeley; a Master of Education degree from the College of New Jersey; and an Administrative Service Credential from Cal State, Stanislaus.

The San Joaquin County Office of Education is a regional agency that provides educational leadership, resources, and customized services to assist school districts. The SJCOE promotes student achievement and accountability, serves San Joaquin County's most at-risk students, and strives to create an environment in which every student, regardless of circumstances, has an opportunity for a quality education.



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