



"The SIR" ~ LAKE TAHOE BRANCH 160 ~



CHARTERED APRIL 22, 1991

**MEMBERSHIP OPEN TO MEN REGARDLESS OF AGE, RACE, COLOR, OR RELIGION
GETTING TOGETHER FOR LUNCH AND ENJOYING OUR VARIOUS ACTIVITIES**

HIGH MOUNTAIN NEWS

FEBRUARY 2021

We meet the 4th Monday of the month

Next reg. meeting – our 362nd FEBRUARY 22, 2021.....**ZOOM MEETING**
IF YOU HAVE AN EMAIL ACCOUNT YOU WILL RECEIVE AND INVITATION TO ATTEND THE ZOOM
MEETING FOR BRANCH 160



Hello Fellow SIRS:

There has been a lot of work being done at state level of Sir's. We have a statewide COVID 19 SVAT TEAM (STATE VACCINE ASSISTANCE TEAM), working very diligently to make sure all members get their shots. They have been working hard to help us here in Nevada as well, hopefully there will be information coming out soon, watch your email.

I just received notification that outdoor activities have just opened with strict compliance. I will be getting in touch with the committee chairs to make sure they know what needs to be in place.

Not much happened last month with the wonderful snowstorm we had. I did get the chance to go out and play some golf with some great friends. Now that things have opened, I hope to see a lot of you on the course.

We will be having our monthly meeting by zoom on February 22, 2021, I hope you will join me at this meeting. Notification will be coming; the time will be 10:00 AM. I hope everyone is staying safe and healthy, and practicing social distancing.

Joe Tomlin
Big Sir Branch 160



FROM YOUR NEW LITTLE SIR 2021/BRANCH TREASURER 2021

Little SIR:

I will to be your Little Sir for 2021 the year has started out without having many duties to fulfill. Hopefully in the near future we will be able to hold meetings in person and get back to some sort of normalcy. The state Sir has just notified us that we can open up certain activities such as golf, pickle ball, etc. We will have to follow local and state guidelines. If you have any ideas or topics you would like to have, as guest speaker, at our meetings this year (when we have in person meetings) please let me know and I will try to find someone to speak on your topic.

If anyone would like to join us on a zoom meeting please let us know so you can get an invitation to join us. That all for now hope to see you on the golf course or at a meeting soon.
Your Little Sir/ Assistant Treasure, John Lilygren

January 25, 2021 SIR Board of Directors Zoom Meeting



Call to Order:

A quorum was determined to be present and the scheduled Board of Directors Meeting of Lake Tahoe Branch 160 was called to order by past Big Sir Jim Beilstein at 10:00 am sharp. Big Sir Joe Tomlin was not in attendance and a new Little Sir had not been appointed.

Jim requested a motion to accept the agenda for the meeting. A motion was made and seconded. The vote was unanimous to accept. A motion was requested and received to accept the December meeting minutes. The minutes were accepted and passed.

Reports:

Big Sir: Joe Tomlin was not present.

Little Sir: Jim Beilstein mentioned that John Lilygren had agreed to accept the nomination to be the Little Sir. A motion was requested to accept the nomination of John Lilygren to be the Little Sir. The motion was seconded. Voted on and passed. John Lilygren is the new Little Sir of Lake Tahoe Branch 160.

Treasures: John Lilygren reported that Lake Tahoe Branch 160 \$3,542.56 in savings and \$200.00 in checking. Total amount of \$3,742.56. The Board was notified that Mike Patton will be the new treasure to replace John.

Secretary: Gordon Salas had no report.

Committee Reports:

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Attendance: Steve Butts reported that Branch 160 has 106 members. It was also mentioned that Jim Gilmore had recently passed away. Sig Heidemann said that he would let the Sunshine Chairman, Mike Vadnais know about Jim's passing.

Bowling: No report

Head Caller: Ken Koegl stated that some members had been called and that email was always a reliable way to let members know of meetings.

Golf: Sig Heidemann said that the 2021 golf schedule was almost completed. All but 4 events have been confirmed. He also said that the popular Plumas Pines three-day golf event has been moved to September.

Winter Golf: Gordon Salas reported that despite Covid 19 many of Branch 160 golfers participated in our last event that was on January 18, 2021. Weather is the biggest factor along with covid in obstructing our Non-Sir events, winter golf program. However, in the few golf gatherings held our members have followed CDC protocols without any problems. All courses have been very accommodating.

Membership: Joe D'Angelo reported that he had received no new applications.

Pickleball: No chairman at this time. However, several board members mentioned that there are several places in the Carson Valley to find a pickle ball court. Lampe Park is one of them.

Rooster Sales: Dave Tiongco said to call him if you want hats, shirts, jackets. You name it he thinks he can get it.

Sunshine: No report. Sig Heideman stated that Jim Sand has contracted Covid-19 and was hospitalized. Sig was going to call Mike Vadnais about both Jim Gilmore's passing and Jim Sand's hospitalization.

Web Master: Jim Maxedon reported that he would only be putting names and phone numbers on the website. He also said that he would be setting up a Zoom meeting to discuss vacant positions.

Old Business:

Little Sir vacancy was nominated, voted on and approved earlier in the meeting.

Branch 160 Business Cards. Larry Coffman said that he had Branch 160 Business cards that he had produced and handed out several years back. He will send a copy via email for the Board to see and comment on.

New Business: Rick Kindle from the California State Sirs was present and stated that the State Governor of California had just removed many of the restrictions pertaining to Covid 19. He stated that it appeared that all California Sir Branches would be resuming golf and potentially meetings too.

Next Meeting is scheduled for February 22, 2021.

Meeting adjourned at 10:43 a.m.

Submitted by Gordon Salas Secretary

Mike Patton has volunteered to be our 2021 Treasurer. He is a snowbird and will not return to our area until April 2021. We will need an assistant Treasurer to file in for Mike in his absents. I will continue as assistant until this position is filled. If you are interest in helping out Branch 160 please contact your big Sir ASAP and let him know.

Checking: \$3542.56

Petty Cash: \$200.00

Total: \$3742.56

How to sponsor a New Member. . .

Present him with a business card for his free lunch on Sir Branch 160. He should be able to attend the monthly meetings. Make him aware that there is an assessment of \$6 once a year, but some members make voluntary donations to help cover our expenses. Tell Him that dress is casual and to arrive at Tep's Villa Roma during the social hour - -after 11a.m. but well be for 12 noon – Introduce your guest as a prospective member when called upon. He won't have to make a speech. Pick up at the next meeting or down load the application on-line. Help him fill it out and then return it to the Membership Chairman. His application will be processed and, typically, he can be introduced as a New Member at our next regular luncheon meeting. As of right now all meetings are on Zoom.

Contact our web master Jim Maxedon at jmax7@pacbell.net to access the zoom meeting.

The branch is looking for a Treasure, Asst. Treasure, Asst. Secretary to complete our officers for 2021. So, it is time to step up and be a very important part of our branch and take on these important positions. For thirty years we have had a full board, let's not make this the first time we did not have a full board.

Visit the SIR Website at sirinc.org and read "SIR HAPPENINGS"—the SIR State Newsletter. Sir Branch 160 Web Site is up and running. https://sirinc2.org/z_branch160/index.html

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TO: SIR BRANCH 160
C/O SIR John Lilygren
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I'm enclosing my donation in the amount
\$ _____

- For Missed meeting donations
 I'll be gone for a while
 Just because

Name _____

BADGE # _____



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAY BOYS

*ALAN NORTON,
WAYNE FELETAR,
KIP STEEL, GORDON SALAS,
JOSEPH D'ANGELO,
MICHAEL BOECHER*

HAPPY BIRTHDAYS

One is 65 and two are 70



*MEMBERS ANNIVERSARY
FOR THE MONTH OF FEBREUARY
2003 CURT EMRIE,
2016 BRUCE STEGER,
2017 KARL JOHNSON,
2017 MICHAEL PARAPID*

ROOSTER SALES

~NOTICE ON SALE NOW~
SUPPORT "The SIR" ~ DRESS
IT UP WITH
ROOSTER PINS,
HATS AND
SHIRTS.



SHOW HOW PROUD YOU ARE
TO BE A SIR!!

HATS ~\$10

VESTS ~\$29.50

POLO SHIRTS~ \$16/\$21

WICKING SHIRTS~\$20/24/30

PINS ~ SMALL \$2/LARGE \$3

GOLF/BOWLING TOWELS ~\$9

Start looking good!

DAVE TIONGCO



Lake Tahoe Branch 160 Badge Color
Scheme: Charter Member...**RED**
Honorary Life Member... **GOLD** New
Member...**BLUE** the rest of us...**BLACK**.
When you see a badge with **BLUE**
lettering indicating a **NEWER**
MEMBER, be sure to make him feel
welcome.



Membership & Luncheon Report
Sons In Retirement - Lake Tahoe Branch 160
Your attendance Chairman, Steve Butts



January 2021

Total Member previous report (107)

Members Dropped (1) Jim Gilmore
(deceased)

Members Added (0)

Total Members this report (106)

Inactive to active (0)

Medical Leave (8) Ed Rector, Jack Post, Franz
Goepfert, John Gooding, Joe McKenna, Van
Marshall, Randy Ramosciotti, and Tim Donley

Excused Snow Bird (13) Joe Carmona, Mike
Paraid, Jim Cooper, David Scott, Dennis
Wingate, Larry Tinker, Johnny Myers, Dale
Friend, Mike Patton, Neil Fox, Ed Waggoner,
Marshall McCurdy, Alan Norton,

Covid 19 Temp Suspension (3) Neil Wolf and
Joe Killian and Tim Hall

Total excused members (24)

Total Active Members minus Excused
Members (82)

Total number unexcused not at meeting (66)

Attendance meeting (16)

Visitors-(1) Rick Kindle VP and Dean Steichen

Speaker (0)

NEWSLETTER

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TREASURER-----	MIKE PATTON-----	775-300-1073	DIRECTOR-----	JOHN GERARD-----	530-542-2876
ASST. TREASURER-----	TBD-----		DIRECTOR-----	STEVE BUTTS-----	775-722-0177

HONORARY DIRECTORS

KEN KOEGL-----	619-651-5508	MIKE VADNAIS-----	775-546-0810
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TOM SAWYER-----	775-852-8675	RON THOMPSON-----	775-848-1402
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