



JUNE 2024



NEXT MEETING JUNE 24, 2024 our 400th

8:30am Business Meeting/9:00-9:30 am Social time/9:30- 11:00am General Membership Breakfast

FANDANGO CASINO CARSON CITY

We had another terrific three-day outing at Plumas Pines Golf Resort and Graeagle Meadows Golf Course this month. With the exception of high temperature in the mid to high 90s, the weather was perfect. The conditions of both courses were excellent – resort quality. Greens at Plumas were beautiful if a tad slow. It's hard to say enough about the effort that Sig Heidemann puts into this event year after year. Negotiating all the dates and rates, collecting money, disbursing it to the rental company and the two golf courses is a tremendous amount of work. And thanks to Lila for concocting a great spaghetti sauce! Then of course there is setting up the foursomes for three separate events. Thanks for everything, Sig!

Thanks also goes to chief chef, Joe Tomlin, and all the helpers who prepared food, served, and did the cleanup. All these things get done with a lot of effort, and there should be no complaints about the results.

There were some hitches with the way BlueGolf handled some of the par 5s at both Plumas and Graeagle. We had a similar issue at Lake Tahoe. I am looking into this with both BlueGolf and NCGA, speaking to both BlueGolf support and people at NCGA in Poppy Hills. The good news is that the only meaningful issue with par 4/5s was at Graeagle with the Scramble format. Fortunately, we caught it on the course when we got to the 5th hole. I left a note on the tee for all golfers, and everyone got the message to play the holes as par 5s under the Scramble rules. Suffice it to say, that I will be checking BlueGolf scorecards against the actual course scorecards before all future events.

As far as handicaps were concerned, because the largest factor in calculating Course Handicap is course rating minus par, a lower course par means higher Course Handicap, in other word more strokes.

I know there have been some complaints about BlueGolf, and I am happy to discuss them personally with anyone who would care to voice them. I hope that by now everyone understands the amount of effort SAVED by using the free BlueGolf application as well as the flexibility in the games and formats we can play, but all feedback is welcome. From what I see most golfers are enjoying the different games we are able set up and score with BlueGolf.

Summer is definitely here and a lot of us our taking our summer trips. Golf sign ups may have fewer players, and Breakfast meetings may be a smaller group. Everyone have fun with friends and family, but please attend our Breakfast meetings if you can. We need to have at least 40 attendees.

Have a great June and 4th of July!!

Jim Maxedon – Big SIR



Dear Fellow Sirs

Hello Guys, We are off to a very warm Summer. Hope you are staying Cool and doing whatever suits your Fancy? 28 of your fellow Sirs just returned from 3 Days of playing Golf 🏌️ in the beautiful Plumas Pines. Sig put on another Fantastic Event with Joe Tomlin barbecuing a delicious Fillet Mignon Steak Dinner. I highly recommend anyone who has never participated in this Event to sign up to go next year!! You will have a great time with your fellow Sirs. This month at our Breakfast meeting we will have a very interesting Speaker sharing information that may be very beneficial to all of us. I hope as many of you will be able to join us?

Your Little Sir, John Gooding



**BADGE DRAWING WINNER FOR
JUNE LUNCHEON
JIM BEILSTEIN**

Come to a meeting, have lunch, hear our guest speaker and have your badge pulled from the bucket for a lunch on the SIR at the next meeting.

Your assessment of \$10.00 is due now. You can pay at the June meeting or you can mail a check to Joe Young.

Joe Young 3345 Coloma Dr. Carson City, NV. 89705

BEC BUSINESS MINUTES FOR BRANCH 160

May 20, 2024

Meeting called to order at 8:30 am by Big Sir Jim Maxedon

Roll Call: Jim Maxedon, John Gooding, Tim Durkin, Joe Young, Neil Wolf, Joe Tomlin, Tom Kearns, Terry Cannon, Jim Beilstein, John Lilygren, Steve Butts.

Minutes and Agenda: Accepted and approved as written, moved and seconded.

Reports:

Big Sir: Jim Maxedon, thanked all the members that are carrying out Branch Operation tasks and he feels things are running smoothly.

Little Sir: John Gooding, Speaker report – He has speaker lined up for most of the year. Today mining prospector Bill Finely, Gordon Salas has arranged for two surprise inspirational topics for June and July. August we will have a presentation by the Carson City railroad museum. September is the Branch picnic. Bob Harms has arranged for a piano tuner/cross country bicyclist for October. November we will have Dave Magnotta give a presentation.

John is working with Bob to have a distillery from Minden give a presentation. So, we are covered thru 2024 and possibly into 2025.

John would like to put out a query as to what topics the membership would like and possibly some members have something interesting to talk about.

Treasurer: Joe Young, we have \$6934.61 in the checking account and \$202 in cash.

Assessments: Mike? Assessments have gone out and we have collected from 70 members so far. First and Second quarter assessments to state have been paid. All bills have been paid.

Secretary: Tim Durkin, all reports are up to date.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Attendance: Tom Kerns and Steve Butts, Tom has been emailing 7 members who have have missed three meetings. Of those 7, 5 have stated they would be attending today's meeting.

Membership: Tom Kerns started the month with 105 we lost one and added 3 so we have 107 at this time. Bruce Beeghly is excused for sickness and he is not sure if this is still the case. Sig Heidemann thinks it is Bruce's wife that is ill and he will give him a call to see how he is doing.

New Members: None today.

Newsletter: No report

Pickle Ball: No report

Rooster sales: Dave Tiongco, has some shirts that have been ordered and he will order about 10 hats just to have on hand.

Sunshine: Mike Vadnais is in Hawaii a lot, but has been very good about calling members when he is informed.

Web Master: Big Sir Jim Maxdeon, newsletter has been published but nothing in particular to report. A little behind posting golf results on website but he is working on it.

Nominating Committee: Time to find officers for next year. Plan is to have a BEC Zoom call with Mike, Dave and Jim will present their findings and a vote will be taken. Those results will be presented to the general membership in June.

Golf: Sig Heidemann, Jim and Sig have been diligently on Blue Golf and the more they learn the more they like it because it is less work, easy to navigate on the computer and the golf courses like the communication. Blue golf has streamlined the record keeping for us and the golf courses.

Branch 160 is technically a NCGA club and we are still having a little difficulty with NNGA members and Blue golf. There was discussion about the “formats” and ability to post individual scores.

Plumas Pines, we have 28 members signed up with one possible drop up due to illness, Joe Carmona.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Next Meeting June 24, 2024

Meeting adjourned 8:55am moved and seconded

Respectfully submitted
Timothy Durkin
Secretary Branch 160

General Membership Meeting Branch 160
20 May 2024

Big Sir Jim Maxon: meeting called to order at 9:30am

Pledge of Allegiance led by Little Sir John Gooding

Prayer was led by Jim Beilstein

Guests: Bill Coleman, Bob Woods

Agenda: approved

Birthdays: Bill Brown, Leo Fuller, Lee Ghiglieri, Carl Hopper, Rich Jameson, Mark O’Driscoll, Larry Root, Byran Smith

Breakfast buffet

50/50 Raffle Drawing conducted

Guest speaker: Gold mining in Nevada

Golf: Sig Heidemann, several jokes,

Golf tomorrow, 42 golfers at Wolf Run playing a 4-man shamble. No skins tomorrow. Blue Golf, is a fantastic program that involves less work for Jim and Sig, and it is better communication with the golf courses. We are working on being able to post individual scores.

Dayton Valley will be a cha cha cha with lunch included. Plumas Pines with 28 signed up. Joe Carmona may have to drop out due to his health. Blue golf will handle the scoring, the first day will be individual scores, the second day a "shamble" and the final day a "scramble". Further information for the outing will be emailed out.

NCGA vs NNGA and blue golf explained and Jim knows there are difficulties that they are working on.

\$1 net Skins (no carry overs) will start at Dayton Valley next week.

Snowed birds were welcomed back.

Newsletter: Larry Coffman, entries for the next newsletter must be submitted no later than June 13th. If you need a roster, see Larry, if you need a picture see Larry.

Aces baseball game: Larry Coffman, June 16th playing Sacramento River Cats.

Roster: Tim Durkin, check your information in the Roster and if it needs to be updated contact Tim.

Pickle Ball: No report

Bowling: An extensive report was made of all the tournaments planned for the summer.

Rooster Sales: Dave Tiongco has shirts and hats available.

Sunshine: Joe Carmona is gravely ill.

Webmaster: latest newsletter has been posted and golf results are coming

New Business:

Bill Eagleton made a report that his supplemental insurance pays him \$800 for golf, bowling etc. Also, his daughter is a teacher in Gardnerville and her school is having the kids do a presentation about books they have read and they need some volunteers.

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Meeting adjourned 11:19, moved and seconded.

Respectfully submitted
Timothy Durkin
Secretary Branch 160



FORM 28, SONS IN RETIREMENT MONTHLY CASH REPORT						160
Branch	160	Month	May	Year	2024	
Area	6					Month YTD
BEGINNING CASH BALANCE (Total Cash)				Line 1	\$7,136.61	\$7,625.28
GENERAL ACCOUNTS						
Receipts						
101	Dues / Contributions				\$0.00	\$55.00
102	Interest				\$0.12	\$0.59
103	Other				\$420.00	\$924.00
Subtotal General Receipts				Line 2	\$420.12	\$979.59
Disbursements						
201	Printing, Supplies etc				\$32.40	\$712.56
202	Postage				\$40.80	\$224.78
203	Officers' Expense				\$0.00	\$0.00
204	Guest Expense				\$0.00	\$0.00
205	State Board Pro Rata Assessment				\$0.00	\$510.00
206	Other				\$0.00	\$0.00
207	Other				\$0.00	\$0.00
Subtotal General Disbursements				Line 3	\$73.20	\$1,447.34
NET GENERAL gain/(loss)				Line 4 (2-3)	\$346.92	-\$467.75
CUSTODIAL ACCOUNTS						
Receipts						
301	Monthly Luncheon				\$1,419.00	\$6,119.00
302	Special Activities				\$0.00	\$0.00
303	Travel				\$0.00	\$0.00
304	Bowling				\$0.00	\$0.00
305	Golf				\$0.00	\$0.00
306	Rooster Items				\$0.00	\$95.00
307	Other				\$235.00	\$971.00
308	Other				\$0.00	\$0.00
Subtotal Custodial Receipts				Line 5	\$1,654.00	\$7,185.00
Disbursements						
401	Monthly Luncheon				\$1,346.40	\$5,996.40
402	Special Activities				\$0.00	\$200.00
403	Travel				\$0.00	\$0.00
404	Bowling				\$0.00	\$0.00
405	Golf				\$0.00	\$0.00
406	Rooster Purchase				\$110.00	\$110.00
407	Other				\$115.00	\$470.00
Subtotal Custodial Disbursements				Line 6	\$1,571.40	\$6,776.40
NET CUSTODIAL gain/(loss)				Line 7 (5-6)	\$82.60	\$408.60
ENDING CASH BALANCE (Total Cash)				Line 8 (1+4+7)	\$7,566.13	\$7,566.13
CASH ELEMENTS		MEMBERSHIP				
Checkbook	\$7,364.13	Total Members	104			
Savings	\$0.00	New Members	0			
Petty Cash	\$202.00	Members Lost	0			
Total Cash	7,566.13			6/10/2024	<i>Joseph A. Young</i>	
				Report Sent Date	Treasurer	
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FORM 28, Rev 12/21/2023						

Membership & Luncheon Report
Sons In Retirement – Lake Tahoe Branch 160
Tom Kerns Director Branch 160



May 2024

Total Member previous report (106)

Members Dropped (2) Rich Jameson,
Randy Ramociotti

New Members voted in (0)

Prospective New Member (2) Bill Coleman, Bob Woods

Total Members this report (104)

Medical Leave: (0)

Excused Short Term Illness or Recovery (1) Bruce Beegley,

Excused Snow (0)

(9) Members on activity suspension for failure to attend 3 meetings in the last 12 rolling months. Members must also pay their overdue assessments before resuming activities. David Agee, Harold Allan, Lee Edwards, Bill Bumbaca, John Glassman, Tom Teders, Michael Vadnais, Bill VanHoosen, Mark O'Driscoll

Total excused members (6)

Total Active Members minus Excused Members (103)

Total number unexcused not at meeting (34)

Total Members attending meeting (69)

Speaker (1)

Visitors (0)

Total present (72)

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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 ~\$15



VESTS ~\$29.50

POLO SHIRTS~ \$16/\$21

WICKING SHIRTS~\$20/24/30

PINS ~ SMALL \$2/LARGE \$3

GOLF/BOWLING TOWELS ~\$9

Start looking good!

DAVID TIONGO

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 \$10 once a year, but some members make voluntary donations to help cover our expenses. Tell Him that dress is casual and to arrive at Fandango Casino during the social hour - -after 9:30 a.m. but well be for 11 a. m.–Introduce your guest as a prospective member when called upon. He won't have to make a speech. Pick up the application from the Membership Chairman, 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.



**MEMBERS ANNIVERSERY
FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE**
 2009 Dick Price, 2010 Ron Thompson,
 2012 Richard Pike, Ted Taylor,
 2014 Marshall McCurdy, 2017 John Greenhut,
 2018 Glenn Roderick, David Scott,
 2023 Wayne Bradley, Jim Glockner,
 Joe Gonzalas

JUNE BIRTHDAY BOYS

*Mike Vadnais, Jim Glockner, Neil Fox,
 Skip Hempler, John gooding, Dave Nolte,
 David Agee, John Glassman*



ONE IS 60, 70, 75, 80, 85

SUNSHINE REPORT

Our Sunshine Chairman is Mike Vadnais His phone number is 775-546- 0810. Let Mike know if someone is under the weather or if a family member is not well

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

**TO: SIR BRANCH 160
 C/O SIR JOE YOUNG
 3354 Coloma Dr.
 Carson City, NV 89705**

I'm enclosing my donation in the amount of

\$ _____

For Missed meeting donations

I'll be gone for a while

Just because

Name _____

BADGE # _____

Previews of Coming Attractions ...



JUNE/JULY

- 6/18/24 Golf Lake Ridge 8:30 SG
- 6/24/24 Sir meeting
- 6/25/24 Golf Empire Ranch 8:30 am SG
- 7/1/23 Golf Dayton Valley 8:30 am SG
- 7/8/24 Golf Silver Oak 8:30 am SG
- 7/15/24 Golf Sierra Sage 8:30 am TT
- 7/22/24 Sir meeting 8:30 am
- 7/23/24 Golf Sunridge 9:00 am SG
- 7/29/24 Golf Toiyabe 8:30 am SG

NEWSLETTER

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