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Monthly meetings are generally held at the Carmichael Elks Club on Cypress Avenue. Due to the Covid 19 epidemic, Branch 23 meetings are currently being held on the ZOOM platform.

The June, 2021 meeting will be held on the second Wednesday, the 9th. Details for access to the Zoom meeting will be announced to our membership a few days prior to the 9th.

Inline image



Mike Woods

VP & GM of Haggin Oaks
VP Morton Golf Foundation
Member PGA

Mike Will Talk About Golf Changes for Older Players

Born and raised in Marin County, Mike attended Terra Linda High. Mike played four years of soccer and golf. His team was the league soccer champions all four years and he participated in the Nor Cal Championships two years and was first-team All-Northern-California as a senior.

In 1987, Mike chose to attend college at California State University of Sacramento. Playing soccer in the fall and golf in the spring was as good as it could get for Mike. However, Mike decided only to play golf during his Junior and Senior years because it became a year-round sport and the team played on some of the best courses on the West Coast. He graduated in 1992 with a BS in Business.

While learning to be an expert clubfitter, golf instructor and salesperson, he received his PGA Class A Membership in 1996. Next, Mike was named as only the third Head Golf Professional in the history of Haggin Oaks, and today is the Director of Golf.

Mike has become an expert in golf course operations, including tournament operations, pro shop operations, range operations, retailing, club repair, club fitting, golf instruction. Some of Mike's career highlights include:

2008 PGA of America Merchandiser of the Year Award recipient

2007 NCPGA Merchandiser of the Year Award recipient

2004 NCPGA Horton Smith Award recipient

1998-2008 Sacramento Golf Council Member

1998-2008 California State Fair Championship Tournament Director

Mike is married to his beautiful wife, Leslie, he also has a son, Sean, and daughter, Leah.

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and to the Republic
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A Special Drawing!
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Three Winners!



BIG SIR REPORT:

Sir Branch 23 is close to getting back to normal. It appears Sacramento County will be out of the “Red” tier by June 15th, which will allow all of us who are fully vaccinated to meet indoors, with minimal restrictions. And it looks very promising that we will be able to have our first luncheon in over a year on July 14.

Here is where we are as of May 21:

Waiver and Vaccine Status: Approximately 60 members of our branch have completed both the waiver signing and vaccine verification requirement. If you have not fulfilled these requirements by July 14th, a table will be set up at the Elks Club where BEC members will provide you with a waiver to sign and will check your CDC vaccination card. **You must complete both requirements to enter the luncheon.**

Elks Club Update: JD Bamfield and I met with the banquet coordinator this month to make plans for our potential reopening in July. The Elks Club is anxious to get us back and is making every effort to keep the costs down. The Elks Club has also promised to provide a much larger screen and updated projection system to enhance the quality of the presentations. Our branch will sign a 6 month contract with the Elks, which will allow the board to explore all luncheon options for 2022. Also, don't forget that your July lunch is free if you paid your 2021 dues.

I hope to see you at our June general meeting on June 9th. If all goes well, this should be our final Zoom meeting and I want to thank you for making the effort to attend the meetings on your computer/tablet over the past year. Even though there were some occasional technical issues, overall I feel it was a great way to maintain contact with you and keep the spirit of SIR alive. Thanks to Lam Nguyen and the Zoom team, we all improved our computer skills.

Roger Riley, Big SIR

LITTLE SIR REPORT:

Thanks to everyone who has helped with providing information for the branch vaccination report. To date, we have 140 of 149 members who are fully vaccinated. Well done! Of the other nine, one will be finished later this month, one is an HLM and is inactive, two are not getting vaccinated for personal reasons and five are not responding to our inquiries—so we do not know their status. With the new State SIR directive, we need to add the waiver and actual vaccination dated to the data file. Our apologies for bothering you with this request for more data and thanks to those who have already responded.

I hope you enjoyed our speaker last month. Joe Winkel gave a very interesting talk about the USS Potomac and its odd but special life. I hope it will be open for tours soon because I would like to see it myself.

For June, our speaker will be Mike Woods, the Director of Golf Operations at Haggins Oaks Golf Course. Mike is a dynamic person and an energetic speaker who is going to talk to us about golf and the aging golfer. I think it will be very interesting and may help us lower our golf handicap— or at least slow down the rise of our handicap. He is only the third Head Golf Professional in the history of Haggins Oaks.

Congratulations to the winners of the gift cards last month. They were Bill Sutherland, Jerry Westerman, and Don Landsittel.

JD Bamfield, Little SIR

TREASURER’S REPORT: by Jim Coe

(Beginning Balance (Checking) April 1, 2021	\$7,601.61
Beginning Petty Cash	400.00
Funds Received:	450.00
Funds Disbursed	299.74
Ending Checking Balance April 30, 2021	7,751.87
Ending Savings Balance	- 0-
Ending Petty Cash	400.00
Ending Cash Balance (Total Cash) April 30, 2021	\$8,151.87

We currently have 15 unpaid members. Thanks to all who have paid their 2021 dues to this point.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT: by Phil Sittner June 2021

Membership Status: 150, including two Senior HLM and three HLM’s.

Deletions: David Naquin, Resigned
Ben Matsuo, Resigned
Bill LeDoux, Resigned

New members inducted in April: None
Other Membership/Roster Changes: None
New Member Information: None

SUNSHINE REPORT: by Chris Christopherson

As always, I request the assistance of members in reporting any illnesses of our members. Please keep me informed of any deaths, illnesses, or other medical problems of our members so I can publish them in the bulletin.

BRANCH ACTIVITIES:

As noted on Page 1, the next virtual meeting will be on Zoom, at **Noon on June 9, 2021**. A link will be provided to you prior to the meeting. As always, if you need any assistance, please call one of the following zoom team members:

General Davie 916-961-3199
JD Bamfield 916-757-2676
Lam Nguyễn 916-335-0357

OTHER BRANCH NEWS: SirBranch23@googlegroups.com. Please do not use this website unless you want to communicate with all of the Branch 23 members at the same time.

Branch 23 Sports Activities:

Bocce Ball, at Carmichael Park. Call David Peterson for info on the next bocce ball dates.

Bowling: There is no new information regarding a start for bowling.

GOLF Report for June 2021 Nugget

BR 23 Golf Web Site: Visit this site to determine golf start times, pairings, results and other golf related matters. The address is web2.golfsoftware.net/9958/.

2021 Schedule: The golf schedule for 2021 is complete, and has been posted on the website and emailed out. Until we are able to resume our normal lunch schedule, signups for tournaments will be directly by email or phone to Gary Bradley and Steve Ng. They will send out emails to announce the signup schedule each month.

Upcoming Tournaments:

18-Hole League:

June 2, River Oaks
June 17, Wildhawk, League Championship Nr. 2
June 23, Bartley Cavanaugh
June 30, Bing Maloney
July 7, Morgan Creek, 4-man Shamble
July 15, Wildhawk, (Rescheduled from March 18)
July 21, Diamond Oaks
July 28, Lincoln Hills

9-Hole League:

June 4, William Land Park
June 10, Cordova
June 21, Emerald Lakes
July 13, Arcade Creek Blue
July 26, Indian Creek

Tournament Results:

18-Hole League:

April 2, Wild Wings.

Flight 1: Moore (64), Shilliday (65), Bradley (69). CTP: Ron Shilliday
Flight 2: Wall (67), Bamfield (68), Westerman (68). CTP: Scott Kenney
Flight 3: Landers (56), Slusher (56), Brush (59). CTP: Roger Riley

May 5, Teal Bend.

Flight 1: Don Rodriguez (67), Brunton (67), Shilliday (68) CTP: Don Rodriguez
Flight 2: Boutros (62), Angeloni (65), Marquez (68). CTP: Tony Tipton
Flight 3: Riley (64), LeFebure (65), Hamilton (66). CTP: George Zarzana
Flight 4: Peterson (61), Davie (63), Landers (63). CTP: No Winner

May 19, McKenzie.

Flight 1: Jones (66), Caldwell (66), Battistessa (71). CTP: Bill Espinosa

Flight 2: Hubble (60), Boutros (64), Joe Rodriguez (66). CTP: Lam

Nguyen

Flight 3: Hamilton (59), Hanamura (63), Young (63). CTP: Rich Singer

Flight 4: Holmgren (64), Carisoza (64), Landers (66). CTP: Ron Slusher

9-Hole League:**April 26, Antelope Greens**

Flight 1: Phelps (22), Siagian (26), Mahoney (28), Sutherland (28).

Back nine Low Net: Mahoney (21). CTP: Marwan

Siagian

Flight 2: Domyancic (28), Scott Kenney (29), Dutcher (29),

Landers (29).

Back nine Low Net: Domyancic (25). CTP: No Winner

Flight 3: Carisoza (28), Zelinski (33), Betzler (34).

Back nine Low Net: Carisoza (23). CTP: No Winner

May 11, Emerald Lakes

Flight 1: Schmidt (33), Sutherland (34), Moore (34), Mahoney (34).

CTP: Marwan Siagian

Flight 2: Dutcher (32), Landsittel (33), Boutros (36). CTP: Don

Landsittel

Flight 3: Peterson (33), Murrell (34), Ng (42), Bloomer (42). CTP:

No Winner

May 21, Arcade Creek Red.

Flight 1: Westerman (28), Siagian (30), Mahoney (31). CTP: Steve

Ng

Flight 2: Massie (27), Carisoza (28), Christopherson (31). CTP:

No Winner

On April 26th, at Antelope Greens, Bill Sutherland recorded a hole in one on the 3rd Hole. Bill is too modest to write this himself, so the editor has added this good news. Congratulations, Bill!

HIKING:

We've made it easy to plan your hikes. Go to our website (sir23.org), click on "ACTIVITIES". Hiking is listed just below Golf. All our hikes for 2021 are listed. To learn more about each hike click on "[Click Here](#)" and that takes you to the All Trails site and full details for that particular hike.

HIKING

<p>March 25th Western States Trail Auburn St. Recreation Area 2.3 Miles / Easy Click Here</p>	<p>April 22nd Granite Bay to Beals Folsom Lake Rec. Area 3.3 Miles / Easy Click Here</p>	<p>May 27th UC Davis Arboretum Abundance of Flowers 3.5 Miles / Easy Click Here</p>	<p>June 24th Confluence Trail Auburn St. Recreation Area 2.8 Miles / Easy Click Here</p>	<p>July 29th Brannan Island Loop Sacramento Delta 3+ Miles / Easy Click Here</p>
<p>August 26th Monroe Ridge Near Coloma Hist. Site 3.6 Miles / Moderate Click Here</p>	<p>September 23rd Hidden Falls Trail Auburn St. Recreation Area 3.2 Miles / Easy Click Here</p>	<p>October 28th Cosumnes Riv. Preserve Near Elk Grove 3.3 Miles / Easy Click Here</p>	<p>November 18th William Land Park Sacramento 2 - 5 miles / Easy Click Here</p>	<p>December ? Sacramento Christmas Lights Depending on Weather</p>

**Please Join Us On Thursday, June 24th
For a Scenic Hike
On The Confluence Trail
Start Time 9:00 a.m.
Your Partner and Friends Are Welcome!**

You must be vaccinated. Please bring your Covid Proof of Vaccination Card

Wild Flowers | River Views | Wildlife



The Confluence Trail is an 3.4 mile out and back trail, elevation gain 485 feet located near Cool, California that features a river and is rated as easy/moderate. The trail is primarily used for hiking, walking, running, and mountain biking and is accessible year-round. Confluence is rated excellent by AllTrails.

Directions Via I-80 E

Follow I-80 E to Elm Ave in Auburn. Take exit 119C from I-80 E. Take CA-49 S/El Dorado Street to Old Foresthill Rd. GPS Corordinates: 38.91572, -121.03811

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns
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IMPORTANT MEMBER DATES FOR JUNE:

Join Date Anniversaries:

Scarlett, Sam	1995
Stakolich, Bob	2003
DeLong, Jim	2006
Coe, Jim	2009
Hood, Greg	2010
Stott, Bob	2016
Phelps, Phil	2018
Shimek, Dennis	2019

Member Birthdays:

Sutherland, Bill	1941
Mahoney, John	1941
Westerman, Jerry	1945
Kegarise, Jesse	1952
Wall, Kevin	1956

Member Wedding Anniversaries:

Scarlett, Sam and Pat	1949
Hamon, Carroll and Betty	1954
Newell, Stan and Joy	1954
Mellon, Floyd and Jan	1955
Clark, Birge and Prudy	1955
Coe , Jim and Ethel	1960
Routsong, Gordon and Barbara	1961
Abel, Frank and Barbara	1961
Semans, Frank and Sandra	1963
Rowland, John and Linda	1964
Dobrowolski, Joe and Marge	1964
Zelinski, Ray and Carol	1967
Smith, Don and Jane	1967
Mahoney, John and Connie	1968
Brush, Steve and Carol	1969
Harr , Richard and Phyllis	1973
Young, Gary and Susan	1973
Ferguson, Mark and Terry	1978
Lenny , Paul and Debi	1979
Jones , Mark and Gina	1983
Mitchell, Marc and Renee	1985
Nguyen, Lam and Peggy	1989

