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PEACH BOWL BRANCH 45

A nonprofit public benefit organization for retired men devoted to the promotion of independence and dignity of retirement.
Meets the first Monday of every month at 11:45 in the Plaza Room, Julie Drive, Yuba City

Maintenance of membership requires regular attendance.

Branch Executive Committee (BEC) meeting follows after the monthly luncheon at 1:40 p.m.

SIR Branch 45 Website: branch45.sirinc2.org

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BIG SIR MESSAGE



Tom Bethards, 530-632-6751
chevyman61@comcast.net

Hey Fellas,

Things are looking up. Weather is improving, Covid situation seems to be improving.

It's time to start thinking about the "Ladies Day luncheon" Tickets will go on sale in April. The price of the tickets is not finalized, but it might be before the coming luncheon. So far it appears we have plenty of interest for the luncheon this year. We have been doing well on the new members front which is encouraging, keep up the good work. See all at the 7 March luncheon.

Big Sir

Tom

Thomas Bethards

Committee Chairs

Attendance: Bill Crocker
Asst. Attendance: Mike Gyorfi
Badges: Bill Smith
Bicycling: Bill Craig
Asst. Bicycling: Gilbert Corchado
Bocce Ball: Carey Saunders
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Asst. Bowling: Jeff Brockman
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Photographer: Richard Grant

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Asst. Pool: Bob Penix
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Asst. Roster: Roy Meli
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Asst. Sunshine: James Anderson
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Asst. Travel: Vacant
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From the last meeting



Manny Cardoza assuming his duties as our new Little Sir.



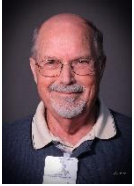
Big Sir Tom Bethards awarding Bob Lovell a certificate for reaching the age of 90.



Big Sir Tom Bethards awarding Bill Sims a certificate for reaching the age of 95.

ACTIVITIES

YUBA CITY/MARYSVILLE BOWLING



Ray Buttacavoli, 530-329-2038



Jeff Brockman, 530-755-0746

Nothing but surprises from the Beale Commander. Effective Monday, December 13TH the bowling center could go back to using all the lanes. So, this past Wednesday was our first session “bowling together” again. It seemed that the bowlers had a more enjoyable time being able to interact with each other rather than being separated. We had to remember what it was like to bowl with “bowling courtesy.”

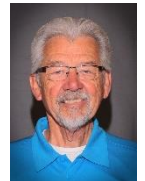
As I mentioned in my last article, we were preparing to run our first of three Sweepers for the season. We had 21 bowlers competing for over \$500 in prize money. I decided the best way to give you an idea of how we paid the bowlers for their performance was to show all the payoffs at the bottom of this article.

We bowl on Wednesdays at 11:00 AM. All are still welcome to bowl with us, but if you have not bowled with us since we moved to Beale AFB, it will be necessary to contact me so that we can start the paperwork for the Guest Pass. You can contact me at the phone number above or via email at rdb0416@comcast.net .



Al Moody, 530-301-8390

BOCCE BALL



Carey Saunders, 530-671-5155

Tuesdays 10:00. Played at Kingwood Park on Gray Ave. We are looking for more participation so that we can enter tournaments with other branches.



Phil Higgason, 530-671-4042

CARDS

Assistant, Phone



Wednesdays 12:00-4:00. Played at different players’ houses each week.

SLOW TROLLERS



Fred Preston, 530-300-2125



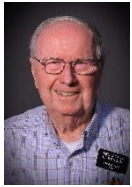
Pat Dilling, 530-218-0641



The Slow Trollers had a fun day at New Bullards' Bar Reservoir on February 17th. Attendance was good , we had 6 boats for 12 people. Everyone caught some fish but the lake was stingy on size. Rodney Jorgenson managed a big fish of 4 + pounds, for bragging rights. We ate lunch together to tell of our great skills that have been honed over many years of fishing. If you believe that you're ready to join our club.

We meet first Monday morning of each month at the Moose Lodge at 9:00, coffee and donuts are available. Come see what the BS is all about.

President Fred Preston



PHOTOGRAPHY

Bob Engen, 530-845-8360



Richard Grant, 530-713-1919

The Photo Club is a group of men that enjoy photography and friendships. We all have very different skill levels and interest in photography. We range from cell phone cameras to larger camera systems. If you have any interest photography, you are welcome visit with us anytime. We meet regularly on the 2nd Tuesday each month. We have breakfast and talk photography. We have just changed our location and meeting time. We will meet, starting March 8th, at Dancing Tomato (by Sam's Club) in Yuba City at 9:00AM. Hope to see you there.

You can call Bob Engen at 530-933-9660 or Richard Grant at 530-713-1919 for any information

Sir's Photo Club

Out for the eclipse



Out to the
Sacramento National
Wildlife Refuge



POOL



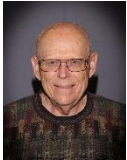
Ruben Gomez, 530-743-0477



Bob Phenix, 530-790-0723

Mondays at 2:00 PM. Play at Gold Rush Billiards next to Papa Murphy's Pizza on Gray Ave. Even if you never played pool, come on out and learn. You'll enjoy it.

DINING OUT



Rich Dettmer, 530-755-4118



Assistant, Phone

Good news! We are starting up our Dining Out Activity in March. We will be going to Casa Carlos Mexican Restaurant and Cantina in Marysville on March 2nd. The proprietor has limited us to only 20 people due to COVID concerns and we have filled that quota already with reservations and there is a waiting list if someone who signed up has to drop out.

All known members of our Dining Out Activity were notified as to this event by email. However, due to the halitus of activity during the pandemic some members may have moved changed email addresses or dropped out of SIR. If you are a member of this activity and did not get an email notice do contact me so that I can add you back into the database, If you have never been a member of the Dining Out Activity and would like to be, contact me as well. We have had a lot of fun and your wife or SO will probably enjoy it as well. Rich Dettmer Email CAPTRLD@SYIX.COM

530.755.4118 Message and Voice

TREASURER'S REPORT



Brad Johnson, 530-632-7943

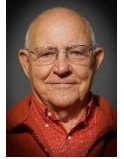
The ending December balance: \$4,569.43

The ending January balance: \$4,214.56

GOLF REPORT



Dennis Dempsey, 530 487-3830



Pete Brennan, 530 674-7234

Gentleman, the schedule is ready, and we will play numerous course this year and hope you all like the events scheduled. On February 24 we will have a Golf Meeting at the Moose Lodge at 8AM to discuss rules and schedules will be handed out. The cost of the breakfast is \$10.

First date of Golf will be March 1 so please start signing up at your luncheons. Let's have a great year and have fun.

If you did not pay your dues, it will be \$49 or \$59, and I will tell you at the breakfast.

Dennis Dempsey, Director

BICYCLING



Bil Craig, 530-763-5476



Gilbert Corchado, 530-434-6525



We ride for about 1 1/4 hours and cover about 12 miles. Sirs, spouses, and guests are welcome. We meet Friday mornings at the Gazebo in Regency Park, Yuba City (north end of Stabler Lane). Times can vary due to conditions such as traffic and weather. Call for more information.

Contact: Bill Craig 530-592-6592 or Gilbert Corchado 530-434-6525.