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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 the monthly luncheon at 1:40 p.m.

SIR Branch 45 Website: branch45.sirinc2.org

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BIG SIR MESSAGE



Manny Cardoza, 530-701-8184
boebadic@comcast.net

Hello fellow SIR Members,

May the luck of the Irish be with you this Month!
Remember to wear **green** on March 12th.

I hope everyone is doing well and staying dry! lol.

FYI, The Women's Appreciation Luncheon on May 11th is moving forward. We have a wonderful menu planned. Cost will be \$35 per person, which includes live music, dessert, and flowers for that Special Lady in your life!

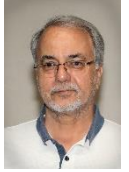
Tickets will be on sale next month.

See you all on March 6th.
Big Sir
Manny

LITTLE SIR MESSAGE

Bijan Parhizgar, 530-301-8740

bthere4asap@yahoo.com



**March Guest Speaker:
Lori Pack
Linda's Bar and Grill**

Lori Pack is the owner of Linda's Bar and Grill in Yuba City was born and raised here in Yuba City. Running a business comes natural to her as she started her lemonade stand at 8 years old and then with the help of her mom, started setting and running her own Stand at the local Farmers' Market.

She has 3 siblings and moved out of her parent's house at age 17 to start her career at Denny's. She then joined Mr. Steak for a total of 14 years while concurrently working at "Trimble's" before it was renamed to Linda's.

In 2001 a lady Linda took over "Trimbles" and hence the name was changed to Linda's and as July 2021 Lori Pack purchased the restaurant and has been the owner since -😊.

Lori's son Bryce was born at 1 minute after five, 5:01, and later became AKA Levi, after the famous jean brand name.

Lori hopes to pay off her restaurant in 5 years and hire a manger to help her with the day-to-day affairs of the restaurant. For now, she manages the daily business of running the establishment, including ordering supplies, managing inventory ordering, payrolls, and accounting. By her cheerful and positive attitude, one would not know that despite working 70-80 hours a week she is up every morning at 4 AM to start baking her famous pies she sells at the restaurant, and still makes the time to cover for some of the staff that can't show up for various reasons.

SINCE WE LAST MET



Little Sir Bijan Parhizgar presenting a certificate of appreciation to our guest speaker Leilani Barnhart from Luna Lei Wellness.

Committee Chairs

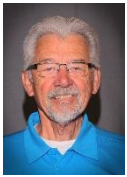
Attendance: Bill Crocker
Asst. Attendance: Mike Gyorfi
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Bicycling: Bill Craig
Asst. Bicycling: Gilbert Corchado
Bocce Ball: Carey Saunders
Asst. Bocce Ball: Jack Schoen
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Asst. Bowling: Jeff Brockman
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Asst. Card Guy: Bob Penix
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Membership: Bill Crocker
Photography: Bob Engen

Photographer: Richard Grant
Pool: Ruben Gomez
Asst. Pool: Bob Penix
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ACTIVITIES

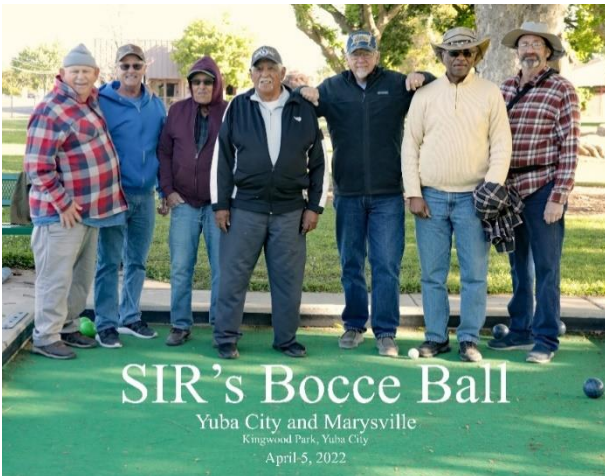
BOCCE BALL



Carey Saunders, 530-671-5155

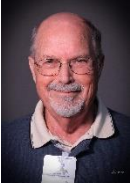


Jack Schoen, 719-400-9830



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.

YUBA CITY/MARYSVILLE BOWLING



Ray Buttacavoli, 530-329-2038

Jeff Brockman, 530-755-0746



We started our new bowling season on August 3RD, and it will run all the way until July 26TH of next year. Our plan is to take only one week off for the Thanksgiving week. We ran our final sweeper for last season and had 20 bowlers participate. Every bowler won some of the pot of \$525. Following my newsletter is a page showing who we paid for each of the categories.

The bowling center had to raise the bowling fees by \$0.25 per game, but we were able to maintain our regular bowling fees by reducing the amount that goes into the sweeper fund each week. With that reduction, there will only be two sweepers this season rather than the three we ran last year. In my next article, I'll explain our bowling fee structure and our weekly prizes.

We continue to 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, that is unless you have a valid military ID. You can contact me at the phone number above or via email at rdb0416@comcast.net .

SLOW TROLLERS



Pat Dilling, 530-218-0641



Rodney Jorgensen, 530-415-3724



The Slow Trollers Fishing Club opened our February Meeting by posing for a group photo in front of the artful lens of Richard Grant.

We started 2023 with Fun Fishing days at the Oroville Afterbay in January and Lake Berryessa in February. Both were chilly mornings, but a few hardy souls managed to catch some fish, someone always seems to. At the Afterbay Tim Hill and Bob Thomas fooled some nice Steelhead and Fred Preston, John Krohn and Pat Dilling managed to find a few bass. At Lake Berryessa, Carey Saunders

brought his son Ryan along and Ryan caught the whopper, a 5-pound Spotted Bass! Robbie Merwin and Pat Dilling also managed a couple of nice ones.

In March we are headed to Collins Lake for our first tournament of the year. It will be a team tournament for both trout and bass.

We are looking forward to our trip to Lake Shasta in May. We have 21 members signed up and all are looking forward to 4 days of fishing and friendship.

We are always looking for new members. Come join us on the first Monday of the month, same as our SIR meeting, at 9 o'clock at the Yuba City Moose Lodge, 205 S. Walton. Free donuts and coffee are provided, bring your own fish stories!



Pat Dilling Berryessa Feb 2023



Ryan Saunders Berryessa Feb 2023



Robbie Merwin Berryessa Feb 2023



PHOTOGRAPHY

Bob Engen, 530-845-8360

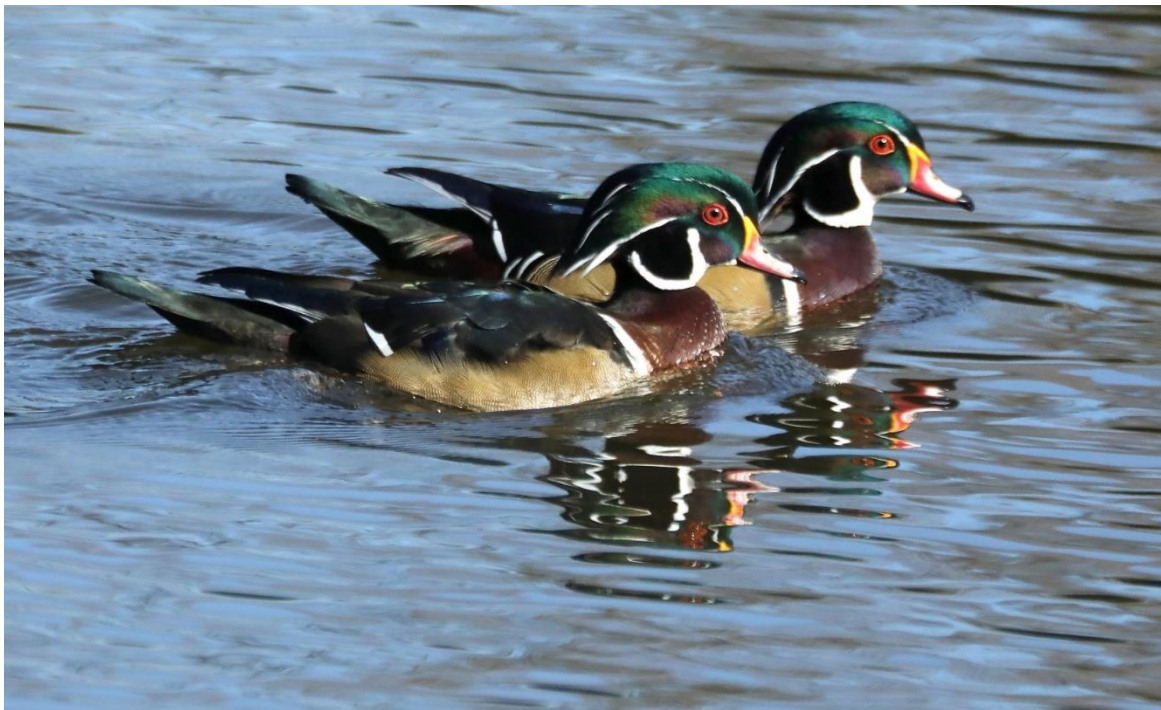


Richard Grant, 530-713-1919

The Photo Club is meeting at Tracey's Diner in Marysville. We meet regularly on the 2nd Tuesday each month at 9:00am. This month it is March 14th. We have breakfast and view a video on photography. At this time, we are going through a series of lessons on cell phone photography. The March lesson is "# 9 Photography Principles: Subject".

Photo of the Month -March 2023

Wood Ducks at UC Davis Arboretum by Richard Grant



POOL



Ruben Gomez, 530-743-0477



Bob Penix, 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.

CARDS



Roy Meli, 916 826-4772

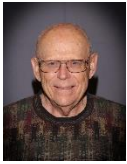


Bob Penix, 530-790-0723



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

DINING OUT



Rich Dettmer, 530-755-4118



Assistant, Phone

Sir Rich and Jill Dettmer hosted the dining out event at Marcella's Italian Restaurant on Bridge St in Yuba City on February 21. Twenty-six had assigned up. March is still open. We will not have a dining out in April . . .

SIR Lady's Day is the event of the month instead.

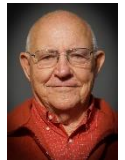
If you are interested, you must join our pack first and you can do by contacting me and I will add you to the list which gets you the upcoming announcements of events. All you have to do then is call or email the listed event host to sign up. There is no requirement that you attend all events and you can pick and choose those venues that sound great and fit your calendar. Rich Dettmer 1 (530) 755-4118 or CAPTRLD@SYIX.COM

Rich Dettmer. Past State President
Sons in Retirement
Branch 45, Peachtree
Dining Out Activity Coordinator

GOLF REPORT



Dennis Dempsey, 530 487-3830



Pete Brennan, 530 674-7234

Hello gents,

Don't forget the Golf Breakfast on Feb 12th at 0800 at Moose Lodge. Yocha DeHe outing is Feb 15 starting at 0830. First SIRs Tournament is March 7 at Peach tree and it will be low net and cost is 50 dollars, Dennis Dempsey is Tournament Director. Any questions please call him. Let have a great year and hope you are swinging better, Lets have lots of fun. Its not about score or who you play with its about friendship and be good to each other.

Dennis Dempsey

Golf Director



BICYCLING



Bill Craig, 530-763-5476



Gilbert Corchado, 530-434-6525

We celebrated Gilbert's 80th birthday with a lunch and discussed plans to ride more regularly as the weather gets better. Whether it's a couple of us or a dozen, the group has so much fun together we want to share our joy with you. We are definitely noticed in the community and meeting new people. Spouses and guests are always welcome. We currently ride as a SIR activity on Fridays from Regency Park in north Yuba City, starting at 0900.

Try it, you'll like it!

TREASURER'S REPORT



Brad Johnson, 530-632-7943

The ending January balance: \$5,091.65

The ending February balance: \$5,430.89