

SIR Branch #49 Folsom, CA.

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June 2023

Next Luncheon: June 8th
SPEAKER: PICNIC! No speaker.



State SIR Website
<https://www.sirinc.org/>

Branch 49 Website
<https://www.branch49.sirinc2.org>



No Board Meeting, Social Hour, or Golfer's Meeting
Lunch @ 12:00 p.m.

Latest Edition of SIR Happenings



2023 Officers

Big Sir	Allen Wong
Little Sir	Max Hartley
Secretary	Bob Hedges
Asst. Secretary	OPEN
Treasurer	Jerry Thomas
Asst. Treasurer	OPEN
Membership	Bill Bertsch
Asst. Membership	Joel Reisman

Past Big SIR's

2012	.....	Joe Lapilusa
2013	.....	Karl Ryden
2014	.....	Gary Stout
2015	.....	Fred Jacobs
2016	.....	Robert Eplett
2017	.....	Vic Brewer
2018	.....	Ed Puchi
2019	.....	Jerry Helme
2020	.....	Al Edwards
2021	.....	Joe Artim
2022	.....	Joe Artim

Karl Ryden
Frank Donner—SHLM
Joe LaPilusa
Jack DuBé
* Roy Estep
* Bob Griggs — SHLM
* Frank Reetz
* Bill Staiger— SHLM
* Gordon Vinther
* Ralph Housley

* Deceased

Board of Directors

Jerry Helme (PBS)	Ed Puchi (PBS)
Joe Artim (PBS)	Jack DuBé (PBS)
Vic Brewer (PBS)	Al Edwards (PBS)

Committee Chairman

ATTENDANCE	Cory Lindholm
AUDITOR	Wayne Philpot
BEVERAGE	Jim Ramstad
BEVERAGE AIDS	John Cordero Bob Garcia Manny Cordero
BOOK EXCHANGE	Open
CHAPLAIN	Ed Puchi
EDITOR	Joel Reisman
EQUIPMENT	
GREETER	Fred Jacobs (PBS)
MUSIC	Bob Peterson
NOMINATING	Joel Reisman Ed Puchi Joe Artim (PBS)
PURVEYOR	
RECRUITING	
SUNSHINE	Jack DuBe (PBS)
TELEPHONE	Bob Reilly
TICKET SALES	Ray Jerd John McKim Greg Estep
WEBSITE	

PLEASE TAKE NOTE:

The picnic on June 8 at 11AM replaces June's regular luncheon and will occur at the picnic area behind the Community Center.

State SIRS

AREA 3 REPRESENTATIVE
Jim Gragg

SIR STATE OFFICERS

PRES. — Dave Gonzales
V.P. — Dale Decker
SEC. — Russell Salazar
TREAS. — Carl Mason

Chief Admin Officer — Roy Hodgkinson



Activities Chairmen

BOWLING	Wayne Philpot
GOLF	Steve Sims

Big SIR - Allen Wong



HAPPY JUNE 2023 FOLSOM BRANCH 49 SIR MEMBERS!!!

*** THURSDAY JUNE 8th JUNE 8th JUNE 8th This is the date of the 2nd Annual Picnic in the Park which takes the place of the June Meeting. It will be from 11:00am-2:00pm - \$10 per person, 12 & under \$5 -

Guests are invited. This is a Potluck, so bring something to share and BYOB. We will also be having the 2nd annual CORNHOLE COMPETITION and it will be a 2-Person Team Event. I hear last year's defending champions are waiting for all challengers to Bring IT! Location will be the picnic area directly behind the Folsom Community Center.

As we Spring into Summer, I hope everyone is healthy and happy. May was another good month with our new sandwiches for our lunches and another informative speaker, Lisa Leftwich, occupational therapist.

I hope you all enjoyed the lunch and new price of lunch and our guest speaker who put us all through the balance test.

Jim Gragg, Area 3 Supervisor for State SIR shared with us all some slides of new tools to help recruit new members. State SIRs has challenged each SIR Member to invite one guest to our remaining lunch meeting. So let's accept this challenge from state and invite a potential future member of SIR Folsom Branch 49. Lunch for the guest is FREE.

The results of the state wide survey regarding whether to allow each branch to allow women into branches and whether to allow other branches to allow women to join are in.

It was a unanimous "no" on branches to allow women in and a small majority to approve other branches to allow women into their branches.

A Big Welcome and Thank you to Robin Williams, the new Golf Treasurer who took over from Steve Sims who was the previous Treasurer before taking over the Golf Chairmanship,

As we enter the peak travel days ahead, please enjoy your family and friends and have a great time in your travels and as always Be Safe...Have Fun and Keep Moving....

Allen Wong

Big SIR Folsom Branch 49

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Allenwong1111@gmail.com

LITTLE SIR - Max Hartley



It's Almost Summer!

Although I wasn't there to hear our last month's speaker Lisa Leftwich, I understood did a great job and got many of you on your feet. I do have handouts from her to pass out at our July meeting.

This month is our picnic and I see there is a good turnout for our annual event in Folsom so I hope to see many of you there. Next month (July our own Joe LaPilusa) will be our guest speaker to talk about the Shriner's hospital which does so much for our community. Our August speaker will be the Assistant Fire Chief with the City of Folsom Fire Department. I'm sure he will have a lot of interesting information for our group. Right now our pending speaker for September is a woman who will talk about dementia and Alzheimer's which I hope you find interesting. Again my goal is to have good speakers who are thought-provoking and generate a lot of interest from our members.

If you have any ideas for guest speakers please let me know, we still need speakers for October and November. Several of our members have reached out to me and that's been a big help in lining up not just speakers but informative and interesting speakers.

I understood that the sandwiches for lunch in May were a big success and I know that Joe Artim, our food purveyor, is doing a great job and will continue to improve on our lunches that are not only good but are saving members money, which I think everyone likes. A big shout out to Joe for all his hard work in the lunch department. Having a good lunch will hopefully keep members coming back and also increase our membership.

Field trips to think about:

- Wine tasting in Plymouth.
- The U.S.S. Hornet in Alameda.
- The Sacramento Aerospace Museum at McClellan Park.

If anyone is interested in helping out with our Christmas luncheon committee please let me or Big Sir Allen Wong know.

So moving forward we really need to up our recruiting efforts by bringing in new members. Our branch cannot grow without increasing our membership. So get out there and ask your friends to give us a try.

Little SIR

Max Hartley

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New members Kim Hammon and Jim Cole get treated to our secret call.

June 2023 TREASURER'S REPORT



Hope to see everyone at the SIR Summer Picnic on June 8. The cost is \$10.00 for members and guests, \$5 for kids under 12.

Our volunteer callers are on the job to ensure your reservations are counted, please don't be a no-show.

DUES are required to keep your club running. If you have not chipped in your 2023 DUES of \$25.00, the time is now to contribute to your club.

Jerry Thomas, Treasurer SIR Br 49

May 1 Balance	\$ 5503.57
May Receipts	1344.07
May Disbursements	1200.58
May 31 Balance	\$ 5647.06
Picnic Presales	150.00
Ending Balance	\$ 5797.06

June 2023 MEMBERSHIP REPORT



Membership Chairman: Bill Bertsch
(916) 791-3570
workready247@hotmail.com

Asst. Membership Chairman: Joel Reisman (916) 983-2492
j.reisman@comcast.net

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP:
Active: 103 (INCLUDES 5 PBS)

Applications for Induction for June: 1
Roland Kleinman

New Members in May: 2
Kim Hammon #13, Jim Cole #31

Drops in May: 2
Bob KAUFFMAN
Franklin CALL

Returning Members: 1
Tom West #80

Transferring In: None
Transferring Out: None
Deceased: None
Changes in Address, ETC.: None

June Anniversaries:

Bob PETERSON
Ray TRICE
Don MARNACH
Mark FUNK



L/R: Bob Reilly, Bob Peterson, Mike McCormack, Gary Stout, Don Marnach



Branch 49 Golf Club

Chairman: Steve Sims 916-365-6062
Asst. Chairman/Prize Dir: Don Fuller 916-791-4581
Tournament Directors: Ed Nishio & Tim Hammon
Treasurer: Don Fuller
Secretary/Special Projects: Robin Williams
Rules Chairman: Bill Bertsch

Golf has had great weather of late!

Everyone needs to come out and play. We are about a third of the way through the season and have 20 events left.

More information on the State Team Championship is out and it will be held in our back yard this year at Haggin Oaks, August 17th and 18th; see the flyer attached.

We played a scramble at Mather that was a ton of fun:

First Place - Horewitch-Mathews-Jerd-Bennett 74/47

Second Place - Wong-Artim-Rawlinson-Irish 69/47

Third Place - Brewer-Williams-Butt-Veffredo 66/52

Fourth Place - Hammon-Sims-Bradshaw-Flynn 65/53

Our most recent tournament Lincoln Hills:

Flt 1: Steve Sims 84, net 70

Flt 2: Gary Rawlinson 90, net 71

This was a stroke and skins game, everyone who played got at least one skin.

That is all for now, in the meantime hit'em long and straight!



Steve Sims



L/R: Ray Smothers, John Herrmann, Bob Losik, Tony Gane, Fred Jacobs, Kendall Stuessy



Senior Fun Summer League!

Bowling at 12:30 PM at Fireside Lanes in Citrus Heights.

The league has 12 three-person teams. There are currently four vacancies. There are only three bowlers from our branch.

The high scratch average, high scratch game, and high scratch series for each of the three members are as follows: Don Yarwood 160 ; 185 - 490; Wayne Philpot 150 ; 182 - 510; and Bob Collins 162; 205- 568. If you are interested in bowling full-time or substituting, please let me know.

Wayne Philpot (916) 961-7465



Lisa Leftwich, occupational therapist gave us some useful exercises.



L/R Tim Hammon, Kim Hammon, Robin Williams, Ron Schultz, Steve Sims, Gary Veffredo



Congratulations to Brooks Koepka on winning the 2023 PGA Championship!



Jim Reed rides in style!

Can you solve these?

$$A + A = 4$$

$$A + B = 6$$

$$B + C = 7$$

$$A \times C = ?$$

If a grapefruit is 80¢

And a banana is 60¢

And an apple is 40¢

How much is a pear?

LUNCHEON MEETINGS are held at the Folsom Community Center, 52 Natoma St. Folsom, California, on the last Thursday of the month, except November and December. Social Hour: 11:00 a.m.; lunch and program at noon. Executive Board meeting is on the same day at 10:00 a.m.

ATTENDANCE RULES: (State Rule 100) A member of Branch 49 will be notified in writing pending termination of membership if he does not attend at least 6 luncheons during a calendar year, January—December. The Picnic and Holiday luncheon is not required attendance. Therefore, it does not count as one of the six required luncheons during the year. If you report to the calling committee that you expect to attend, but later you find you must cancel, call your telephone contact or the Telephone Committee Chairman.

NON-RESPONSIBILITY: All tours, trips and other activities arranged by SIR, Inc., and its branches are for the convenience and pleasure of the members and their guests who desire to participate. SIR, Inc., and its branches do not assume any responsibility for the well being or safety of the participants of passengers or their property, in any matters pertaining to said tours, trips or other activities.



SEE THE GOLF NOTICES ON THE NEXT TWO PAGES:

2023 SIR STATE TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

HAGGIN OAKS GOLF COURSE - SACRAMENTO



OPEN TOURNAMENT THIS YEAR, NO QUALIFYING NECESSARY, YOUR TEAM'S CHOICE OF PLAYING EITHER THURSDAY 8/17 OR FRIDAY 8/18, TEE TIMES

DRIVING RANGE WITH "TOPTRACER" BALL FLIGHT TRACKING, RANGE BALLS ARE PROVIDED

ALL TEAM PLAYER'S MUST CHECK IN OUTSIDE THE PRO SHOP 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO THEIR TEE TIME

FOOD AND DRINK AT THE MCKENZIE SPORTS BAR & GRILL OR AT "THE HANGOUT" AT THE RANGE



THIS YEAR'S TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP WILL BE AT THE HISTORIC 91 YEAR OLD ALISTAIR MACKENZIE GOLF COURSE AT HAGGIN OAKS KNOWN FOR IT'S CHALLENGING COURSE LAYOUT AND UNDULATING GREENS



SUGGESTED HOTEL ACCOMENDATIONS

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS AND SUITES AT 2224 AUBURN BLVD
916 923-1100

HAMPTON INN & SUITES AT 2230 AUBURN BLVD
916 927-2222

HILTON SACRAMENTO ARDEN AT 2220 HARVARD STREET
855 605-0316

TOURNAMENT RESULTS WILL BE POSTED BY MONDAY AUGUST 21ST
ON THE STATE GOLF WEBSITE AT WWW.SIRGOLF.ORG

DRIVING DIRECTIONS TO HAGGIN OAKS GOLF COURSE:

FROM THE EAST: I-80 TOWARDS SACRAMENTO, TAKE FULTON AVE EXIT ON THE RIGHT TO FULTON AVE, COURSE IS IMMEDIATELY ON YOUR RIGHT

FROM THE WEST:
FROM THE SOUTH: I-80 THROUGH SACRAMENTO TOWARDS RENO, TAKE THE AUBURN BLVD EXIT AND TURN LEFT ONTO AUBURN BLVD, TURN LEFT ON TO FULTON AVENUE WHICH WILL TAKE YOU DIRECTLY TO THE COURSE

FROM THE NORTH: I-5 SOUTH TO SACRAMENTO, FOLLOW DIRECTIONS ABOVE

FOR MORE INFO VISIT WEBSITE AT WWW.SIRGOLF.ORG OR CALL MARK STUART - 916 218-2287



CALL HAGGIN OAKS PRO SHOP
FOR PRACTICE ROUNDS (Mon-Fri)
916 808-2525

**“BRANCH 116 AND SIR STATE GOLF INVITE YOU AND
YOUR FRIENDS TO JOIN US THIS SUMMER IN RENO”
TUESDAY 9/5/2023 THRU FRIDAY 9/8/2023**



YOUR 2023 EVENT PACKAGE INCLUDES

- THREE NIGHT STAY AT THE SILVER LEGACY HOTEL DOWNTOWN RENO IN A PLAYER’S TOWER PREMIUM ROOM COMPLETE WITH FLAT SCREEN TV, FREE Wi-Fi, HAIR DRYER, IN ROOM SAFE, FREE GARAGE PARKING
- TUESDAY “WELCOME RECEPTION” COMPLETE WITH APPETIZERS, NO HOST BAR
- THURSDAY NIGHT “AWARDS DINNER” WITH NO HOST BAR
- TWO DAYS OF GOLF AT TOIYABE & WOLF RUN GOLF COURSES AND OVER \$1,000 IN PRIZE MONEY, LADY’S AND YOUR FRIENDS ARE ALSO WELCOME AND INVITED TO JOIN US FOR THESE TWO DAYS OF GOLFING FUN
- PRIZE DRAWINGS FOR NON-GOLFERS

AVAILABLE PACKAGES

Two Golfers sharing room	\$420 / person
Golfer, Non-Golfer sharing room	\$330 / person
Single Golfer own room	\$575 / person
Two Non-Golfers sharing room	\$240 / person
Non-Golfer, own room	\$400 / person
Golf and Amenities, no room	\$260 / person
<p>FILL OUT REGISTRATION FORM, ENCLOSE CHECK AND MAIL TO SIR BR 116 PO BOX 683 LAFAYETTE, CA 94549</p>	

THE SILVER LEGACY HOTEL AND CASINO HAS:

- FIVE RESTAURANTS AND SIX BARS & LOUNGES
- SWIMMING POOL WITH DAYBEDS & CABANAS
- A SPA & SALON TO RELAX AND INDULGE YOURSELF
- FITNESS CENTER WITH WEIGHTS, MACHINES & MORE
- NIGHTLIFE FEATURING PERFORMERS & COMEDIANS
- TOPGOLF SWING SUITE (reservation required)
- CASINO WITH SLOTS, BLACKJACK & POKER
- IMMEDIATE ACCESS TO RENO’S BEST SHOPPING

GOLFING ELIGIBILITY

ALL GOLFER’S MUST HAVE A VERIFIABLE INDEX.