



The Pathfinder

Branch Number 59

Thirty-Third Year

February 2008

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NEXT MEETING at Newark Pavilion - Thursday, February 21, 2008

Big Sir Monthly Musings

by Big Sir Richard Holley



Well we got past that first meeting without too much fuss. Thank you gentlemen for allowing me to chair your meetings and I hope I have built your confidence in me. Thanks to Little Sir, Don Gillis, I have every confidence that we will have a great year in 2008.

Some of our SIR groups here in Northern California have been having problems in attracting new members, and getting those that are in the group to help out with the duties of the organization. I can't tell you how much work our volunteers do for this organization. There are reports that need to be filed each month and general problems that need to be taken care of at each meeting. Last meeting we had a small tempest in that it looked like we didn't have enough seating for everyone. It was incumbent on me and the helpful volunteers to make sure each of you got a seat, they don't just appear like magic. Our volunteers do amazing magic each and every meeting and they are so good most people don't even know that there had been a problem. I ask all you gentlemen to observe the work that is being done all around you when you attend a meeting. When you get your badge, buy your meal ticket, or drop your tickets in the bucket for the meal, thank those that are helping you, they deserve all our thanks.

Don tells me that we have an old friend visiting us this month, and I know you enjoyed him when he was here last. Please enjoy 'Lil' one more time and thank you for your support.

Richard

Our Speaker - Lil Arnerich

by Little Sir Don Gillis

"An insider's view of football officiating – as seen through the eyes of game officials."



Our February speaker will be a return engagement by A.J. "Lil" Arnerich. "Lil" was an official for 35 years, and he will walk us through who becomes an official, how they are selected, how much they earn, game preparation, and, yes, instant replay. His talk is riveting, and has been

greatly received by many SIR organizations. You will not want to miss this one.

By the way, "Lil" won't feel at home unless you bring out your best "Boos," throw something, and yes, even call him a "Blind S.O.B." If you don't, he says he will be insulted.

Anthony "Lil" Arnerich along with Billy Martin, was signed by Casey Stengel to play shortstop for the Oakland Oaks of the old Pacific Coast league. He served for 35 years as a referee of high school and college football and baseball games, as well as the Director of the City of Alameda's City Recreation and Parks Department.



MENU

**Swiss Steak and Potatoes
and/or
Chicken and Rice
Assorted Vegetables**



If you are not coming or if you are bringing a guest or visitor
Don't forget to Call on the Monday before the meeting - or earlier
Hugh Twomey 796-5559 or email hught22@comcast.net



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Branch 59

Meets at Newark Pavilion
6430 Thornton Avenue
Newark
on the 3rd Thursday of
each month
10:00 AM
Executive Board Meeting
11AM Social Hour
12 Noon Lunch

A Nonprofit
public benefit
corporation for
retired men



Sir Allen Sprague January Meeting Minutes

Big Sir Richard Holley called the meeting to order at 10:25 and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call by Secretary: Officers present:

Big Sir Richard Holley Little Sir Don Gillis, Secretary Allen Sprague, Assistant Secretary Peter Angelides, Treasurer Louis Bufkin, and Assistant Treasurer Bobby Ben Snodgrass. Officers absent: None. Directors present: Bob Anderson, Ted Bresler, Robert Ingebretson, and Roger Wallin. Directors absent: Bob Benya, and Bill Dark.

Treasurer's Report: Sir Louis Bufkin reported that as of December 4, 2007 the ending cash balance was \$4,741.90, and membership was 265 active members and 22 inactive members. At the November 15th luncheon there were 189 members (71% of total membership), 4 guests and no visitors present for a total attendance of 193. As of January 4, 2008 the ending cash balance was \$5490.87, and membership was 265 active members and 22 inactive members – this January 4th report reflects the receipts and expenses for the December 20th Holiday Luncheon at which there were 100 members (38% of total membership) and 124 guests present; there was a net surplus of \$109.87 (Full details are in the Form 28 reports on file, and the supplemental report of the details on the luncheon).

Program: Little Sir Don Gillis confirmed that today's speaker is Jess Strange, a community education advocate for legal assistance for seniors. The topic of her presentation is "Knowledge is Key: Know Your Medicare Rights."

Attendance: Sir Hugh Twomey reported that the expected attendance for today's luncheon is 201.

Membership: Sir Ron Brutvan placed James A. Doot, Jr., Tom P. Federico and Stan Peters up for membership. A motion was made, seconded, and passed to approve James A Doot, Jr., Tom P. Federico and Stan Peters as new members.

Birthdays: Sir Art Winkley reported that 23 members with December birthdays are expected today. The most senior celebrant is Sir Raymond Andrade at 93 and the youngest is George Perry at 63 (two others, celebrating 9 decades, are Glenn Hursey and Ed Myslewski). For January 16 celebrants are expected. The most senior is Stanley James at 86 and Paul Roberto at 64.

Bowling: Sir Frank Cordova reported that upcoming events will be noticed in the next Pathfinder.

Golf: Sir Bill Leake reported that a full schedule for 2008 can be found at www.sirstategolf.com. The first tournament is Las Vegas in late March 2008. There will be 3 Reno trips this year. The Branch 59 golfers play

Mondays and Thursdays at Sunol.

The Pathfinder and Roster: Editor John Skarpelos requested that the luncheon attendees be informed that new Branch 59 rosters will be available after the meeting.

Social Committee: Sir Doug Eads submitted a written report accounting for expenses and income; an earlier preliminary report of a \$31 returned check was discovered and replaced with another valid check (see also the Treasurer's Report). There was a net \$109.87 in income exceeding expenses. There were 100 members and 124 guests for a total of 224 in attendance.

Committee member Sir Allen Sprague commented that, although comments indicate attendees were pleased with the event, there was nevertheless only 31% of the total membership that came to the function. The committee was considering recommending to the Ex.Com. to consider sending a questionnaire to the membership to ascertain whether there are other format options for the two party meetings each year, with the objective of increasing membership participation. (One suggestion, from Sir Robert Ingebretson, was to ask the members if having both a regular meeting and a social event in December.

Sir Frank Campos reported that he had received a thank you addressed to all officers and members of Branch 59, from Edna Gamba on behalf of the Fremont Aires (which was the band providing the music), praising the entire luncheon event as superb (Edna also was ecstatic about Frank's singing—as we all are!).

Big Sir Richard Holley reported that he had received positive feedback as to the Holiday Luncheon meal and entertainment, but there should be better and bigger Bloody Marys, and the beer ran out! However, he noted that the sole bartender is a volunteer!

Bridge: Sir Drag Dutina requested that he announce to the lunch attendees that a brief meeting would be held after the luncheon speaker, to discuss possible interest in joining a Branch 59 bridge team.

Sunshine: Sir Dave Marymee reported that Nebraska is a good State to be from. He followed this announcement with reports on the status of illnesses and recovery of several Branch 59 members. A more up-to-date report will be reported in the next Pathfinder.

Cybergazers: Sir Fred Gotthardt reported the Cybergazers will meet next Tuesday January 29th at 2pm, in the Fukaya Room A at the Fremont Main Library. This is the 4th Tuesday of the month instead of the usual 3rd Tuesday.

Big Sir Richard Holley adjourned the meeting at 10:55 am.

Submitted by Sir Allen Sprague, Secretary

MEMBERSHIP, ATTENDANCE and BIRTHDAY NEWS

by Sir Ron Brutvan, Sir Hugh Twomey, and Sir Art Winkley



Sir Art Winkley
Birthday Chairman

February Birthdays

Clyde Voorhees	02/15/1916	92
Forrest Lusher	02/13/1917	91
Thomas Ahern	02/16/1920	88
Richard Vollbrecht	02/19/1921	87
Robert McCall	02/25/1922	86
Harlan Werner	02/28/1922	86
Frank Borghi	02/22/1924	84
Frank Campos	02/15/1925	83
Francis Rose	02/28/1925	83
James Dunsford	02/12/1926	82
Charles Duncan	02/03/1928	80
Donald Thatcher	02/04/1929	79
Charles Linzey	02/24/1929	79
Noboru Ono	02/05/1930	78
Donald Gillis	02/06/1930	78
Bernard Thien	02/03/1931	77
David Colby	02/12/1931	77
Edward Shannon	02/01/1932	76
Walt Caeton	02/24/1932	76
Les Prestwood	02/17/1933	75
James Bove	02/05/1934	74
James Ferenz	02/24/1934	74
Sal Lamagna	02/10/1935	73
Robert Edwards	02/19/1935	73
Gary Callahan	02/09/1941	67

New Members

James A. Doot Jr.
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510-396-3801
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Birthday: 6/1/1954
Spouse: Noel
Badge No. 52
Sponsor: Fred Ilg
Call me: Tony

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4963 Everglades Park Drive
Fremont, CA 94538-3922
510-656-7413
Email: tkfederico160@sbcglobal.net
Birthday: 4/9/1934
Spouse: Kathy
Badge No. 61
Sponsor: Herb Epstein
Call me: Tom

Stan J. Peters
41705 Covington Drive
Fremont, CA 94539-4617
510-656-9606
Email: oldteacher@comcast.net
Birthday: 9/24/1942
Spouse: Lil
Badge No. 118
Sponsor: Richard Lightholder
Call me: Stan

Membership Report



Sir Ron Brutvan
Membership Chairman

Guests:
John Barr
Edward Kalin
John Pesek

Guest of:
John Clark
Willard Wyman
Jerry Sabo

Visitors:
None

Guest of:

Membership Total

(as of January 17, 2007)

268 — Active Members

18 — Inactive Members

Change of Status:

Change of Address:

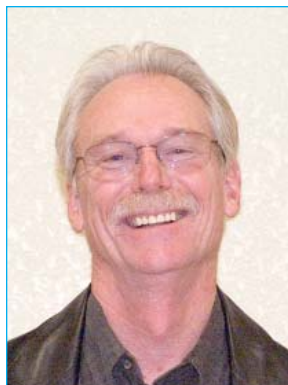
Darrell Jewell

33883 Alvarado Niles Road Apt 115
Union City, CA 94587



Welcome New Members

Tony Doot, Tom Federico, and Stan Peters



Sir Hugh Twomey
Attendance Chairman

Attendance Report

(For January 17, 2007)

Members	194
Guests	3
Visitors	0
Speakers	1
Total =	198
49 excused	25 unexcused

SIR BRANCH 59 ACTIVITIES

Strikes and Spares by Frank Cordova and Jerry Sabo



Branch 59 Bowlers have achieved the listed high games and high series since January 7, 2008.

Congratulations to Sir Don Henry who rolled the 643 series and high game on 1/21/2008. Our tournament



schedule does not begin until February 4th in Napa followed on Feb. 19th in Livermore so there are no big money winners to report. We bowl on Monday's at Mowry Lanes – cost is only \$5.00 plus a small gaming opportunity. Newcomer John Pesek got off to a roaring start in his debut but his efforts were overshadowed by Sir Don Henry.

Name	High Game	High Series
Wayne Adams	156	424
Gary Bennett	183	501
Frank Cordova	217	552
Al Costa	143	413
Bob Edwards	134	327
Howard Elz	181	438
Ray Erickson	193	490
Lew Heffron	200	507
Don Henry	229	643
Darrell Jewell	168	438
James Lawrence	190	498
Nat Lord	189	519
David Nazar	165	439
John Pesek	173	491
Jerry Sabo	186	502
Frank Thomas	188	445
Roger Wallin	184	515
Art Winkley	139	382



Tournaments for March 2008

March 10, 12 (Mon, Wed) Boulevard Bowl Petaluma
March 17, 19-20 (Mon, Wed, Thu) Diablo Lanes Concord

SIR State Baseball

Call Nat Lord at 510-797-1704

SIR Day at the **Sacramento River Cats**
vs. the Colorado Sky Sox



May 21 (Wednesday) at 11:30am
for info call **Ken Edwards** (209) 223-9156

SIR Day at the **SF Giants**
vs. the Florida Marlins



August 21 (Thursday) at 12:45pm
for info call **Chuck Roberts** (408) 243-6717

Golf Notes by Bill Leake

Welcome to the Branch 59 golf column.

Have you checked out the state website?

– WWW.SIRSTATEGOLF.COM –

the schedule for 2008 is there? It includes: Las Vegas (one event only) March 31 through April 4; Reno – 3 weeks, June 2 through 6, June 9 through 13, and June 16 through 20; team state scramble August 11; Solvang (play your own ball) September 14 through 17; Poppy Hills November 3 and 4; Mexico Cabo San Lucas October 18 through 25, and Mexico golf/cruise November 10 through 20. Please visit the site for more details.

In addition to the above state tournaments we will also have two tournaments. We will have the area 8 state pre-qualifier in May. The winners of this tournament will advance to the state qualifier to be held at Boundary Oaks in August. The top two finishers for each flight will advance to Poppy Hills November 3 and play for the state championship – and play for free. We will also have a team competition in June. The winning team, advances to the state team championship on August 11. I would like to have your input. Last year we had the individual tournament at Alameda and the team tournament at Sunol. Any problem with having them again at the same places this year?

Take a Bow – Do you have a reason to take a bow – long drive, hole in one, eagle, other – let me know.

Post post post – don't forget to post your score.

Regular play for SIR Branch 59 -- We play every Monday and Thursday at Sunol. Join us – to find out the tee time, please call Sunol at 925-862-0414. The reservation is made under LEAKE.

Thank you **Wayne Meyer** for calling in tee times for ½ of November and all of December. Thanks in advance to **Fred Ilg** called in tee times for January and ½ of February. Also, thank you **Bill Dark** who will call in times for ½ of February and all of March. And thank you **Jerry Desmond** for calling in tee times for Mondays. Want to call in? **WE NEED YOUR HELP to call in tee times.** Call **Bill at 793-6561**. Thank you for reading this article.

Bill Leake



SIR Travel Adventures for Area 8

Daryl Main

FEBRUARY 21-22, 2008 RENO OVERNIGHTER

We will be staying at Harrah's overnight, cash back is \$8 and \$2 food. Harrah's is also giving a \$150 coupon book. This will be the first Reno trip in over 2 years, sign up early to save your seats.

Cost: \$ 84 PPDO. (\$21 single supplement

Escort: Daryl Main 510-352-2210

MARCH 20, 2008 MOVING MOVIE TOUR

A Comprehensive driving tour of movies made in and about San Francisco. Not only movies but the history and neighborhoods of this great city as well; including Pacific Heights and Golden Gate Park. We will Have lunch at the FOG HARBOR Restaurant and Hosted Dessert at MEL'S Drive in.

Cost \$97 per person.

Escort Daryl Main (510) 352-2210

APRIL 16, 2008 FLEET OF HEROS

Private narrated cruise aboard the 50 foot DELPHINUS of the MOTHBALL FLEET. This trip will be limited to 30 people so sign fast. Hosted luncheon at the Union Hotel, in Benicia, free time to browse in Benicia.

Cost \$116 per person.

Escort Daryl Main 510-352-2210.

MAY 29-30, 2008

SHASTA CASCADE WONDERLAND TOUR

Deluxe motor coach transportation, two nights at the Tree House Inn - Mount Shasta, stop at the Sundial bridge and lunch at the Lakeside Resort in Redding. Guided tour of the Lava Beds National Monument, dinner on the Shasta Train and a guided tour of the Mt. Shasta area.

Cost will be \$598 PPDO and \$154 for single supplement. (pending BEC approval)

Escorted by Daryl Main (510) 352-2210

50TH ANNIVERSARY CRUISE IN

The Islands of HAWAII

April 3 - 12, 2008

**Call your Travel Chairman,
Daryl Main 510-352-2210
for details.**

PATHFINDERS WALKING AND HIKING GROUP

Meet Wednesday mornings at 8 AM at the Park at Paseo Padre and Isherwood. Everyone welcome and bring a friend.

Don Henry at 656-5659.



READERS AND BROWERS

Bring your magazines and books to share, take books home to read.

Wayne Adams 797-7611



BRIDGE GROUPS

We have four bridge groups: Three of them are evening two-table groups and each meets monthly. The 4th bridge group welcomes all members and meets after the monthly meeting.

Drag Dutina - 657-1037



Latest Golf Story

The bride came down the aisle and when she reached the altar, the groom was standing there with his golf bag and clubs at his side. She said: "What are your golf clubs doing here?" He looked her right in the eye and said, "This isn't going to take all day, is it?"

CYBERGEEZER MEETING



When -

Wednesday, February 27th.

2:00pm to 4:00pm

Where -

Fremont Main Library, Fremont
Fukaya A room.

**Cheers
Fred**

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE REPORT

by Dave Marymee and Bob Walter



Dave Marymee

FRED ANDERSON reports he has been in and out of the hospital because of a bladder infection and blood clots. Fred says he has to wear a catheter and bag and plans to stay close to home until he is well. He wishes to remain on active status until he is well. We hope you recover soon, Fred.

ED BINGLE is a resident at Carlton Plaza and says he

continues to be on oxygen. Ed attended Cybergeezers meeting the last week in January.

BILL BRISCOE's wife Diana is recovering in the hospital ICU from a serious operation. Plans are to remove the feeding tube from her stomach. We wish Diana a speedy recovery.

ERNEST BURKHOLDER's wife, Teddy, reports Ernest is recovering nicely from a brain tumor operation. Blood thinner medication is helpful. Ernest attended the January luncheon and was honored at the birthday table.

JACK HAVEMEIER asked to be placed on the inactive list as his eyes continue excessive tearing. Jack is unable to drive.

GLENN HURSEY says he was in and out of the hospital three times. His gall bladder was removed and he feels better. Glenn came to the January luncheon. He did not want to miss sitting at the birthday table.

RALPH KNIGHT's wife, Betty is residing at the Aegis facility in Fremont. The doctor told Ralph and his family Betty needs 24 hour care. Ralph missed seating at the birthday table but hopes to be able to attend future luncheons.

NAT LORD's wife, Janet, died earlier this month. We wish to offer our sympathy to Nat and his family.

WILLIAM PEREIRA had a colon operation in January at Kaiser Hospital in Fremont. He is doing well.

ROBERT RALSTON is reported to have moved to Union City to a retirement facility at 33883 Alvarado/ Niles Blvd, Tel 487-1044. We hope Robert is at ease at his new facility.

JAMES RODAMER is on a lengthy series of chemotherapy treatments for a form of asbestos that attacks the lining of the lungs. James missed seating at the birthday table at the January luncheon. We wish James the best.

TOM SHERBA, Area Governor, whose wife Lillian, continues to have back pain and is subject to macular degeneration of the eyes. Treatment for problem has been helpful but the condition is no better or worse. We hope for continued improvement in Lillian's health.

BOBBY BEN SNODGRASS, Asst. Treasurer, had a session last month in the new Kaiser Hospital in Antioch. He was treated for pneumonia and blood clots in the right leg. Bobby Ben proved to be a real SIR trooper as he manned the ticket sales table with Treasurer Lou Bufkin. We hope for a full recovery, Bobby Ben.

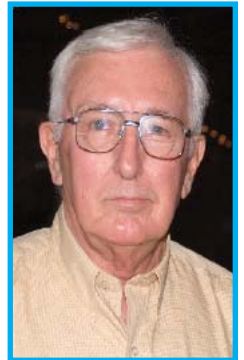
VERN TALLEY missed the January luncheon as he had heart valve and blood circulation problems- We hope Vern's health improves.

GORDON THATCHER's wife, Pat, suffered two strokes and she is improving at home. Gordon missed sitting at the birthday table January luncheon.

BOB WALTER missed the January luncheon due to laser treatment on an eye that previously had cataract surgery.

JACK WEBB missed the January luncheon as he was unable to obtain special van service for pickup to the Luncheon. We missed you and your Virgin Mary.

DARELD YOUNCKER attended the January luncheon. He is recovering nicely from a bladder infection and treatment for blood clots in the legs. Glad you could make it to the luncheon, Dareld.



Bob Walter

*In
Memoriam*
Glenn Jacob



Two Sirs were awarded their Senior Sir Certificates by Big Sir **Richard Holley** (in the center) at the last luncheon meeting. On the left is **Glenn Hursey** and on the right is **Ed Myslewski**. They both reached the age of 90 on the last month of 2007.

Don Henry, Past Big Sir Caps and Emblems

I got a heck of a deal on some caps with the SIR emblem. They will cost you \$4 each (try to have the correct amount) and are limited to the first 144 buyers. Normally these items would go for \$12 to \$15.

Sir Drag Dutina The Bridge Chairman Says

Branch 146 runs a daytime 2 to 4 table duplicate bridge session monthly. If you have an interest in setting up a similar activity in Branch 59 either give me a call at 510-657-1037 or meet with me after the next SIR luncheon.

One of the evening groups has lost 2 couples and is trying to reconstitute as an afternoon monthly session. They are seeking 2 couples, either a pair of guys or a guy and a gal to get back in action. If interested please call Sir **Bob Beam** at 510-795-1826.

Enjoy reading **SIR Happenings**, the State Newsletter, and find out about all the fun things that are going on throughout our organization. You can easily find Happenings on the SIR State Website: sirinc.org

Perfect Attendance in 2007

Hugh Twomey, Attendance Chairman and **Ron Brutvan** Membership Chairman sorted through their records and came up with a list of Branch 59 members who attended all of the regular luncheon meetings in 2007. Congratulation to all of them!!



Sir Pete Aiello
Sir John Austin
Sir Howard Beyers
Sir Theodore Bresler
Sir Ron Brutvan
Sir Frank Campos
Sir James Conard
Sir Tom DeHart
Sir Dragomir Dutina
Sir Arnold George
Sir Fred Gotthardt
Sir Ed Guthrie
Sir Donald Henry
Sir Fred Ilg
Sir Arthur Lampert
Sir William Leake
Sir Stanley Lewis
Sir Harry Lewis
Sir Nathaniel Lord

Sir Calvin Lynch
Sir Joe Markovich
Sir Richard Marriott
Sir David Marymee
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Sir George Perry
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Copy deadline for the next issue of the *Pathfinder* will be Thursday a week after the monthly luncheon meeting.

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1976 Peter Clark*
1977 Karl Heine*
1978 Harry Cooper*
1979 Kenneth Foster*
1980 Larry Varblow*
1981 Guido Milano*
1982 Alex Fulton*
1983 Stephen Epler*
1984 George Herman*
1985 Ray Crosby*
1986 Loran Coburn*
1987 Robert Davis*
1988 Robert Klindt*
1989 Martin Annen*
1990 Lee Updegraff
1991 Fred W. Fretter*
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2003 Don Henry
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2006 Les Addison
2007 Ted Bresler

*(deceased)