

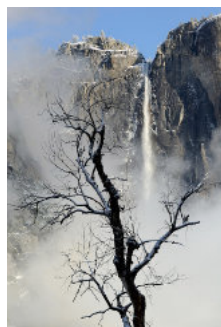
BIG SIR JERRY MUSING



Three weeks ago my wife and I with two other families rented a house within Yosemite National Park for four days. It was so refreshing to be in that magnificent place. The heavy snow melt swelled the water falls larger than I had ever seen. Wildlife stirring about early in the morning, a 5-point buck wandering

though the yard unafraid of our presence, the fields of blooming wild flowers—these are a few of my favorite things, to paraphrase Eliza Doolittle in *My Fair Lady* (1956).

Consider visiting Yosemite yourselves after schools are in session and the crowds have thinned. Or if that's too far for you, drop in any week with the Wednesday Walkers who frequently enjoy morning walks in our nearby regional parks. It's a great time to be out in nature.



On another topic—Four new members joined Branch 59 last month! Members are inviting their friends to our luncheons and activities. Please consider who you might invite to one of our

activities. SIR has a lot to offer senior gents. Let's spread the word and invite them to experience it for themselves.

See y'all at our August 16 luncheon.

Can you find Rollie? 

You can win a bottle of wine if your name is selected. Submit your answer by placing your *name* and the *page number* where Rollie is located in the *Pathfinder* onto a slip of paper and into the Rollie "tub." The tub is located on the table where you line up for lunch



AUGUST GUEST SPEAKERS

Matthew Weaver, Mike Gandy and Nicolette Dal Porto

Our August Luncheon will feature a team of financial professionals from Fremont Bank's Investment Banking division, led by Matthew Weaver, CFA®, Vice President and LPL Financial Advisor. The team, including LPL financial professionals Mike Gandy and Nicolette Dal Porto, will discuss financial planning, investment management and retirement planning for individuals, small-business owners and families who desire the assistance of a credentialed financial advisor.



Matthew Weaver has served as an advisor of Fremont Bank Financial Services since October of 2015, but is not new to the investment and risk management industry. He has served institutions and individuals since 2003 and in the Bay Area community since 2006. Matt has served as an educator, teaching investments and risk management at the graduate level for the University of San Francisco.

Matt holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Belhaven University in business administration. He holds the Chartered Financial Analyst® (CFA®) designation, a globally recognized, graduate level investment credential that is issued by the CFA Institute. Matt is FINRA Series 7 and 63 registered through LPL and is licensed with the California Dept. Of Insurance.

Matt and his wife and two boys, live in the East Bay. Matt is an active member of his community and the investment community in the Bay Area. With his free time, Matt enjoys coaching youth sports, running, cycling, some golf, outdoor recreation, and spending time with his growing family.

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RSVP to the August 16th Luncheon by responding to the eVite: <http://evite.me/5abHrAKFJg> or by notifying Sir Phil Keller at 510-366-9443 or email phil@pkeller.net

August 16th Luncheon Menu

**Beef and Chicken Enchiladas
Rice, Beans, Salsa and Chips
Green Salad
Chocolate Mousse for Dessert**

SIR Branch 59 BEC Minutes, July 19, 2023

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RAMP

Jim Ulam-Recruitment
Larry Lardie/Jerry Halligan-Activities
Rob Ingebretson-Membership
Bob Marshall-Publicity

Branch 59

Meets at Fremont Elks
38991 Farwell Drive,
Fremont CA on the 3rd
Wednesday of each
month
10:00 AM

Executive Board Meeting
11AM Social Hour
12 Noon Lunch



The meeting was called to order by Big Sir Jerry Halligan at 10:00am. All BEC members were present except Rick Henry.

The June 21 meeting minutes were approved as presented. The meeting minutes of a special meeting held on June 30 were also approved as presented. Dave mentioned a correspondence from Alan Baker, State Web Guru, announcing a Zoom meeting he will be holding on July 21 to discuss improving branch email deliverability through effective email lists and optimized websites.

Larry Lardie reported the balance of our account was \$7,950.82 on July 19. Expenses this month included a quarterly assessment of \$264. The Treasurer's report was approved.

Big Sir Jerry announced his duty this month is to submit our BEC nomination for next year's Area Representative to SIR State. Fred Serena, our current Area Representative, put forth his nomination last month. Asking for additional nominations from the floor and receiving none, the BEC voted unanimously to have Fred represent us at SIR State in 2024. In August we are to inform SIR State our slate of BEC officers for 2024.

Little Sir, Bill Bauhofer, announced that after careful consideration, he will not be able to fill the position of Big Sir next year. This gives the BEC an opportunity and the task to nominate a Big Sir and Little Sir from the branch membership to lead us in 2024.

Rick Henry offered to fill the role of nominating chairman next year. Bob Marshall offered to speak with Rick and work with him now to find Big Sir and Little Sir candidates for next year.

Rob Ingebretson suggested we invite more members to attend our BEC meetings, which will help spur interest and familiarity with our processes and lead to more BEC members.

Membership; Rob Ingebretson indicated we expect three new members today. Vince Sinesio, Bob Gonzalez and Ray Gauthier. Their membership was approved by the BEC.

Attendance; Phil reported we expect about 82 members and guests for lunch today. About 40 members consistently do not respond to the invitation to attend our luncheons. Rob Ingebretson suggests we call these members to understand whether there is an issue we can address.

Activities; There was a bowling tournament recently in Clayton and another planned in Reno in August. 12 to 14 members meet for golf each Tuesday. They play at Spring Valley in Milpitas.

Recruitment; Jim Ulam spoke of a meeting being held by SIR State this Friday regarding recruitment. Bob Marshall suggested we participate in Newark Days held on the second weekend of September. There is a community education area where different groups set up tables to distribute fliers and inform the public about their organization. A motion to participate in this event was made and the BEC approved it. A pop-up tent, table, marketing information and volunteers need to be organized in August.

Publicity; Bob Marshall has been given access to the branch Facebook page and an advertisement in Tri-City Voice will commence again soon.

Marketing; Rob Perrill referred to the special marketing meeting held on June 30 when we all agreed that displaying signage and wearing apparel with the SIR logo would increase our visibility, draw interest to our organization and promote growth of our membership. He asked whether funds are available to purchase such items and what the process will be to move forward. Much discussion ensued. Thoughts included our branch buying apparel for members of an activity group, having individuals of a group purchase the apparel themselves, or sharing the cost between the branch and individuals. We resolved that we need to speak with each major activity chairman to understand what apparel would be most effective as a marketing tool for their group, what color, sizes and numbers would be needed. This would lead to a budget need so the BEC could determine how to make it happen.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:02am

Dave Nelsen, Secretary

SIR Branch 59 Special BEC Minutes, June 30, 2023

The purpose of this meeting was to discuss possible ways to market our branch in an effort to increase our membership, attract younger members and increase involvement in the activities our branch is engaged.

The meeting was lead by Director Rob Perrill who called us to order at 10:30am. The meeting was held at Suju's Coffee on Thornton Ave. Jerry Halligan, Bill Bauhofer, Dave Nelsen, Rob Ingebretson, Bob Marshall, Rick Henry, Sammy Lum and Rob Perrill were in attendance.

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Rob began the meeting telling us his story about joining our SIR branch. He suggested members be invited to tell a story of their life experience during a branch luncheon. We all have interesting stories that would be wonderful to share.

Some marketing thoughts were shared; Business/invitation cards to hand out to friends or acquaintances. We have some of these. We need to make them available during our luncheons so members can take some to share.

Un-clique groups of members who sit at the same table together, so we all have a chance to get to know other members. This is problematic as the SIR meetings are the times these groups of members get together with their friends.

Create fliers about our branch and distribute in businesses around town.

Purchase shirts, vests or hats and wear during group activities, promoting conversation with potential new members.

Increase advertising in social media platforms like Instagram.

Re-start Ad in Tri-City Voice.

Promote our branch and activities during public activities, ie; setting up a table with info at Friday Night Eats (food trucks) or Concert in the Park at Lake Elizabeth.

Sammy mentioned he would like to find a new leader for the position of Publicity. Bob Marshall answered the call and will be our new Publicity chairman. We all recognized the many roles Sammy does in our branch and we thank him for all his service.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00pm

Dave Nelsen, Secretary

Sir Sammy Lum Birthday Chairman



You may have noticed that our birthday procedure has changed. If it is your birthday month you are to pick up a lei in the box located next to the gentleman that gives you your badge when you enter. You are to wear it during the luncheon and you may sit anywhere you want as there will no longer be a birthday table. Some time during the luncheon you will be given the opportunity to say your name and how old you are. After all the birthdays have been announced there will be a drawing for a bottle of wine given to one of the birthday members present. We ask that when you leave the luncheon that you please return your lei to the same box where you picked it up.

July 19, 2023 Attendance Report

Total Membership: 135
Member In Attendance: 75
Members Absent from Luncheon: 61
Percent of Membership in Attendance: 55%

First Time Visitors	Sponsor
Leland Bond-Upson	Larry Jett
Al Minard	Larry Jett

New Members	Sponsor
Robert Gonzalez	Ron Brutvan
Ray Gauthier	Ken Brunskill
Vince Sinesio	David Shideler
Ben Wong	Robert Branch

Guest Speaker
Melissa Rojas

Total Attendance: 77

August Birthdays



Arthur Winkley
Age 96



Robert Higday
Age 87



Robert Compton
Age 86



Ted Gallegos
Age 83



Donal Spicer
Age 81



Paul Parhiala
Age 80



Douglas Howd
Age 77



Jonn Weed
Age 77



Frank Steiner
Age 76



Ken Arora
Age 76



Dave Nelsen
Age 70

SUNSHINE REPORT by Sir Rob Ingebretson

Ken Peterson: Recovering from a stroke at the Kaiser Rehab Facility in Vallejo.

Bill Anderson: Recovering from hip surgery

CYBER GEEZERS



Cyber Geezers meet on the 4th Wednesday of each month. The meeting will begin at 1:00 pm. Login information is given below.

Recent topics have included Artificial Intelligence (AI), cyber security, EVs, photography, and various other topics. Join us and get your tech questions

answered.

Please send any suggested topics to Jerry at jlsabo3@comcast.net.

Join the next Zoom Cyber Geezer Meeting
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/96358532596>

Meeting ID: 963 5853 2596

POKER



The "Dealer's Lunch Bunch" meets for Poker every month on the Monday immediately following our monthly luncheon. We currently have about 10 members who routinely attend games. We have a seven-seat table, so space is limited to the first seven players who reserve. But don't let that stop you from joining our group! We have had up to 10 players (lots of common card games) since the group started, and IF we consistently get more than 10 reservations, we will open a second table. The buy-in is \$10, with dime-quarter-half dollar chips, so it is within everyone's means. If you have a desire to play, please contact Sir Larry Jett (larrywjett@gmail.com), or Sir Bob Marshall (hdog48@gmail.com).

BOCCE BALL



Branch 59 has added Bocce Ball as a club activity! We have free use of the new court at the beautiful Warm Springs Age Well Center on Fridays. Meet up is 10:00 a.m. at 47111 Mission Falls Ct. (near Warm Springs and Warren (use your GPS). This will be a co-ed activity; everyone is welcome. Bocce

Ball is easy to learn and very fun to play. The weather forecast is sunny and warm--PERFECT. Bring a hat and water bottle. For more information contact Howard Elz at ELZH663@GMAIL.COM

GENEALOGY



Are you interested in finding who your ancestors are? We have been meeting after the Wednesday Luncheon. For more information contact Paul Parhiala at PARHIALACFP@EARTHLINK.NET

BOWLING



We have plenty of room for bowlers to join us on Mondays (Earl Anthony Bowl-Dublin) beginning at 11:00 am. Arrive at least 15 minutes early for lane assignments and practice. Cost is \$15 per week including a weekly prize pot. For more information contact Miguel Ferras at MIGUELFERRAS@MSN.COM

GOLF



Golf is in full swing with regular play at Spring Valley in Milpitas every Tuesday around 9:00 am. We usually get three tee times on a first-come-first-served basis. Pairings are changed regularly to ensure everyone plays with everybody. Open to all abilities!

We will soon also open up Thursday for those interested, probably at Redwood Canyon in Castro Valley.

Call, text or email Jim Ulam or Larry Lardie with any questions.

jimulam@gmail.com (510) 371-1757

larry.lardie@yahoo.com (510) 579-5934

WEDNESDAY WALKERS



Come join us on a weekly walk every Wednesday at 9:00 am. The location is updated once a week. We walk about one hour. Get some exercise and visit with other Sirs. Everyone is welcome, we are co-ed. For more information contact Jerry Ford at

SIRJERRYFORD11@GMAIL.COM

PINOCHLE



We are meeting after the Wednesday Luncheon. For more information contact Victor Okumura at VICTOROKUMURA13@GMAIL.COM

FLY FISHING



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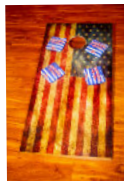
STEAMNTROUT@COMCAST.NET

CORNHOLE



Play after the Wednesday luncheon. For more information contact Rick Henry at

RH473199@GMAIL.COM



THE BRANCH EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (BEC)

Do you even know what it is? Well it is a bunch of members, like you, that keep our branch operating. They would love to have you come and watch and listen to one of their meetings. Their meetings start at 10:00 am near the bar at our Elk's Lodge and finish at 11:00 am. right before our social hour. Although you cannot participate in the voting, your opinion is welcomed. Attending one of their meetings might spark an interest in you to volunteer and become more of an active member or learn how to become part of the BEC.

COUPLES WINE TASTING



Will be going to Bent Creek Winery on August 18.

Bent Creek Winery

Bent Creek has an excellent selection of award winning wines. Instead of tasting from a fleet of wines, we will buy and share bottles of their wine.

We will get a price break of 25% OFF as long as we buy at least 12 bottles (which should be easy to do). This way we will have a larger selection, larger pours of wine and save money at the same time. Here is the wine list: <https://www.bentcreekwinery.com/wine/winelist/>

What you need to know:

- Located at 5455 Greenville Rd. in Livermore.
- We will have our own beautiful private area.
- Cost estimated to around \$12 to \$15 per person. Will depend on the wines we buy. Pay at the winery. Bring cash to settle up the tab.
- Starts at 12 noon Friday August 18.
- Bring your own food.

We currently have 21 people attending. We have room for a few more couples. Let me know by August 9th if you want to attend. Email me at fmtlang@pacbell.net or call or text me at 510-290-6007.

Suggestions are welcome for future events.

Thanks,

Andy Lang -Couples Wine Tasting Activity Honcho

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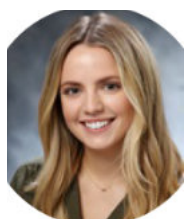


Mike Gandy has been actively involved in the financial services industry for over 25 years and has gained valuable experience during this time to understand investment risk and how this impacts clients. Mike joined Fremont Bank Investment Services in 2023 and is focused on investment manager research and due diligence. His approach leverages experience working with both institutional and high net worth clients during his career with the goal of finding the optimal balance of risk and return for each client.

Mike's prior experience includes working for asset managers in Los Angeles, New York, San Francisco, and London, as well as having a deep understanding of Exchange Traded Funds from his experience at one of the largest ETF managers in the US. He has been active in the Bay Area community having previously served on a Bay Area foundation supporting Financial Literacy and on the CFA San Francisco Board of Directors.

Mike holds dual Bachelor of Science degrees in Accountancy and Business Administration from The University of Southern California, as well as a Masters in Business Administration from The Marshall School of Business at The University of Southern California. He holds the Chartered Financial Analyst® (CFA®) designation, a globally recognized, graduate level investment credential that is issued by the CFA Institute. Mike is FINRA Series 7 and 63 registered through LPL Financial.

Mike, his wife and twin children (son & daughter) live in the East Bay. Mike enjoys volunteering, particularly at his kids' high schools, De La Salle and Carondelet. Away from business, he enjoys golfing, reading about financial history, playing guitar, and spending time with this family.



Nicolette Dal Porto joined the Fremont Bank family in 2019 and joined the Fremont Bank Investment Services team in 2021, after graduating from Cal Poly in San Luis Obispo, CA. She holds a B.S. in Business Administration with a concentration in Real Estate Finance. During her time at Cal Poly, Nicolette had the opportunity to study abroad in Florence, Italy where she took courses in Italian business and entrepreneurship.

Nicolette is FINRA Series 7 and 66 registered through LPL Financial. Her experiences have shaped her into a well-rounded, detail-oriented, and personable associate who manages daily operations and provides administrative support. In her free time, Nicolette loves to enjoy live music, play tennis, paint, and, above all, spend quality time with her family and friends.



On The Streets – Fremont's 4th of July Parade

It was just 10 AM. "Here it comes!" The flyover started the parade, not in the streets, but the rest of the parade filled Paseo Padre all the way from Stevenson to Capitol. Busy, Busy! Motorcycles followed by police cars and then a fire engine (vintage). Not only did scouts and other groups fly the American flag, but lots of other flags stood proudly for many organizations. Not a silent parade, lots of bands participated, marching in-step, trumpets blaring, tubas tubing, saxes sating, drummers drumming – everyone yelling Happy Fourth! Fremont's mayor and other politicians waved from cars and trucks. Floats floated by, some with musicians aboard, messages flapping on banners. The Shaolin group showed their martial art prowess, and cheer teams cheered. Many cars, some classics, mostly decorated, carried drivers and passengers, and some carried the politicians mentioned above. We viewers stood or sat in portable chairs on the east side, and others sat or stood in the street's median. We all cheered or sang along or yelled back "Happy Fourth of July!" ~Bruce Roberts



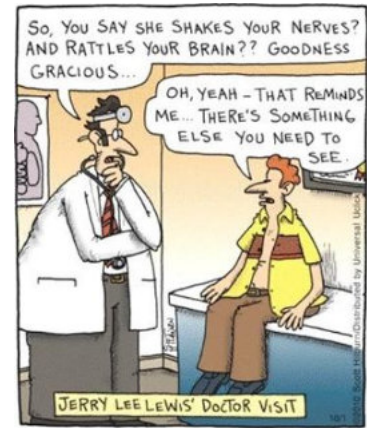
Fun and Games

The awkward moment when you drive your Chevy to the levy and the levy isn't dry.



This is what happens when you're drinking whiskey and rye.

On my way to tell my wife she's wrong.



Contrary to popular belief, duct tape is NOT a solution to every problem.



If you couldn't find Rollie last month here is the answer. Rollie is on page 5 at the red arrow

SUPER QUIZ

Take this Super Quiz to a Ph.D. Score 1 point for each correct answer on the Freshman Level, 2 points on the Graduate Level and 3 points on the Ph.D. Level.

Subject: SCIENCE

(e.g., How many chambers are in the human heart? Answer: Four.)

FRESHMAN LEVEL

1. What device is used as a lie detector? Answer: _____
2. Lack of this substance in your body can cause diabetes. Answer: _____
3. What is the acronym for "sound navigation and ranging"? Answer: _____

GRADUATE LEVEL

4. In an eye donation, what part of the human eye is most commonly utilized? Answer: _____
5. This household item is an aqueous solution of acetic acid. Answer: _____
6. This eating disorder is characterized by binge eating followed by purging. Answer: _____

PH.D. LEVEL

7. Ole Romer was first to measure the velocity of _____. Answer: _____
8. What hormone is responsible for typical female sexual characteristics? Answer: _____
9. SAD is a type of depression. For what is SAD an acronym? Answer: _____

ANSWERS: 1. Polygraph. 2. Insulin. 3. Sonar. 4. Cornea. 5. Vinegar. 6. Bulimia (nervosa). 7. Light. 8. Estrogen. 9. Seasonal affective disorder.

SCORING:

18 points — congratulations, doctor; 15 to 17 points — honors graduate; 10 to 14 points — you're plenty smart, but no grind; 4 to 9 points — you really should hit the books harder; 1 point to 3 points — enroll in remedial courses immediately; 0 points — who reads the questions to you?

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SIR COUPLES WINE TASTING JUNE EVENT AT THE CHARLES R VINEYARDS

Don't miss this event. Let me know by August 4th if you want to attend. Email me at fringing@pacbell.net or call or text me at 503 290-6007.

Suggestions are welcome for future events.

Thanks,

Andy Lutz - Couples Wine Tasting Activity Host

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Best-Creek Winery

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Hayward Past and Present in One Walk

Indeed, the SIR Walkers delved into Hayward's past and present on July 12. Dubbed by Jerry Ford as The Mural Walk, the seven of us learned history, felt sorry for downtown, found restaurants, and were awed by the expansive murals decorating the large walls of Hayward's downtown. Started as a method of combating graffiti, these mostly immense "paintings" show Hayward's past and present, Russell City, agriculture, car racing, and the glories of the movies - to state the subject of a few of the murals. Distance-wise it was a short walk, but we really saw a slice of the downtown Hayward that one whizzes by when one drives through it.

The Russell City mural shows the good times that once were had there. We viewed probably the original Round Table Pizza location and Casper's Hot Dogs (too early to stop in). Traffic control boxes painted so your eyes would go wonky startled us as we waited for the lights to change. Murals on the Century Theater showed us what we remember about really going to the movies.

Traffic is loud and fast on Mission Blvd. and Foothill. Downtown is having a hard time with closed businesses and more closing. The 9/11 memorial shows great thought and is worth visiting by itself. The nearby park reminds me of city parks of my boyhood. The first mural we saw showed the stone torches on the second City Hall "being set up" and there they were near the top of the City Hall, very impressive. If you get a chance to take the tour, you will enjoy it. ~

Bruce Roberts



Dusterberry Neighborhood Park

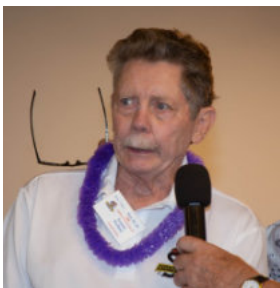
Big Day in Centerville! Mayor Lilly Mei (and many, many others who participated) dedicated Dusterberry Neighborhood Park on Friday, July 7th. Until now Fremont had parks "all over town" except Centerville. Green grass, slides, climbing structures, a grizzly bear, benches (for the use of senior citizens to sit), walking paths, etc., really something for "everybody" within walking distance for the folks who would use it, graced an area that had been used for auto dealers, Salvation Army and really dead dirt. It took a long time to bring the park to fruition – Fremont bought the land in the '90s, no not the 1890s, the 1990s. Still, the effort to take it from a dream to kids playing on the slides was sustained and determined. Now it's here. It's a jewel in the midst of many condos and similar structures. And....it's worth a visit. I think it's Fremont's best park. ~Bruce Roberts



SIR Branch 59 Bowling News

SIR Branch 59 sent ten bowlers, including one guest from Branch 128, and two lady guests to the Concord Tournament held at the Clayton Valley Bowl on Tuesday, July 25. While the official results are not yet available it is worthy to mention that our guest, Sir Brent Moffitt, from Branch 128, rolled scores of 224, 226 and 234 for a 684 series in the Doubles. He and his partner, Sir Harvey McAninch, should be in the money when the results are finalized. The next tournament on the schedule is the Reno tournament to be held on August 7 and 8. The Branch 59 team will be represented by Sir Jerry Sabo, Sir Miguel Ferras, the aforementioned Brent Moffitt and his lady friend. ~Miguel Ferras

SIR Branch 59 July Birthday celebration: Announce your name and age followed by one loud clap!



July 19st Luncheon



July Birthdays (L-R) Sir Ben Fernandez, Sir Joseph Lucia, Sir Gordon MacLeod, Sir Charles Ferguson and Sir Robert Wallace



Sir Gordon MacLeod winner of the birthday drawing for a bottle of wine



Sir Larry Jett filling in as the branch Jokester



Sir Larry Jett also doing his part bringing two new guest: Leland Bond-Upson and Al Minard.



Our guest speaker Melissa Rojas from Republic Services "talked trash" to our members which was well received followed by many questions pertaining to recycling after her presentation.



Welcome our new members (L-R) Sir Robert Gonzales, Sir Ben Wong, Sir Vince Senesio and Sir Ray Gauthier.



Wine drawing winner Sir Fred Serena with Little Sir Bill Bauhofer. Sir Fred Serena is also our Area Representative for Region 15.



Make sure to check out our library.

**IF YOU BRING A GUEST TO
OUR NEXT LUNCHEON COULD
YOU PLEASE CALL, ROB
INGEBRETSON, MEMBERSHIP
CHAIRMAN, AT (510) 657-7828
OR EMAIL**

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Do You Need A Ride to our
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We notify you of our luncheon meeting two
ways. First, by an EVITE to all of you who
have a good email address with the branch.
You can RSVP via the Evite from Phil Keller,
by following the directions in the Evite email.
Second, you will be notified by the monthly
Pathfinder, which is emailed, or U.S. mailed
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PATHFINDER DEADLINE

**Copy deadline for the next issue of the Pathfinder
will be Wednesday, a week after the regularly
scheduled Monthly Luncheon Meeting.**

***SIR Happenings is
published 4 times a
year—the next issue
will be published for
November 2023.***

***Deadline for submitting articles is October 15th.
You can find past issues on our website: [https://](https://sirbranch59.org/)***



Can't Put a Name to a Face?

Visit our branch website at

www.sirbranch59.org

**Click on the Member Gallery tab on the website
and then enter the password: SIR59**

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Co-Chairmen

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Bob Marshall-Assistant
Bill Leake- Assistant
Bill Pruner-Assistant
Andy Lang - Assistant

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COUPLES WINE TASTING

Andy Lang- Chairman

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Jerry Sabo - Chairman

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