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**BIG SIR** Al Knight — 725-6506

Last month you heard the news that we would no longer serve alcoholic beverages due to rule #10 of the SIRS manual. As a follow up our new location committee has looked at several places. We will give you a report at this month's meeting.

For you golfers who are on the Internet you may look up your last 20 games at: <http://www.ncga.org>.

**LITTLE SIR** Hal Anderson — 677-7709

Ladies Christmas party is Monday, December 8 at Cold Springs Country Club. Menu options are tri-tip beef or roasted chicken. Cost is \$15 each all inclusive. Mail check, with choice of food, to Hal Anderson *no later than December 1.*

As your callers told you this month, we will entertain ourselves with jokes, tall tales, limericks, etc.

Birthday boys are Wes Borgen, George Calvert, Jess Elizar, Kip Klopp, Bob Riffel and Lon Titsworth. *J Reynolds*

**MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN** Jim January — 933-3173

We added two new members in October:

#25 Emmett Greenlee, 2681 Cameron Park Dr., #21, Cameron Park, CA 95682 676-8928.

#60 Carl E. Williams, wife Sharon, 2534 Carnelian Cir., El Dorado Hills, CA 95762 933-0592.

We dropped three members in October: #13 Robert Riffel, #36 Robert D. Carlton and #38 Robert L. Theall. Our total membership remains at 130 with one on the waiting list. We only have one regular meeting left in the year. Hope everybody makes it.

**BOWLING CHAIRMAN** George Peratt - 677-2444

The new season has started and we need some new bowlers. Beginners, low scorers, high scorers, all are welcome. Please call me if you are interested.

Branch 95 scores were: Phil Ebinger 205, Ernie Thomas 180, Jack Reynolds 169, George Peratt 168 and Bob Lietz 150.

**TRAVEL CHAIRMAN BRANCH #95** Ross Walter — 933-1282

New Year Celebration in Nashville. We have completed our plans on this Grand Nashville New Year Celebration and we know it is something you will want to be a part of. Too many features to repeat here. Flyers are now available and we are now taking reservations. The cost for this fabulous tour that includes almost everything you could wish for is \$989.00 per person (double occupancy). Your party starts on December 30, 1997 at the El Dorado Hills Community Park and you will be pampered until your return to El Dorado Hills on January 3, 1998.

New Zealand and the South Seas. Another thing we know you will want to do and we are working to make it something you can't miss. The timing on this will be in the fall of 1998 to take advantage of the spring in the Southern hemisphere. Look for more information in the next month or so.

Oberammergau in 2000. As some of you know, Al Bower will be our Travel Chairman for the next couple of years and he and Crista will be providing a fully hosted trip to the Passion Play in Oberammergau. We are working with Friends in Germany to provide you with the best of both worlds and the best quality tour available. We will be limiting the number on this tour so if you want to assure your space, please contact Crista Bower at 933-3143 today.

SIRs 40th Anniversary State Event Oct. 11-15, 1998 We'll all meet at Bellagio. Your choice: five days and four nights at Bellagio, the newest and the Most Deluxe World Resort in Las Vegas, or two nights each Harrah's-Laughlin and Bellagio! Either way you get all breakfasts, two dinners including our Grand Celebration Banquet with special entertainment, round trip air and transfers, optional tournaments of golf, bowling and casino games all add up to the fun! More information and flyers will be coming soon. See Ross or Al to make reservations for this great event.

**TRAVEL CHAIRMAN BRANCH #137/165** Bob Stickel — 621-2131 Placerville

Monthly Bus trip to Lake Tahoe Horizon. Cost \$13.00 get \$8.00 cash back plus \$3.00 food credit.

Nov. 19 - Horse Racing - Golden Gate Fields: waiting list only.

Dec 3-4 Roy Clark at the Nugget. One night at the Nugget, includes the show and all luggage handling. Your cost is \$46.00 with bonus value of \$25.00 cash & food. Waiting list.

March 1998 Emerald Desert Tour - Mesquite. We are planning a visit to Zion National Park for the beauty of spring in Southern Utah. Cost \$239.00 per person (double occupancy). For more information call for flyer.

June 6-11, 1998 - Iowa. The Glenn Miller Festival, John Wayne's birthplace, Donna Reed Festival, Wyatt Earp's home, Bridges of Madison County, and so much more. Cost is \$1059.00 per person (double occupancy).

**TRAVEL CHAIRMAN BRANCH #29 & #70** Warren Thomas — 626-5288

Jan 21-23, 1998 Amtrak to Reno. Two nights Nugget Tower in Sparks. Lunch with wine on board the train. Bonuses: Nugget \$5.00 cash, \$3.00 food; Hilton \$5.00 cash; Holiday \$5.00 cash; Boomtown \$5.00 cash plus buffet. Hilton and Holiday stops are 3 hours each. All evenings are free. No charges hidden; everything included. \$152.00 per person, double occupancy. We are still attempting to get a complimentary show out of the Nugget. If we get it, it will be a headliner, not a girlie show. More later.

April 22-May 5, 1998 Cruise to Paradise. A 12 night South Seas cruise on board Princess Cruises Sky Princess. From \$3198. pp/dbl. Fly to Papeete, Tahiti. Cruise to Moorea, Bora Bora, Christmas Island, Kauai, Maui, Hilo, Oahu and then fly home. Sound good? Flyers available.

Sept. 21-29, 1998 Northwest Beauty. Fly to Seattle. Visit Victoria and Vancouver for five days. Details too numerous to mention are listed in the flyer. Then board the MS Ryndam for a luxurious cruise down the coast and under the Golden Gate Bridge to S.F. \$1595.00 and \$1695.00. Nine days, breakfast daily, all tips & taxes, three gala dinners, special surprises throughout. This is a luxury trip modestly priced.

**SPECIAL NOTICE** A State Law prohibits smoking on the buses and will have to be enforced. Periodic stops will be made en route.

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Any item to appear in the January 1998 Bulletin must be in the hands of  
Tom Farrell, 677-4208, by Friday, January 2, 1998.

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