



2003 ELECTED OFFICERS

Big SIR .....	Tom Gamble	530-677-7764
Little SIR .....	Grey Rhine	916-774-6574
Secretary .....	Wally Sharp	916-354-0271
Asst. Secretary .....	Al Lohrman	530-677-5884
Treasurer .....	Billy Sturdivant	916-933-9818
Asst. Treasurer .....	Bob Bartlett	916-939-7239

Honorary Life Members ..... Ernie Thomas, Al Kaiser

DIRECTORS

Harry Shirley (PBS).....	530-677-1066
Jim January .....	916-933-3173
Gerald Nester .....	916-772-0501
Sandy Samboy .....	916-933-8903
Ron Waisner .....	916-645-5422
Malcolm Ramsay .....	916-939-2466
Neal Lucey .....	916-933-9893

AREA 19 GOVERNOR

Bill Short, Region II Director.....	530-644-5001
Bill Peck, Area Governor.....	530-825-0236
Larry Root, Area Golf Chair .....	530-333-4844

CHAIRMEN

Attendance .....	Neal Lucey
Attendance Asst. ....	Stan Budo
Badges .....	Malcom Ramsay
Bowling .....	George Peratt
Bulletin.....	Harry Shirley
Chaplain .....	Wayne Myers

Computers.....	Kurt Borowski
Golf.....	Paul Tomlinson
Asst. Golf.....	Brian Upton
Historian .....	Al Schmidt
Membership.....	Steve Thomson
Photography.....	Al Schmidt

Property.....	Ray Cormier
Publicity.....	Bill Yeager
E-Mail.....	Cecil Shelley
RV Travel .....	Charlie Kirk
Sunshine .....	Bill Clark
Supplies .....	Bob Carlquist
Travel .....	Jerry Clas (Br. 166)

**BIG SIR Tom Gamble 677-7764**

Greetings and welcome to the first meeting of the 2004 year and a happy new year to you all. First, I want to thank Ron Waisner and all the elected officers, committee chairmen, chaplain, bulletin editors and raffle manager for a great 2003 year!!

This year we have some new faces conducting club business. Billy Sturdivant and Bob Bartlett, as Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer, will be taking your lunch money when you come in. Bill Clark will be our new sunshine chairman so all news, both good and bad, should be passed on to Bill for placement in the bulletin. Al Lohrman and Wally Sharp are reversing roles, with Wally our Secretary and Al his assistant. Ron Jeffers will be managing our raffle, so save your money!! Jerry Clas (Branch 166) will be introducing himself as our Travel Chairman. At the SIR state level, Bill Short has moved up to Region 2 Director and Bill Peck of the Georgetown Branch will be Area 19 Governor.

All of these SIR positions are important in making Branch 95 functions enjoyable and smooth running events. During the year if you are asked to fill one of our club positions, I hope you will join in and enjoy the satisfaction of contributing to the success of branch 95.

***Truisms***

1. Give a man a fish and he will eat for a day. Teach him how to fish and he will sit in a boat and drink beer all day.
2. Some days you are the bug, some days you are the windshield.
3. We are born naked, wet and hungry, and get slapped on our rear. Then things get worse.
4. Generally speaking, you aren't learning much when your lips are moving.
5. A closed mouth gathers no foot.
6. No one is listening until you fart.

**LITTLE SIR Greg Rhine 916-774-6574**

This is my first official function as Little Sir and I want utmost respect out of you bandits!! Our speaker for today is Sharon Pauser. She is the Fitness Department Director for Sun City Roseville and she is going to discuss senior fitness and flexibility and how it affects physical and mental health. Sharon is originally from New Jersey but moved to California in 1988 when her husband was transferred with Hewlett-Packard. She has been in the fitness business since she was 19 years old. She owned a woman's exercise facility in New Jersey for five years which she sold when moving to the west coast. She then worked for the City of Roseville in the Dept. of Parks and Recreation before moving to Sun City four years ago. Sharon has degrees in Psychology and Social Work/Counseling. Fitness is a very important part of her life and she believes that it is vital to both physical and mental health. Listen up, you old fogies. Sharon will help you!!

Birthdays: December 2003 - John Boetger, Skip DeSilva, George Flynn, Carl Leopold, Gary Miller, Al Schmidt, Slim Schrader, Wally Sharp, Cecil Shelley, Frank Shine, Brian Upton, Ken Weepie. January – Bob Bartlett, Stan Brown, Ray Cormier, Mike Dowling, Al Kaiser PBS, Malcolm Ramsey, Jim Thompson, Walt Tillinger, Jack Uvadich, Ernie Williams.

Excerpts are actual answers on history tests and Sunday school quizzes by fifth and sixth grade students – compiled by their teachers.

1. Joan of Arc was burnt to a steak and was canonized by Bernard Shaw for reasons I don't really understand. The English and French! Still have problems.
2. The Greeks were a highly sculptured people and without them we wouldn't have history. The Greeks also had myths. A myth is a young female moth.
3. Sir Walter Raleigh is a historical figure because he invented cigarettes and started smoking.
4. Sir Francis Drake circumcised the world with a 100 foot clipper which was very dangerous to his men.

#### **SAND TRAPS Paul Tomlinson (916) 939-8390 and Brian Upton (916) 939-6601**

Weather was a problem in both November and December, but despite the rain and very cold days, we had very good turnouts. On November 6, we celebrated at our annual golf member get together. The guys of the club and guests all had a great breakfast followed by golf at Empire Ranch. A cold day but enjoyed by all!!

Golf in November and December – Results follow:

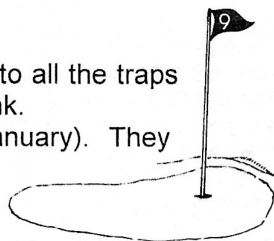
	<b>First</b>	<b>Second</b>	<b>Third</b>	<b>CT Pin</b>
Mather AFB, 11/18	G. Nester	C. LePere	D. Lewis	A. Gray
Wild Hawk, 11/20	G. Vanblyenberg	A. Gray	D. Lewis	T. Cunningham
Mather AFB, 12/9	H. Shirley	N. Green	B. Upton	A. Lohrman
Wild Hawk, 12/18	N. Green	B. Upton	J. January	S. DeSilva

The term "mulligan" is really a contraction of the phrase "maul me again."

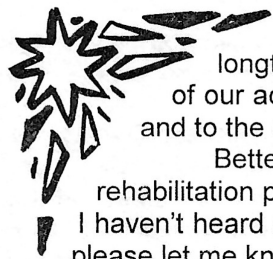
Golf is a hard game to figure. One day you go out, slice it and shank it, hit into all the traps and miss every green. The next day you go out and for no good reason, you really stink.

In golf, some people tend to get confused with all the numbers (Nester and January). They shoot a "six", yell "fore" and write down "five."

A "gimme" can best be defined as an agreement between two golfers neither of whom can putt very well!!



#### **SUNSHINE CORNER Marv Smith (916) 933-4364**



It is with great sadness that I report the loss of Jack Reynolds. Jack was a longtime SIR Branch 95 member and served a term as our Big Sir. He was involved in many of our activities and he will be missed by all of us. Our club offers our sympathy to his wife, Rita, and to the members of his family and close friends.

Better news now – Jim Thompson is feeling a great deal better, is starting a pulmonary rehabilitation program and expects to attend our meeting today.

I haven't heard any recent news on Ron Rau's rehab or on Jerry Rider. For those who know them well, please let me know if you have further information on their condition.

A new year and I wish that everybody remains healthy and happy!!

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The District Governor has asked that the attendance and travel rules be distributed in the monthly bulletin.

Attendance: Rule 60 – Members are obligated to attend all regular luncheon meetings unless prevented by illness or absence from the branch locale. Rule 100 – A member may be notified in writing by his branch of the pending termination of his membership (Rule 107) if he is responsible for any of the following:

- a) Miss three consecutive regular meetings without being excused by contacting the designated Attendance person prior to the meeting date.
- b) Non-attendance at six (6) regular luncheon meetings within the previous twelve (12) consecutive month; Note: Excused meetings may not be included.
- c) Attendance at Ladies Day functions may be excluded at the discretion of the Executive Committee.

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Any item to appear in the February 2004 Bulletin must be in the hands of  
Harry Shirley, 677-1066, by Tuesday, January 27, 2004.

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**WHAT'S COOKIN' AT 95?**

*First Class*

