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### **BIG SIR** Greg Rhine 916-774-6574

The Ladies Day Picnic held at High Hill Ranch was fantastic. Food, entertainment, drinks, the weather all could not have been better. Many thanks to all the people that helped in this effort. Thank you, George, for chairing the day. Like everyone else, Nancy and I had a great time. If You Missed This One Don't Miss The **Next One!** 

Fellows, we have room for 11 new members. Why not invite a friend for our August luncheon? Did you know a dime has 118 ridges around the edge? Enjoy the great weather.

#### A WOMAN WHO READS

One morning the husband returns after several hours of fishing and decides to take a nap. Although not familiar with the lake, the wife decides to take the boat out. She motors out a short distance, anchors and begins to read her book.

Along comes a game warden in his boat. He pulls up alongside the woman and says, "Good morning, Ma'am. What are you doing?" "Reading a book," she replies. (Thinking isn't it obvious?)

"You're in a restricted fishing area", he informs her.

"I'm sorry officer, but I'm not fishing, I'm reading".

"Yes, but you have all the equipment. For all I know you could start at any moment. I'll have to take you in and write you up".

"If you do that, I'll have to charge you with sexual assault," says the woman.

"But I have not touched you," says the game warden.
"That's true, but you have all the equipment. For all I know you could start at any moment."

"Have a nice day ma'am," and he left.

MORAL of this STORY: Never argue with a woman who reads. It is likely she can also think.

## LITTLE SIR George Van Blyenburgh 530-677-1916

The Ladies Day Picnic turn out was GREAT. The weather was perfect, the food superb, and the location magnificent. Everybody enjoyed themselves. I would like to thank each Sir and their wives who helped organize this festive occasion. This is our opportunity to thank our wives and companions for their patience and understanding for our frequent absence for Sir's activities. Once again thank you for helping make this years' picnic a great success.

Our speaker this month, Mark Harris, taught biology and photography for thirty-five years in the San Francisco Bay Area. After retiring, he and his wife Luree spent two years in China teaching English to university students who were preparing to be secondary school teachers of English. Mark and Luree were associated with China Teacher's Program sponsored by the David M. Kennedy Center for International Studies at Bright Young University, Utah.

Mark and Luree moved to Cameron Park five years ago to lead an active retirement life. Luree is a recognized oil painter and Mark, when not telling jokes or stories, is a published author. Currently Mark is organizing his many photographs and plans to publish his best 100 photos.

Let's give Mark a great Sirs welcome!

Birthdays for June: Ed Bernhoff, Kurt Borowski, Phil Erickson, Bill Johnston, Bud Preston, George Peratt, Al Weinstock. Birthdays for July: John Brenner, Rod Campbell, Bob Carlquist, Jim Henninger, El Lampp, John Law, Bob McWilliams, Bill McClanahan, Earl Smith, Dennis Widman.

# SAND TRAPS Paul Tomlinson (916) 939-8290 and Brian Upton (916) 939-6601 June results for El Dorado Hills, Mather, Wild Hawk and Castle Oaks follow.

Results: **First** Second Third CT Rin El Dorado Hills, 6/7 Roger Taylor **Bob Bartlet** Don Lewis Dave Steimle Mather, 6/17 Paul Tomlinson Jack Harris Don Lewis Wild Hawk, 6/21 George Van Blyenburgh Jim January George Van Blyenburgh Castle Oaks Don Lewis Roger Scott Lou Rain Lou Rain

### **Three Sisters**

Three sisters ages 92, 94, and 96 live in a house together. One night the 96 year old draws a bath. She puts her foot in and pauses. She yells down the stairs: "Was I getting in or out of the bath?" The 94 year old yells back 'I don't know. I'll come up and see." She starts up the stairs and pauses. Then she yells: "Was I going up the stairs or down?" The 92 year old is sitting at the kitchen table having tea listening to her sisters. She shakes her head and says "I sure hope I never get that forgetful." She knocks on wood for good measure. She then yells: "I'll come up and help both of you as soon as I see who's at the door."

## SUNSHINE CORNER Jim Peterson (916) 934-0990

The District Director 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 trucks (40).

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.

Any item to appear in the August 2005 Bulletin must be in the hands of Jim Peterson, 677-1066, by Wednesday, July 27, 2005.

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