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May I take this opportunity to thank each of the officers, each of the directors, and each of the chairmen of SIRS Branch 95 for their efforts in doing such a fine job during the year of 2005. As I'm sure you know, without these fine gentleman there would be no Branch 95. As in life, you get back what you deposit most, if not all, of the time. This is the last time I will be sending you a note as the Big SIR. I can't believe how fast the time has flown by for me. It was a most enjoyable experience. Thanks for the opportunity to contribute in some small way..

The holiday season is upon us. First, of course, is Thanksgiving and then comes our annual Christmas luncheon A hard ticket to get if you procrastinate too much, as we can only accommodate 70 couples. Let me wish each of you a very Happy Holiday Season and a Healthy New Year.....GREG

LITTLE SIR George Van Blyenburgh 530-677-1916

Our speaker for November is Edie Lambert. She anchors the weekend editions of "KCRA 3 Reports" and "The WB58 News At 10." Edie has also covered hundreds of stories in the Sacramento region as a general assignment reporter, ranging from traveling with the Arnold Schwarzenegger campaign during his race for governor, to serving as KCRA 3's lead reporter on the Scott Peterson murder trial. Edie was awarded a regional Emmy for a documentary on breast cancer, and she has been nominated for Emmy awards four times. Early in her career she received Associated Press citations for several stories ranging from wildfires to politics. Before she moved to KCRA 3, Edie worked in Santa Barbara at KEYT-TV. She anchored the weekday 5 p.m. news and covered the political and court beats as well as general assignments. Edie holds a degree in political science from the University of California at Santa Barbara. Edie is involved with many non-profit organizations, including a domestic violence shelter and a breast cancer research and education organization. In her spare time Edie enjoys yoga, dance, and hiking in the many beautiful areas of Northern California. Let's give a great big SIRS welcome to Edie Lambert!

Flyers for our Christmas party are being circulated at the November luncheon. Send in your money early as attendance is limited to 70 couples.

November Birthdays: George Engel, Kip Klopp, Fred Plutchak, Steve Thomson, and Don Willett.

SAND TRAPS Paul Tomlinson (916) 939-8290 and Brian Upton (916) 939-6601

October results for El Dorado Hills, Mather, Wildhawk and Castle Oaks follow..

Results:	First	Second	Third	CT Pin
El Dorado Hills, 10/4	Bill Johnston	Paul Tomlinson		Larry Keenan
Wildhawk, 10/18	Paul Tomlinson	George Van Blyenburgh		Bob Roth
Castle Oaks, 10/27	Ron Jeffers	Don Lewis	Chuck Le Pere	

The Laws of Golf

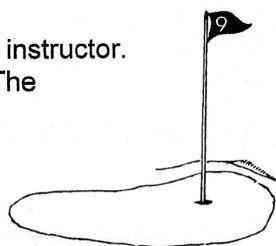
LAW 6: The higher a golfer's handicap, the more qualified he deems himself as an instructor.

LAW 7: Every par-three hole in the world has a secret desire to humiliate golfers. The shorter the hole, the greater its desire.

LAW 8: Topping a 3-iron is the most painful torture known to man.

LAW 9: Palm trees eat golf balls.

LAW 10: Sand is alive. If it isn't, how do you explain the way it works against you?



SUNSHINE CORNER Jim Peterson (916) 934-0990

It was sure great to see Bill Clark at our October meeting. Bill is on the mend and is doing very well.

Area 19 Travel Page Ron de Pass (530) 644-1405

Arco Arena: Fight Night at Feather River Falls Casino, Thurs. Nov. 17, 7:30 pm; buy your tickets through ARCO. Kings Schedule for 2005/2006, Tickets, Arena seating/parking map are also available. Watch this space for more exciting ARCO events coming up.

River Barge: On the Mississippi; New Orleans-Memphis, 8 days. Apr. 26-May 3, 2006. Overnight in New Orleans, fly back from Memphis, all inclusive cost, \$2690 pp dbl occ. Everything included – no tipping. Buffet/sit down. Extra large staterooms with binoculars, 'fridge, TV, large window; You've never had a trip like this one!

Yellowstone, Black Hills, Mt. Rushmore: Aug. 19-27, 2006. \$1520 pp dbl occ. Includes Salt Lake City tour, Mormon Tabernacle Choir, Grand Tetons, Devil's Tower, Crazy Horse, Buffalo Bill's Museum; more. Includes air, insurance, all gratuities and taxes. 16 meals.

Bob Stickel (530) 621-2131

Mexico Getaway: Apr 29-May 9, 2006. Cabins from \$1179-\$1609 pp/dbl occ.

Transp to San Francisco Pier; rnd trip on Dawn Princess 11 days; Catalina, San Diego, Puerto Vallarta, Mazatlan, Cabo San Lucas. Includes port charges, Gov. fees, stevedore and transfer tips. Quite a bargain-a wonderful trip, no flying.

Monterey Experience: Apr 4-6, '06; \$394 pp/dbl occ. 3 day, 2 night motor-coach tour; visit Aquarium, Wild Things(wild animals trained to star in movies, special events); Carmel-by-the-Sea, shop and sightsee; 17-mile Drive and Bonfant Gardens. Accommodations at Casa Munras Garden Hotel, 2 brkfst, 2 lunch, dinner.

Panama Canal: Sep 23-Oct 8, '06. Cabins from \$2225 to \$3210 pp dbl occ.

Motorcoach to San Francisco Pier; Celebrity Cruiseline. Return home via air from Ft. Lauderdale. Ports: Cabo San Lucas, Acapulco, Hautulco, Puntarenus (Costa Rica). Cruise thru Canal stopping at Colon, Panama, then Aruba. All port charges, Gov. fees, transfer driver, skycap and stevedore tips included. Call for brochure.

Your Travel Committee needs a new member. Please call Ron, if interested.

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 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 January 2006 Bulletin must be in the hands of
Jim Peterson, 916-934-0990, by Wednesday, December 28, 2005.

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WHAT'S COOKIN' AT 95?

First Class

