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BIG SIR George Van Blyenburgh 530-677-1916

I receive several of our neighboring SIR branch bulletins. Every so often they feature the biography of one of their members and it amazes me that there are so many interesting and diversified backgrounds. So many of our fellow members held important jobs that contributed to the advancement of our knowledge and history.

I'm sure that branch 95 has many of these individuals also. Would you let me know if you would like to find out about your fellow member's achievements and, if so, we can start a monthly item for the bulletin.

I would like to thank the members who brought in new members. As good as we did last month we must continue to recruit new people. We still have several vacancies available to bring our membership up to our desired number.

Golfing weather is here and we have many new courses to play. My thanks to Brian Upton for his great work.

LITTLE SIR Sandy Samboy 916-933-8903
Our May Speaker is Mr. Brian Silverthorn of PG&E. Brian has worked with PG&E since 1990, in a variety of energy efficiency programs. He currently works with single family and multifamily home builders to help them participate in PG&E's residential new construction programs. He helps them understand the benefits of energy efficient construction. He also helps them through the entire process from submitting the required documentation prior to construction to requesting their incentive payments when construction is complete. In addition, he provides sales training for the staffs of participating builders and program specific training for builders, architects, energy analysts, HERS raters and building department personnel. Let's give Brian a BIG

This year's Ladies Day Barbecue will be held on Monday, June 12, 2006, at High Hill Ranch in Camino. Festivities start with a Social Hour at 11 AM. Lunch at 12 Noon will be catered by Back Forty Texas BBQ. Flyers will be distributed at our May meeting. This is always a great event. Be sure and put it on your schedule and send in your check.

MAY BIRTHDAYS: Per Christiansen, Dev Clark, Tom Gamble, George Gianopulos, Joe Joyce, Dick Pratt, Ron Rau, David Rhoads, Larry Weller, Al Zarzana

Membership Chairman Larry Keenan

Look for members with red tags on their badges indicating they are NEW to our club. Please introduce yourself and make the new people feel welcome. Also, since we have some room on the roster, encourage your friends and associates to join our great SIR Branch.

Chapiain Bill Clark

"Let no debt remain outstanding, except the continuing debt to love one another, for he who loves his fellowman has fulfilled the law." --Romans 13:8

Greetings, we SIRs are a believing, caring, and helpful fraternal organization. Please don't keep us in the dark. If you know of anyone that is sick and they would like a visit, let us know. Remember, "FRIENDS ARE ANGELS WHO LIFT US TO OUR FEET WHEN OUR WINGS HAVE TROUBLE REMEMBERING HOW TO FLY."

From Ralph Waldo Emerson:

SUCCESS: To laugh often and much, to win the respect of intelligent people and the affection of children; to earn the appreciate of honest critics and endure the betrayal of false friends; to appreciate beauty, to find the best in others, to leave the world a bit better, whether by a child, a garden patch, or a redeemed social condition, to know even one life has breathed easier because you have lived. This is to have succeeded.

SAND TRAPS George Van Blyenburgh (530) 677-1916 and Brian Upton (916) 939-6601 April results from Wildhawk {Ed. note} Again a lot of rain and not much golf to report.

Results: Mather (Bill Clark) First

Second

CT Pin

Wildhawk (Jack Harris) El Dorado Hills (Bill Stegman): No report Jack Harris No report

Ron Waisner George Van Blyenburgh

Third

Jack Harris

SUNSHINE CORNER Tom Grube 916-939-0439

Please let me know if you or any of the other members are under the weather so that we can keep everyone up to date in the bulletin.

SIR AREA 19 TRAVEL PAGE

Ron de Pass Travel Chairman (530) 644-1405; Tim Hall Travel Co-Chairman (530) 644-4418

AREA 19 welcomes a new Travel Chairman, effective May 1, 2006. He is Tim Hall; phone # 530-644-4418, E-mail thall@d-web.com.

ARCO ARENA: Call Ron for special discounts

Monarchs opening day, Sat., May 20

YELLOWSTONE-Mt. RUSHMORE: Aug 19-27, 2006.

\$1895 pp/dbl occ. Salt Lake City tour, Mormon Tabernacle choir, Grand Tetons, Devil's Tower, Chief Crazy Horse, Buffalo Bill Museum, Deadwood, more. Includes air, insurance, all gratuities, taxes. 16 meals. BASEBALL; ALL SIR DAY for River Cats vs. Fresno Grizzlies, Wed., June 28, 11:35 AM, \$17, \$11;

ALL SIR DAY for Giants vs. LA Angels, Wed., June 21, 12:35, \$34, \$20, \$18 (\$5 handling fee/order). NEW YEAR'S EVE IN HAWAII! Dec. 30-Jan. 8. Includes 2 nights at Sheraton Princess Kaiulani with New Year's Eve party. 7 nights aboard new ship "Pride of Hawaii. Four Islands Ports of call. Fly to Honolulu from Sacramento. Cabins: Inside, pp/dbl occ, \$2595; Outside: \$2820; Outside w/balcony: \$3320. Call Tim or Ron for flyers/info.

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:

 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 July 2006 Bulletin must be in the hands of Jim Peterson, 916-934-0990, by Wednesday, June 28, 2006.

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