



SIR 99 HAPPENINGS



JANUARY 2025 Newsletter

Vacaville SIRs #99

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Asst Treasurer: Jeff Horton..... 290-6320

Meetings are held at the **MOOSE LODGE** in Vacaville, the **THIRD** Thursday of the month. To retain ones' membership, one must PAY THE ANNUAL DUES. Luncheon Meeting are MANDATORY, You must attend at least half the scheduled meeting in the previous twelve consecutive month period. NOTE: 3 missed meetings you will be placed in inactive status

NOTE: Excused meetings YOU MUST NOTIFY REPLY TO THE RSVP EMAIL OR rickruggiero@msn.com Members may be assessed \$5.00 if they don't show up or don't notify.

Respond TO THIS EMAIL by MONDAY JANUARY 13 to RSVP

JANUARY LUNCHEON, JANUARY 16

BEC 10:00AM --11:00AM SOCIAL-- 12:00 LUNCH

CYPRESS GOLF COURSE

BUFFET

See SIR Tim Price to donate to be a Rooster Booster in 2025.

BE A	Curt Newland	Frank Ostrum	Ron Templeton
ROOSTER	Dan Powell		(in memory)
BOOSTER			
IN			
2025			
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COME JOIN US AT CYPRESS GOLF COURSE!!

WE WILL NO LONGER BE MEETING AT THE MOOSE LODGE. IN JANUARY, WE WILL BE MEETING AT <u>CYPRESS GOLF COURSE</u> WE ARE IN THE PROCESS OF CHECKING OUT A PERMANENT LOCATION. DETAILS AT THE LUNCHEON

FUTURE LOCATIONS TBD

1.RSVP required **REPLY to this email**

Pay at the luncheon

\$10 DUES FOR 2025 DUE

\$46 NCGA DUES FOR 2025 DUE

BIG SIR MESSAGE



Hello, Fellow SIR's, I Hope you had a wonderful Christmas.

We are now looking into a new year with all the changes happening around us. One of which is our meetings at the Moose.

If you remember back in June we invited the Moose Management to speak to us about membership to the

Moose fraternity at \$55.00 per year. Not many of us were interested.

Fast Forward; We now are having to pay a fee at each luncheon of \$169 for the use of their facility. But, in addition to that; our cooks, and the "Women of the Moose" that took such good care of us have been disbanded.

Your Big SIR and our dedicated BEC members are trying to find another place for us to have our luncheon meetings.

As a heads up to all my fellow SIR's....we've had it pretty good. But, now we will probably be paying a little more in a different place.

If you have any suggestions for what you might recommend to us, your BEC leaders would appreciate your quick response.

So Pay close attention to your emails AND NEWSLETTER.

Your BEC is working on what we will do for our future meetings and their cost.

I'm hoping we can resolve them with some new locations and menus.

Truly yours, Ken OConnell (Big SIR Branch 99)

LIL SIR MESSAGE



HAPPY NEW YEAR. HAVE A SAFE 2025 See you at Cypress on Jan 16, 2025

Your Lil Sir

Art Calderon

LAST CALL

2025 NCGA DUES

It is time to renew your NCGA DUES for 2025. You can renew your membership for \$46, payable by check made out to "SIR BR 99 – NCGA," you can bring

your check to Monday's golf, or Branch Luncheon, on the JAN 16, THE LAST DAY.

The reason we want payment by check is that you have a receipt when we forgot you paid.

The dues are from January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2025.

There is no longer a \$10 initiation fee to NCGA and there is no longer a grace period from October to December.

The Branch 99 NCGA Membership Rolls will be updated on January 13, 2024,

and all persons who have not renewed will be dropped.

CHECKS ONLY



NEXT BEC MEETING JANUARY 16, 10:00—CYPRESS GC

BEC Meeting Minutes for Minutes for

OCTOBER 17 , 2024

SIR Branch 99 Vacaville, California

Participating Members: Ken O'Connell, Art Calderon, Steve Johnson, Dan Powell, Jeff Horton, John Fink, Andre Fowler, Tim Price, and Rick Ruggiero. Absent members: Dennis Kalis, Lloyd Lamb, Larry Connor, Joe Grijalva, and Chuck Murtishaw. Quorum of 6 Attained. Meeting conducted by email on or about December 16th . .

NEXT MEETING and BRANCH LUNCHEON: January 16th at the **CYPRESS GOLF COURSE** at 10:00 AM, Social hour at 11:00 AM, and lunch served at 12:00 PM.

Membership: (Dan Powell) Motion to approve Ralph Brerumen as a new member. Dan Powell. 2nd by Steve Johnson. Motion passed.

New Business: No other items discussed.

MEMBERSHIP/SUNSHINE REPORT

Chairman, SIR DAN POWELL

MEMBERSHIP: ACTIVE - 60

WELCOME NEW MEMBER----- Ralph Brerumen

Sunshine Chairman, SIR ANDRE FOWLER

Hello Guys! It's been a hectic year for me and I plan on traveling a bit more in 2025. So I am looking for someone to take over as Sunshine Chairman. It's an important job, I apologize for not doing as much as I should. Hopefully someone will step up and take over for me. Just let me or Ken O'Connell know if you are interested.

Thanks and Happy New Year!

Andre Fowler - Sunshine Chair 707-290-1337 please **Email Sir Andre Fowler..<u>saxman-2000@comcast.net</u>**



JANUARY
BIRTHDAYS

MATT BABINGTON
TOM LINSTER
MIKE MURPHY
FRANK OSTRUM



NCGA CHAIRMAN Sir Dan Powell



GOLF CHAIRMAN Sir Andre Fowler

JANUARY 2025 GOLF NEWS

Happy New Year Gentlemen! We didn't get to play much golf in December, so hopefully January will be a bit kinder weather wise. I'll be setting up Golf on the Go, so if you have any suggestions let me know. There are some great courses around, but I'm not sure how far guys want to travel.

I'm looking forward to next year and working on my finely tuned golf swing!

Thanks for all the support in 2024. Let's make 2025 even better!

SIR ANDRE

GOLF COMMITTEE

ANDRE FOWLER (CHAIR) CHUCK MURTISHAW TIM PRICE JOHN FINK STEVE JOHNSON (ASST) DENNIS KALIS DAN POWELL

CHRISTMAS DINNER 2024

















































REMEMBER TO RSVP TO THE LUNCHEON

Breakfast Club

Our next breakfast Club will be at

MEL'S DINER THURSDAY, JANUARY 9, 8:30

JUST SHOW UP OR SIGN UP, call to Joe Grivajla.



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(707 592-3303)

COME JOIN US!

SIR Fashion



SEE SIR KEN O'CONNELL AT THE LUNCHEONS OR EMAIL SIR KEN AT knyoc1.ko@gmail.com

TRAVEL'N



BRANCH 99 TRAVEL Club TRAVEL 2024

For those who enjoy traveling, talk to Chuck Murtishaw, Dennis Devlin or Dennis Kalis.

Meetings

Fellowship......11:00am Luncheon.....12:00pm

Directors

Sir Joe Grijalva Sir Tim Price Sir Andre Fowler Sir John Fink Sir Dennis Kalis Sir Rick Ruggiero Sir Dan Powell

Committees

Activities: Sir Joe Grivalja

Attendance: Sir Chuck Murtishaw

Editor: Sir Rick Ruggiero Golf: Sir Andre Fowler NCGA: Sir Dan Powell Membership: Sir Dan Powell Goodwill Amb: Sir Larry Connor

Publicity: Open

RV: Sir Chuck Murtishaw Supply: Sir Ken O'Connell Sunshine: Sir Andre Fowler Certificate: Dennis Kalis















