



UP-COUNTRY BRANCH #15

Chartered Feb 17th, 2000

A social activities group for men, previously Sons in Retirement, and now open to all men retired or not.

NOVEMBER 2020 NEWSLETTER

Big Sir: Mike Coombs
Little Sir: Rich Serpa
Secretary: Ken Regnier
Asst Secretary: Jim Powell, Jr
Treasurer: Dick Campbell
Asst Treasurer: (OPEN)

Meets 3rd Thursday of each month at
 Our Lady of the Pines, Haran Hall 26750
 Tiger Creek Rd, Pioneer, CA 95666

Board Meeting: 9:30 AM
 Social Hour: 10:30 AM
 Luncheon Meeting: 11:30 AM

Board of Directors

Ron Burns, Jack Magee, Will Pearce,
 Rich Serpa, Duane Wright

State SIR Officers

President Ed Benson
 Region #2 Dir Dale Decker
 Area Governor #5 Rick Kindle

[State Sir Website http://sirinc.org](http://sirinc.org)

Attendance	Rich Serpa	Asst. Attendance	Joe Harder
Bulletin	Ken Regnier	Recognition	(OPEN)
Sunshine	Jack Magee	Chaplin	Jaime Garcia
Auditing	(OPEN)	Asst. Membership	Dick Hatch
Fishing	(OPEN)	Golf	Dave Martin
Membership	Rich Serpa	Beverages	Dave Jones
Special Events	Duane Wright	Promotions	(OPEN)
RAMP	Ron Burns	Roster	Jim Powell, Jr.
Sales	Bud Francesconi	Food and Wine	(OPEN)
Asst. Promotions	(OPEN)	Asst RV Wagon Master	(OPEN)
RV Wagon Master	Ron Burns	Tours/Travel	(OPEN)

A Blast from Your Big Sir:

Hi everyone. After all our attempts to resume our luncheons, the church will not let us use their hall if drinks and or food is served. It looks like we have to wait until there is a vaccine. We will continue to have BEC board meetings to plan for next year.

Dues for 2021 (25.00) can be paid by sending a check to our treasurer Dick Campbell at 15500 Lupe Rd., Pine Grove, CA 95655. I know this seems crazy, but the state Sirs still charges us a quarterly assessment for insurance and operating expenses. At this rate our branch funds will run out sometime next year. If that happens our branch will have to close. There still are some members who haven't paid the 2020 dues They will be dropped January 1st, 2021.

I want to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving and look forward to being your Big Sir in 2021.

Thanks All,

Mike Coombs
Big Sir. Branch 15

From Little SIR:

Marilyn Anderson, wife of former SIR 15 member Gary Anderson, died yesterday (11/7). Gary was a long-time member of our branch and the treasurer for several years.

From State SIR:

(Even though this is a Halloween theme, the Summit is in November.)

State SIR Leadership Summit

Trick or Treat

SIRs is the best kept secret...no more!
Join us to Converse, Connect, and Convey
with State Board Officers' training presentations
November 16-20, M-F daily, 1-3 pm

Zoom Link: <http://bit.ly/3mkaKHU>
meeting ID: 847 7081 4710
pass code: 553379
Please post in Branch newsletter

AG Lee Moy
State SIR Trainer

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/s/ Secretary Ken Regnier