



THE SIR PRIZE

Santa Lucia Branch #89 April 2009

Meeting: 12 Noon 2nd Wednesday
Exec. Board Meeting: 10am 2nd Wed.
Salinas Elks Lodge, 614 Airport Blvd.



Sons in Retirement is a non-profit public benefit organization devoted to the promotion of the independence and dignity of men in retirement.

Attendance Rules: Regular members missing meetings for three (3) consecutive months without notifying the Attendance Committee with a valid reason, or attending fewer than six (6) meetings over a twelve month period, may have their membership terminated following notification by letter of unsatisfactory attendance. Certified attendance at another SIR Branch counts for the purpose of satisfying these rules.
Can't make the meeting? Call Richard Bawcom 484-9098 or Norm Graulich 455-8043



Big SIR Report: By Bob Earl

It is my understanding that everything went well during my absence. Jim Brown did an excellent job subbing for me which I no doubt had expected. Also, thank you Jim Westphal for installing our newest member, Ted Castillo. Welcome, Ted, I'm sure you will enjoy yourself and make new friends in our branch. I'm sorry I missed out on hearing the speaker talk on forensics. One of my favorite programs on TV is CSI so I was looking forward to that presentation.

I have installed the coupon for our BBQ in June. Be aware that the date is one week later than normal because of a scheduling conflict with the county. Also, a price increase of one dollar is in effect for the BBQ (\$12.00) and our regular luncheons (\$13.00) starting in April. The Elks lodge is now charging us a maximum \$50.00 room rent that will be paid by a separate check to the lodge. Am looking forward to seeing all of you on April 8.

April 8 Menu: Slow roast ham, roasted red potatoes, apple sauce, veg., rolls, coffee & dessert (\$13.00)

The caterer will help with special dietary needs if given 48 hrs notice

Bowling: By Earl Fuller

| Name | Mar 6 | Mar 13 No-Tap | Mar 20 |
|---------------|---------|---------------|---------|
| Jim Brown | 209/539 | 265/704 | |
| Nate Johnson | | | |
| Charles Lowe | 199/486 | | |
| Earl Fuller | 176/451 | 257/741 | 164/427 |
| Joe Manriquez | 200/563 | 271/775 | 199/550 |
| Joe Venuti | 126/362 | 258/702 | |
| Joe Gauthier | 188/506 | 274/768 | 148/405 |
| Rene Serrano | | | |
| Gary Crawford | 106/306 | 283/774 | 139/341 |
| Ted Castillo | | 277/732 | |
| Joe Valdez | | | 131/357 |

No-Tap scores are with handicap. All other scores are scratch.

Golf: By Bruce Adams

| Name | Mar 5 | Mar 12 | Mar 19 |
|-------------------|-------|--------|--------|
| Bruce Adams | Rain | 71 | 73 |
| Richard Bawcom | | | |
| Roger Bergam | | | |
| Irv Bender | | 80 | |
| Jim Brown | | 72 | 75 |
| Hugh Campbell | | 68 | |
| Bob Earl | | | |
| Ken Gress | | 78 | |
| Ed Gularte | | 75 | 76 |
| Larrie Huston | | 79 | 65 |
| Mike Madsen | | | 71 |
| George McCrobie | | PFF | PFF |
| Nate Johnson | | 77 | 78 |
| Bob Pendergrass | | | |
| Bob Romo | | 70 | 72 |
| Mike Shuttleworth | | 72 | 88 |
| Gene Tonus | | | |
| Cary Tremuwan | | 80 | |
| Jim Westphal | | 75 | 71 |
| Fred Womble | | | |

These are all net scores

1. The roundest knight at King Arthur's round table was Sir Cumference. He acquired his size from too much pi.
2. I thought I saw an eye doctor on an Alaskan island, but it turned out to be an optical Aleutian.
3. She was only a whisky maker, but he loved her still.
4. A rubber band pistol was confiscated from algebra class because it was a weapon of math disruption.
5. The butcher backed into the meat grinder and got a little behind in his work.
6. No matter how much you push the envelope, it'll still be stationery.
7. A dog gave birth to puppies near the road and was cited for littering.

April Speaker

Curtis Weeks is the general manager of the Monterey County Water Resources Agency. Curtis has 20 years experience as a professional engineer operating, planning and implementing large-scale infrastructure projects including water supply programs, water system improvements, wastewater treatment, reclamation and recycling, storm water control, fire protection and emergency operations.

May Speaker

Rudy Tenes is a retired Professional Bullfighter from Mexico. He will talk about the history of bullfighting, several bullfighters from different countries including the United States. He started training with young bulls at the age of ten. He will explain the difference between a Torero and a Matador. The Torero has to earn his status when he fights the bull. The Matador is the one who eventually kills the bull. If the Matador is good and draws a lot of spectators, he makes more money. The best have made millions.

BBQ RESERVATION FORM

June 17, Toro Park

Clip and mail this form with \$12.00 per person To: Ed Gularte, 240 San Benancio Rd., Salinas, CA 93908. Ph. 831-484-0240

Reservations for _____ BBQ Lunches Names: _____

Please bring own plates and utensils. Women are encouraged to bring a dessert for everyone's enjoyment.