



# *The Sir Prize*

Santa Lucia Branch #89 October 2018

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



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**Can't make the meeting? Call Gary Bowden 676-6137 or Norm Graulich 455-8043**



### ***Big SIR Vic Lanini sez:***

*As we start into fall can you feel the change in the weather? It will not be long before we have to don our coats, and rain apparel. We held our fall BBQ at Toro Park and as usual it turned out well for those who attended. The BBQ chicken was cooked by Ben Handley and his crew and received rave reviews. The weather cooperated and it was a pleasant day of friendship one of the few events where we invite wives, and friends. For some reason attendance at these BBQ's keeps getting smaller and smaller each year which is sad because these functions are for your benefit. Maybe I am missing something and if so please slip me a note as what we might do different to make it an event you want to come to. Remember our Christmas Luncheon will be upon us before we know it and we will be taking reservations for that in November so be thinking about who you will bring to that lunch. It will be our year end and will include the kicking out of present officers along with the installation of the new ones. A great time to get involved as a director if you so desire just let me or one of the present directors of your desire to be considered for a spot on the board.*

## ***Menu for October 10: Lasagne, green beans, garlic bread, green salad, fruit, coffee & dessert***



### ***Little SIR Brian Borgerding sez:***

*On 19 October, 1962, the U.S. state department placed a blockade around Cuba. On the 22nd, President Kennedy appeared on national TV to show the american public pictures of the soviet missiles in Cuba that threatened us. On 28 October, Khrushchev announced the extraction of the missiles and the dismantling of missile sites. The U.S. lifted the blockade and agreed to remove our missiles from Turkey. This was the first time the TV was used to show the public visual evidence of a military threat.*

# ***October Speaker TBD***



## ***Birthday Boys for October:***

***Birthday winner for September = no drawing***

***Tom Bailey (73) Pete Flores (72) Don Gardner (87)  
Richard Glenn (70) Howard Jones (89) Carlos  
Mariscal (65) Howard Miller (96) John Silva (67)  
Don Webster (72) Fred Womble (94)***

**2018 Officers:**

Big SIR: Vic Lanini (831-675-3503)  
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**Directors:**

John Grider  
Dick Chavez  
Charles Lowe  
Don Webster  
Jim Mills

Vacant

**Honorary Life Members**

Ray Morasca (Sr Life)  
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Bob Earl  
Jack Smailes

**Committees & Chairs:**

Newsletter Editor: Bob Earl  
Bowling: Vacant  
Golf: Neil Ledford & Bob Pendergrass  
Historian: Bruce Adams  
Music: Chuck Karnow  
Plans/Arrangements: John Grider  
Sunshine: Tom Bailey & his therapy dog  
Telephone: Gary Bowden  
Chaplain: Jim Kubik  
Speaker Chairman: Wayne Davis (758-9025)  
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SIR Logo Apparel: Bob Pendergrass  
Travel: Brian Borgerding

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**Sunshine News: Call Tom Bailey & his therapy dog (831-455-1100)**

No news is good news.

**The latest edition of SIR Happenings has just been posted on the SIR website:  
<http://sirinc.org/sirhappenings/>**

**Attendance % for the year:**

**J 72 F 69 M 75 A 68 M 75 J 44 J 69 A 74 S 49**

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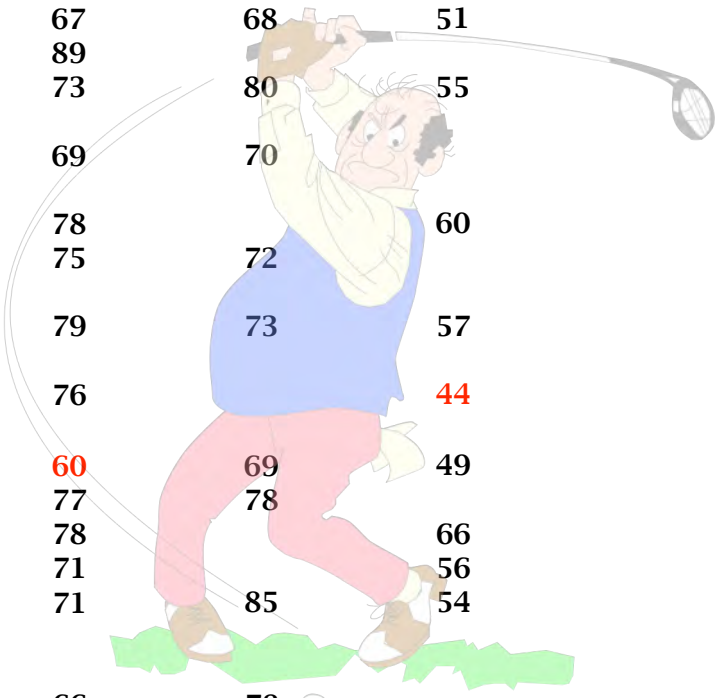
**Today's Humor.....WHERE IS MY EMPLOYEE**

*The boss wondered why one of his most valued employees was absent, but had not phoned in. Needing to have an urgent work problem resolved, he dialed the employee's home phone number and was greeted by a child's whispered, "Hello." "Is your Daddy home?" he asked. "Yes," whispered the small voice. "May I talk with him?" The child whispered, "No." Surprised and wanting to talk with an adult, the boss asked, "Is your Mommy there?" "Yes." "May I talk with her?" Again the small voice whispered, "No." Hoping there was someone with whom he could leave a message, the boss asked, "Is anyone else there?" "Yes," whispered the child, "a policeman." Wondering what a cop would be doing at his employee's home, the boss asked, "May I speak with the policeman?" "No, he's busy," whispered the child. "Busy doing what?" "Talking to Mommy and Daddy and the Fireman," came the whispered answer. Growing more worried as he heard a loud noise through the earpiece on the phone, the boss asked, "What is that noise?" "A helicopter," answered the whispering voice. "What is going on there?" demanded the boss, now truly apprehensive. Again, whispering, the child answered, "The search team just landed a helicopter." Alarmed, confused, and a little frustrated, the boss asked, "What are they searching for?" Still whispering, the young voice replied with a muffled giggle..."Me!"*



**Golf: By Neil Ledford & Bob Pendergrass**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Aug 30</u>	<u>Sep 6</u>	<u>Sep 13</u>	<u>Sep 20</u>
Bruce Adams		70		
Brian Borgerding	74	75	66	54
Gary Bowden		68	74	
Al Bowman	68	69	77	56
Jim Brown		67	68	51
Dick Chavez		89		
Ed Cole	77	73	80	55
Wayne Davis				
Pete Flores	71	69	70	
John Jennings				
Richard Glenn	81	78		60
Gene Griffin	70	75	72	
Vic Lanini				
Neil Ledford	75	79	73	57
Dave Lucero				
Tom Lynch	76	76		44
David Miller				
Jim Mills		60	69	49
Ed Moncrief		77	78	
Bob Pendergrass	71	78		66
Bob Romo	63	71		56
Mike Shuttleworth	76	71	85	54
Jim Tashiro				
Gene Tonus				
Cary Tremewan	70	66	78	
Don Webster	77	71	73	54
Carlos Yniguez	71	72	64	



These are all net scores