

# LAKE WILDWOOD - SONS IN RETIREMENT - BRANCH 11 - AREA 33

A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION FOR RETIRED MEN DEVOTED TO THE PROMOTION OF INDEPENDENCE AND DIGNITY OF RETIREMENT  
MEETING THE FIRST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH AT LAKE WILDWOOD CLUB HOUSE. ADJUSTMENT HOUR: 11AM. MEETING BEGINS 12:00 NOON.

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## SIR Luncheon Meeting

**Big SIR Bob Kline 432-2107**



At last, winter is history. So is spring! Most of the flying fluff allergens have gone their way, so play early and often to beat the heat. We had 94 happy players at our hosted golf tourney. Many expressed their satisfaction with our course and look forward to returning to play in September. In September we'll have burgers and hot dogs for the golfers as well as some liquid refreshments. Details will follow. Our June speaker, Tom Schuyler, gave a very stimulating presentation about writing, self-publishing, and marketing his intriguing book, the Rightful Heirs. If you didn't attend, you missed a good one. We finally captured Wilbur Wright, so stand by for a great action show at July's meeting as he details the exploits of the **Patriots Jet Team**. Next month's golf expedition is at Turkey Creek, a challenging course in Lincoln. SIR branch members from branches 29, 40, 49, 98, 112 and 143 participate in RV Club activities under the name of "**Roamin' Wheels**". They have invited SIRs from all branches to join in the fun. Contact Dick Ciccarelli of Branch 98 at [winnie36g@netzero.net](mailto:winnie36g@netzero.net) for details of the next RV run. August 10, 2011 is **SIR Day** with the San Francisco Giants. They will play the Pittsburgh Pirates. The National Anthem will be sung by the Branch 24 Four Sons Quartet. Ticket prices: \$10 to \$24.50 (View level), \$33 to \$44 (lower box), \$38.25 (Club level). To order tickets contact Taylor Grossat (415) 972-2270 or [tgross@sfgiants.com](mailto:tgross@sfgiants.com). Make a day of it! Lastly, for those few folks who haven't yet made their donations, we can accept partial payments each month. Please give what you can. Be a Friend, Bring a Friend. See you at the July meeting.

**Golf Ed Quintal 432-9399**



### May Alta Sierra Winners

1st Place: Tom Lalli, Don Thomas

5th Place: Rudy Miller

#### Closest to the Pin

A&B: 1st Place Charlie Stein

2nd Place Bill Stamatis

C&D: 2nd Place Gary Caylor

### Grass Valley SIRs 2011 Golf League

Date	Location	Time	Cost
Jun20 (Mon)	Lake of the Pines B170	1:00	40.00
Jul25 (Mon)	Turkey Creek B55	8:00	44.00
Aug16 (Tue)	Beale B55-Lunch	8:00	43.00
Sep28 (Wed)	Lake Wildwood B11	1:00	45.00
Oct18 (Tue)	PlumasLake B124-Lunch	8:30	42.00
Nov14 (Mon)	Dark Horse B170	9:00	40.00

**Notice: You will be charged for meals ordered unless you cancel your order by 9 PM the Tuesday before our Thursday Meeting!!!**

## Thursday, July 7<sup>th</sup>

**Little SIR Ron McGee 432-3268**



Our guest speaker for the July meeting will be Mr. Dean "Wilbur" Wright, currently Lead Pilot for the **Patriots Jet Team**. Mr. Wright will provide a "behind the scenes" look at his time on the **USAF Thunderbirds** that will transition into his current position as the **Lead Pilot for the Patriots**. He will cover the Thunderbird selection process, training and performing. He will also compare and contrast the Thunderbirds with the Patriots regarding schedule, training and experience.



**Treasurer Bob Riopel 432-9274**



So far this year, 84 members or 67% have made a donation. These donations are what cover Branch expenses, including SIR Inc. dues, speakers' meals, website, entertainment and other expenses for our semi-annual ladies' invited lunches, and other incidental costs. Some members make one donation of \$20 or \$25, while others contribute the balance of a \$20 bill several times a year. Either way, they are essential to running the branch. If you have not contributed yet this year, please consider doing so soon. You can make a donation at the meeting in cash or check, or mail it to me at 18239 Lake Forest Drive, PV 95946.

**Membership Robbie Robinette 432-3695**



We were pleased to induct Dan Halloran at the June meeting. Welcome aboard, Dan! A couple of members, Dave Childs and Gus Beckstrom, invited their sons as guests. Glad to have you attend, Sons. We welcome all members' guests, especially those who are potential members. The active membership now stands at 123 **SIRS**; 48% attended the June meeting. The non-attendees missed an outstanding presentation.

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## Birthday Boys!



Warren  
Clarke



Dennis  
Cole



Jim  
Frank



Clint  
Gunderson



Dick  
Mallman



Mike  
McKee



James  
Mix



Harold  
Nelson Jr



Joseph  
Padjune



Roy  
Paulsen



Colin  
Phillips



Ray  
Villarreal



Bob  
Welti



Zimmy  
Zimlinghaus

## Travel Charley Stein 432-3177



**Trafalgar Tour "Wonders of Britain and Ireland"** – Sept. 17th - Oct. 2nd, 2011. Per Person Price: Land \$2,899, Air (SFO) \$970.29, Air (SMF) \$1,203. Airline miles OK.

**14 Day Panama Canal Cruise "Coral Princess"** – Jan. 17th – 31st, 2012. Per Person Price: \$2,246.33 - \$4,314.84.

## Chaplain Tom Naylor 263-3829



We would like the opportunity to pray and show our sympathy for our fellow members' personal crisis or loss. If you or other members you know of would like to give us this opportunity, please email me at [tomnaylor@comcast.net](mailto:tomnaylor@comcast.net) or call me.

## SIR Luncheon Menu

Thursday, July 7, 2011

Cost: \$16.00 (Includes tax, tip)

**Broccoli & Cheddar Soup**

Choice of:

**Baked Ham with Sauce**

(Vegetables)

Or

**Shrimp Salad**

**Bread Pudding**

**Rolls and Butter**

**Coffee, Ice Tea**

## Branch Executive Council (BEC) Directory

### 2011 Officers

Big SIR	Bob Kline	432-2107
Little SIR	Ron McGee	432-3268
Secretary	Bill Stamatis	432-8266
Asst. Secretary	Wayne Siegfried	432-1512
Treasurer	Bob Riopel	432-9274
Asst. Treasurer	Bill Stamatis	432-8266
Director	Ron Ernst	432-8846
Director	Glenn Orren	432-2198
Director	Bob Welti	432-3025

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Attendance	Robby Robinette	432-3695
Caller	Bob Schaefer	432-3336
Chaplain	Tom Naylor	263-3829
Programs	Ron McGee	432-3268
Biography Editor	Bob Welti	432-3025
Bulletin Editor	Bob Welti	432-3025
Asst. Bulletin Ed.	Jim Quintal	432-2181
Golf	Ed Quintal	432-9399
Asst. Golf	Larry Cloney	432-4411
Membership	Robby Robinette	432-3695
Travel	Charley Stein	432-3177
Webmaster	Jim Quintal	432-2181

### State Officers

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Area 33 Governor	Don Dill	(530) 885-6943

### State Links

Website	<a href="http://Sirinc.org">Sirinc.org</a>
Bulletin	<a href="#">SIR Happenings</a>